

Maurice M. Dressler; Headed Meat Company

Maurice M. Dressler, 52, of 670 Elmgrove Ave., Providence, president of Colfax Inc., of Pawtucket, died yesterday in The Miriam Hospital shortly after he suffered a seizure at the Jewish Community Center. He was the husband of Gloria (Friedlander) Dressler.

Mr. Dressler had been president of Colfax, a meat packing firm, since 1965. He had previously served the company as its vice president.

He was born in Providence July 15, 1919, a son of Sarah (Weisman) Dressler and the late Joseph Dressler.

He was a member of the board of directors of Temple Emanu-El, the section chairman of Special Gifts of the 1972 United Fund Campaign, and a founder of the Industrial Blood Bank of Southeast New England.

Mr. Dressler also was an officer of the United Arts, a member of the Slater Mill restoration committee, past president of the New England Wholesale Meat Dealers, past president of Crestwood Country Club, past vice president of the Jewish Community Center and a member of Redwood Lodge No. 35 AF & AM.

Besides his wife and mother, a Providence resident, he is survived by one son Michael Dressler of Providence; a daughter, Mrs.



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Maureen Dore of Cranston; two brothers, Sidney of Barrington and Abbott Dressler of Cranston; two sisters, Mrs. Priscilla Krasnow of Warwick and Mrs. Joan Abrams of Providence; and one grandchild.

Mr. Dressler was a veteran of World War II. He served in the Army with the Quartermaster Corps in the European theater and attained the rank of captain.

Funeral services will be held today at 1 p.m. at Temple Emanu-El, Morris Avenue. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

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