Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Aaronson, 57, wife of Perry Aaronson, who died unexpectedly Jan. 7 at her home at 46 Pembroke Avenue, were held Jan. 9 in the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel with burial in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Aaronson was born April 14, 1905, in Russia. She had lived in Providence for 54 years. The late Joseph and Manya (Mason) Felder were her parents. She was a member of the Jewish Home for the Aged.

In addition to her husband, she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Gerald Silverman of New London; a sister, Mrs. Abraham Brouth of Newport, and four brothers, Jacob I. Felder of Providence, William Felder of Fall River, Charles Felder of Hyattsville, Md., and Harry Felder of Orlando, Fla.
Stuart J. Aaronson, 71

EAST PROVIDENCE, R.I. - Stuart J. Aaronson passed away on Feb. 22 at the Evergreen House Health Center. He was born in Boston, Mass., and was raised by his mother, Roberta (Barron) Loebenberg, and her late husband, Stanley T. Loebenberg, in Providence.

Stuart graduated from Brown University in 1966, where he was involved with Brown's radio station, WBRU, both on-air and behind-the-scenes. He owned the Rhode Island School of Broadcasting prior to joining Sanford White Company Inc. as vice president. Most recently he was the owner of Stuart Manufacturing LLC.

He was passionate about the Reform Jewish movement and was involved locally, regionally and nationally in Jewish organizations. He was a lifelong member and honorary trustee of Temple Beth-El, and served as the chair of the Temple's building committee. He dedicated a significant portion of his time to Men of Reform Judaism, first serving as president of Temple Beth-El's Brotherhood and later as national president of the National Federation of Temple Brotherhoods. He was also active with Jewish Family Service of R.I. and the northeast region of the Union for Reform Judaism.

Besides his mother, Stuart is survived by his daughter, Rachel Auslander, and her husband, James, of Arlington, Va., and his beloved grandson Joshua.

Contributions in Stuart's memory can be made to the Temple Beth-El Brotherhood, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence, R.I. 02906 or the URJ Eisner and Crane Lake Scholarship, 160 Chubb Ave., Suite 207, Lyndhurst, N.J. 07071.
CLARA ABATO, 86, of the Woonsocket Health Center, a bookkeeper at A&F Radio and TV, a family-owned business, retiring 15 years ago, died Friday at the center. She was the wife of the late F. Fortunato Abato.

Born in the Bronx, N.Y., a daughter of the late Isaac and Mollie (Schneiderman) Greenstein, she lived in Woonsocket for five years, previously living in Providence.

She leaves two sons, Richard Abato of Cumberland and Ronald Abato of Warwick; a brother, Stanley Greenstein of Warwick; and four grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Daniel, Milton and Sidney Greenstein, Shirley Levin and Mildred Cotzin.

A graveside service will be held today at 10 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
ABBEY, Henry

September 2, 2001. Beloved husband of the late Freda (Hirsch) Abbey. Residence: Sylvan Ave., Cranston. Dear father of Bruce Abbey, Cranston. Loving brother of Albert Abbey, Mass.; and Louis Abbey, Conn. Devoted grandfather of Christopher and Michaela. Graveside service 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 400 Main St., Pawtucket, R.I., 02860. Shiva will be private. The family was assisted with arrangements by the SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.
ANNE BEATRICE (SEIDMAN) ABEDON, 96, of Presidential Way, West Palm Beach, Fla., and formerly of Providence, died yesterday at home.

She was the wife of the late Bernard B. Abedon. Born in Providence in 1906, a daughter of the late Israel and Minnie (Gleckin) Seidman, she had lived in Providence for 88 years before moving to Florida 8 years ago.

She was a graduate of English High School.

Mrs. Abedon was a member of Temple Beth-El.

She belonged to the Ledgemont Country Club, and many civic and cultural organizations.

She leaves two sons, Herbert Abedon of Providence and Richard Abedon of Wellington, Fla., and formerly of Tiverton; a sister, Lillian Solomon of Bal Harbor, Fla.; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be tomorrow at 2 p.m. in the Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
MRS. SAMUEL ABEDON

Funeral services for Mrs. Bessie Abedon of 27 Top Street, the widow of Samuel Abedon, who died Tuesday after a short illness, were held Wednesday at the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

A daughter of the late Max and Lena (Gordon) Brenner, she had been a resident of Providence for 50 years. She was a member of the Ladies Union Aid Association, Miriam Hospital and the Jewish Home for the Aged.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Herman Goldstein of Cranston; two sons, M. Louis Abedon, U. S. Commissioner for Rhode Island, and Byron H. Abedon, both of Providence; two brothers, Benjamin Brenner of Providence and Julius Brenner of Detroit, and six grandchildren.
PROVIDENCE — Byron H. Abedon, 70, of 184 Chace Ave., a chemist, and a 1936 Brown University graduate, died yesterday morning at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Edith (Jaffee) Abedon.

Mr. Abedon joined the Hillsinger Corporation of Plainville, Mass., in 1972, and remained as a consultant when he became semi-retired in 1982. Earlier, for 25 years, he was vice president in charge of research and development for, and a founder of, Engineering Products & Specialties Inc. of Pawtucket.

He was a member of the American Electroplating Society, Redwood Lodge No.35, AF&AM, the National Rifle Association, the Coast Guard Auxiliary, the Power Squadron, Ducks Unlimited, and Temple Emanu-El and its Men's Club.

Mr. Abedon also was a founder of Temple Emanu-El's Boy Scout Troop 20, and scoutmaster and troop committeeman for many years. An avid gardener, the landscaping at his home reflected his preference for growing flowers in traditional lawn areas.

A son of the late Samuel and Bessie (Brenner) Abedon, he was a lifelong resident of the city.

Besides his wife, survivors are a daughter, Martha Wexler of Seekonk, Mass.; a son, David Abedon of Warwick; a sister, Myrtle B. Goldstein of Chester, S.C.; a brother, Atty. M. Louis Abedon of Providence, and six grandchildren.

The funeral service is today at 2 p.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Dorothy M. Abbott

PROVIDENCE — Dorothy M. Abbott, 86, formerly of Friendship Street, died Tuesday in the Lakeview Health Center, Harrisville.

She was born in Providence a daughter of the late Albert and Frances Abbott.

She was employed as a library worker for many years at the Providence Public Library. She was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church.

There are no immediate survivors.

A memorial service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in the Juhlin-Pearson Chapel, 754 Broad St.

NOTE: Dorothy M. Abbott is listed as Librarian of the Rhode Island Jewish Historical NOTES for the years 1965 through 1972.
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Bernard B. Abedon dies at age 85; longtime Providence lawyer, Mason

PROVIDENCE — Bernard B. Abedon, 85, of 395 Angell St., a lawyer in Providence since 1929, died yesterday at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Anne (Seidman) Abedon.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Harry and Jennie (Volpe) Abedon.

Mr. Abedon attended Boston University College of Business Administration and was a 1928 graduate of Boston University Law School. He was admitted to the Rhode Island Bar the same year, and became a member of the federal court in 1929. He was a member of the Rhode Island Bar Association, and had served as chairman of its executive board. He was a member of the United States Judicature Society.

He joined the Redwood Masonic Lodge in 1928, and became a master mason in 1929. He was appointed junior steward six years later and advanced through the stations, and was elected worshipful master in 1941. In 1954 he became the grand master of Free Masonsin Rhode Island.

Mr. Abedon was a member of the Providence Royal Arch Chapter, the Rhode Island Consistory, the Palestine Shrine, and was an honorary member of the United Lodge, Brookline, Mass. He served as grand lecturer of the Grand Lodge, president of the Freemason Hall Company, and was chairman of the Masonic Education Forum. He received the 33rd degree at Buffalo, N.Y., in 1959.

He was a member of Temple Beth-El, vice president of its Men’s Club, and a member of the board of directors of the Jewish Home for the Aged of Rhode Island.

Former Gov. John O. Pastore appointed him to the United Nations Committee. He was a former chief crier of the Town Criers of Rhode Island. He was a member of the board of governors of the Big Brothers of Rhode Island, and a member of the board of directors of the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Rhode Island. He was a past president of the Ledgemont Country Club.

Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Herbert J. Abedon of East Providence, a lawyer, and Probate Court Judge Richard L. Abedon of Tiverton; a sister, Ruth Grossman of Providence; five grandsons and a granddaughter. He was brother of the late Bertha M. Helford. The funeral service will be tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Temple Beth-El, Orchard Avenue. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
WARWICK

ABEDON, EDITH J., 97, of Brentwood Nursing Home, died Tuesday at the home. She was the beloved wife of the late Byron H. Abedon.

Born in Providence, she was a lifelong Providence resident. Devoted mother of David Abedon of Warwick and Martha Wexler of Seekonk, MA. Dear sister of the late George Jaffe. Loving grandmother of Philip, Stephanie, Joshua, Daniel, Emily and Rebecca. Cherished Great-Grandmother of Gabrielle and Norah.

Graveside services Thursday at 11:00 a.m. in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to Jewish Eldercare of Rhode Island. Shiva will be observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Abedon, 20 Ann Mary Brown Drive, Warwick, Thurs. 7-9 and Fri. 1-3 p.m. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.
ABEDON, LILLIAN (STEIN), 97, of Laurelmead in Providence, died Tuesday at Miriam Hospital. She was the wife of the late M. Louis Abedon.

Born in New Britain, CT, a daughter of the late Barnard and Sarah (Gimbel) Stein, she had been a resident of Providence for most of her life. Mrs. Abedon was a 1929 graduate of Simmons College. She was a member of Temple Emanuel and Hadassah.

She is survived by a daughter, Roberta A. Levin of Narragansett; a son, Michael Stein Abedon of Waban, MA; a sister, Ruth Gross of W. Hartford, CT; 7 grandchildren, Carl, Bari, Sean, Stephen, Bruce, Genevieve and Ari; 8 great grandchildren, Eliecer, Gabriella, Rebecca, Benjamin, Talia, Noadiah, Brian and Liana; and a niece, Joy (Cowen) LePatner of CA.

The funeral will be held on Thursday at 2:00 p.m. in the Samuel Priest Chapel at Lincoln Park Cemetery in Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Make a Wish Foundation of RI, 757 Park Avenue, Cranston, RI 02910. Shiva to be observed immediately following burial until 6 p.m. at Laurelmead and at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Levin, 101 Ocean Rd. #104, Narragansett, Friday 2-4 p.m. Arrangements by SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.
M. LOUIS ABEDON, 91, of 355 Blackstone Blvd., a retired lawyer, died yesterday at home. He was the husband of Lillian (Stein) Abedon.

A lifelong Providence resident, he was a son of the late Samuel and Bessie (Brenner) Abedon.

He attended Boston University and was a 1929 graduate of Boston University Law School. He practiced law in Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

Mr. Abedon was a member of the Massachusetts and the Rhode Island Bar Associations.

He was a member of the federal courts. Mr. Abedon served as U.S. commissioner for the U.S. District Court of Rhode Island from 1954 through 1971. He had been president of the Rhode Island Trial Lawyers Association. He served as president of the Zionist Organization of America, Rhode Island branch.

Mr. Abedon was a member of Temple Emanu-El and served as officer and director of its Men's Club.

He was a member of the Redwood Lodge, AF&AM, the Rhode Island Jewish Community Center, the Ahavath Sholom Synagogue, the Touro Fraternal Association and the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island.

He was a member of Boston University Law School Alumni Association and served on its executive committee. He was a member of the Rhode Island Republican State Central Committee and the Providence Republican City Committee. He was active in many other philanthropic and fraternal organizations in Rhode Island.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Roberta Levin of Narragansett; a son, Dr. Michael Abedon of Newton, Mass.; a sister, Myrtle Goldstein of Chester, S.C.; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Byron Abedon.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 11 a.m. in Temple Emanu-El, Morris Avenue at Sessions Street, Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.

ABEDON, M. Louis, Esq.

Dear Father of Roberta Levin, Narragansett and Dr. Michael Abedon, Newton MA. Dear Brother of Myrtle Goldstein, of Chester SC. and the late Byron Abedon. Devoted Grandfather of Carl, Bari, Sean Levin, Stephen, Bruce, Genevieve, Ari Abedon. Devoted Great-Grandfather of Eliyac, Gabriella, Talia and Brian. Dear Uncle of Joy Cowen Le- Patner. Funeral Service 11AM Sunday at TEMPLE EMANU-EL, Morris Ave at Sessions St. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to your favorite charity. Memorial Observance at his late residence Sunday 7-9PM and Monday 2-4;7-9PM. Arrangements by MOUNT SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.
ABEDON, PAULA (LEVIN), 77, died April 2, 2009.

Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late Robert and Molly (Eilberg) Levin. Ms. Abedon was a graduate of Brown University, a pianist, teacher and patron of the arts. She was a supporter of the Boston Symphony. Ms. Abedon was a member of the Brown Alumnae Association and Hadassah. She had a unique gift for acceptance of all with unconditional love.

She is survived by her sons, Jon Abedon of Providence, Reuven Abedon of Baltimore, MD, and Stephen Abedon of San Rafael, CA; her brother, David Levin of Boston, MA; and her grandchildren, Yehuda, Mali, Rivka and Lilli.

The funeral service was held on Thursday, April 2nd, at Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel in Providence, with burial in the Crawford St. Cemetery in West Roxbury. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Friend's Association at Tanglewood, 301 Massachusetts Ave., Boston, MA 02115.
Betty Abel

She taught in Warwick schools 27 years before retiring in 1970.

PROVIDENCE — Betty Abel, 86, a former teacher and a resident-member of the Jewish Home For the Aged, 99 Hillside Ave., died there yesterday. She was the widow of Abraham L. Abel.

She was born in Douglas, Pa., a daughter of the late Max and Anna (Gelb) Berger. She had been a Providence resident over 65 years.

She received her B.A. degree from Rhode Island College and taught in the Warwick public schools for 27 years until retiring 15 years ago. She had also taught at the Providence Hebrew Day School.

She was a member of Temple Beth-El and its Sisterhood for 60 years, Order of Eastern Star and the Rhode Island Teachers Association.

She leaves a daughter, Elizabeth A. Berger of Cranston; a son, Dr. Robert B. Abel of Shrewsbury, N.J.; a sister, Selma Berger of Philadelphia, Pa.; a brother, Sylvester Berger of McKeesport, Pa.; four grandchildren and a great-granddaughter.

The funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow at Mt. Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be in Congregation Sons of Israel & David Cemetery, Reservoir Avenue.
Dr. Herbert S. Abel, Noted Dermatologist, Dies at Age of 31

The funeral of Dr. Herbert Spencer Abel, dermatologist at several hospitals of the State, was held this morning, with Rabbi William G. Braude of Temple Beth-El officiating. Dr. Abel died yesterday in his 31st year after a heart attack.

DR. H. S. ABEL DIES OF HEART AILMENT

Dr. Herbert Spencer Abel, 107 Medway street, dermatologist on the staff of several hospitals, died this morning at 5 o'clock at the Memorial Hospital at Pawtucket. He was in his 31st year. About a month ago Dr. Abel suffered a heart attack, and a second attack resulted in his death this morning.

Born at Bradford, Mass., Dr. Abel came to Providence in 1919 with his parents. He was graduated from Point street grammar school and Classical High and then went to Harvard University, where he was graduated with high honors. After leaving Harvard he studied medicine at the Cornell Medical School and served his internship at the Skin and Cancer Hospital in New York City and at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston.

Dr. Abel was treasurer of the Jacobi Medical Society of Providence. He was on the staff of the Beth-Israel Hospital in Boston, the Chapin Hospital, the Rhode Island Hospital and the Miriam Hospital. He was a member of the Providence Medical Society and the Rhode Island State Medical Society. Besides his wife, Mrs. Adele (Rubinstein) Abel, he leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Abel and one brother, A. Lincoln Abel.

Dr. Abel of 107 Medway street, dermatologist on the staff of many hospitals, died Monday morning at the Memorial Hospital in Pawtucket. He was in his 31st year. About a month ago, he suffered a heart attack and a second attack resulted in his death Monday.

From Bradford, Mass., where he was born in 1903, Dr. Abel and his parents came to Providence in 1919. He was graduated from Classical High School and after receiving high honors at Harvard University, he studied medicine at Cornell Medical School. He served his internship at the Skin and Cancer Hospital in New York City and at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston.

Dr. Abel was on the staff of the Beth-Israel hospital in Boston, the Chapin hospital, the Rhode Island hospital and the Miriam hospital. Treasurer of the Jacobi Medical Society of Providence, he was also a member of the Providence Medical Society and the R. I. State Medical Society.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Adele (Rubinstein) Abel; his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Abel, and a brother, A. Lincoln Abel.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at the funeral home of Max Sugarman, 140 Randall street. Rabbi William G. Braude of Temple Beth-El will officiate.
Mt. Sinai Hospital, Miami Beach, Fla.

He was the husband of Anne (Sutton) Abelson. Born in Worcester, a son of the late Arthur and Mary Abelson, he had lived in Worcester for many years before moving to Rhode Island in 1940 and Florida in 1970.

Mr. Abelson had owned the former Al Abelson’s Deli on Hope Street for many years before retiring. He had served as a 5th District representative for 10 years. During the 1930s he was co-owner, with his late father, of the Little Hungarian Restaurant in Worcester.

He was active in civic and political organizations and was a past president and former member of Temple Beth Sholom. He was a Mason and a former member of B’nai Brith and the Touro Fraternal Association.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Kenneth Abelson of Weymouth, Mass.; a brother, Alan Abelson in New Jersey; a sister, Charlotte Parker in California; and two granddaughters. He was the brother of the late Marion Swidler, Frances Whitestone, Ruth and Philip Abelson.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Funeral services for Benjamin Abelson, 72, the owner of the Park Liquor Shop at 916 Chalkstone Avenue, who died Dec. 30 of a severe beating he suffered when the store was held up, was held the following day at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery. Mr. Abelson lived at 142 Hillside Avenue, Pawtucket.

The husband of Ida (Weiner) Abelson, he was born in Boston on April 18, 1893, a son of the late Nathan and Ida (Bernstein) Abelson. He had lived in Pawtucket for 18 years. He was a World War I Army veteran and a member of the Congregation Sons of Zion in Providence.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Rae Alper and Mrs. Max Swartz, both of Providence.
NEW BEDFORD, MASS. - Betty P. Abesh, daughter of the late Susan Brodsky Neyman and Julius Neyman, of Lowell, Massachusetts, passed away March 14. She was the loving wife of Dr. William Abesh for 64 years.

She graduated from Lowell High School in 1940 and from Boston University School of Education in 1944, and she received a master's degree in education from Harvard Graduate School of Education. After her academic career, she did personnel work in Boston where she met Dr. Abesh and came to New Bedford in 1952.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her children, Jane Abesh Meltzer and her husband Neil of Sudbury, Mass.; and Dr. Daniel Abesh and his wife Jane Eisen Abesh of Cherry Hill, N.J.; by her grandchildren Jesse, Joseph and his wife Lindsey, and Jonathan Abesh, and Benjamin and Jeffrey Meltzer, numerous nieces and nephews and cousins, and many friends.

She was a very civic-minded, social and giving woman, serving as chairperson of numerous charitable events and enterprises within her community. She was a life member of Hadassah, an active participant of the Sisterhood of Tifereth Israel synagogue, a member of the National Council of Jewish Women, and for many years raised funds for the Rabbinical Cultural Studies. She loved and played bridge and traveled the world with her loving husband, family, and friends in her younger days.

Donations may be made to the Jewish Convalescent Center and to Tifereth Israel synagogue.
William Abesh, 94

NEW BEDFORD, MASS. – Dr. William Abesh, husband of Betty Neyman Abesh and son of the late Jacob and Bessie (Portnoy) Abesh, died May 28. He is survived by his daughter, Jane Abesh Meltzer, and her husband, Neil, of Sudbury, Mass.; his son Dr. Daniel Abesh and his wife Jane Eisen Abesh of Cherry Hill, N.J.; grandchildren Jesse, Joseph and Jonathan Abesh, and Benjamin and Jeffrey Meltzer; his sister Goldie Gitlin; numerous nieces and nephews and cousins; and many friends.

Dr. Abesh graduated from New Bedford High School, Class of 1939. He continued his education at the University of Pennsylvania, where he received a liberal arts degree. He went on to the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine, where he graduated in 1946. He became a life member of Alpha Epsilon Pi and was also assistant manager of the wrestling team.

While in dental school, he became a life member of Alpha Omega International Dental Fraternity and was in the Army Specialized Training Program, where he was a Private First Class. On graduation, he was appointed First Lieutenant in the Army Dental Corps, and served an assignment in Korea as a Dental Officer in the Army of Occupation. He was later transferred to the Westover Army Air Force Base, where he was promoted to Captain. He was discharged in 1948.

Dr. Abesh opened his dental office in New Bedford on Nash Road, and later moved to Ashley Blvd. He joined the staff of St. Luke's Hospital as a general dentist in Oct. 1948, and was active in local dental societies. He became a life member of the American Dental Association, the Eureka Lodge of the Masons, the Wamsutta Lodge and the Aleppo Temple of Shriners.

