

# **CHARLES S. McINTYRE, JR.**

## **1913-1982**

Charles S. McIntyre, Jr., of Monroe and Caseville, passed away suddenly Monday, Jan. 25, 1982 in Highland Beach, Fla.

He was born in 1913 and was the former head of Monroe Automotive Equipment Company, the world's largest maker of shock absorbers. He and his family summered on Sand Point for many years.

His father started the firm and Mr. McIntyre began working there as a 15-year-old high school student. He began work full-time in 1933 and became chairman in 1973. He retired in 1977.

He often contributed to local projects, including the building of Scheurer Hospital. The family-owned company grew from a 1937 business with \$1.75 million in sales to a worldwide concern with 6,000 employees and sales of \$217 million in 1977.

Mr. McIntyre is survived by five sons, Charles S. II, David, James, Joseph and Robert Kevin, all of Monroe, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, Jan. 29 at First Presbyterian Church in Monroe. Memorials may be sent to the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, the First Presbyterian Church Endowment Fund in Monroe or Alma College.