

## IN WRONG GRAVE

### OLD CONFEDERATE VETERAN LAID TO REST.

#### Mistake Made and Body Will Be Dis- interred—Well Known Soldier of South.

The funeral services of Hugh Watson, which were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Fourth Presbyterian church, Hancock street, between Market and Main streets, were largely attended. For years Mr. Watson had been one of the best-known stalwarts of the East End of the city, was a Confederate veteran and a member of the George B. Eastin Camp. Hundreds of his personal friends and old comrades attended the services and followed the funeral car to the grave. The services yesterday afternoon were conducted by the Rev. James M. Fisher, pastor of the church, and the Rev. J. G. Minnigerode, pastor of Calvary Protestant Episcopal church. One feature of the burial in Eastern cemetery was the burial of the body in the wrong lot. This was due to the fact that the man sent out by the funeral director made a mistake in the location of Mrs. Watson's lot. The body will be exhumed to-day and reinterred in the family lot.

Hugh Watson was sixty-eight years of age. He was a native of North Ireland. Before the war he was engaged in the river trade, and for that reason was known from Pittsburg to New Orleans. With William Varbel he took the steamer, Pink Varbel, south with supplies. At Nashville the expedition was captured by the Confederates, and Mr. Watson then enlisted in the Confederate army. He served throughout the remainder of the war, after which he returned to Louisville. After the Civil War he entered the ice business, first as a member of a firm and then for himself. Later he was employed by Dennis Long. Fifteen years ago he opened a grocery store at Campbell and Elm streets, and conducted that up to the time of his late illness.

The pallbearers who served yesterday afternoon were Hugh Bell, James Hendricks, Ephriam Devan, Thomas Jamison, Joseph Paul and George Paul. Mr. Watson and James Hendricks, who is a veteran member of the Louisville Police Department, were comrades in the army and close friends.