He had been an active member of Tifereth Israel Congregation since 1952, and a board member of the Jewish Federation and of the Jewish Convalescent Home. He was also a member of the Alendale Country Club. In addition, he served as Commander of Post 154 of the Jewish War Veterans of America, worked for many charitable organizations, and was happily married for more than 64 years.

Donations may be made to the Jewish Convalescent Center and to Tifereth Israel Congregation.
CRANSTON

ABEHAUS, BARBARA,
82, of 6 Deerfield Rd., died Friday, May 1, 2009, at Steere House. She was the wife of James Abeshaus. They had been married for 63 years.

She was the daughter of the late Maurice and Ruth (Laurans) Yantes. She was a graduate of Westbrook College in Portland, ME. Mother of Robert Abeshaus of Cranston, Bruce Abeshaus and his wife, Deborah, of Indianapolis, IN and Nancy Abeshaus and her friend, Barbara Kaskosz, of Wakefield. Sister of Jeanne Samuels of FL. Grandmother of Jimmy.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 12:00 noon in SWAN POINT CEMETERY CHAPEL, 585 Blackstone Blvd., Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to Steere House, 100 Borden St., Providence, RI 02903 or Home & Hospice Care of RI, 169 George St., Pawtucket, RI 02860. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.
EUNICE L. (RUBIN) ABESHAUS,
77, of Russet Way, a gerontologist, died Friday at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence.

She was the wife of the late William Abeshaus. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Louis and Mildred (Seidel) Rubin, she had been a longtime resident of Cranston.

Mrs. Abeshaus had taught yoga and worked with the elderly in the 1980s, and received a certificate in gerontology studies at Rhode Island College, Providence.

She was a member of Hadassah, the Miriam Hospital Women's Association, the Women's Association of the Jewish Seniors Agency, and the National Council of Jewish Women.

With her husband, she was a founding member of the Cranston Jewish Center, now Temple Torat Yisrael.

She leaves a son, Marc Abeshaus of Hope; and a daughter, Debra Abeshaus of Cranston.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 10 a.m. in Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
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William Abeshaus

CRANSTON — William Abeshaus, 73, of 40 Russet Way, a pharmacist and co-owner of Thall's Pharmacy from 1942 until retiring in 1987, died Friday at home. He was the husband of Eunice (Rubin) Abeshaus.

Born in New Bedford, a son of the late Samuel and Fannie (Windsberg) Abeshaus, he lived in Cranston since 1938.

Mr. Abeshaus was a 1942 graduate of the former Rhode Island College of Pharmacy. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and was discharged with the rating of chief pharmacist's mate. During service, he was attached to a Marine Corps unit.

He was a charter member of Temple Torat Y'Israel. He a member of Doric Lodge 38, AF and AM, Harmony Royal Arch Chapter 15, and American Legion Post 20.

Besides his wife he leaves a daughter, Debra B. Abeshaus of Cranston; a son, Marc D. Abeshaus of Scituate; a brother, James Abeshaus of Cranston, and a sister, Dorothy Segool of Amherst, Mass.

A funeral service will be held today at 1 p.m. at Temple Torat Y'Israel, Park Avenue. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
VETERAN WATCHMAKER
OF PROVIDENCE IS DEAD

Jacob Abisch of 57 Lorimer Avenue Was
in His 64th Year.

Jacob Abisch of 57 Lorimer Avenue, one of the best known watchmakers in the Rhode Island jewelry industry, employed in this city for the last 45 years, died yesterday at the Homeopathic Hos-

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pital after being taken suddenly ill Sunday. He was in his 64th year. He was born in Roumania and came to Providence when 19 years old, and since had lived here. He was one of the earlier Jewish settlers here.

For years he was employed by William Kerr, later for E. T. Arnold, and his recent years in the jewelry business were spent with J. A. Foster Company. He was a member of the Rhode Island Workingmen's Beneficial Association and the local Roumania Society.

He is survived by two sons, Abe, H. and Leo J. Abisch, both of this city; by four sisters, Mrs. Sol Rosenblatt and Mrs. Abraham Biderberg, both of Philadelphia, Mrs. Joseph Haipern of Palm Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Joseph Schuleberg of Cleveland, and by a brother, Aaron Abisch, of Jacksonville, Fla.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 1 o'clock from the residence.
ABLEMAN, Elsie (Lipowsky)

September 8, 2003. Residence: East St., Providence. Beloved wife of the late Jacob “Jack” Ableman. Devoted Mother of Shirley Zier, Warwick and Judy Goodman, Hyannis. Loving Sister of Ethel Lipowsky, Coral Gables, Fla., and the late Isadore, David, Leo and Anne Lipowsky and Edith Wein- stein. Adored Grandmother of Richard and Leslie Zier and Deborah Goodman. Great-Grandmother of 2. Funeral service is private. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to: Toockwot Home, 75 East St., Providence, R.I. 02906 or JERI, 401 Elmgrove Ave., Providence, R.I. 02906. Shivah will be observed at the home of Shirley Zier, 642 Orleans Ct., Warwick (Weathersfield Commons) Thurs 7-9 and Fri 2-4 pm. The family was assisted with the arrangements by the SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

Providence

ELsie L. ABLEMAN, 101, of 75 East St., died Monday at home. She was the wife of the late Jacob “Jack” Ableman. Born in New York City, a daughter of the late Morris and Tillie (Popkin) Lipowsky, she had lived in Warwick and Cranston before moving to Providence.

Mrs. Ableman was a member of the Women’s Auxiliary of the Dennis Post, American Legion.

She was a life member of the Norwich Hebrew Benevolent Society, and a member of the Hadassah, Rhode Island Chapter, and the Miriam Hospital Women’s Association.

She leaves two daughters, Shirley Zier of Warwick and Judy Goodman of Hyannis, Mass.; a sister, Ethel Lipowsky of Coral Gables, Fla.; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Isadore, David, Leo and Anne Lipowsky and Edith Weinstein.

The funeral will be private.
JACOB F. "JACK" ABLEMAN, 94, of The Tockwotton Home, 75 East Street, Warwick, a civil engineer project manager in upstate New York and New England for more than 45 years before retiring in 1965, died yesterday at the home. He was the husband of Elsie (Lipowsky) Ableman.

Born in Norwich, Conn., he was a son of the late Abraham and Annie (Markoff) Ableman. He lived in Warwick and Cranston for most of his life.

Mr. Ableman was an Army veteran of World War I. He was a member of the Connecticut Society of Civil Engineers, the Portchester (N.Y.) Elks, the former Dennis American Legion Post, the Jewish War Veterans, and a life member of the Norwich, Conn., Hebrew Benevolent Association.

Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters, Shirley Zier of Warwick and Judith Goodman of Hyannis, Mass.; a sister, Beatrice Hirshberg of Bloomfield, Conn., three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Burton and Samuel Ableman.

A graveside funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. at the Hebrew Benevolent Cemetery in Preston, Conn.
IRVING S. ABOWITT, 84, of Santa Cruz, Calif., formerly of Providence and New York City, manager of the former Block Artists Materials Co. on North Main Street for many years before retiring, died Saturday in Santa Cruz. He was the husband of the late Mildred Abowitt.

Born in Fall River, Mass., a son of the late David and Rebecca (Zweibelson) Abowitt, he lived in Providence 40 years and in New York City 40 years before moving to Santa Cruz two weeks ago.

He leaves a daughter, Julie Brice in California; four sisters, Mildred Lazar of Warwick, Dr. Lee Wilkens in New Jersey, Marion Schimelman and Frances Katz, both of East Lyme, Conn.; four brothers, Harold Abowitt of East Greenwich, Joseph Abowitt of Oceanside, Calif., Munroe Abowitt of Pawtucket, and Morton Abowitt of Warwick, and a granddaughter. He was brother of the late Jessie Steingold, Leah and Helen Abowitt.

A private funeral service will be held in California.

IRVING
ABOWITT, MUNROE, 82, of 50 Blaisdell Avenue, a retired jewelry manufacturer, died Friday at home. He was the beloved husband of Beatrice Dworman Abowitt and the late Sarah R. (Fox) Abowitt. Born in Fall River, MA, a son of the late David and Rebecca (Zwiebelson) Abowitt, he had lived in Pawtucket for 55 years, previously residing in Providence.

He was the owner of the former Commercial Polishing and Casting Corp. in Central Falls for 20 years. He also was a supervisor for the Robbins Company in Attleboro for many years, retiring 17 years ago. He was a WWII army veteran, serving in the European Theater and was a member of the DAV and the Jewish War Veterans Reback-Winstein Post #406. He was an avid fisherman and loved woodworking and gardening.

Devoted father of Bruce M. Abowitt and his wife Cheryl of Barrington and Barbara L. Abowitt of Maui, HI and Florida. Dear step-father of Tracy Dworman of Pawtucket and Amy Dworman-Bianco of CA. Adored brother of Morton Abowitt and Mildred Lazar, both of Warwick, Joseph Abowitt of Carlsbad, CA, Dr. Lee Wilkins of Englewood Cliffs, NJ and the late Frances Katz, Jessie Steingold, Marion Schimelman and Helen and Leah Abowitt. Loving grandfather of Misha.

Funeral service Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Avenue, Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Home and Hospice Care of RI, 169 George Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860. Shiva will be observed at his late residence Wednesday 7-9, Thursday 2-4 and 7-9, Friday 2-4 p.m.
Morton Abowitt, 85

WARWICK, R.I. – Morton “Mort” Abowitt died Oct. 25. He was the beloved husband of Beverly (Chorney) Abowitt for 59 years. He was born in Providence to David and Rebecca (Zwiebelson) Abowitt.

He was the father of two adored daughters and sons-in-law; Lisa and Ron Freeman of West Warwick and Dana and Eric Falk of Providence, and five cherished grandchildren; Justin and Daniel Freeman, Rachel, Audrey and Leah Falk. He was predeceased by his 11 siblings and leaves behind numerous beloved nieces and nephews.

An Army veteran of the Korean War, Mort worked at Hasbro for 23 years. He was a member of Touro Fraternal Association. He enjoyed sailing, golfing, putting and painting, but most of all, time spent with family.

Contributions in his memory may be made to the Perkins School for the Blind, Perkins Trust, 175 North Beacon St., Watertown, MA 02472.
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SARAH ABOWITT

PAWTUCKET — Sarah Abowitt, 63, of 64 Marbury Ave., died August 29 at Miriam Hospital. She was the wife of Munroe Abowitt.

Born in Pawtucket, she was a daughter of the late Philip and Celia (Ferdman) Fox.

Mrs. Abowitt was treasurer of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Rhode Island Department of Jewish War Veterans.

Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Barbara L. Abowitt; a son, Bruce M. Abowitt, and a brother, Joseph Fox, all of Pawtucket.

A funeral service was held at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
EDITH ABRAAMS, 82, of 1550 Beacon St., Brookline, Mass., a social worker in the Boston area for many years before retiring, died yesterday at Coolidge House in Brookline.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Philip and Minnie (Wilkes) Abraams, she moved to Brookline many years ago.

Miss Abraams was a graduate of the former Pembroke College, now Brown University. She earned a master's degree in social work from Columbia University. In Boston, she had worked for the Massachusetts Mental Health Association, and most recently for the Hebrew Rehabilitation Center.

She leaves no immediate survivors. She was the sister of the late Blanche Aron and Ruth Spencer.

A graveside service will be held today at 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery in Warwick.

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Funeral services for Philip Abraams, 73, of 80 Summit Avenue, honorary president of the Mishkan Tsha Synagogue on Howell Street and New England regional vice president of Mizrachi, the Orthodox Zionist organization, were held Sunday afternoon at the synagogue. Rabbi Aaron Goldin officiated; Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Abraams, who died early Sunday morning after a brief illness, leaves his wife, Minnie (Wilkes) Abraams; three daughters, Mrs. William Aron, Mrs. Edward C. Spencer and Miss Edith Abraams, all of this city; a brother, David, of New York City, and eight grandchildren.

He came to Providence from Poland in 1904 and established a wholesale glass container business which he operated until the time of his death.

Mr. Abraams was treasurer of the Chesed Shel Emes, and the Moes Chitim, local treasurer of Mizrachi and a former treasurer of the Hebrew Free Loan Association. He was a former president of Congregation Ahavath Sholom. In addition, he served as a member of the board of directors of the Waad Hakashruth, and was a member of the Miriam Hospital, Hebrew Sheltering Association, Jewish Home for the Aged, Zionist District of Providence, and the Hapoel Mizrachi.
BETTIE G. ABRAHAMS
BOSTON, Mass. — Bettie G. Abrahams, 81, of Weston, died March 13. She was formerly of Palm Beach, Fla. She was the wife of the late Harry Abrahams and Joseph Goodman.

She is survived by a son, Alan Goodman and his wife, Sylvia, of Newton and a daughter, Karen Crawford and her husband, Andrew, of Ann Arbor, Mich.; grandchildren, Jeffrey and Elissa Goodman. She was the sister of the late Joseph Erlichman.

Services were held at the Levine Chapel, 470 Harvard St., Brookline, Mass., on March 14. Burial was at the Congregation Sons of Israel and David Cemetery, Reservoir Avenue, Providence.

DEATHS
ABRAHAMS - On Thursday, March 13, Betty G. (Erlichman) of Weston, formerly of Palm Beach, Fla., beloved wife of the late Harry Abrahams and Joseph Goodman, loving mother of Alan Goodman and his wife, Sylvia, of Newton and Karen Crawford and her husband, Andrew, of Ann Arbor, Mich.; grandchildren, Jeffrey and Elissa Goodman. Dear sister of the late Joseph Erlichman. Services at the Levine Chapel, 470 Harvard St., BROOKLINE, on Friday, March 14 at 11:00 am. Memorial observance through Monday evening at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Alan Goodman. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the Hebrew Rehabilitation Center for Aged, 1900 Centre Street, Boston, MA 02131 or a charity of your choice.
Charlotte Rose Abrahms, 87

WARWICK — Charlotte Abrahms died April 21. She had lived in Warwick for six weeks, previously living in Houston, Texas for 35 years, and before that in Swampscott, Mass. Born Oct. 20, 1924 in Manchester, N.H. she was the daughter of Louis and Bertha Za­ zula Greenfield. She was the wife of Robert E. Abrahms for 62 years. She was the mother of Jill R. Sholes of Warwick, grandmother of the late Marc L. Sholes (Warwick), Adam and Lauren Sholes (Cranston), Noah and Jaclyn Sholes (Foxboro, Mass.) and Hope A. Sholes (Sturbridge, Mass.) and great-grandmother of Madalyn Victoria Sholes (Cranston). She also leaves a sister and brother-in-law, Marilyn and Hy Lamb (Sharon, Mass.), sister-in-law and brother-in-law Fred and Harriet Abrahms (Cleveland, Ohio), a brother-in-law Jonathan Q. Abrahms (Hartford, Conn.) and many nieces and nephews.

She was a member of Temple Beth Yeshurun in Houston, Texas and a past president of Henrietta Szold Chapter of Hadassah in Houston.

Memorial donations are suggested to The Marc Louis Sholes Endowment Fund, Temple Am David, 40 Gardiner St., Warwick, RI or Henrietta Szold Chapter of Hadassah, c/o Hadassah Office 4654, Beechnut, Houston, TX 77096 or the charity of one's choice.
ABRAMOWITZ, HENRY, 90, of Providence, died February 27, 2009 at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of the late Rose (Kelcz) Abramowitz.

Born in Poland, a son of the late Leib and Hannah (Jacobowitz) Abramowitz, he came to the United States and settled in Providence in 1949. Mr. Abramowitz was a Holocaust survivor, held in the Auschwitz camp.

He worked at Tolchinsky Fur in Providence from 1949 until 1981. Mr. Abramowitz helped to found and build Congregation Mishkon Tfiloh and served as its Gabbai from 1962 until 2001. He was a member of Congregation Mishkon Tfiloh and the RI Jewish Fraternal Association. Mr. Abramowitz contributed two Torah Scrolls to the New England Rabbinical College, and one Torah Scroll to a synagogue in Israel. He was honored by the New England Rabbinical College for his dedication to that institution.

He is survived by his sister, Gloria Abrams of Denver, CO.

Funeral services were held at SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL on Friday, February 27th with burial in Lincoln Park Cemetery. Donations in his memory may be made to the New England Rabbinical College, 262 Blackstone Blvd., Providence, RI 02906.
MORRIS ABRAMOWITZ.
Morris Abramowitz, who had conducted a wholesale grocery business during most of his forty years residence in this city, died on Wednesday at the Miriam Hospital, and funeral services were conducted on Thursday afternoon from Temple Emanuel.

Mr. Abramowitz, whose home was at 27 Elmway street, was born in Rumania 76 years ago.

He was a member of Temple Emanuel, Sons of Jacob Synagogue, Bicker Cholam Lodge, Jewish Home for Aged and the Miriam Hospital.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Abrams; five sons, Saul, William, Herman, Irving and Frank Abramowitz; and one daughter, Mrs. Herman Swartz.
MRS. REBECCA ABRAMOWITZ

Funeral services were held on February 27 for Mrs. Rebecca Abramowitz, 69, widow of the late Morris Abramowitz, who died on February 26 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Swartz, 29 Elmway street, following a long illness.

Mrs. Abramowitz was a member of Temple Emanuel, Jewish Home for Aged, Ladies Hebrew Union Aid Association, and numerous other philanthropic agencies.

Besides her daughter, she is survived by five sons, Frank, Herman, Irving, Saul, and William Abrams, all of this city, and nine grandchildren.

Services were conducted at Temple Emanuel by Rabbis Israel M. Goldman and Morris Schussheim. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.
ABRAMOWITZ, Rose (Kelch)

January 16, 2003. Beloved wife of Henry Abramowitz. Residence, 100 Eleventh St., Providence. Graveside service was held Friday. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to New England Rabbinical College, 262 Blackstone Blvd., Providence, RI 02906. Shiva will be observed at her late residence Sunday-Thursday. The family was assisted with its arrangements by the SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

ROSE (KELCH) ABRAMOWITZ, 84, of 100 11th St., a retired textile worker, and a Holocaust survivor, died Thursday at Miriam Hospital.

She was the wife of Henry Abramowitz. Born in Poland, a daughter of the late Avram Abish and Cizah Kelch, she was a Holocaust survivor who had lived in Providence since 1949.

Mrs. Abramowitz had worked at Brier Manufacturing for 10 years before retiring many years ago.

She was a member of Congregation Mishkon Tfiloh, a life member of AMIT, and an active volunteer in the Jewish Community.

Her husband is her only survivor.

A graveside service was held yesterday at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
LATE OBITUARIES

ANNA K. ABRAMS, 93, of the Cedar Crest Nursing Center, Cranston, died Monday at the home. She was the widow of Samuel Abrams.

Born in Lithuania, a daughter of the late Hyman and Fannie (Nessel) Karklin, she had lived in Cranston for the past 30 years.

Mrs. Abrams taught piano for many years and was an accomplished seamstress. She was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael of Cranston, the Pioneer Women, the Jewish Home for the Aged, Miriam Hospital Women's Auxiliary and Hadassah.

She leaves two daughters, Seena Abrams of Brookline, Mass., and Merna Green of Cranston; a sister, Mary Long of Brookline, Mass., four grandchildren and a great-grandchild. She was the sister of the late Harold and Morris Karklin.

A funeral service will be held on Wednesday at 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery Chapel.
FRANKLIN, Mich. — Dr. F. Barry Abrams, 48, of Franklin, an osteopath, died Thursday at Botsford Hospital, Farmington Hills. He was the husband of Connie Abrams.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Eli Abrams and Anna E. Abrams-Kolodney, he was a stepson of Harry J. Kolodney.

Besides his wife and stepfather he leaves two sons, Eric and David Abrams; two daughters, Elissa and Kerri Abrams, all at home, and a brother, Ronald P. Abrams of Warwick.

The funeral and burial will be in Michigan.

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BEN ABRAMS, 84, of 36-B Eagle Run, a retired jewelry manufacturing executive with Arden Jewelry Co., Johnston, and a lifelong athlete and sports enthusiast, died Saturday at Miriam Hospital in Providence. He was the husband of Pearl (Nordstrom) Abrams.

Mr. and Mrs. Abrams had been married for 62 years. Born in Providence, a son of the late Max and Celia (Rice) Abrams, Mr. Abrams lived in Pawtucket before moving to East Greenwich 13 years ago.

He was a 9-letter man at Hope High School, and later played football for Providence College and the Providence Steamrollers. He was a major supporter and fan of P.C. basketball for many years. He and his brothers, Al and Fred, founded the first Little League in Rhode Island in the early 1950s. The Arden Jewelry Co. was the longest continuing corporate sponsor of a Little League team in the country.

He was elected to the Collegiate All-American Jewish Football Team, the Providence Gridiron Club Hall of Fame, and the Rhode Island Jewish Athletic Hall of Fame.

