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The Douglas
Funeral Feb 25-1895

Around the other side from the arch pink roses and orchids formed a mass of color, and the bottom was spread out in an em-blue and red ribbons, the national colors of valley. Entwined through the wreath were blue and red ribbons, the national colors of Hayti, and upon each in letters of gold, in the French language, was inscribed, "Re-public of Hayti. Testimony of esteem and regre :". The wreath itself rested on the pedestal at an angle of about forty-five de-grees.

The arrangements at the church were all in charge of a special committee of honor from the board of trustees of the church, consisting of J. W. Cromwell, P. A. Gaines, John A. Simms, Wm. Beckett, Jeremiah Johnson, James Ricks and Wm. Turley.

They were assisted by the following ushers from Howard University: J. W. McDowell, E. C. Campbell, D. W. Paxton, F. W. Vaughn, G. D. Eubanks, T. M. Syphax, C. M. Butler, H. O. Cook, D. O. W. Holmes, S. C. Harrison, W. E. Benson and Robert Coleman.

GRADUATES

Visited Famous Homes.

Along the river several stops at famous Colonial homes were made. At Westover, the home of the Byrds; at Brandon, the home of the Harrisons, and said to be the site of the oldest Colonial mansion in the Old Dominion; and at Shirley, the ancestral dwelling place of the Carters, all families notable in the record of proud Virginia lineage were included in the informal visits of the President.

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