

## Ernest Tubb "Wabash Cannonball"

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From the great Atlantic ocean to the wide Pacific shore  
From the queen of flowing mountains to the southbelt  
by the shore  
She's mighty tall and handsome, and known quite well  
by all  
She's the combination on the Wabash Cannonball

She came down from Birmingham one cold December  
day  
As she rolled into the station you could hear all the  
people say  
There's a girl from Tennessee she's long and she's tall  
She came down from Birmingham on the Wabash  
Cannonball

Ah buddy now - [ steel ]

Our eastern states are dandy so the people always say  
From New York to St Louis and Chicago by the way  
From the hills of Minnesota where the rippling waters  
fall  
No changes can be taken on that Wabash Cannonball

Here's to daddy Claxton may his name forever stand  
And always be remembered round the ports of Alabam  
His earthly race is over and the curtains round him fall  
We'll carry him home to Vict'ry on the Wabash  
Cannonball

[ guitar ]

Now listen to the jingle, the rumble and the roar  
As she glides along the woodlands through the hills  
and by the shore  
Hear the mighty rush of the engine hear those  
lonesome hobo squall  
You're trav'ling through the jungles on the Wabash  
Cannonball

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