He was a member of the Metacomet Country Club, the Providence College Alumni Association, Temple Sinai and Touro Fraternal Association.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Gail Deutsch of Sands Point, N.Y.; a son, Stanton Abrams of Brookline, Mass.; a brother, Alfred Abrams of Warwick; and five grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Fred Abrams and Sadie Saltzman.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. from Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope Street, Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
Funeral services for Bernard Abrams, 82, of 6854 Harding Avenue, Miami Beach, Fla., formerly of Providence, who died June 21, were held Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Jennie (Swartz) Abrams, he was born in Romania. He was a Providence resident for 50 years until moving to Florida last October. Before retiring six years ago, he had been proprietor of the Providence Food Company on Mill Street for 12 years.

Mrs. Abrams was a member of Temple Emanu-El.

Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Maurice of Miami Beach and Victor Abrams of Providence; a brother, Max Abrams of Providence and three grandchildren.
ABRAMS, AL

ABRAMS, AL, 87, of Boca Raton, FL, previously of Warwick, died Tuesday at Hospice by the Sea, Boca Raton, FL. He was the beloved husband of Arline (Swartz) Abrams.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Max and Celia (Rice) Abrams, he had lived in Warwick for many years before moving to Boca Raton seven years ago. He was the owner of the former Max Abrams & Son Cabinet Makers, retiring in 1983. He was a Navy veteran of WW-II, serving in the Pacific Theater. He was a member of Touro Fraternal Association and was a former member of Temple Emanu-El and Temple Sinai.

Devoted father of Barry Abrams of New York City and Marsha Feital of Warwick. Dear brother of the late Fred and Ben Abrams and Sadie Saltzman. Loving grandfather of Betsy and Harry Hirshorn, Nicole and Jordan. Cherished great-grandfather of Owen, Chase and Hadley.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 11:00 a.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. Burial to follow in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Hospice by the Sea, 1531 West Palmetto Park Road, Boca Raton, FL 33436. Shiva will be observed at the home of Ms. Marsha Feital, 906 Halifax Drive, Warwick, Saturday 7-9 and Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.
WARWICK

ABRAMS, ARLINE H., 89,
of Tamarisk, 3 Shalom Drive, died Sat., 8/14/10. She was the be­loved wife of the late Alfred J. Abrams.

Born in Providence, she was the daughter of the late Max and Reb­becca (Abelson) Swartz. Arline was a former member of Temple Sinai and Temple Emanu-El and its Sisterhood and organized the Temple Emanu-El Bowling Lea­gue. She was a volunteer at Miriam Hospital and was a member of B’nai B’rith, ORT and the Jewish Federation.

Devoted mother of Marsha Feital of Warwick and Barry Abrams and his wife, Faith, of New York City, NY. Dear sister of the late Nathaniel, Arthur and Matthew Swartz. Loving grandmother of Betsy and her husband, Harry, Nicole and Jordan. Cher­ished great grandmother of Owen, Chase and Hadley.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 11:00 a.m. in SHA­LOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL. 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contribu­tions in her memory may be made to Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, 1085 North Main St., Providence, RI 02904. Shiva will be observed at her late residence Mon. & Tues. 6-8 p.m.
Over 1000 Attend
Funeral Services for
Mrs. Bessie Abrams

More than one thousand relatives and friends attended the funeral services for Mrs. Bessie Abrams of 61 Peace Street held Sunday afternoon at 1:30. Rabbi William G. Braude of Temple Beth-El officiated assisted by Cantor Joseph Schlossberg. Burial was in the family plot at Lincoln Park Cemetery. She died Saturday afternoon in the Rhode Island Hospital of a heart attack.

Mrs. Bessie Abrams was born July 4, 1869 at Jassy, Roumania and came to this country when 18 years of age. In 1890 she married Abraham Abrams of New York. Thirty-five years ago she and her husband moved to Providence, and for the past 30 years she has made her home at 61 Peace Street. Mr. Abrams having died a number of years ago.

Mrs. Abrams was a member of Tiferes Israel Congregation, the South Providence Hebrew Institute, Providence Chapter of Hadassah, Jewish Home for the Aged, Miriam Hospital Association, National Council of Jewish Women, the Ladies' Union Aid Association, the Jewish Orphanage and the South Providence Ladies' Aid and was an active worker for Hadassah. She was a devoted wife and mother and very well known for her charitable work here.

She is survived by one son, Jack Abrams; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Guny and Mrs. Pauline H. Kotel; two sisters, Mrs. Max Hercov and Mrs. Lena Adler and three grandchildren, Ruth Hope Abrams, Berly Marion Abrams and Robert Kotel.
MRS. BESSIE ABRAMS

Mrs Beessie Abrams, of 61 Peace street, prominent member of many Jewish organizations in this city, and well known for her charitable work, died at the Rhode Island Hospital yesterday morning at 11:05 o'clock from a heart attack. Mrs. Abrams had been under treatment for heart trouble for three years. She was born July 4, 1869, at Jassey, Roumania, and came to this country when 18 years of age. In 1890 she married Abraham Abrams of New York. Thirty-five years ago she and her husband moved to Providence. Her husband has been dead for a number of years. For the past 30 years she made her home at 61 Peace street.

Mrs. Abrams was a member of Tiferes Israel Congregation, the South Providence Hebrew Institution, Hadassah Providence Chapter, the Jewish Home for Aged, Miriam Hospital Association, the National Council of Jewish Women, the Ladies Union Aid of North End, the Jewish Orphanage and the Ladies Union Aid of South Providence. She was an active worker in Hadassah Providence Chapter.

She leaves one son, John Abrams, of 146 Elton street; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Guny, of 117 Benefit street, and Mrs. Pauline H. Kotlen of 61 Peace street; two sisters, Mrs. Max Hercov and Mrs. Lena Adler, and three grandchildren, Ruth Hope Abrams and Beverly Marion Abrams and Robert A. Kotlen.

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Catherine Abrams, 91

PROVIDENCE — Kay (Lehrhaupt) Abrams, 91, died on Oct. 9. She was the widow of the late Irving Abrams. Born in New York City, she was the daughter of the late Samuel and Bertha (Metzger) Lehrhaupt. She was a Providence resident for over 60 years.

Mrs. Abrams was a life member and active volunteer in many organizations: Hadassah, the Women's Association of Miriam Hospital and Hope Link #46. She also volunteered as a Gray Lady for the American Red Cross, and served as a Brownie and Girl Scout leader and a Cub Scout den mother.

She was a member of Temple Emanu-El.

She leaves a son, Mark Abrams; a daughter, Roberta Blum; four grandchildren, Irwin and Wendy Blum, Linda Elman, and Audrey (Elman) Izzo and three great-grandsons, Arthur Izzo, Brandon Lane and Dylan Elman. She was the sister of the late Abraham and Manuel Lehrhaupt and Esther Koenigsberg. The late Helene (Abrams) Elman, daughter of Irving Abrams, was like a daughter to her.

Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Contributions may be made to Rhode Island Hadassah, 1150 New London Ave., Suite #3, Cranston, RI 02920.
Charles Abrams, 84, of 50 Birch St., a retired sales manager, died yesterday at the Rhode Island Veterans Home, Bristol.

He was the husband of Estelle (Mandell) Abrams. They had been married for 59 years. Born in Providence, a son of the late Rose (Rosenberg) Abrams, he had lived in Cranston for 48 years.

Mr. Abrams was a sales manager at the Franklin Supply Co. for 31 years, retiring in 1982.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving in the Pacific, including the invasion of Okinawa. He was a life member of the Jewish War Veterans, the VFW and the American Legion. He was a past commander of the Rhode Island Jewish War Veterans and Post 23 of the Jewish War Veterans.

Mr. Abrams was vice chairman of the JWV Memorial Wall of Honor, Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick, which was dedicated in 2001.

He was the former executive vice president of the Sampson World War II Navy Veterans Inc., and helped establish a memorial to honor the tens of thousands of Navy veterans trained at the Sampson Base.

A dedicated football fan, he was a season ticketholder of the New York Giants and attended every game for over 50 years, with one exception — the day of his daughter's wedding. He was the recipient of the Tyler H. Day Award, given to the fan who most exemplifies consistent enthusiasm for the Giants.

He was past president of the Plantations Lions Club, a board member of the Cranston Community Council, and a member of Touro Fraternal Association and UCT Council 67. He was a 1937 graduate of Hope High School, Providence.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Marsha Williams of South Easton, Mass., and a granddaughter, Jocelyn.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
PAWTUCKET

ABRAMS, DANIEL S.W., 25, of West Hollywood, CA, died November 3, 2008. Born in Boston, a son of David Abrams and Marion Wachtenheim of Pawtucket, he had been a resident of California for 2 years. He was pursuing his passion as a creative script writer. Mr. Abrams was a graduate of Yale University, Class of 2006.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his brother, Aaron Abrams, of Pawtucket; his sister, Tanya Abrams-Klein, of San Francisco; and his grandmother, Ruth Wachtenheim of New York.

The funeral service will be held Sunday, November 9th at 11:00 AM at Temple Emanu-El, 99 Taft Ave., Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to either Children's Hospital Boston Cardiology Training Endowment Fund, C/O Peter Lang, MD, Dept of Cardiology, Children's Hospital Boston, 300 Longwood Avenue, Boston, MA 02115, or to the Adult Congenital Heart Association at www.achaheart.org. Shiva will be observed at the Abrams Wachtenheim home, 38 Paris Street, Pawtucket, Sun 7-9, and Mon-Thur 2-4 & 7-9 PM. Arrangements by SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL.
DAVID ABRAMS, 91, of 24 Sixth St., a retired delicatessen owner, died Sunday at home.

He was the husband of Rose (Wainer) Abrams. They had been married 59 years. Born in Providence, a son of the late Arnold and Rose Abrams, he had been a lifelong resident of the city.

Mr. Abrams had been the owner of the former Star Delicatessen for 25 years before retiring 30 years ago.

He was a member of Congregation Sons of Jacob Synagogue.

Mr. Abrams was a member of the Cranston Seniors, the former Majestic Senior Guild and the Lions Club. He enjoyed fishing.

A Navy veteran of World War II, he was a member of the Jewish War Veterans Post 533.

Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters, Arlene DiRobbio of North Providence and Lois Abrams of Venice, Fla.; a granddaughter, and two great-grandchildren. He was a brother of the late Philip and Irving Abrams, and Anne Matzner.

A graveside service will be held today at 1:30 p.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, 1469 Post Rd., Warwick.
CRANSTON — Ella Abrams, 90, of 60 Tallman Ave. died yesterday at the Kent Nursing Home, Warwick. She was the widow of Samuel Abrams.

Born in Russia, a daughter of the late Abraham and Annie (Belwin) Elman, she lived in Cranston and Warwick for 50 years.

She was a member of Temple Sinai.

Mrs. Abrams leaves two sons, Harold H. Abrams of Cranston and Everett J. Abrams of Warwick; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

A graveside service will be held today at 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Estelle R. Abrams, 92

BROCKTON, Mass. — Estelle Abrams, formerly of Cranston, died Jan. 8. She was the wife of the late Charles Abrams.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Morris and Minnie (Golden) Mandell, she had lived in Cranston for many years before moving to Brockton.

She was a purchasing agent for more than 23 years in the jewelry manufacturing business before retiring 26 years ago.

She was a founder and first president of Sampson World War II Navy Veterans Auxiliary, a Cancer Crusade chairman for the City of Cranston, a member of Hadassah and Rhode Island Jewish War Veterans; she was very active in many other civic groups.

She loved to travel, including visiting Hawaii on her 65th birthday, a hot air balloon ride on her 75th birthday and Paris and London when she was 80.

The mother of Marsha Williams and her husband Brian Gibbs of South Easton, Mass., she was the sister of the late Hy Mandell and Ruth Winkler, and the grandmother of Jocelyn Williams and Caitlin Gibbs.

Contributions may be made to the R.I. Jewish War Veterans or Hadassah Doll Fund.
ESTELLE ABRAMS, 79, of Century Village, Deerfield Beach, Fla., formerly of Warwick, a retired state employee, died last Thursday at home.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Norman and Fanny (Satenstein) Hornstein, she moved to Florida 18 years ago.

Mrs. Abrams had worked at Ele­nor Slater Hospital, Cranston, for 10 years before retiring 18 years ago.

She was politically active at Century Village, and a member of its board of directors.

She enjoyed dancing.

She leaves two daughters, Fran­cine Vinacco of Warwick and Karen Abrams of Cranston; and two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Mona Ponte.

Funeral services were held in Florida. A reception will be held to­day from 7 to 9 p.m. at 103 Tepee Trail, Cranston.
ETTA (GOLDMAN) ABRAMS, 95, of 669 Commonwealth Ave., a former hospital and hardware-store employee, died Sunday in Kent Hospital.

She was the wife of the late Sigmund Abrams. Born in the Hyde Park section of Boston, a daughter of the late Samuel and Rose (Friedman) Goldman, she had lived in Cranston for many years before moving to Warwick five years ago.

Mrs. Abrams was a graduate of the former Bryant & Stratton Business School, now Bryant College.

An employee for many years of City Hall Hardware, in Providence, she also had worked in the billing and collection department of Rhode Island Hospital, in Providence, and had volunteered at the former Ladd School, in Exeter.

During World War II, she had volunteered as a nurse’s aide and as a “Grey Lady” with the American Red Cross.

Mrs. Abrams was a former member of Temple Torat Yisrael and its Sisterhood, the Cranston Hadassah, the Women’s Association of the former Jewish Home for the Aged, and the Meshanticut Vista Tenants Association.

She leaves two sons, Justin Abrams of Block Island and Burton Abrams of Naples, Fla.; a brother, Sanford Goldman of Warwick; a sister, Martha Sherman of Boca Raton, Fla.; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She was a sister of the late Frank Goldman, Ruth Kagan and Betty Helman.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in Sugarman-Sinaï Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
ABRAMS, Everett J.


Funeral service Sunday 9:30 a.m. in the PRIEST CHAPEL in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the Middletown Fire And Rescue Department, Turner Rd., Middletown, RI 02842 or Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, 2374 Post Rd., Warwick, RI 02886. Shiva will be private. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.

EVERETT J. ABRAMS, 83, of Fairway Drive, a retired hardware store owner, died Thursday at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence.

He was the companion of Beverly Friedman of Middletown. Born in Providence, the son of the late Samuel and Ella (Elman) Abrams, he had lived in Warwick for many years before moving to Middletown 14 years ago.

Mr. Abrams worked for Mount Pleasant Hardware before purchasing Standard Hardware, East Providence, which he had owned for 30 years. He then purchased Greenwich Hardware, in East Greenwich, and ran it for 10 years before retiring 5 years ago.

He was an Army veteran of World War II and served as a second lieutenant in the infantry in Germany.

He was a former member of Temple Sinai, Cranston. He was a member of Metacomet Golf Club. He was also an avid bridge player.

Besides his companion, he leaves his former wife, Rita (Wasserman) Abrams of East Greenwich; a son, Steven Abrams of Hartford, Conn.; three daughters, Lori Abrams of Hong Kong, and Joyce Ball and Lynn Abrams Yetra, both of Cranston; a brother, Harold Abrams of Cranston; and three granddaughters.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. in the Priest Chapel of Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Burial will follow.
Frank Abrams, 84; founder, ex-partner in What Cheer Foods

PROVIDENCE — Frank Abrams, 84, of the Jewish Home for the Aged, 99 Hillside Ave., founder, and partner of the What Cheer Foods Co. for more than 50 years before retiring in 1979, died yesterday at the home. He was the husband of Theresa (Kahn) Abrams. He was also the husband of the late Pauline (Wexler) Abrams.

Born in Romania, a son of the late Morris and Rebecca (Rath) Abramowitz, he lived in Providence for more than 75 years. He formerly lived in Hollywood, Fla.

Mr. Abrams was a member of Temple Emanu-El.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Stanley B. Abrams of Providence; a daughter, Delores Younger of Manchester, N.H.; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held today at 11:30 a.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Funeral services for Fred Abrams, 62, of Elmgrove Avenue, who died April 21, were held Sunday at Temple Beth El. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery. He was the husband of Mollie (Cohen) Abrams.

President and founder of the Arden Jewelry Manufacturing Company, he said he was the first in the area to use die casting in the mass production of jewelry. He was one of Rhode Island's more successful manufacturers of low-priced costume jewelry.

Born Dec. 11, 1904, a son of the late Max and Celia (Rice) Abrams, he was a lifelong Providence resident.

While a student at Hope High School, he was an outstanding athlete, achieving all-state honors in football and baseball. In 1922 he was captain of the school's football squad, the last year that Hope won a state championship in that sport.

After leaving Hope he played in amateur baseball leagues and always maintained an interest in sports. For the past 17 years his company sponsored a Little League baseball team.

Between 1925 and 1931, Mr. Abrams was a salesman and designer for Albert Jewelry Manufacturing Company.

A member of the board of trustees of both the Jewish Home for the Aged and Touro Fraternal Association, and a sponsor of the Hebrew Day School, he also was a member of Redwood Lodge, F. & A.M., Palestine Shrine, the Miriam Hospital Association and the Hebrew Free Loan Association.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Leonard R. Abrams, and a daughter, Mrs. George Botvin, both of Providence; two brothers, Benjamin Abrams of Pawtucket, and Albert Abrams of Providence; a sister, Mrs. Sigmund Saltzman of Providence, and seven grandchildren.
GULFPORT, FLA. — Gloria F. Abrams of Gulfport, Fla., formerly of Providence, passed away Dec. 16. Gloria was born in Providence and worked for 35 years in the Providence school system. After retirement, she began her second career as a Realtor in Rhode Island. In Florida, she enjoyed working for the Glass Canvas Gallery in St. Petersburg.

She is survived by her loving daughter, Lisa (Michael) Brennan; and granddaughter, Sarah Brennan. She was predeceased by husbands, Seymour Sax and Philip Abrams; parents, Max and Sophie Weiner; and sister, Janet Karnes.

The family suggests donations in Gloria's memory to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (lls.org).
ABRAMS, HAROLD H.
"HANK," 94, of Warwick, died unexpectedly at home on Sunday, February 6. He was the owner of the Greenwich Hardware and Paint Co. for 37 years.
Harold was the loving and devoted husband of Helen (Abrams) Abrams for 69 years. Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Samuel and Ella (Elman) Abrams. Hank lived in Cranston for 57 years until moving to Warwick in 2010.
Hank was a 1934 graduate of Classical High School and a 1939 graduate of the former Rhode Island State College, now URI. In 1940, he joined the Navy as a Seaman and went to Annapolis and graduated as an Ensir, "A 90 day wonder." He served in the Navy in the Pacific Theatre until 1945, when he was honorably discharged as a Lt. Commander. After retiring from the hardware store, he enjoyed a fulfilling life spending quality time with his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He loved to travel, play golf and tennis, and he volunteered in the Rhode Island community. His full life was rounded out by his love of music and theater and he was a regular in the audience at Trinity Rep and the RI Philharmonic. Hank was a member of Temple Sinai for 30 years, a former member of the Cranston Jewish Center (now Temple Torat Yisrael), and a member of Potowomut Golf Club for over 50 years.
Besides his ever-loving wife, he is survived by his three daughters, Anne Schwartz (David) of Richmond, VA, Dr. Jane Abrams (Dr. John Paul MacDuffie) of Philadelphia, PA and Eleanor Wasser (Dr. Marvin) of Cranston; his eight grandchildren, Marjorie Thomsen (Erik), Rabbi Michael Schwartz (Tamar Forman), Leslie Schwartz, Jason Guy (Dr. Elizabeth Shen), Rachel Wasser, Emily Wasser, Kate MacDuffie and Peter MacDuffie; and his seven great-grandchildren. He was also the brother of the late Everett Abrams.
The funeral will be held on Wednesday, February 9, 2011, at 1:30 p.m. in Temple Sinai, 30 Hagen Ave., Cranston. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery following the service. Shiva will be held at 172 Edaville Court in Warwick on Wednesday 7-9, Thursday 2-4 & 7-9 and Friday 2-4 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Temple Sinai.
HYMAN ABRAMS

Funeral services for Hyman Abrams, 85, of 99 Hillside Avenue, who died Feb. 29 after an illness of six weeks, were held on Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Abrams was the husband of the late Sarah (Kaufman) Abrams. He was born in Russia and had been a Providence resident for the past 65 years.

He was a member of Congregation Sons of Zion; a life member and past secretary and treasurer of the Bakers Union, Local 122; a member of the Workmen's Circle; Hebrew Free Loan Association; the Jewish Home for the Aged, and the Providence Hebrew Sheltering Society. He retired as a baker 20 years ago and worked for the state government for a time.

Surviving are three sons, Myer Abrams of Providence, David Abrams of Cranston and Eli Abrams of Pawtucket; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Rothman and Mrs. Benjamin Askins, both of Providence; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.
ABRAMS, JEFFREY S., 57, of Brookline, MA died unexpectedly Saturday, April 1, at home. Born in Providence, he was the loving son of Jordan and Rachael (Allen) Abrams of Cranston.

