

# DEATH OF COMMODORE O. H. PERRY

*"Deplored as a National misfortune"*

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LENTO EXPRESSIVO.

Mourn, mourn, Columbia, mourn! Your Perry's dead— his spirit's fled—

Ah! never, never to re--turn, Ah! never, never to re--turn.

ANDANTE.

Ye daughters of Freedom your cypress wreaths bring, And lau-rels en-twin'd with the

MAESTOSO.

flowers of the spring, To deck the he-ro's urn.

His mighty deeds of valour

shall live in our mem'ry, And deathless and deathless shall be his name, And deathless, and

deathless shall be his name. And the flood of conquer'd Erie, As it rolls a-

long-- Ni-ag'-ra, Shall thunder to pos-ter--i--

ty his fame, shall thunder to pos-ter--i--ty his fame.

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