

[Holbrook, Gilbert F.]

Gilbert F. Holbrook died at his home in Syracuse Thursday afternoon. During most of his life he made his home in this city.

Mr. Holbrook was born in Lynn, Mass. When a young man he came to this city, then noted as a shoe manufacturing center. He was for 50 years employed in the shoe manufacturing business here. For years prior to the closing of that establishment he was foreman in the fitting room of the J. M. Cloys Shoe Factory. He attended the Universalist church. Six years ago he moved to Syracuse, where he had since run a shoe shop of his own. He was twice married, his second wife, Eunice Wendell of this city, having died in 1900. Two sons, Gilbert and Sidney, survive him; also five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon and interment will be made in Forest Hill Cemetery.

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