Jeffrey was a graduate of Cranston High School East and Hofstra University and worked as a Director of ITT Educational Institute for 30 years in various cities, until his retirement in 2005. Jeff was extremely passionate about piano, basketball and going to Narragansett Beach and was devoted to his dog, Maxx. He was notorious for leading jam sessions in the basement of his parents' home with other family members.

Jeff was the loving brother of Cheryl Levy and her husband Rob of Seattle, WA and was the uncle of Jennifer and Eric Levy. He also leaves several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 12 noon in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. Burial to follow in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to The Joslin Clinic, 1 Joslin Place, Boston, MA 02215, or your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at the home of Harold and Helen Abrams, 60 Tallman Ave., Cranston, Wednesday 7-9 and Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.
CRANSTON

ABRAMS, JORDAN SAMUEL, "GLENN JORDAN", 84, of 11 Fielding Rd, passed away on Friday, 11/6/09, after battling cancer for 17 years. He was the beloved husband of Rachael (Allen) Abrams, whom he was married to for 62 years.

Born in East Greenwich, a son of the late Julius and Rachael (Brenner) Abrams, he had lived in Cranston for 57 years. Jordan obtained the high distinction of Eagle Scout. He was a graduate of Dean Academy and Bryant College, Class of 1947. Jordan was a WWII Army veteran serving in the European Theater. After being wounded in March of 1945, he was awarded the Purple Heart and several other meritorious medals. He was a member of the Musicians Federation for 63 years, the Shrine for 55 years, and Overseas Lodge of the Masons for 58 years and a former member of Temple Torat Yisrael. He was affiliated with the Main Street Garage General Motors dealership in East Greenwich for 30 years before retiring in 1975. After his retirement, he assumed his passion for music full-time as the leader of the Glenn Jordan Orchestra. He was also an honorary member of the Potowomut Golf Club.

Devoted father of Cheryl Levy and her husband Rob of Kent, WA, and the late Jeffrey Abrams. Loving grandfather of Jennifer and Eric. Dear brother of Helen Abrams of Cranston and the late Shirley Frank.

A funeral service will be held Monday at 11:00 a.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Home & Hospice Care of Rhode Island or the Cancer Research Institute. Shiva will be observed at his late residence Monday 7-9, Tuesday and Wednesday 2-4 & 7-9 p.m.
Joan Abrams, 69, dies; noted Block Island hotelier

BLOCK ISLAND — Joan (Dressler) Abrams, 69, owner of several well-known restaurants and hotels on the island and whose vision and creativity made her a leader in the Rhode Island hospitality industry, died Thursday at Miriam Hospital, Providence.

She was the wife of Justin E. Abrams. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Joseph and Sarah (Weisman) Dressler, she had lived in Providence and on Block Island and was a frequent visitor to a family home in Costa Rica. She graduated from Hope High School and attended Bryant College.

The Abrams family started visiting Block Island in the 1960s, sailing their 28-foot boat from East Greenwich. They bought a run-down rooming house, and renovated and renamed it The 1861 Inn.

In 1972, the family purchased the Manisses Hotel, a derelict Victorian inn built in 1876, and restored it over the next several years. In recent years, the family had also run the Oar and Smuggler’s Cove restaurants.

Through Mrs. Abrams’s vision, The 1861 Inn and Hotel Manisses became well known as two of the finest hotels on Block Island.

Mrs. Abrams was well known for her creative decorating and design abilities, and for her interest in promoting the culinary arts.

In 1989, Gourmet magazine said, “Without doubt, the Abrams(es) and their entire family helped pioneer the current Block Island renaissance.”

The hotels were frequently written up in the national and regional magazines, including Gourmet, Bon Appetit, New York Magazine, Mademoiselle, and Yankee.

Longtime friend Shirley Kessler called Mrs. Abrams an “entrepreneur and an innovator.”

The Abramses “saw properties (on Block Island) that were interesting to them, and could see from that what perhaps the island could become.”

Beyond running what Kessler called “a first-class operation all the way,” Mrs. Abrams and her family “were also very charitable to the island . . . to all denominations. They were always giving of themselves.”

David DePetrillo, director of the State Tourism Council and a longtime friend, told the Block Island Times, “I consider Joan one of the pioneers of Rhode Island tourism. She was one of a handful of persons who had a vision of what tourism could become in Rhode Island.”

DePetrillo called Mrs. Abrams “a natural innkeeper.”

Over the years, Mrs. Abrams was active in many industry associations. She was past president of the Block Island Tourism Council, and the South County Tourism Council, and a member of the board of directors of the Independent Inn Keepers Association and the Rhode Island Hospitality and Tourism Association.

In 1996, former Gov. Lincoln Almond presented Mrs. Abrams the Rhode Island Tourism Award, and in 1998 the Hospitality Association honored her with its Hotelier of the Year Award. She and her husband were honored last year on Conservancy Day by the Block Island Conservancy.

She was also active in many other community activities in the 1960s and 1970s, including the PTA when her three children were young. She was vice president of the Sisterhood at Temple Beth-El.

She became president of the Rhode Island Ostomy Association after a personal experience with the surgery, making frequent visits to help patients who had also undergone the surgery.

She was a member of the Sons and Daughters of Ruth on Block Island, and Temple Beth-El in Providence.

The Abramses bought a home in Costa Rica in 1990, where they frequently stayed, often during the winter.

Besides her husband, she leaves a daughter, Rita Draper of Block Island; two sons, Mark Abrams of Sao Paulo, Brazil, and Rick Abrams of Lexington, Mass.; a brother, Abbott Dressler of Providence; a sister, Priscilla Krasnow of Warwick; and eight grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Maurice and Sidney Dressler.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in Temple Beth-El in Providence. Burial will be in Block Island Cemetery.
A past member of the Rhode Island License Commission, he was a past president of Potowomut Country Club.

Because of his interest in and love for sports, he was an honorary member of Words Unlimited, occupying a press seat at basketball games.

Upon celebrating the 50th anniversary of the business he founded in 1917, it was noted that Main Street Garage, Incorporated, was the oldest new car dealer in Rhode Island, and the oldest Buick dealer in all of New England.

Born in Russia a son of the late Solomon and Minnie Abramovitz, he had been a resident of East Greenwich for 52 years until moving to Cranston four years ago.

He is survived by a son, Jordan Abrams; two daughters Mrs. Helen Abrams and Mrs. Sara Frank, all of Cranston; a brother, Morris Abrams of East Greenwich; a sister, Mrs. Celia Cibley of Boston; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Justin and Joan began another chapter of their lives together on Block Island in 1969 when they purchased the Florida House and transformed it into The 1661 Inn and later they acquired the Hotel Manisses in 1974. As they renovated these properties, they also became personally involved in the Block Island business community; and their actions helped promote the Island. Justin took great pride in, and enjoyed working with, all of his children and many of his grandchildren in the business. As patriarch, he guided the family through a number of business expansions to include The Oar restaurant and most recently the management of the Narragansett Inn in 2015, making his company one of the largest employers on the Island.

Justin was born on May 2, 1926 in Providence, RI where he attended Hope High School and excelled on the cross country team becoming a member of the RI All-State team. Upon graduation, he attended King’s Point Merchant Marine Academy and then joined the United States Merchant Marines as a mid-shipman and then later the United States Navy. Following his military service in WWII, he earned his bachelor’s degree in agriculture at the University of Rhode Island.

On November 4, 1951 he married Joan Dressler and together they started on the first of their many business endeavors – a poultry farm in North Kingstown, RI. For nearly ten years, they raised over 50,000 chickens per year while Justin also worked at the Crompton Hatchery where he helped develop the Rock Cornish Game Hen. He later became a marine biologist for RI Fish and Game Service until 1960 when he joined the Dressler family business, Colfax Packing, one of the largest vegetable oil suppliers in the country. Over time he was promoted to Senior Vice President for Sales, a position he held until his retirement in 1999.

Justin was an avid sailor, former member of the East Greenwich Yacht Club, founding member of Temple Sinai, long-time member of Temple Beth-El, member of the Sons & Daughters of Ruth, a director of the Block Island Conservancy and member of the American Legion Post #36.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may go to the Block Island Conservancy and Block Island Health Services. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, March 13, 2016 at 1:00 pm in St. Andrew’s Church, Chapel Street, Block Island. Interment will follow with military honors at the Block Island Cemetery. Shiva will be held at Kimberly’s Restaurant following interment. Information and condolences please visit: www.henault-gallogly.com
PROVIDENCE

ABRAMS, LEAH (GREIFER), 82, passed away peacefully June 9th. Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late Fred and Pauline (Brookner) Greifer.

Leah graduated from Classical High School and attended Pembroke College. She was a member of Temple Beth El.

Leah is survived by her daughter, Sharon Held of New York City, and son Steven Abrams and his wife Donna of Providence. She leaves 2 brothers Burton Greifer and his wife Carole of Barrington and Richard Greifer of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, and a sister, Yvette Kahn and her husband Morley of Greenwich, CT. She is also survived by 2 grandchildren Brett and Lindsay Abrams.

Her funeral service will be held Sunday at 10 AM in the SUGARMAN-SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St., Providence. Calling hours will be Sunday from 7-9 pm at 455 Wayland Ave. Providence. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Concordia Learning Center at St. Joseph’s School for the Blind, 761 Summit Ave. Jersey City, NJ 07307.
PROVIDENCE

ABRAMS, LEAH E.
97, died Sunday, November 15, 2015 at Tockwotton on the Waterfront. She was the beloved wife of the late Victor Abrams. Born in Bristol, a daughter of the late Abraham and Mollie (Kataif) Eisenstadt, she had lived in East Providence since 2013, previously living in Providence and Pawtucket. Leah was a dedicated swimmer until it was no longer possible, earning at least one 1,000 mile award. She enjoyed knitting, Mah Jongg, and baking. Devoted mother of Andrew C. Abrams of Pawtucket and Marlene A. Miller and her husband, Stephen, of San Francisco, CA. Dear sister of the late Lester, Nathan, Herbert, and Rose Eisenstadt. Graveside services will be held Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, 1469 Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to Tockwotton on the Waterfront, 500 Waterfront Dr., East Providence, RI 02914 or the ARC of Blackstone Valley, 500 Prospect St., #203, Pawtucket, RI 02860. Shiva will be private. For online condolences, please visit ShalomMemorialChapel.com.
Leonard R. Abrams

Jewelry firm president 40 years, long-time Little League supporter

PROVIDENCE — Leonard R. Abrams, 60, of 630 Elmgrove Ave., president of Arden Jewelry Manufac­turing Co. Inc. for 40 years, died yesterday at Miriam Hospital.

A lifelong Providence resident, he was the son of the late Fred and Mollie (Cohen) Abrams.

He was a 1949 graduate of Syracuse University.

Mr. Abrams was a member of Temple Beth-El and its Brotherhood, and the Touro Fraternal Association.

He was a 30-year member of Redwood Masonic Lodge. Mr. Abrams was involved with and supported the Fox Point-East Side Little League for 27 years.

He leaves a son, Steven Abrams of Cranston; a daughter, Sharon Abrams of New York City; a sister, Eleanor Cotler of Cranston; and two grandchildren.

The funeral service will be tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. at Temple Beth-El, 70 Orchard Ave. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, War­wick.
LILLIAN (GRODSKY) ABRAMS, of 99 Hillside Ave., a retired administrator for the Massachusetts Department of Labor, died Thursday at Hillside Health Center.

She was the wife of the late Saul Abrams. Born in Boston, a daughter of the late Samuel and Annie (Mazofsky) Grodsky, she came to Providence from Brookline, Mass., in 1963.

She attended Lynn Classical High School and graduated from Boston Clerical School, now known as Boston Business School.

During her long career, she was affiliated with the Division of Industrial Safety of the Department of Labor and Industries in Massachusetts, where she attained a head administrative position and was the recipient of awards from governors for increasing government’s efficiency.

Mrs. Abrams was a member of Temple Emanu-El and its Sisterhood and numerous other organizations in Providence and Miami, including life memberships in the Brandeis Women’s Committee, Hadassah, the former Jewish Home for the Aged, N.E. Sinai Hospital and Yeshiva University.

She leaves a brother, David Grodsky of Boston. She was the sister of the late Rose and Jennie Grodsky.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
ABRAMS, MARC DAVID
26, passed away Monday, March 24, 2014 in Lincoln, RI.
Marc was loved by all those around him and brought happiness to everyone he met. He was a natural at everything; he loved playing tennis, golf, cooking and more than anything time with his family. He worked in medical research at Neurotech, in RI, and looked forward to his work helping others. His desire to help others led him to Ghana to build schools for the local villagers.

Marc leaves behind his parents Joy and Bob, his sister Dana and her husband Steve. He is the cherished grandson of Joyce and Burt Abrams and the late Zelda and Robert Kudish.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:00 PM at Temple Beth Torah (5700 NW 94th Ave, Tamarac, FL). Followed by Star of David Cemetery (7701 Bailey Rd, North Lauderdale, FL). In lieu of flowers, contributions to The Ovarian Cancer Research Fund or Projects Abroad/Ghana Fund in memory of Marc Abrams.
MORRIS ABRAMS

Funeral services for Morris Abrams, 70, of 183½ Byfield Street, who died May 21 after a two-week illness, were held the following day at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Abrams had lived in Providence for more than 50 years and had been employed as a warehouseman by What Cheer Foods Company since 1938. He was a member of Congregation Sons of Abraham.

Born in Romania, he was a son of the late Jacob and Sophie (Cohen) Abramovitz. His wife was the late Mrs. Jennie (Klein) Abrams.

He leaves two brothers, Samuel Abrams of Cranston, and Herman Abrams of Providence.
PEARL (NORDSTROM) ABRAMS, 87, of Chestnut Street, Brookline, Mass., a retired cosmetics saleswoman, died yesterday in Deaconess Beth Israel Hospital, Boston.

She was the wife of the late Benjamin Abrams. Born in Pawtucket, a daughter of the late Emil and Jenny (Wilbur) Nordstrom, she had lived in Pawtucket and East Greenwich before moving to Brookline in 1999.

Mrs. Abrams sold cosmetics for 25 years.

She was active in her children’s parent-teacher association and her daughter’s Girl Scout troop. She was a former member of Temple Beth-El and Temple Sinai, and a member of Metacomet Country Club.

She enjoyed gardening and the beach.

She leaves a son, Stanton Abrams of Brookline; a daughter, Gail Deutsch of Port Washington, N.Y.; and five grandchildren and a great-grandchild. She was the sister of the late Doris Abizaid and Lawrence Nordstrom.

The funeral will be private.
NEWPORT

ABRAMS, PEARL (STONE)
96 of Newport, R.I. and Largo, FL, passed away on Saturday, September 21, 2013 in Largo, FL.

She was the loving wife of Jack B. Abrams. On September 29, 2013, they would have celebrated 73 years of marriage.

Born in New Bedford, MA, she was a daughter of the late Sara and Hyman Stone, and the youngest of seven late brothers and sisters.

When Jack returned from World War II, she worked with Jack at the Square Deal Meat Market, the family business for 60 years, until they retired in 1983. Pearl was a member of Touro Synagogue and a life time member of Hadassah. Pearl took great pleasure in long rides in the car and in long walks around Newport with Jack. They often met former customers of the meat market.

Pearl was a loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother. Beside her husband, she is survived by her daughter, Joyce Seder and her husband Dr. Harold Seder of St. Petersburg, FL, Richard I. Abrams and his wife Joan of Bristol, RI, two grandchildren, Dr. Stephen Seder and his wife Dr. Rachel Seder of Houston, TX, and Dr. Karen (Seder) Derechin and her husband Daniel of Chicago, IL, and three great grandchildren, Louis, Ike and Jessup Derechin.

Funeral Service will be Wednesday, September 25, 2013 at the Hoffman Jewish Memorial Chapel, 11 Fowler Avenue, Newport at 10:30am. Burial at Beth Olam Cemetery in Middletown, RI. Memorial contribution may be made in her honor to the Alzheimer’s Association or to Touro Synagogue.

For more information or online condolences please visit www.onfhfh.com
PHILIP A. ABRAMS, 74, of Clearwater, Fla., and Brown Street, Narragansett, owner of the former Abrams Meat Market on Broad Street, Providence, and Warwick Avenue, Warwick, for many years before retiring, died Thursday at home in Clearwater. He was the husband of Gloria Abrams.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Arnold and Rose (Silverman) Abrams, he lived in Dean Estates, Providence, before moving to Narragansett. He also lived in Pompano Beach, Fla., and in Clearwater.

Mr. Abrams was a Navy veteran of World War II, and served aboard the USS Louisville in the South Pacific Theater. He was a member of the Hebrew Free Loan Society. He was a member of Congregation Beth Shalom in Clearwater, and Congregation Beth David in Narragansett.

Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters, Francine Vinacco of Warwick, and Karen Abrams of Cranston; a stepdaughter, Lisa Brennan of St. Petersburg, Fla.; a brother, David Abrams of Providence; a sister, Anne Matzner of Cranston; and three grandchildren. He was a brother of the late Irving Abrams.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 11:45 a.m. in Clearwater. Shiva will be tomorrow and Monday at 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the home of Francine Vinacco, 158 Almy St., Warwick.
REBECCA ABRAMS, 96, of the Summit Medical Center, died Friday at the center. She was the widow of Herman Abrams, a lifelong Providence resident, she was a daughter of the late Morris and Fannie (Orlove) Kortick.

She was a member of Temple Emanu-El, its sisterhood and its leader club. She was a member of the Women's Associations of the Miriam Hospital and the Jewish Home for the Aged. She was a member of Hadassah.

She leaves two daughters, Hope Melillion of Cranston and Leila Green of East Greenwich; two sisters, Ethel Kortick and Beatrice Goldstein, both of East Providence; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Sarah Brier and Joseph and Jack Kortick.

A graveside funeral service will be held Sunday at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Rd., Warwick.
PROVIDENCE — Regina K. Abrams, 96, a resident of the Jewish Home for the Aged, 99 Hillside Ave., died yesterday at the home. She was the widow of Jack Abrams.

Born in New York City, she was a daughter of the late Maurice and Betsy Kepper. She was a resident of Providence for the past three years, previously residing in Cranston for five years and in Providence for 66 years before then.

Mrs. Abrams was a life member of the Women's Association for the Jewish Home for the Aged, the Golden Agers Club of the Jewish Community Center, the Senior Citizens of Cranston, the Majestic Guild, Hamilton House, Temple Beth-El and its Sisterhood.

She leaves a daughter, Beverly A. Wexler of Cranston, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Graveside funeral services were to be held today at 2 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post, Road, Warwick.
Elsewhere

Abrams, Richard D.
"Rick"

Services at Temple Isaiah, 55 Lincoln St., Lexington, on Wednesday, June 18, 2014 at 11:30 am. Following interment at Mount Auburn Cemetery, memorial observance will be at his residence until 8:00 pm and Thursday 1-8pm. In lieu of flowers remembrances may be made to Town of Lexington, 1625 Mass Ave, Lexington, MA 02420, memo: Rick Abrams Across Lexington Trust Fund or to ITOG (ITOG.org) P.O. Box 270, Yorksville, NY 13495 or Pan Mass Challenge, 77 Fourth Ave, Needham, MA 02449.

Arrangements by Brezniaek-Rodman Chapel, Newton, MA.
ABRAMS, RITA J.
(WASSERMAN)

passed away peacefully at her home in Warwick, surrounded by her children. She was the daughter of the late Rose (Coppersmith) and Mack Wasserman of Providence.

She is the beloved mother of four children, Joyce Abrams-Ball of Cranston, Steven S. Abrams and his wife, Paige of West Hartford, CT, Lori Abrams of Providence, and Lynn Abrams and her husband Pat Cull of Cranston. She is survived by her older brother, Gilbert Wasserman, of CA, whom she spoke to daily. She will be deeply missed by her cherished grandchildren, Hanna Ball, Jaime Yetra, and Ellie and Wyatt Abrams. She also leaves her two nephews and three nieces.

She was the sister of the late Arthur H. Wasserman, and she was the former wife of the late Everett J. Abrams.

Rita loved listening to music and she was an avid opera buff. In her later years, she enjoyed watching the Red Sox. She spent many hours a day on her computer, reading many newspapers, playing Scrabble and Gin Rummy with people across the nation, and getting lost in the wealth of information at her fingertips.

At various times, the Abrams family belonged to Temple Beth-El and Temple Sinai.

Rita always said she lived a charmed life because of the joy her children brought her. She was a devoted mother and in turn, her children were devoted to her, especially the past several years as her health was failing. She will be deeply missed and never forgotten by her children and grandchildren.

The funeral service and burial will be held Monday, December 22nd at 2 PM in Swan Point Cemetery. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Barton Center for Diabetes, “Campership Fund”, P.O. Box 356, North Oxford, MA 01537. Shiva will be held at her daughter Joyce’s home on Monday 7-9 and Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9. For information and condolences,

ABRAMS, Rose (Wainer)

October 4, 2004. Residence: Sixth St., Providence. Beloved wife of the late David Abrams. Devoted mother of Arlene DiRobbio of North Providence and Lois Abrams of Venice, Fla. Loving grandmother of Susan Karys of Cumberland. Cherished great-grandmother of Taylor and Kanon. Graveside service Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at the Karys Residence, 23 Mendon Rd., Cumberland, Tuesday and Wednesday. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.

