

Today in Georgia History
October 8, 1895
Liberty Bell

Suggested Reading

Bruce Harvey and Lynn Watson-Powers, "The Eyes of the World Are Upon Us": A Look at the Cotton States and International Exposition of 1895," *Atlanta History* 39 (fall/winter 1995): 5-11.

Liberty Bell Center, Independence National Historical Park
<http://www.nps.gov/inde/liberty-bell-center.htm>

The Liberty Bell, a Special History Study - by John C. Paige
Published by the National Park Service, Denver Service Center

Venerable Relic: the Story of the Liberty Bell - by David Kimball
Published by Eastern National Park & Monument Association, 1989

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October 8, 1895: Liberty Bell in Atlanta



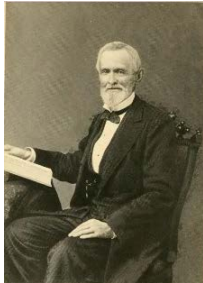
Cotton Exposition, Aerial View

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Cotton States Exposition Ticket

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Jefferson Davis 1889

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Jefferson Davis Greeting of It When He Saw it for the Last Time

Article courtesy of the New York Times, 1902



Liberty Bell

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Liberty Bell and Stairway, Independence Hall

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Liberty Bell Parade

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Liberty bell Pavilion, 2003

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Liberty Bell

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Map of Piedmont Park

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Ovation to the Bell

Atlanta Will Receive Old Liberty with a
Grand Demonstration.

WILL ESCORT IT FROM CHATTANOOGA

The Bell Will Be Four Days En Route,
and the Crowding Demonstration
Will Be in Atlanta.

Ovation to the Bell

Article courtesy of The Atlanta Constitution, August 3, 1895, pg 5

"THE FAIREST BELL"

Mayor Warwick Wires That He Will
Work for Its Coming.

RECEIVED WITH GREAT DEMONSTRATION

The Committee on Credentials at Work
on a Programme for the Reception
of the Liberty Bell.

Will the liberty bell be allowed to come
to Atlanta?
This is a question of national interest
just now. It is not only exciting the peo-
ple of Atlanta and most especially the re-
ception management, but the press of
the entire country is discussing it. All
over the United States the people are
watching the contest with interest.
The leading papers of Philadelphia favor
having the bell to be brought here. The
Times and The Free, leading journals, are
outspoken in favor of it.

The Fairest Bell

Article courtesy of The Atlanta Constitution, August 14 1895, pg9



View of Capitol Atlanta

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Worlds Fair Poster, Century of Progress

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