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Thursday Morning July 18, 1850.

☞ The Commissioners and Clerks appointed for the election to be held in the First Municipality on Saturday next, are most earnestly requested to call at the Mayor's office, and have themselves qualified at the earliest moment.

THE DEATH OF THE PRESIDENT

The President breathed his last at a late hour on the evening of the 9th, and the papers announced the sorrowful event on the next day. They had barely time to insert a few lines to record the death of the great and good man in whom the Nation has lost. The *National Intelligencer* thus renders the demise of the Chief Magistrate of the Union in the following beautiful, appropriate and touching lines:

"Wrapped in silent sadness! The hand of death has stretched down a great and good man. ZACHARY TAYLOR, our honored and beloved President, is no more! A malignant and rapid disease has swept him from among the living. No longer ago than Thursday last, he was apparently in the full enjoyment of health and strength, participating in the great festival commemorative of the Nation's Birth Day, and in the evening engaged with the dead! He expired last night, at half past 10 o'clock, surrounded by his affectionate family. He died with the composure which is ever the fortitude, and confidence in the goodness of God can alone impart. His last words were: 'I am not afraid to die. I have done no wrong.' He may truly regret in leaving those whom we leave behind.

In this wide and there is not a heart which beats to the noblest attributes of our nature—truth, honesty, patriotism—that will not think with sorrow of the National bereavement!

He was a noble gentleman:
In general voice
A man for courtesy, behavior, truth,
A very fair demeanor an example.
Fitted honor add not to his fame,
Who was himself an honor to the title."

The Boston Post has published the following notice: "The President of the United States has just breathed his last. The chamber in which he died was crowded with a sad and sympathizing crowd. He was conscious and sensible to the last. Edmund Burke, West Shoolman and others were present. In little more than an hour the President of the United States has ceased to exist. Yesterday he was in the full enjoyment of health and strength, participating in the great festival commemorative of our Nation's Birth Day, and in the evening engaged with the dead! He expired last night, at half past 10 o'clock, surrounded by his affectionate family. He died with the composure which is ever the fortitude, and confidence in the goodness of God can alone impart. His last words were: 'I am not afraid to die. I have done no wrong.' He may truly regret in leaving those whom we leave behind."

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