ROSE ABRAMS, 92, of Sixth Street, a retired restaurateur, died Sunday at Miriam Hospital. She was the wife of the late David Abrams. Born in New Bedford, Mass., a daughter of the late Henry and Anne (Mickelson) Wainer, she had lived in Providence for 60 years. She and her late husband had owned the former Star Deli, and in Providence, for 25 years before retiring 30 years ago.

Mrs. Abrams was a member of the Congregation Sons of Jacob Synagogue. She also had been a member of the Cranston Senior Guild and the former Majestic Senior Guild.

She leaves two daughters, Arlene DiRobbio of North Providence and Lois Abrams of Venice, Fla.; a granddaughter, Susan Karys of Cumberland; and two great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her nine siblings.

A graveside service will be held today at 1 p.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, 1469 Post Rd., Warwick.
RUTH G. ABRAMS, 86, formerly of Gibbs Avenue, died yesterday in Forest Farm Health Care Centre, Middletown.

Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late Bernard and Sarah (Josephson) Abrams.

Miss Abrams was an office supervisor for the former W. T. Grant and Max Oberhard Inc., both in Newport, before retiring in 1966. She was a member of Touro Synagogue.

She leaves two nieces, Barbara O. Epstein of Newport and Betty Forest of Worcester, Mass.

A graveside service will be held today at 3:30 p.m. in Beth Olam Cemetery, Middletown.
Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel in Providence for Saul Abrams, 82, of 75 Hazard Avenue, Providence, the husband of Lillian (Grodsky) Abrams. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

He was the founder of What Cheer Foods and also the founder and past president of the Narragansett Distributing Company.

Born in Romania, a son of the late Morris and Rebecca Abramowitz, he had been a resident of Providence for more than 70 years. He was founder of the Young Men's Hebrew Association which later became the present Jewish Community Center, and served as president from 1944 to 1948. He also maintained a residence in Florida.

He was one of the founders of the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island and was responsible for initiating the original Bond Drives for Israel in Providence. He was active in the B'nai B'rith Association and was a leader in its anti-defamation league.

He was a member of the American Jewish Congress, the American Jewish Committee, Temple Emanuel and its men's club.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Claire Bell of Providence; a brother, Frank Abrams of East Providence, and two grandchildren.
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ABRAMS, SHELDON
SYDNEY born November 9th, 1938 (the day of Kristallnacht) in Rhode Island, the son of Lillian and Irving Abrams, brother to Beverly and Marvin, died Monday, July 15, 2013.

He is survived by his wife Tanya (Ross), sons Jeffrey (Michele) and Steven (Natalia) and grandchildren Samuel, Jack and Jesse. Sheldon graduated from URI and was an officer in the U.S. Coast Guard. Sheldon was a respected member of the community of Beverly Hills and Westwood for over 40 years and owner of Jeffrey Stevens Designs at the PDC. Before running his own business, Sheldon was Vice President at Sinclair Paints and Standard Brands Paints. As a former board member of Sinai Temple and Vice President of The Westholme Condo Association, Sheldon enjoyed helping out wherever he was needed. Sheldon loved traveling and traveled to more than 50 different countries including Israel, China and Australia. He loved spending time with his three grandsons and working on the genealogy of his family.

Services will be held on July, 17th at Hillside Memorial Park and Mortuary at 12pm (6001 W. Centinela Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90045). In lieu of flowers/gifts donations should be made to Bet Tzedek on 3250 Wilshire Blvd, 13th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90010.
SIGMUND ABRAMS
CRANSTON — Sigmund Abrams, 90, of 225 New London Ave., an employee of Benny’s Home & Auto Stores for 15 years before retiring in 1974, died January 16, 1990, at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Etta (Goldman) Abrams.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Jacob and Rose (Smira) Abrams, he moved to Cranston 25 years ago.

Mr. Abrams also held a managerial position for the City Hall Hardware Store for more than 40 years. He was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael, the Jencks Masonic Lodge and the Meshanticut Vista Tenants Association.

Besides his wife he leaves two sons, Justin E. Abrams of Providence and Block Island, and Burton M. Abrams of Warwick; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held January 18 at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
CRANSTON

ABRAMS, STANLEY B.,
82, died Tuesday, September 1, 2015 at Steere House, Providence.
He was the beloved husband of
Sandra (Finklestein) Abrams.
They were married for 55 years.
Born in Providence, a son of the
late Frank and Pauline (Wexler)
Abrams, he had lived in
Providence before moving to
Cranston 18 years ago. He was a
co-owner of What Cheer Foods
for 25 years, retiring 16 years ago.
Stanley was a Korean Conflict
Navy veteran, serving on the USS
Shasta in the Mediterranean.
He was a graduate of Hope High,
Class of 1950 and Colby College,
Class of 1954. He was a member
of Temple Emanu-El in
Providence and served on its
board. He was also a past
president of the Jewish Historical
Association, a member of the RI
Holocaust Memorial Museum and
was a recipient of the “Never
Again” award. In addition, he was
a part of the Brown Learning
Community. Devoted father of
Kenneth Abrams and his wife, Dr.
Terri Hasseler of Cranston, Susan
A. Simon and her husband, Barry,
of Ramsey, NJ, and the late
Andrew Charles Abrams. Dear
brother of Delores Younger of
Manchester, NH. Loving
grandfather of Dylan, Jacob,
Joshua, Jared, and Zachary.
Funeral services will be held
Thursday at 1:00 p.m. in
SHALOM MEMORIAL
CHAPEL, 1100 New London
Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers,
contributions in his memory may
be made to the Holocaust
Education and Resource Center of
RI, 401 Elmgrove Ave.,
Providence, RI 02906 or the RI
Jewish Historical Association, 130
Sessions St., Providence, RI
02906 or your favorite charity.
Shiva will be observed at 40
Sachem Dr., #302, Cranston,
Thursday 7-9, Friday 2-4, and
Sunday 2-4 & 7-9 p.m. For online
condolences, please visit
ShalomMemorialChapel.com.
THE MOURNER'S KADDISH

Readers and Mourners

Yisgadal v’yiskadash sh’me rabbo, b’olmo deevro chiruseh v’yamlich malchuseh, b’chayechon uvyomechon, uv’chayey d’chol beys yisroel, baagolo uvizman koreev, v’imrue omen.

Congregation

Y’he sh’meh rabbo m’vorach l’olam ulolmey olmayo.

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Yisborach v’yishtabach v’yispo-ar v’yisromam v’yisnaseh v’yis-hador v’yisa-ley v’yishal-lol sh’meh d’kud-sho b’reech hu, l’elo min col birchoso v’shiroso tushb’choso v’nechemosod daamiron b’olmo, v’imru omen.
Y’he sh’lomo rabbo min sh’mayo v’chayim olenu v’al col yisroel. V’imru omen.

Oseh shalom bimromov, hu ya-aseh sholom olenu v’al col yisroel, v’imru omen

In Memory of

Stanley B. Abrams

Shalom Memorial Chapel
1100 New London Avenue
Cranston, RI 02920

Clergy: Rabbi Wayne Franklin
Sylvia Abrams

PROVIDENCE — Mrs. Sylvia Abrams, 72, of 215 Freeman Pkwy., died yester­
day at Miriam Hospital. She was the widow of Myer Abrams.

She was the office manager of Dick & Hague Ltd., attor­
neys in Providence, from 1967 until she retired in 1977. She also was a member of Temple Emanu-El and the temple's sisterhood; a member of the Miriam Hospital Women's Association; the Jewish Home For the Aged; the American Cancer Society and Hadas­
sah.

She was born in Medway, Mass., a daughter of the late Samuel and Rose (Friedman) Dick, and was a resident of Providence for 60 years. She also main­
tained a home in Pompano Beach, Fla., for the past three years.

She leaves a son, Stuart Abrams of Gloucester, Mass.; a daughter, Mrs. Do­
lores Manin of Pompano Beach; a broth­
er, E. Harold Dick and a sister, Mrs. Lillian Bomes, both of Providence, and two grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held to­
morrow at 11 a.m. at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, War­wick.
VICTOR ABRAMS, 82, of 192 Sessions St., a business teacher at Attleboro High School for 22 years before retiring 12 years ago, died yesterday at home. He was the husband of Leah (Eisenstadt) Abrams.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Bernard and Jennie (Swartz) Abrams. He had lived in Providence all his life.

Mr. Abrams was a graduate of Bryant College and earned his master's degree from Rhode Island College. He served in the Army during World War II. For 10 years he was co-owner with his late father of the former Providence Food and Specialty Co.

He also had been an office worker for many years for a furniture company.

He was a member of the Jewish War Veterans of America and the Jewish Community Center. He was a member of the Blackstone Valley Center and the Smithsonian Institution. He had been a Boy Scout leader years ago. He was a member of the Retired Massachusetts Teachers Association.

Besides his wife he leaves a daughter, Mariene Miller of San Francisco; a son, Andrew Abrams of Cumberland; a brother, Maurice Abrams of Charlotte, N.C.; and three grandchildren.

The funeral will be held at noon tomorrow at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
GERALD ABRAMSON, 74, of Orlando, Fla., formerly of Providence and Newport, a retired auto dealer, died Wednesday at home.

He was the husband of Betty Abramson. Born in New York City, he had lived in Providence for years before moving to Newport in 1960, and to Florida in 1989.

Mr. Abramson had been an auto dealer at various area dealerships. Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Stewart Abramson of East Greenwich; two daughters, Beth Abramson of Orlando and Lisa Abramson of Cleveland; and two grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held today at 10 a.m. in Beth Shalom Memorial Chapel, Orlando.
Deaths
ABRAMSON, Dr. Lewis
January 9, 1972. Funeral services will be held Monday, January 10, from the Hoffman Memorial Chapel, Fowler Ave., Newport at 1 p.m. Interment of Beth Olam Cemetery on Wyott Rd., Middletown. Memorial week will be held at his late residence, 280 Broadway, Newport, calling hours 2-4 and 7-8 p.m. Please omit flowers. Contributions may be made to Children's Ward, Newport Hospital.

obituaries

Dr. L. Abramson Dies; Pediatrician in Newport

Dr. Lewis Abramson, 61, of 280 Broadway, Newport, chief of pediatrics at the Newport Hospital, died yesterday morning at Massachusetts General Hospital. He was the husband of Ruth (Hodash) Abramson.

Dr. Abramson, a Woonsocket native, was born on March 31, 1910, a son of the late Max and Annie Rose (Berman) Abramson.

He graduated from Brown University in 1933, and received his medical degree from Tufts University School of Medicine in 1937.

In 1941, he opened his private practice in Newport, joining the staff of Newport Hospital as a junior member. He became an associate in pediatrics at the hospital in 1943, a senior staff member in 1946, and in 1950 was named chief of pediatrics.

Dr. Abramson ran unsuccessfully for the Newport City Council in 1955, and, at the time of his death, was a member of the Aquidneck Island Regional Disposal Authority.

He was a director of the Newport Chamber of Commerce, a director of the Old Stone Bank, and was active in many Newport organizations.

In 1952, he was president of the former Newport Community Chest, and for many years he was its director. He was a past president of the Newport Jewish Community Fund, a trustee of the Newport Public Library, and a member of Touro Synagogue and Temple Shalom. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of The Palestine Temple.

Dr. Abramson was a past president of the Newport Hospital Staff Association, a past president of the Newport Medical Society, a member of the American Medical Association, and the Newport County Medical Society, and secretary-treasurer of the Pelagio Pediatric Society.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Stewart J. Abramson, a daughter, Miss Martha Abramson, a sister, Mrs. George Poll, and two grandchildren.

The funeral was to be held today at 1 p.m. at the Hoffman Memorial Chapel, Fowler Avenue, in Newport. burial was to be in Beth Olam Cemetery, Middletown.
Ruth Abramson
NEWPORT – Ruth (Hodosh) Abramson, 93, died July 21. A resident of Newport, she was the sister of Isabelle David of Pennsylvania and David “Sonny” Hodosh of Providence. Her sister Mildred Colitz, her brother Dr. Milton Hodosh, and her husband Dr. Lewis Abramson predeceased her.

Born in Providence on Feb. 29, 1916, she was the daughter of the late Samuel and Eva (Schonfeld) Hodosh. She attended Rhode Island School of Design and worked as a bookkeeper. In the 1940s, she moved to Newport, where she volunteered with the Newport Hospital gift shop and the hospital’s Women’s Auxiliary, Easter Seals and the PTO. During World War II, she was a plane spotter.

She leaves her children Martha M. Abramson of Newport, and Stewart J. Abramson and his wife, Karen of Newport; grandchildren Stephanie Abramson Pires, Melissa Henry and her husband, Robert F. of Newport, and Lewis Abramson and his wife, Chery of Los Angeles; and great-grandchildren Hayley M. Pires, Taylor E. Henry and Robert L. Henry.

Contributions may be made to Temple Shalom in Middletown.
ABRICH, ESTHER, 86 years old of Providence, died Thursday, August 9, 2007, at EPOCH on Black­stone. She was the beloved wife of the late Jacob Abrich.

Born in Chicago, IL, she was the daughter of the late William and the late Bessie (Shore) Fishbein. Prior to her retirement Mrs. Abrich had worked for many years as a bookkeeper for Eclipse Syrup in Cranston; and her husband's business, Allen's Oil Co. in Providence.

She leaves her dear sister Celia Mack of Los Angeles, CA and her devoted nieces and nephews, Charles Fishbein of Providence, Deborah Fishbein Adams of Boston, MA, Bill Fishbein of Santa Fe, New Mexico, Alex Sinell of Cranston, Ina Katzman of Marblehead, MA, and Elliott Buckler of Los Angeles, CA.

At the request of Mrs. Abrich there will be no services. Her family will receive visitors on Wed., August 15, 2007 from 7-9 PM, at 108 Woodbine St. Providence. The family was assisted with arrangements by SUGARMAN-SINAI ME­MORIAL CHAPEL.
CRANSTON — Jacob L. Abrich, 72, of 30 Oaklawn Ave., a self-employed machinery designer for the jewelry manufacturing industry until retiring 10 years ago, died Saturday at Rhode Island Hospital. He was the husband of Esther (Fishbein) Abrich.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Abraham and Ida (Taber) Abrich. He lived in Cranston for the past eight years and previously had lived in Pawtucket.

Mr. Abrich attended the Rhode Island School of Design. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and served in the Seabees. He was a member of the Overseas Masonic Lodge.

Besides his wife, he leaves a sister, Thelma DeLeon of Cranston.

A private funeral was held yesterday at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was private.
Maurice Abrich

Joined his two brothers in 1930s to operate Allens Avenue Oil Co.

ROVIDENCE — Maurice Abrich, 83, of 62 General St., associated with his brothers in running the former Allens Avenue Oil Company for many years, died today at Charlesgate Nursing Center.

He was born in Providence, a son of the late Abraham and Ida (Taber) Abrich.

After graduation from Brown University in 1925, he worked for a brokerage house on Wall Street until the 1929 stock market crash, when he returned to Providence.

In the 1930s he joined his two brothers in operating the company, at Allens Avenue and Public Street. Besides selling oil under the Aoco brand name, the company also blended lubricating oil and sold it to retailers in Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. Abrich retired from the oil company when the state purchased the company’s property. He then traveled extensively throughout Mexico, Europe and North Africa.

He leaves a sister, Mrs. Thelma De Leon, and a brother, Jacob L. Abrich, both of Cranston.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at noon at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Alvin Ackerman, 92

CRANSTON, R.I.– Alvin Ackerman died on April 8, at Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, Providence. He was the beloved husband of Sylvia (Pockar) Ackerman. They were married for 59 years. Born in New York, N.Y., a son of the late Morris and Beatrice (Fuchs) Ackerman, he had lived in Cranston for 49 years. He worked for the federal government and for the State of R.I. for nearly 50 years, retiring in the early 1990s. Alvin was a World War II Navy veteran. He loved sports and the beach. Devoted father of Michael Ackerman of Charlottesville, Va. Dear brother of the late Harvey and Andrew Ackerman and Sylvia Thau. Cherished uncle of several nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held Friday at 10:30 a.m. in R.I. Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 301 South County Trail, Exeter. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Disabled American Veterans, 380 Westminster Mall, Providence, R.I. 02903. Shiva will be private.
NORTH MIAMI, Fla. — David Ackerman, 77, of 1200 N.E. Miami Gardens Drive died yesterday at Parkway General Hospital, North Miami Beach.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Baer and Annie (Friedman) Ackerman, he lived in Florida for many years, and in North Miami for the past 10 years.

Mr. Ackerman was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a graduate of Bryant College with a degree in accounting. He was an accountant in Rhode Island for 20 years for the former Senak Co. He was a builder of real estate in the Miami area for the past 25 years. He was a builder of housing for the government of Haiti for three years. He had served as mayor of Bay Harbor Island for several years.

He was a supporter of the State of Israel. He and his late brother, Samuel Ackerman, built a school for orphan children in Israel in memory of their parents. He was a member of the Jewish Federation of America.

Mr. Ackerman leaves a sister, Esther Feinberg of North Miami. He was brother of the late Marion Sonsky, Freda Fox, and also Benjamin Ackerman.

A graveside service will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
ACKERMAN, DOROTHY
(GREEN)
died May 5, 2015 at Boca Raton, FL Regional Hospital. She was 97. She was predeceased by her husband, Joseph, who died on May 26, 2014, at age 99. They had been married 75 years. Together Dorothy and Joe operated for forty years the J. Ackerman Co., a wholesale clothing business, before retiring to Boca Raton 29 years ago.
She was the family matriarch.
The daughter of the late Benjamin and Flora (Solomon) Green; she was born in Dorchester, MA. She was predeceased by her brother, Sgt. Philip S. Green, who died in World War II.
She is survived by her children, Marshall Ackerman of Stamford, CT, Richard Ackerman and his wife Noreen of Longboat Key, FL, and Phyllis Kochavi and her husband Doron of La Canada, CA; grandchildren Jeffrey Ackerman and his wife Staci, Brian Ackerman and his wife Sandra, Jennifer Ackerman, Ari Kochavi, and Danielle Kochavi; great-grandchildren Jamie and Rachel Ackerman, and Isabella and George Ackerman. She was predeceased by her daughter-in-law Joyce Ackerman.
A funeral service will be held at Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence on Friday, May 8th at 11:30 AM with burial in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Shiva will be observed Friday at the Providence Art Club, 11 Thomas St., Providence, from 1:30-4:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the Boca Raton Regional Hospital, 800 Meadows Rd., Boca Raton, FL 33486. For information and condolences visit www.SugarmanSinai.com.
Cranston

DORIS ACKERMAN, 84, of 200 Hoffman Ave., died Thursday at home. She was the wife of Irving Ackerman. They were married for 62 years.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Max and Gussie (Bekelman) Rubin, she lived in Cranston for 25 years, previously living in Providence. She was a former resident of Hollybrook Country Club, Pembroke Pines, Fla.

She was a member of Temple Sinai, Hadassah, Pioneer Women and Women's American ORT. An avid golfer, she was a member of Crestwood Country Club, Rehoboth.

Besides her husband, she leaves a son, Arthur Ackerman of Warwick; two daughters, Elyane Moe of Schnecksville, Pa., and Rayna Pass of Lake Worth, Fla.; five grandchildren and a great-grandson. She was the sister of the late Irwin and Sam Rubin and Lillian Preblod.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 10 a.m. from Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Sharon (Mass.) Memorial Park.

ACKERMAN, Doris
(Rubin)

October 8, 1998. Residence 200 Hoffman Ave., #104. Beloved wife of Irving Ackerman. Devoted mother of Arthur Ackerman, Warwick; Elyane Moe, Schnecksville, PA. Rayna Pass, Lake Worth, FL. Dear Sister of the late Irwin and Sam Rubin and late Lillian Preblod. Adored Grandmother of Michelle, Greg, Jodi, Lori, and Pamela. Great Grandmother of William. Funeral Services Sunday at 10 a.m. at the MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope Street (Cor. of Doyle Ave.) Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to your favorite charity. Visiting hours at her late residence Sun., Mon. and Tues. 2-4 and 7-9.
Edith Ackerman

CRANSTON — Edith Ackerman, 86, of 70 Warwick Ave. died yesterday at the Jane Brown unit of Rhode Island Hospital. She was the widow of Harry Ackerman.

Born in Austria, she was a daughter of the late Israel and Ida Galer. She lived in Providence from the age of one until until moving to Cranston in 1952.

Mrs. Ackerman was a member of the Congregation Sons of Abraham, Shaare Zedek, Providence.

She leaves two daughters, Ann Kosofsky of Warwick and Pearl Berkowitz of Cranston; a son, Irwin Ackerman of Johnston; two brothers, Harry and Morris Galer; both in Florida, and four grandchildren.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 11:30 a.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Ackerman, 78, formerly of 45 Sackett Street, who died June 20 after a five-week illness, were held the following day at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Ackerman, the widow of Isaac Ackerman, was born in Russia and had lived in Providence 57 years. She was the daughter of the late Israel and Ruth (Weiser) Nachbar.

