

## WM. H. NORTHUP DIES FOLLOWING BRIEF SICKNESS

Former Mayor and  
Postmaster of Pen-  
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Captain William H. Northup, 77, for years prominent in political and business activities of Pensacola, died early yesterday morning at his home, 203 West Gregory street, after an illness of several days.

Captain Northup had spent 43 years in Pensacola, coming here from South Kingston, R. I., his birthplace. During that time he served as mayor of the city, collector of customs, and postmaster, as well as on the board of aldermen. He organized the undertaking firm of Northup and Wood, and was at one time receiver of the street car company of Pensacola.

Captain Northup was also prominent in fraternal life, being at the time of his death Past Master of the Masons in Lodge No. 42, and Past Exalted Ruler and Past District Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

Captain Northup is survived by one son, Edwin S. Northup, of Rensselaer, N. Y., two brothers, Charles E. and George A. Northup, and three sisters, Mrs. F. A. Cook, Mrs. G. S. Eaton and Mrs. N. W. Browning, all of Peacedale, Rhode Island. Mrs. Browning was at the bedside at the death of Captain Northup.

The body is lying in the parlors of the T. M. Lloyd Company, awaiting the arrival of the son, Edwin S. Northup, who is expected to reach the city Saturday. Funeral arrangements will be held up until his arrival.