

[Dennis, Stephen F.]

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His Death Takes from the City a Prominent Business Man.

Stephen F. Dennis, managing director of the Syracuse Ice Cream Company, was one of the most active and prominent business men of the city. His death is a shock to his many associates, acquaintances and friends, and removes from the community a man highly respected for his business acumen and integrity.

From small beginnings in the industry, Mr. Dennis built up by energy and foresight a business that even exceeded his vision. It was his thought in the earlier days to make ice cream available for the greatest number by economy in production. Following that line he brought about changes in the industry that placed it on a new and better plane.

Mr. Dennis saw his vision come true with the organization of the Syracuse Ice Cream Company. It is due mostly to his efforts and confidence in his opinions that cheaper production a large scale and wider distribution were effected. The city can ill afford to lose men of his caliber in the business and industrial realm.

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FUNERAL RITES FOR STEPHEN F. DENNIS

Funeral services for Stephen F. Dennis, one of the three founders of the Syracuse Ice Cream Company, who died Wednesday, were conducted at the home, 124 W. Lafayette av. Saturday at 1 p.m., and a half hour later in First Universalist Church by Rev. Frederick W. Betts Burial was in Morningside Cemetery. Lifelong friends and business associates were bearers.

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