A life member of the Pioneer Women, she also held memberships in the Jewish Home for the Aged, the Miriam Hospital Ladies' Association, the South Providence Ladies Aid and Congregation Sons of Abraham.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Maurice Schwartz and Mrs. Raymond Cohen, both of Providence; two sons, Irving A. and Joseph Ackerman, both of Providence; a brother, Nathan Nachbar of Cranston, and 10 grandchildren.
ACKERMAN, JOSEPH

died May 26, 2014 at the Boca Raton, FL Regional Hospital. On May 23rd, with his wife Dorothy (Green) Ackerman at his side, he celebrated his 99th birthday. On June 4th Joe and Dorothy planned to celebrate their 75th wedding anniversary.

A son of the late Isaac and Eva (Nachbar) Ackerman, he lived in Providence before retiring to Boca Raton 28 years ago. After working in the Walsh-Kaiser Shipyard during WWII he went into the wholesale clothing business. He and Dorothy operated the J. Ackerman Co. for forty years. He was the first President and a founding member of Crestwood Country Club, Rehoboth, MA. In his youth he was a professional singer.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his children, Marshall Ackerman of Stamford, CT, Richard Ackerman and his wife Noreen, formerly of Woonsocket and Warren, RI, and Phyllis Kochavi and her husband Doron, of La Canada, CA; grandchildren Jeffrey Ackerman and his wife Staci, Brian Ackerman and his wife Sandra, Jennifer Ackerman, Ari Kochavi, and Danielle Kochavi; great-grandchildren Jamie and Rachel Ackerman, and Isabella and George Ackerman. He was predeceased by his daughter-in-law Joyce Ackerman, sisters Anne Cohen and Frances Schwartz, and brother Irving Ackerman.

A funeral service will be held at Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence on Thursday, May 29th at 12 Noon, with burial in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Shiva will be observed Thursday at the University Club, 219 Benefit St., Providence, from 2-5 PM. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Alzheimer’s Community Care, 800 North Point Parkway, Suite 101B, West Palm Beach, FL 33407. For information and condolences SugarmanSinai.com.
IROVING A. ACKERMAN, 87, of 75 Minnesota Ave., owner of the former Paramount Office Supply, died yesterday at Kent Regency Nursing Home.

He was the husband of the late Doris (Rubin) Ackerman. Born in Providence, a son of the late Issac and Eva (Nachbar) Ackerman, he was a lifelong resident of Rhode Island, and maintained a retirement home in Pembroke Pines, Fla.

Mr. Ackerman was the founder and the owner for 50 years, of Paramount Office Supply, and a member of the National Office Products Association.

He was a founder and member of Crestwood Country Club, Rehoboth, and a member of the Touro Fraternal Association. He was a 32nd-degree Mason, and a Shriner.

Mr. Ackerman was a member of the former Temple Beth Israel, a former member of the Temple Torah Yisrael, and a member of the Temple Sinai.

He leaves two daughters, Elayne A. Moe of Schnecksville, Pa., and Rayne Pass of Delray Beach, Fla.; a son, Arthur A. Ackerman of Warwick; a sister, Anne Cohen of Johnston; a brother, Joseph Ackerman of Boca Raton, Fla.; and five grandchildren and a great-grandchild. He was the brother of the late Frances Schwartz.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Sharon (Mass.) Memorial Park.
Leon Ackerman, 80, of Mendon Road, a retired jewelry worker, died yesterday at Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, Providence.

He was the husband of Doris M. (Facteau) Trahan Ackerman, and the late Lilly (Kozlovsky) Ackerman. Born in Cambridge, Mass., a son of the late Harry and Sarah (Bloom) Ackerman, he had lived most of his life in Providence.

Mr. Ackerman had worked in the jewelry industry in importing and inventory control before retiring in 1984.

He was a graduate of Central High School, Class of 1939.

He was a member of the Cranston, Pilgrim and Warwick Senior Centers.

Besides his wife, he leaves two stepsons, Ronald C. Trahan of Medfield, Mass., and Stephen P. Trahan of Leominster, Mass.; two stepdaughters, Dianne Boisvert of Vero Beach, Fla., and Gayle M. Aldrich of Chepachet, and three nieces and nephews. He was the brother of the late Betty Rosenberg.

The funeral and burial will be private.
ANAPOL, Betty
(Sineinikoff)
February 16, 2000
Resident: 75 Norumbega Rd., Weston, MA. Beloved wife of the late Benjamin Anapol and the late George Abrich. Devoted mother of Toby Abrich of Santa Fe, NM and Amy Abrich Shemin of Wayland, MA. Dear sister of Evelyn Resnick of Agawam, MA. Loving grandmother of Jill Shemin. Graveside services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the RI Hospital. Shiva will be private. Arrangements by the MAX SIGRAMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St., corner of Doyle Ave., Providence.
Leo Andelman

Funeral services for Leo Andelman of 61 Dartmouth Street, Pawtucket, who died Monday after a six-month illness, were held the following day at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

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He was a lieutenant colonel with the Army in World War II. He was a member of Temple Emanuel-El and its Men's Club, Roosevelt Lodge, F & AM, the Providence Fraternal Association, the Rhode Island Association of Public Accountants and the Pawtucket YMCA.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William Lewis of Cranston and Mrs. Robert Halpern of Providence; three sisters, Mrs. Harry Bloomberg and Mrs. Harry Richman, both of Providence, and Miss Bess Andelman of Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, N.Y.; two brothers, Murray M. Andelman of Orlando, Fla., and David Andelman of Newbury, N.Y., and five grandchildren.
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WARWICK — Mary Andelman, 78, of Greenwood House Nursing Home, formerly of Cranston, died yesterday at the home. She was the widow of Leo Andelman.

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Mrs. Andelman was a member of the Jewish Home for the Aged, Hadassah and Temple Emanu-El.

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ANDERSON, SANDRA

(KANOPKIN), a resident of East Greenwich, died Saturday, July 14, 2012. She was the beloved wife of Thomas R. Anderson. Born in Providence, she was the daughter of Louis Kanopkin and the late Ida (Kaplan) Kanopkin.

Sandra grew up in Pawtucket and was a graduate of the University of Rhode Island. She was a teacher at the Sackett Street Elementary School in Providence for 32 years.

Along with her husband, she is survived by her daughter Rebecca Dorothy Anderson; and her brother Philip Kanopkin and his wife Susan.

Her funeral service will be held Wednesday, July 18th at 10am in the Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope Street, Providence. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to the RISPCA, 186 Amaral St., Riverside, RI 02915. For information and condolences visit www.SugarmanSinai.com.
AMINI, Dr. Loghman

November 29, 1980. Residence: 35 Agwam Park Rd., Rumford. Beloved husband of Parvine (Rabban) Amini. Funeral Services, to which relatives and friends are invited, will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at Temple Emanu-El, corner of Morris Ave. and Session St. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. Motamed, 35 Agwam Park Rd., Rumford, 3-5 p.m., 7-9 p.m. Arrangements by the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel.

Dr. Loghman Amini

EAST PROVIDENCE — Dr. Loghman Amini, 58, of 35 Agwam Park Rd., died yesterday at Miriam Hospital after a one-month illness. He was the husband of Parvine (Rabban) Amini.

Born in Iran, a son of Zibandeh Amini and the late Shokrolah Amini, he lived in Rumford since July.

He was a professor at the Tehran University School of Dentistry for many years, retiring a year ago. He was an active member of the Joint Organization in Tehran and the Jewish Federation of Iran and was a volunteer at the Jewish Hospital of Iran.

Besides his wife and mother he leaves two sons, Bahman and Bahran Amini, both of Rumford; three brothers, Dr. Houshang Amini of Santa Monica, Calif., Said Amini of Geneva, Switzerland, and Noman Amini of Lyon, France; two sisters, Suzette Tabibzadeh of Geneva, and Rosette Barcozhna of Providence.

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Betty Anapol, 88, of 75 Norumbega Rd., Weston, Mass., a retired teacher, died yesterday at Weston Manor, Weston.

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Mrs. Anapol was a teacher at Nathan Bishop Jr. High School before she retired. She had been a piano teacher for many years.

She was a 1958 graduate of Rhode Island College. She was a member of the Chopin Club and the Rhode Island Community Orchestra.

She leaves two daughters, Amy Shemin of Wayland, Mass.; and Toby Abrich of Santa Fe, N.M.; a sister, Evelyn Resnick of Agawam, Mass.; and a granddaughter.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

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(Sinelnikoff)
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Obituaries

MOLLIE ANDRIESE
WARWICK — Mollie Andriesse, 85, of Shalom Apartments, Warwick, died May 4 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lois Blazer, 147 Northampton St., Warwick. The widow of Eugene J. Andriesse, she was born in Odessa, Russia, a daughter of the late Philip and Ethel (Soforenko) Gordon.

A resident of Fall River since two years of age, she resided in Newport from 1925 until 1985 when she took up residence in Warwick.

Mrs. Andriesse had been a cosmetician in Newport for 12 years, retiring in 1968. She was active in social and club activities, was a member of Temple Shalom and its Sisterhood of Middletown, R.I. and a member of Hadassah and Ladies Auxiliary of Touro Synagogue of Newport.

Besides her daughter she leaves two sons, Everett Andriesse of Sarasota, Fla.; and Paul Andriesse, of Winchester, Mass.; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Braman Cemetery, Newport. Arrangements were by Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence.
Warwick

BENJAMIN ANGERT, 86, of the Shalom Apartments, 1 Shalom Drive, a manager in the silk screen department of Hasbro for 16 years before retiring 21 years ago, died yesterday at the Summit Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Providence. He was the husband of the late Helen (Neukrug) Angert.

Born in Russia, a son of the late Isidor and Rivka (Davidovitch) Angert, he lived in New York for many years before moving to Providence in 1958. He later moved to Cranston. He lived in Warwick for 15 years before returning to Providence two months ago.

Mr. Angert was a member of Temple Emanu-El in Providence. He was the founding president of the Shalom Tenants Association. During World War II, he served in the Army National Guard in New York.

He leaves two daughters, Arlene Leibowitz of Bay Shore, Long Island, N.Y., and Eleanor Hoffman of Westerly; five grandchildren, and a great-grandson.

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March 4, 1995. Beloved husband of the late Helen (Neukrug) Angert. Resident of Shalom Apartments, Warwick. Dear father and father-in-law of Arlene and Sheldon Leibowitz, Bay Shore, LI and Eleanor and Robert Hoffman, Westerly. Devoted grandfather of 5 grandchildren and 1 great-grandson. Funeral Service 10 a.m. Monday at MOUNT SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 825 Hope at 4th Sts. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to American Cancer Society. Memorial observance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoffman, 4 Chin Hill Rd., Westerly Tuesday thru Thursday 2-4; 7-9 p.m. and Saturday 7-9 p.m.
PROVIDENCE — Helen Angert, 77, a resident of the Jewish Home for the Aged, 99 Hillside Ave., died today at the home. She was the wife of Benjamin Angert.

Mrs. Angert was a bookeeper at the former Boston Cleaning Co. in Providence for 30 years before retiring in 1970.

Born in New York City, she was a daughter of the late Edward and Anna (Shapiro) Neukrug. She had lived in Providence since 1958.

Mrs. Angert was a member of Temple Emanu-El, Cranston Hadassah, the Providence Hebrew Day School, and the Shalom Tenants Association.

Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Eleanor Hoffman of Westerly and Arlene Leibowitz of New York City; two sisters, Bessie Gotlieb of Flushing, N.Y., and Tillie Wasserman of Harrison, N.Y.; and five grandchildren.

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EDWIN ANTIN

CRANSTON — Edwin Antin, 71, of 28 East Bel Air Rd., plant manager and vice president of Crownmark Corp., Providence, for over 35 years before retiring two years ago, died Saturday, July 6, 1991, at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Trude (Silver) Antin.

Born in the Bronx, New York City, a son of the late Louis and Fanny (Wolfe) Antin, he lived in Cranston for 37 years. He was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael and its men’s club, and was a member of its board of directors. He also served as the Temple secretary for the past ten years, and was a member of the Knights of Pythius.

Mr. Antin attended City College of New York and served in the Army Medical Corps in England in World War II.

Besides his wife, he leaves three sons, Norman B. Antin of Burke, Va., and Frank E. Antin and Lewis J. Antin, both of Cranston; a daughter, Ellen Antin Golden of Cranston; a brother, Stanley Antin of Scarsdale, N.Y., and four grandchildren.

The funeral was held Tuesday, July 9, at Temple Torat Yisrael, 330 Park Ave., Cranston. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Arrangements were by the Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence.
BERTHA ANTOKOL
NEW YORK, N.Y. — Bertha Antokol, 67, of 218 Calla St., Providence, died Sunday, March 25, 1990, at the Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York where she was visiting her son. She was the wife of the late Norman Antokol. She was born in Plainville, CT., a daughter of the late Isadore and Lena (Goldberg) Oberman and had been a Providence resident for 27 years.

She was a secretary with the Department of Elderly Affairs for the City of Providence for many years until retiring one year ago. She was a member of congregation Shaare Zedek.

She is survived by a son, Rabbi Arnold Abraham Antokol of New York; a daughter, Joan Antokol, Esq. of W. Orange, N.J.; two brothers, Sydney Oberman of Providence and Jacob Oberman of Norwich, CT.; two sisters, Celia Wunsch of Providence and Nettie Goldstein of Willimantic, CT.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., (cor. Doyle Ave.) Providence, on Monday, March 26. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Lois J. Anttio, 73

WARWICK, R.I. – Lois J. Anttio died Oct. 1 in Spain. Born in Providence, a beloved daughter of the late Harry and Nellie (Levine) Moseff, she was a lifelong Warwick resident. She was a Warwick schoolteacher for 37 years, retiring in 2001. She volunteered at both the Providence Performing Arts Center and at Ronald McDonald House.

Devoted mother of George Marc Anttio of Warwick and David Joshua Anttio of Palm Bay, Fla. Dear sister of Barbara Moitoza of Coventry. Loving grandmother of Lucille Paisley Anttio.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the Ronald McDonald House, 45 Gay St., Providence, R.I. 02905.
Funeral services for Harry Applebaum, 68, of 112 Keene Street, who died Monday, were held the following day at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Rose (Steiner) Applebaum, he was born in Russia Aug. 15, 1895, a son of the late Charles and Bessie Applebaum. He had been a resident of Providence most of his life. He was founder and proprietor of Applebaum's Restaurant at 280 Thayer Street and a member of the Jewish Home for the Aged and the Miriam Hospital Association.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Maurice Applebaum of Providence; two sisters, Mrs. Bernard Friedman of Newport and Mrs. Harry Chertoff of Warwick, and two grandchildren.
Funeral services for Jack Appelbaum, 57, of 52 Vale Avenue, Cranston, who died Feb. 1, were held Feb. 3 at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery. The husband of Mrs. Dorothy (Jacobson) Appelbaum, he had been prominent in amateur theatrical circles in the state for many years.

He was born in Providence, Sept. 29, 1908, a son of the late George and Edith (Davis) Appelbaum. For the past five years he operated the Parke Cleansers, Pontiac Avenue, Cranston. He had lived in Cranston for four years and before that in Providence.

Mr. Appelbaum in recent years served as master of ceremonies at the annual Heart Association dinners and for a number of years was active in amateur theatrical circles as actor and producer.

He was a member of the Touro Fraternal Association, Hearts Unlimited, and the National Organization of Cleansers and Dyers. He was graduated from Classical High School and attended Brown University for three years.
APPLEBAUM, MAURICE

84, died Saturday, March 22, 2014. He was the husband of the late Roslyn (Schwartz) Applebaum, his high school sweetheart, to whom he was married for 42 years. Born in Providence, he was the son of the late Harry and Rose (Steiner) Applebaum.

In his youth, Mr. Applebaum worked for his father at Applebaum’s Restaurant. He worked for MetLife for 40 years before retiring in 1994. After retiring, he volunteered for Meals on Wheels & Butler Hospital. He was a long time member of Temple Beth-El and Touro Fraternal.

He is survived by his children, Richard Applebaum and his partner Hillary Shulman-Lampell, and Linda Haumann and her husband David; his grandchildren, Marc and Rebecca Haumann; his brother-in-law, Morris Schwartz and his wife Barbara, and his sister-in-law, Dotty Schwartz.

His funeral services will be held Thursday, March 27th at 1:00PM at Temple Beth-El, 70 Orchard Ave. Providence. Following services, burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the charity of your choice. Shiva will be held at his late residence Thursday 3-5PM & 7-9PM & Friday 2-4PM. For information and condolences, www.SugarmanSinai.com.
ROSE (STEINER) APPLEBAUM

BLOOM, 91, of 1085 North Main St., a former professional opera singer, and co-owner with her husband of the former Applebaum's restaurant, died Thursday at Summit Medical Center.

She was the wife of the late Louis Bloom for 20 years, and the late Harry Applebaum for 38 years. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Harry and Dora Steiner, she had lived in Miami Beach, Fla., for 20 years before returning to Providence in 1989.

Trained in New York and Providence, she was a professional opera singer and dancer. Mrs. Bloom sang as a member of the International Opera Co. and performed with the Rockette Chorus for more than three years.

She performed locally at the former Metropolitan on Broad Street and was known throughout the entertainment industry. Before moving to Florida, she worked as a saleslady at Casual Corner for 1½ years.

Mrs. Bloom was a former member of the Chopin Club and Temple Beth-El. She also sang in the Temple Emanu-El Choir.

In 1944, she received a certificate of commendation for distinguished public service from the Miriam Hospital Building Fund Campaign.

She leaves a son, Maurice Applebaum of Providence; a sister, Esther Mednitsky of Hazleton, Pa.; and two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Jack Steiner.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
ROSLYN "ROZ" APPLEBAUM of Woodbury Street died yesterday at home. She was the wife of Maurice J. Applebaum. Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late Samuel and Rebecca (Rosenberg) Schwartz. Mrs. Applebaum was a 1949 graduate of the former Edgewood Junior College. From 1947 to 1952, she was secretary to the personnel director of the Bulova Watch Co. She was a member and trustee of Temple Beth-El, and vice president of its Sisterhood from 1965 to 1975, and was an honorary board member. She had been the nominating chairman and installing officer of the Sisterhood bowling league.

She was a member of the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island, and in 1975 was its Telethon co-chairman. She was a member of the Jewish Home for the Aged. She had been a member of the Rhode Island Jewish Historical Society, and the Miriam Hospital Women’s Association. She was a board member of the Rhode Island division of the National Council of Jewish Women.

Mrs. Applebaum was a member of the Library of Congress’s Talking Books for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. She had narrated 20 taped books between 1975 and 1986. Since 1986, she was a member of Insight Radio, a publisher of talking books for the blind. In 1987, she had been vice president of the Summit Avenue PTA.

Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Linda Haumann of San Rafael, Calif.; a son, Richard Applebaum of Johnston; two brothers, Dr. Abraham Schwartz, DDS, Morris Schwartz, both of Providence, and two grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Blanche Revkin.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Temple Beth-El, Orchard Avenue. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery in Warwick.
August 20, 2004

Claire Ruth Aptaker

PROVIDENCE — Claire Ruth (Rosenberg) Aptaker, 74, of Angell Street, a retired executive secretary, died July 19. She was the wife of the late Erwin Aptaker. They were married for 44 years. Born in Lawrence, Mass., a daughter of the late Louis H. and Mabel (Gray) Rosenberg, she had lived in Sharon, Mass., for most of her life. She moved to Providence last year.

She was an executive secretary with the John Hancock Life Insurance Co., in Boston, for 15 years.

She was a member of the Jewish Community Center of Rhode Island and an administrative volunteer at Jewish Family Service.

She leaves a daughter, Peri Ann Aptaker of Providence; and a sister, Phyllis Lappen of Avon, Conn. She was the mother of the late Lisa Dale Aptaker.

Contributions may be made to the National Jewish Medical and Research Center, 3800 East Colfax Ave., Denver, CO 80218.
FRANCES APTEL

WARWICK — Frances Aptel, 76, of 1403 Warwick Ave., a former office worker and store department manager, died May 9 at Miriam Hospital. She was the widow of Lester Aptel.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Morris and Essie (Fingert) Broman, she lived in Warwick for 28 years.

Mrs. Aptel was an office employee for Harris Furs for 10 years. She was also manager of the women's wear and jewelry department of the former City Hall Hardware store, Providence, for 25 years. She was a member of Temple Am-David, its Sisterhood, the Warwick Social Seniors and the Jewish Home for the Aged.

