

[Jenn, May Hennessy]

MRS. JOSEPH E. JENN

Unexpected Death at the Hospital of Well Known Young Woman

Mrs. May Hennessy Jenn, wife of Joseph E. Jenn, died this morning at the City hospital where she was taken on Tuesday to undergo an operation that was not in itself regarded as serious. For some weeks she has suffered from stomach trouble but her condition was not regarded as serious until this week. She rallied from the operation which was performed on Wednesday and hopes for her complete recovery were entertained until last night. At an early hour this morning she began to sink and sank gradually until the end came shortly before noon.

Mrs. Jenn was a young woman whose death will cause widespread sorrow. She was 26 years old and had been married less than two years. Hers was an engaging personality and wherever she went she made friends. And she had the happy faculty of retaining them. She was the life of the circle in which she moved and by all who knew her, her untimely death will be deeply deplored. She was well known in musical circles, had studied music both here and at Syracuse university and for some time had been the soprano in the Universalist church quartette.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Jenn is survived by her mother, Mrs. Catherine E. Hennessy, and three brothers, John P. Hennessy of Syracuse, Thomas J. and James K. Hennessy of this city, to all of whom the sincere sympathy of hosts of friends will be extended in this hour of their affliction.

Arrangements for the funeral are incomplete.

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