She leaves two daughters, Marcia Halsband and Marilyn Orleck, both of Warwick; a brother, Max Broman of Hollywood, Fla.; a sister, Gussie Kaplan of Providence, and four grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.
RAYMOND S. APTEL
CRANSTON — Raymond S. Aptel, 74, of 825F Pontiac Ave., assistant manager of the former A & P supermarket, Cranston Street, Providence, for 40 years before retiring 15 years ago, died Tuesday, June 30, 1987.
Born in Providence, a son of the late Joseph and Anna (Speigel) Aptel, he lived in Cranston for 41 years. 
Mr. Aptel was a member of Overseas Lodge 40, F & AM, Temple Torat Yisrael, the William Shields Jr. Post, American Legion, and the Jewish War Veterans. He was an Army veteran of World War II.
There are no immediate survivors.
A graveside service was held at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick. Arrangements by the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence.
SAMUEL ARBEITSMAN

Funeral services for Samuel Arbeltsman, 59, of 15 Ralston Street, Warwick, who died Jan. 27, were held the following day in the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery. He was the husband of Mrs. Charlotte (Kaplan) Arbeltsman.

Mr. Arbeltsman, who operated Sam's Auto Supplies at his home, has been a Warwick resident for 11 years. He previously lived in Providence for 47 years. He was born July 4, 1906, in New York City, a son of the late Nathan and Bessie (Shaw) Arbeltsman.

Mr. Arbeltsman was a member of Temple Beth Am of Warwick, and the Workmen's Circle.

Besides his wife, survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Norma Glasberg of Providence, Mrs. Charles Summers and Mrs. Rosalie Bules, both of Warwick; a sister, Mrs. Max Metz of Providence, and four grandchildren.
ALBERT ARBITMAN, 66, of Pontiac Avenue, a retired social worker, died Tuesday at Steere House, Providence.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Carl and Elizabeth (Felderman) Arbitman, he lived in Cranston most of his life.

Mr. Arbitman was a social worker for the State of Rhode Island for 20 years, retiring in 1999. He was an Army veteran of the Korean War. He was a graduate of Classical High School, Providence, and Brown University, Class of 1956. He was a member of Touro Fraternal Association.

He leaves a brother, William A. Arbitman of Scottsdale, Ariz.

A graveside service was held yesterday at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Carl Arbitman; founded, operated department store

CRANSTON — Carl Arbitman of 825 Pontiac Ave., founder and proprietor of the former Carl's Department Store, Atwells Avenue, Providence, which he operated for 45 years before retiring in 1979, died yesterday at Kent County Memorial Hospital, Warwick. He was the husband of the late Elizabeth (Felderman) Arbitman.

Born in Russia, he had lived in Providence over 55 years before moving to Cranston two years ago.

He was a member of the Touro Fraternal Association of Temple Torat Yisrael, the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island, the Jewish Home for the Aged, the Providence Hebrew Day School and the Band.

He leaves two sons, Albert Arbitman of Cranston and William A. Arbitman of Scottsdale, Ariz.; and two grandchildren.

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ARBEITMAN, Doris
(Stashnick)

DORIS ARBEITMAN, 80, of Douglas Avenue, a retired office manager and entrepreneur, died Thursday at Miriam Hospital.

She was the wife of Henry Arbeitman. They were married for 35 years. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Samuel and Dora (Sarzer) Stashnick, she had lived in North Providence for 11 years, previously living in Warwick.

Mrs. Arbeitman was an office manager for Hardlines Distributors, Norwood, Mass., before retiring in 1970. She and her husband then started the now-defunct Nantru Jewelry Mfg. Co.

Besides her husband, she leaves three sisters, Mildred Bloomberg, Irma Friedlander and Tillie Selingor, all of North Providence. She was a sister of the late Louis and George Strashnick, Shirley Leibow and Catherine Pedlikin.

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Shiva will be private.
Henry Arbeitman, 88

NORTH PROVIDENCE
— Henry Arbeitman, 88, formerly of Wrentham, Pawtucket and Warwick, died Feb. 6. He was the husband of the late Doris (Strashnick) Arbeitman. He was the son of the late Max and Celia Arbeitman and the brother of the late Abraham Arbeitman and Rose Goldman.

He is survived by his niece, Norma Kroll; his nephew, Harvey Goldman, and his sisters-in-law, Tillie Selenger and Irma Friedlander, and their children and grandchildren.

Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.
Gerald S. Arbor

Former owner of Copy Products in E. Providence, Mason, veteran

BOCA RATON, FL. — Gerald S. Arbor, 65, of 9223 Pecky Cypress Lane, owner and president Copy Products Inc. in East Providence for 22 years before retiring in 1981, died yesterday at 539 East Ave., Pawtucket. He was the husband of Shirley (Schuster) Arbor.

Born in Providence, he was the son of Nathan and Rachel (Charcusky) Arbor. He lived in Boca Raton 12 years and previously had lived in Pawtucket for 40 years.

Mr. Arbor was a member of the Crestwood Country Club, the Overseas Lodge of the Masons, Temple Emanu-El and its Mens Club, Temple Beth-David of Narragansett and Boca Lago Country Club. He was an Army Air Forces veteran of World War II.

Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Paul Arbor of Warwick and Neil Arbor of East Greenwich; a sister, Matilda Whalen of Narragansett; and four grandchildren.

The funeral will be tomorrow at 11 a.m. from Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Janet (Lubosky) Arbor, 88, of East Greenwich Avenue, a secretary for 22 years before retiring, died yesterday at home.

She was the wife of the late Sol Arbor. Born in North Providence, the daughter of the late Samuel and Annie (Rosner) Lubosky, she had lived in Sharon, Mass., for 30 years before moving to Florida in 1980 and returning to Rhode Island 2 years ago.


She was a former member of Temple Israel, Sharon, and its Sisterhood, and of Temple Beth-Am in Randolph, Mass., and Temple Beth-El in North Port, Fla. She was a member of B'nai B'rith women's association for many years.

She is survived by several cousins.

A graveside funeral service will be held tomorrow at 10 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
PROVIDENCE

ARBOR, NEIL
64, passed away Saturday March 21, 2015. He was the beloved husband of Elaine Arbor; they were married for 41 years. He was born in Providence, a son of Gerald and Shirley (Schuster) Arbor.

He was a dedicated CPA and a decorated pilot. He was on the Board of Directors for the United Brothers Synagogue. He was a member of the United States Air Force Auxiliary, the Quonset Aero Club, Touro Fraternal Association, Alpine Country Club, and the Sons of Italy Renaissance Lodge.

He was the dear father of Mitchell and Eric Arbor and the loving brother of Paul Arbor.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday March 25th at 1PM at Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St, Providence with burial in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the American Cancer Society, 931 Jefferson Blvd, Suite 3004, Warwick, Rhode Island 02886.

Shiva will be held at his late residence following services and Thursday March 26th beginning at 2PM. For information and condolences, www.SugarmanSinai.com.
WARWICK, R.I. - Paul J. Arbor died Feb. 23. Born in Providence, a son of Shirley (Schuster) Arbor and the late Gerald Arbor, he was a lifelong resident of Rhode Island.

He was a graduate of the University of Rhode Island and the owner of Supply Depot Inc. for 31 years.

Besides his mother, he is survived by his children; Ashley Arbor and Austin Arbor, and his companion; Robin Rittenberg. He was the brother of the late Neil Arbor.

Contributions in his memory may be made to the American Cancer Society, 931 Jefferson Blvd., Suite 3004, Warwick, R.I. 02906.
RACHEL ARBOR

PROVIDENCE — Rachel Arbor, 87, of 147 Pembroke Ave., died Saturday, August 29 at Miriam Hospital. She was the widow of Nathan Arbor.

Born in Russia, a daughter of the late Harry and Anna Charcusky, she lived in Providence for more than 60 years.

Mrs. Arbor was co-owner with her husband of the former Sunkist Liquor, Smith Street, for many years before retiring more than 30 years ago.

She leaves a son, Gerald S. Arbor of Pawtucket; a daughter, Mrs. Matilda "Mae" Whalen of South Kingstown; a brother, Herbert Carlin of Framingham, Mass.; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Gorden of Swampscott, Mass., and Mrs. Bella Backler of Brookline, Mass.; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
SOL ARBOR, 83, a summer resident of 650 E. Greenwich Ave., died Sunday at the Wellington Regional Medical Center in West Palm Beach, Fla.

He was the husband of Janet (Lubosky) Arbor. He was born in Pawtucket, son of the late Joseph and Annie (Schuster) Arbor and had lived in Florida since 1983. He lived at 516-A2 Shady Pine Way in West Palm Beach.

He had been a summer resident of West Warwick for five years and previously summered in Warwick.

He was a 1948 summa cum laude graduate of Bryant College. He was a member of Temple Beth-El in North Port, Fla. For 35 years, he was a public accountant in Stamford, Conn., retiring in 1983.

In addition to his wife, he leaves two brothers, Reuben Arbor of Boylston, Mass., and Albert Arbor of Sun City West, Ariz.; one niece and four nephews.

A graveside funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
Sarah Arden

DELRAY BEACH, Fla.—Sarah Arden, 75, of 576 Capri "L," a group manager at the former Outlet Co., Providence, for 17 years before retiring in 1980, died yesterday at the home of her son, 281 Plainfield Pike, North Scituate. She was the widow of Harry Arden.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., a daughter of the late Simon and Mary (Wittenberg) Bromberg, she had lived in Pawtucket for 35 years before moving to Delray Beach 13 years ago.

Mrs. Arden leaves two sons, Steven D. Arden of North Scituate and Stuart Arden of Pawtucket; a daughter, Shelly Kyriazis of Pittsburgh; two sisters, Dora Star of Delray Beach and Gertrude Goldstein of Winter Park, Fla.; and nine grandchildren.

The funeral service will be tomorrow at noon at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Boynton Beach, Fla.

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WARWICK — Perry Agronick, 58, of 1015 Narragansett Parkway, owner of Sessions Electronics for the past 27 years, died yesterday at Kent County Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Patricia (Jollie) Agronick.

Born in New York City, a son of the late Louis and Frances (Stein) Agronick, he lived in Warwick for six years. He previously lived in Cranston.

Mr. Agronick was a past master of Netop Masonic Lodge, Seekonk, and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 209. He formerly coached baseball in the Edgewood South Elmwood Little League and sponsored a women's softball team. He was a member of the Jewish Fraternal Association.

He was a World War II Army Air Force veteran.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Richard Agronick of Cranston; two daughters, Debra Agronick of Warren, Sandra Agronick of Newport, and two stepdaughters, Erika Jaeschka of Boston and Paula Huntington of Sanford, Fla.

A funeral service will be held today at noon at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Sadie C. Arken

PROVIDENCE — Sadie C. Arken, 88, of Charlesgate North, 670 N. Main St., a secretary-bookkeeper for the former E.W. Goldstein Importing Co. for 25 years before retiring in 1982, died yesterday at home.

Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late Samuel and Sema (Olch) Arken.

Miss Arken was a member of the Women's Associations of the Jewish Home for the Aged and Miriam Hospital. She was a member of B'nai B'rith. She leaves a brother, Louis Arken of Cranston.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 10 a.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

ARKEN, Sadie C.
January 14, 1992. Residence: Charlesgate North, 670 N. Main St., Graveside funeral services 10 a.m. Thursday at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Rd., Warwick. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Jewish Home for Aged. Arrangements by Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel.
LAWRENCE P. ARNOFF, 82, of 100 Parkhurst Rd., a retired manager, died Tuesday at Kent County Memorial Hospital.

He was the husband of Janice (Gertner) Arnoff. They had been married for 57 years. Born in New York City, a son of the late Irving and Mae (Bernhardt) Arnoff, he had lived in Warwick for 32 years, previously living in Cranston.

Mr. Arnoff had been a manager at the Leviton Mfg. Co. in Warwick and North Kingstown for 26 years, retiring in 1988, and had worked at Enterprise Car Rental for the last three years.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Steven M. Arnoff of Nashua, N.H.; a daughter, Karen DeFelice of Warwick; and three grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Bertha Sunderland.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery.
PROVIDENCE

ARNOLD, HARRIET, 96, of Tockwotton Home, 75 East Street, died Saturday. She was a daughter of the late Samuel and Rebecca (Mandel) Movsovitc. She married her childhood sweetheart, Siegfried “Siggy” Arnold in 1936 and shared 68 wonderful years until his death in 2005.

Harriet was an accomplished artist who won awards in juried shows. Her bright, colorful paintings were a joy to behold. She and Siggy were renowned for their parties where her paintings and attire were the feature attraction. They traveled extensively. Harriet was a member of the Providence Art Club, Contemporary Artists and a graduate of Commercial High, Class of 1926.

She is survived by her niece, Bette-Ann (Goldstein) Fessel and her husband, Norbert Fessel; her grandnephew, Jonathan Fessel and his wife, Diane Block; her grandniece, Karen Fessel and husband, Jeffrey Kirschenbaum and several cousins. She was the sister of the late Estelle M. Goldstein.

Graveside services will be held Tuesday, 12 Noon, in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, 1469 Post Road, Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to Home & Hospice Care of RI, 169 George Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860. Shiva will be private. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.
Obituaries

Siegfried Arnold, 95

PROVIDENCE — Siegfried Arnold, 95, a retired corporate consultant, died April 9. He was the husband of Harriet (Morris) Arnold. They were married for 68 years. Born in Providence, a lifelong resident of the city, he was a son of the late Adolph and Matilda (Sperber) Arnold.

Mr Arnold was a corporate executive for several merchandising chains for many years, retiring 28 years ago. He was a World War-II veteran serving in the Merchant Marines.

He was a graduate of Classical High School, class of 1926 and Providence College, class of 1930, where he received his BA degree and was their first Jewish graduate. He was also the valedictorian of his class. He received his J.D. degree from Boston University Law School, class of 1933.

He was the captain of the Debate Team at both Providence College and Boston University, and was lead speaker for all four years at P.C.

He was a past master of Redwood Lodge AF & AM and a member of Touro Fraternal Association.

A sports enthusiast, he was an avid tennis player. He taught tennis until he was 89 years old. Besides his wife, he leaves a niece, Bette Ann Fessel and her husband Norbert, cousins, Martha Schiller and her husband Harvey and Dr. Irving Berstein and his wife Sue and their children.

The funeral was private.
Moshe Aroche, 72

BARRINGTON, R.I. – Moshe Aroche, a resident of Barrington, died on Nov. 24 following a long illness. He was the husband of Nancy (Hillman) Aroche to whom he had been married for 18 years.

Born in Jerusalem, he was the son of the late Aharon and Simcha (Sason) Aroche. Mr. Aroche received his education in Israel. Before retiring, he had been a self-employed mechanic specializing in antique car engines as well as boat and diesel engines.

Besides his wife, he leaves his sons, Avraham Aroche and his wife Susan of Jerusalem, and Aharon Aroche of Eilat, his brother Yehuda Aroche of Miami, Fla., his sisters, Yididah Shulov and her husband Yossi of Jerusalem, and Penina Levine of Tel Aviv, and three grandchildren. He was the grandson of the late Rabbi Sason of Jerusalem.

Contributions may be made to Temple Habonim, or Chabad House
Nancy C. Aroche, 69
BARRINGTON, R.I. — Nancy C. (Hillman) Aroche died Nov. 23. She was the widow of Moshe Aroche. Born in Pawtucket, she was the daughter of the late Harold S. and Anne (Chernick) Hillman. She is survived by her brothers Judge William Hillman (and wife, Eleanor Radin Hillman) of Providence and Dr. Richard E. Hillman (and wife, Dr. Laura S. Hillman) of Columbia, Missouri. She was the sister of the late Paula M. (Hillman) Zacks of Barrington. She is survived by many nieces, nephews and cousins.

She received her degrees from R.I. College and Brown University, and taught in the Barrington public schools until her retirement.

Contributions in her memory may be made to Chabad of Barrington, 311 Maple Ave., Barrington, R.I. 02806.
Abraham I. Aron

A past president of Temple Beth-Am; received awards for scout leadership

WARWICK — Abraham I. Aron, 57, of 253 Fairfax Dr., died today at the Miriam Hospital after an illness of five weeks. He was the husband of Bella (Silver) Aron.

He had been associated with the Sterling Shoe Store in the Governor Francis Shopping Center for eight years. Previously, he was the owner and operator of S. Aron & Son kosher meats, on Douglas Avenue, Providence, for 20 years.

He was a past president of Temple Beth-Am, and a member of its Board of Directors; a director of Temple Beth Da-vid-Anshnikovni, and a director of the Rhode Island Jewish Federation. He was president of the Waad Hacashruth of Providence; commissioner of the West Shore District of the Boy Scouts of America; chairman of the Committee on Jewish Scouting, and the Narragansett Council; a recipient of two honors given by the Boy Scouts of America — the Commissioner’s Arrowhead Award and the George Bucklin Award. In 1976, he was honored by the Bonds of Israel Committee, and was a member of the Jewish War Veterans.

—An Army veteran of World War II, he was born in Providence Nov. 13, 1921, a son of the late Samuel and Bessie (Casper) Aron, and had been a life-long resident of Providence until he moved to Warwick 25 years ago.

Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Richard A. Aron and Jay B. Aron, both of Warwick; a daughter, Mrs. Ronna A. Schaffer of Acton, Mass.; two brothers, Jack Aron of Milton, Mass., and SY Aron of Warwick; two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Silverman of East Greenwich, and Mrs. Evelyn Wasser of Cranston, and four grandchildren.

The funeral will be tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Temple Beth-Am, 40 Gardiner Ave. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery.
ARON, Beverly Phyllis "Sheeba" (Zlochin)
April 11, 1999. Residence: Scituate Vista Dr., Cranston. Beloved wife of Samuel Aron and the late Allen Silverman. Devoted mother of Faye Lisa Silverman of Pawtucket and Ilene Beth Vivier of Cranston; a sister of Gloria Levenson of Cranston; and a grandson. Loving grandmother of Allen Vivier. Funeral services to be private. In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory may be made to the American Cancer Society. Shiva will be private. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.
EDITH ARON of Cranberry Pointe Rehabilitation and Skilled Care Center, Harwich, Mass., died Wednesday at the center. She was the wife of the late Mortimer Aron.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Louis and Rebecca (Abess) Greene, she had lived in Providence most of her life, moving to Harwich in 1993.

She had been a member of the former Temple Beth Israel, Providence, Temple Am David, Warwick, and the Pioneer Women and Hadassah.

She leaves two sons, Robert Aron of Westwood, Mass., and Lewis Aron of Sarasota, Fla., two grandchildren and a great-grandson. She was the sister of the late Martha Gorin and Harold Greene.

A graveside service will be held Sunday at 10 a.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
LATE OBITUARY

FRANCINE E. ARON, 56, of 169 Beechwood Dr., died this morning at home. She was the wife of Edward Aron. Born in Providence, the daughter of the late Louis and Lena (Goldberg) Glaser, she had lived in Cranston for the past 34 years.

Mrs. Aron has attended the former Pembroke College, now Brown University. She was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael, Hadassah, the Women's Association of Miriam Hospital, and the Cranston League of Voters.

She leaves a daughter, Cheryl Zegans of New York City; a son, Scott Aron of Stamford, Conn., and two grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Marilyn Aron.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

ARON, Francine E.
(Graker)
December 18, 1994. Beloved wife of Edward Aron. Residence 169 Beechwood Dr., Cranston. Dear mother of Cheryl Zegans. New York City and Scott Aron. Stamford, CT. Dear sister of the late Marilyn Aron. Devoted grandmother of Jason and Brittany. Funeral service from Tuesday at MOUNT SINA MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 825 Hope at 4th Sts. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to American Cancer Society, Memorial observance at her...
ARON, EDWARD 71, of 3 Shalom Drive, Warwick, formerly of Cranston, died Wednesday at Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, Providence. He was the beloved husband of the late Francine (Glaser) Aron.

Born in Providence, a son of the late William and Blanche (Abrahms) Aron, he had lived in Cranston for over 40 years before moving to Warwick last year. He was the owner of Ardon Printing and Technoprint, both in Providence, for over 40 years. Edward was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael, a past master of Redwood Lodge #35 AF & AM and a past president of the Lions Club in East Providence. He was an army veteran of the Korean Conflict, serving stateside.

Devoted father of Scott Aron and his wife Mariana of Charleston, SC and Cheryl Zegans and her husband Scott of Dix Hills, NY. Dear brother of Samuel Aron of Cranston, Donald Aron of Delray Beach, FL and the late Gerald and Sylvia Aron and Beatrice Mossberg. Loving grandfather of Jason, Brittany, Louis, Joshua and Andrew.

A Masonic service will be held Friday at 10:45 a.m. followed by a funeral service at 11:00 a.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL; 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Temple Torat Yisrael, 330 Park Ave., Cranston, RI 02905. Shiva will be private.
JACOB "JACK" ARON, 79, of Milton, Mass., and Florida, died Saturday at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. He was the husband of Tina (Grodance) Aron.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Samuel and Bessie Aron.

Mr. Aron was an Army veteran of World War II.

Besides his wife he leaves two daughters, Davida Bloom, and Roberta Aron of California; a son, Jeffrey Aron of Washington, D.C.; two sisters, Evelyn Wasser of Rhode Island and Ethyl Silverman; three brothers, Zelig, Abraham, Simon Aron, and three grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held today at 10 a.m. at the Schlossberg & Solomon Memorial Chapel, 824 Washington St., Canton, Mass. Burial will be in Pride of Boston Cemetery in Woburn, Mass.

ARON, Jacob "Jack"

Jerome Aron

CRANSTON — Jerome Aron, 57, of 106 Rutland St., who was associated for more than 20 years with the Ardon Print Co., Providence, died yesterday at Miriam Hospital.

Born in Providence, a son of the late William and Blanche (Abrams) Aron, he lived in Cranston for 10 years.

Mr. Aron was a graduate of Providence College. He was a member of the board of directors of Temple Am David, Warwick, and chairman of its Long Range Planning Committee.

For many years, he was a leader in the Boy Scouts of America, and a member of the Jewish Committee on Boy Scouting. He was involved with scouting at Camp Yawgoog, Rockville, and was in charge of its Jewish Chapel. He was the recipient of many distinguished service Jewish awards from the Boy Scouts of America, including the Silver Beaver Award, the Shofar Award, the District Award of Merit, and the St. George's Award. He was the Boy Scout's charter organizing representative for Pack and Troop 10 at Temple Am David.

He leaves three brothers, Edward and Samuel Aron, both of Cranston, Donald Aron in Florida, and a sister, Beatrice Mosesberg of Cranston. He was brother of the late Sylvia Aron.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Temple Am David, Gardner Street. Burial will be in Lincoln Park, Warwick.
Marilyn S. Aron

CRANSTON — Marilyn Sue Aron, 48, of 34 Hamden Rd. died yesterday at the Jane Brown unit of Rhode Island Hospital. She was the wife of Robert Aron.

Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late Louis and Lena (Goldberg) Glaser. She lived in Cranston for 26 years. Previously she lived in West Harwich, Mass.

Mrs. Aron was a member of Temple Torat Yisrael and the Jewish Home for the Aged. She attended Brown University.

Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, Mark S. and Brad M. Aron, and her twin sister, Francine Aron, all of Cranston.

The funeral service will be tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Obituaries

SIMON L. ARON

WARWICK — Simon L. Aron, 65, of 652 Orleans Court, a supervisor at the Morse Shoe Co. for 30 years before retiring in 1987, died May 21, 1989, at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Gertrude (Kelberman) Aron.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Samuel I. and Bessie (Kasper) Aron, he lived in Warwick for 36 years.

Mr. Aron was an Army veteran of World War II and served as a paratrooper in the European Theater. He was a charter member of Temple Am David and its Men's Club. He was a member of the Overseas Masonic Lodge and the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island. He was a member of the Rhode Island Jewish Bowling Congress.


The funeral service was held at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.
SYLVIA ARON
CRANSTON — Sylvia Aron, 59, of 206 Rutland St., a department manager at Filene's for 18 years before retiring in 1986, died Monday, April 23, 1990, at home. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late William and Blanche (Abraams) Aron, she moved to Cranston seven years ago. Miss Aron was a member of Temple Am-David, Warwick. She leaves four brothers, Donald Aron of Pompano Beach, Fla.; Samuel L. Aron, Edward Aron and Jerome Aron, all of Cranston; and a sister, Beatrice Mossberg of Cranston. The funeral service was Wednesday, April 25, at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Funeral services for Joseph Aronovitz of 36 Reynolds Avenue, retired proprietor of the J. & M. Bag Company, the husband of Mrs. Eva (Greenberg) Aronovitz, who died Feb. 5 after a short illness, were held the following day at the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Born in Romania, a son of the late Aaron and Esther Aronovitz, he had been a resident of Providence 55 years. He was a member of Congregation Sons of Abraham and the Rhode Island Jewish Fraternal Association.

Besides his wife, survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Abraham Wax of Providence; three sons, Harry Aronovitz of Providence and Max and Morris Arons of Cranston, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.
BOCA RATON, Fla. — Morris Arons, of 22479 Vista Wood Way, a sales manager for Clayton Mfg. Co. in Norwood, Mass., and Hallandale, Fla., for 20 years before retiring five years ago, died Monday at home. He was the husband of Ruth (Baker) Arons.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late Joseph and Eva (Greenberg) Aronvitz. He lived in Cranston 30 years before moving to Florida six years ago.

Mr. Arons was a founder of Bond Foods Inc. in Providence and was its president for 15 years.

Mr. Arons was a member of the Red Cross of Israel.

Besides his wife he leaves a daughter, Barbara Arons-Lewis; and a sister, Edith Wax, both of Warwick.

A private funeral service was held yesterday at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 828 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Ruth (Baker) Arons, 88

BOCA RATON, Fla. — Ruth (Baker) Arons died May 4. She was the wife of the late Morris Arons. Born in Woonsocket, she was the daughter of the late Jack Baker and Sadie (Gertner) Schachter and the stepdaughter of the late Jacob Schachter.

She attended Central High School and was a long time resident of Providence and Cranston before moving to Boca Raton in 1985.

She was an assistant buyer of junior wear at the Outlet Co.

During World War II she served as a volunteer driver for the Red Cross Motor Corps.

Mrs. Arons was vice president of the Cranston chapter of the American Medical Center and a member of the South Providence Hebrew Free Loan Association.

She leaves a daughter, Barbara Arons Lewis and her husband, Donald, of Boca Raton, several nieces and a nephew. She was also the mother of the late Edward Arons.

Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

Contributions may be made to Hospice by the Sea, 1531 W. Palmetto Park Rd., Boca Raton, FL 33486 or Hospice Care of RI.
ABRAHAM ARONSON

Funeral services for Abraham Aronson, a former resident of Providence, living in Cleveland, Ohio, who died Sunday after a short illness, were held Wednesday at the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Born in Europe, he was a resident of Providence for 15 years before moving to Cleveland 10 years ago. He was a shoe salesman until his retirement 10 years ago. He was the husband of the late Dorothy (Silverstein) Aronson.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Paul Mann of Cleveland Heights; a son, Theodore Aronson of Pawtucket and five grandchildren. He formerly lived at 176 Cypress Street.
PROVIDENCE

ARONSON, BERNARD

PAUL, 78, died peacefully on March 21, 2012 surrounded by his loving family. Born in Roxbury, MA, he was the devoted husband of Doris (Silverman) Aronson and the son of the late Jacob and Frances (Kolikoff) Aronson.

He is also survived by his 2 children; Howard Aronson of Amesbury, MA and Lisa (Aronson) Devlin and her husband Mark Devlin of Tyngsboro, MA, as well as his adoring grandchildren; Abbigail and Lauren Devlin and faithful grand dog Charlie.

Funeral services will be held Monday, March 26th at 1:00 PM in Sugarman-Sinai Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St., Providence with burial in Swan Point Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the MGH Development Office, Lymphoma Research Program 165 Cambridge Street, Suite 600, Boston, MA 02114. Shiva will be held at his late residence on Mon 7-9 and Tues 2-4 PM. For information and condolences, go to www.SugarmanSinai.com.
Obituaries

Dr. Betty Aronson; established state's first virus laboratory

REHOBOTH, Mass. — Dr. Betty Aronson, 82, of Elm Street, a physician, scientist, and writer, died May 17 at home.

She was the wife of Dr. Stanley M. Aronson, with whom she wrote a column on medical topics for the former Rhode Island Jewish Herald and the Jewish Voice & Herald. They had been married for 58 years.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., the daughter of the late Fred Ellis and Edna-Louise (Shurtleff) Ellis, she had been a resident of New York for many years before moving to Rehoboth in 1970.

Dr. Aronson received her undergraduate degrees from the City College of New York and New York University. She received her medical degree from New York University.

She was trained at the Sydenham, Bellevue and Mount Sinai Hospitals, all in Manhattan, and was a professor of research medicine at the State University of New York College of Medicine until 1970.

In that year she joined the medical faculty at Brown University as a professor of pediatrics and worked full time at Miriam Hospital. She was also on the staff of Rhode Island Hospital.

Dr. Aronson established the first virus-disease laboratory in Rhode Island 31 years ago. She was a member of Temple Beth-El and the Wednesday Club, and a volunteer for Hospice Care of Rhode Island and the Interfaith Healthcare Ministries.

Besides her husband, she leaves three daughters: Susan Symons, of Providence, Lisa Aronson, of Rehoboth, and Dr. Sarah Aronson, of Lake City, Pa.; and three grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Contributions may be made to Temple Beth-El, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence, 02906.
Edward Aronson

PROVIDENCE — Edward Aronson, 69, formerly of 225 New London Ave., Cranston, a retired painting contractor and former owner of Pawtuxet Yacht Sales, died Tuesday at Charlesgate Nursing Home.

He was born in New York City, a son of the late Samuel and May Aronson.

Mr. Aronson served in the armed forces during World War II. He had been a longtime member of the Harmony (R.I.) Masonic Lodge and the Shriners' Palestine Temple, Pawtuxet Village.

He leaves a son, Joel Aronson of Silver Spring, Md.; a daughter, Lois Kaplan of Cranston; a sister, Estelle Friedman of Jackson Heights, N.Y.; and two grandchildren.

The funeral service was to be held today at 11 a.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence.
ESTHER ARONSON

WARWICK — Esther Aronson, 74, of the Shalom Apartments, 1 Shalom Drive, died Sunday, June 9, 1991, at Miriam Hospital.

Born in Fall River, Mass., a daughter of the late Louis and Fanny (Wyman) Schwartz, she lived in Warwick for the past 10 years. She previously lived in Cranston and Providence.

She was a graduate of Katharine Gibbs School.

She leaves a daughter, Lois Kaplan of Cranston; a son, Joel Aronson of Silver Spring, Md., and three grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Monday, June 10, at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was private.
NEWPORT — Joseph I. Aronson, 82, of 5 Abom St., owner of Aronson's Jewelers, died yesterday at Newport Hospital. He was the husband of the late Edith N. (Aronson) Aronson.

Born in Newport, he was a son of the late Jacob and Mary (Weyler) Aronson.

Mr. Aronson had been in the jewelry business since 1940, in a family-owned business which started in 1897.

At one time Aronson's Jewelers was located at 189 Thames St. and after the 1954 hurricane moved to 164 Thames St. He was the oldest retail merchant still in business, and was one of the few merchants that established the Mary Street Parking Lot. He took the U.S. Navy to court to lock prices in the diamond industry and won.

He was one of the major stockholders of the Viking Hotel, Newport, when it first opened. He was a member of Touro Synagogue, and the St. Paul's Lodge of Mason.

He leaves two sisters, Evelyn A. Goodman of Middletown and Ethel Copeland of Atlanta, Ga.

A funeral service will be held tomorrow at 3 p.m. at the Hoffman Memorial Chapel, Fowler Avenue. Burial will be in Beth Olam Cemetery, Middletown.
PROVIDENCE

ARONSON, LISA J., of Rehoboth MA, beloved daughter of Stanley and the late Betty Aronson, dear friend and step-daughter of Gale Aronson of Providence RI, died suddenly at her home on July 31, 2009 at the age of 50.

In addition to her parents, she leaves her sisters, Susan Symons of Warwick, RI, and Sarah Aronson of Cleveland, OH. Also her niece, Laura Cohen, nephew John Symons, many great nieces and nephews and numberless friends. Lisa attended Wheeler School in Providence and held degrees in botany and soil biology from Smith College and URI. Lisa was an outstanding research scientist in agronomy, a former professor at the U. of CA, a teacher in Attleboro and cofounder of the Rehoboth Community Garden. Lisa's life enriched all those who knew and loved her.

The family will be at home in Providence, Friday, August 7 from 4-6 PM and Sunday, August 9, from 2 to 4 PM. Funeral and burial services will be private. Gifts in Lisa's memory can be made to Town of Rehoboth/Garden Fund, Rehoboth, MA 02769 or Home and Hospice of RI North Main St., Providence RI 02904 or the Nature Conservancy.
ARONSON, STANLEY
MAYNARD M.D.
92, died January 28, 2015, at Home & Hospice Care of Rhode Island, with his wife, Gale, at his side. Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., he was the son of the late Eliahu and Lena (Hasner) Aronson.
A graduate of the City College of New York, New York University Medical School, (M.D., Class of 1947), and the Harvard University School of Public Health (MPH, 1981) he was a distinguished scientist, educator, mentor, civic leader, author and artist (as a painter, woodworker, sculptor and stone mason) and beloved teacher and mentor to legions of Brown and SUNY medical students.
The author of more than 400 scientific papers and of textbooks and journalistic collections, Dr. Aronson's accomplishments include his investigative work (at Columbia University, 1951-55) identifying the pathways by which poliomyelitis and certain other viruses reach the brain, and writing the first published work on brown fat in the human body.
During his tenure at the State University of New York's Downstate Medical Center, (1953-1969), as a neuropathologist, professor and assistant dean, he developed the aldolase test – the established diagnostic procedure for the early diagnosis of Muscular Dystrophy – and conducted groundbreaking work in Tay Sachs disease, and related hereditary disorders, as well as in Lewy Body Dementia (1958).
In 1969, Dr. Aronson was named the founding dean of Brown University Medical School, which he led in 1970-81. There, he fostered the careers of many of this generation's most prominent physicians.
Among his many other accomplishments as dean, he established the Brown-Dartmouth medical-program partnership and the Toogaloo College-Brown University program aimed at identifying students who would become physicians.

Dr. Aronson served many international, national and local organizations, including the National Institutes of Health, The Miriam Hospital and Butler Hospital. He wrote for, and edited for, many professional journals. And for 23 years, he was a weekly columnist for The Providence Journal; many of his essays in that paper were reprinted in other newspapers around America and beyond.

Among his many honors was the renaming of the Stanley Aronson Chair for Neurodegenerative Diseases at Butler Hospital and the Stanley M. Aronson Fund for Research and Innovation at the Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University.

Dr. Aronson was a co-founder of Home & Hospice Care of Rhode Island, in 1974, and the Interfaith HealthCare Ministries. He served as president of the Jewish Home for the Aged and was active in many other Jewish organizations. In the 1980's and '90's, he was a consultant for the Rockefeller Foundation's international medical epidemiology programs and for the Liaison Committee of Medical Education, for which he inspected and evaluated medical schools around the world.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his daughters, Sarah C. Aronson, M.D., of Cleveland, and her spouse, Dr. Virginia Ayers; Susan Symons, of Dallas; grandchildren Laura Cohen and John Symons, M.D., and Sofia, Stanley Max and Sutton Ayers-Aronson, and six great-grandchildren. He was the father of the late Lisa Aronson and the husband of the late Betty Aronson.

A private funeral was held at Temple Beth El in Providence. A memorial service will be held at Brown University in the spring.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Home and Hospice of Rhode Island, the Stanley Aronson Chair for Neurodegenerative Diseases at Butler Hospital, or to the charity of your choice.
Dr. Stanley Aronson, founding dean of Brown medical school

By G. WAYNE MILLER
JOURNAL STAFF WRITER

PROVIDENCE — Dr. Stanley M. Aronson, founding dean of Brown University's medical school, prolific writer, artist and intellectual, and a leading figure in American medicine, died Wednesday at the Philip Hulitar Inpatient Center, part of Home and Hospice Care of Rhode Island. Aronson was a founder of the hospice organization and served on its board.

Aronson, a weekly columnist for The Providence Journal for many years, writing about a broad range of medical and scientific topics, always with precision and insight, was 92.

"Stan was a giant of medical education, at Brown University and elsewhere, a distinguished leader in global public health, especially in developing nations, and an elegant, learned and delightfully idiosyncratic writer," said Robert Whitcomb, writer, editor and blogger, and former Journal editorial pages editor.

Edward C. Achorn, The Journal's current editorial pages editor, said: "Each column was on a different topic. It required a lot of research. It wasn't just on the top of his head. He had this passion for knowledge that continued until the very end."

Achorn recalled visiting Aronson at his house just two weeks ago. "He was talking to me about how he would, instead of watching TV, go look at the Internet or the books on his shelves and think about what to write about," Achorn said. "He was fascinated by virtually everything."

"In conversations with Stan during the last several years, I came to understand how pleased he was with the growth and development of the medical school he did so much to create," Brown President Christina Paxson said in Brown's tribute to Aronson. "His natural humility prevented him from taking credit, but Brown's medical school and many of the statewide improvements in medical care delivery that grew along with it began with Stan's arrival in Providence."

"In the words of an anonymous scribe, 'We come hither; we know not why; and we then go hence, we know not when, to join the majority,'" said Dr. Joseph Friedman, professor of neurology and the Stanley Aronson Chair in Neurodegenerative Disorders at Butler Hospital in Providence: "I will always remember Stan as the embodiment of a polymath, a person who knows everything about everything, yet he was caring, humble and anxious to help others."

Aronson was the author of more than a dozen books and some 400 articles for medical journals.

Aronson's last Journal column, "Where are aromas from yesteryear?," was published Monday. The week before, the paper published "A move to document the causes of death," an elegant essay on the history of mankind's chronicling of death. It ended:

"In the words of an anonymous scribe, 'We come hither; we know not why; and we then go hence, we know not when, to join the majority.'"

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., the son of Elihu and Lena Aronson, Aronson graduated from City College of New York and New York University's medical school. At the age of 60, when he retired as dean of what is now called Alpert Medical School of Brown University, Aronson enrolled at Harvard University's School of Public Health and earned a master's degree.

He leaves his wife, Gale Aronson; two daughters, Dr. Sarah Aronson and Susan Symons; five grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren. He was the father of the late Lisa Aronson.

A memorial service will be held on a date, as yet unspecified, in the near future.

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Libby Arron

ARRON, LIBBY

Libby Arron, 90, died on December 6, 2017 in Providence, R.I. with family at her bedside. She was born in Middletown, Connecticut to Samuel and Minnie Roseman. Libby was a longtime resident of Cranston, Rhode Island. She loved her family, pups and RI! She was Chief of Protocol for Governor Sundlun, a leader in the R.I. Silver Haired Legislature and a member of the Governor’s Advisory Commission on Aging, a producer of the award-winning cable TV program, Senior Journal, and a passionate advocate for children and seniors. She received the State of Rhode Island’s 2008 Patriot Award for her contributions to the WWII Memorial Commission. Libby is survived by her children, Brett (fiancé Julia Janowicz) Arron, MD of Wakefield, Ri, Byrna (David) Bornstein of Westwood, MA, Martin (Lori) Arron, MD of NY, NY, her grandchildren Sheera, Elana, Jaclyn, Louis, and Gabrielle. She was pre-deceased by her brothers Sidney and Bernard Roseman. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM, TODAY, December 8, 2017, at the Shalom Memorial Chapel, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston, Rhode Island. The family will be receiving friends at the home of Byrna and David Bornstein, 30 Whitney Ave, Westwood, MA on December 9 and 10, at 7:00 pm. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to either: The Phyllis Siperstein Tamarisk Assisted Living Residence (Attention: Support Corporation), The Alzheimer’s Fund at The Miriam Hospital Foundation, PO Box H, Providence, RI 02901, RI or Westwood Community Chest, Box 250, Westwood, MA 02090. For online condolences, please visit ShalomMemorialChapel.com.
Marion Ascher

PROVIDENCE — Marion Ascher, 88, of the Jewish Home for the Aged, 99 Hillside Ave., an employee of the Internal Revenue Service, Hartford, for five years before retiring in 1965, died yesterday at the home. She was the widow of Moses D. Ascher.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Aaron and Bertha Reffkin, she lived in Hartford and West Hartford for 55 years before returning to Providence in 1984.

Mrs. Ascher attended the former Bryant and Stratton Business College, now Bryant College. She was a past president of the Women’s Auxiliary of B’nai B’rith, Hartford, and a past president of the Women’s Auxiliary of the International Order of B’nai B’rith Abraham, Hartford. She taught contract bridge in the Hartford area for many years.

She leaves a daughter, Rosalyn Stambovsky of Springfield, Mass.; seven grandchildren and a great-grandson.

A funeral service will be held today at 11 a.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be in the I.O.B.A. Cemetery, Hartford.
IVAN ASHER, 89, of Littlerest Road, Kingston, an electrician with Long Island Lighting Co. until his retirement, died Tuesday at home. He was the husband of the late Gertrude (Rodstein) Asher.

Born in New York City, a son of the late Abraham and Henrietta (Strauss) Asher, he lived in Baldwin, N.Y., until moving to Kingston in 1979.

He leaves a son, Dr. Ira Asher of South Kingstown, and two granddaughters. He was a brother of the late Raymond Asher and Gladys Martin.

Graveside services will be held today at 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Gertrude Asher, 83, of 187 Little Rest Rd., Kingston, died Saturday, July 4, 1992, at South County Hospital. She was the wife of Ivan Asher.

Born in New York, a daughter of the late Isaac and Selda (Bonime) Rodstein, she lived in Kingston for 15 years. She previously lived in Baldwin, Long Island, N.Y.

Mrs. Asher was a member of Hadassah, and the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island.

Besides her husband she leaves a son, Dr. Ira Asher of Kingston; a brother, Dr. Manuel Rodstein of Westchester, N.Y., and two grandchildren.

A graveside service was held Monday, July 6, at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

ASHER, Gertrude (Rodstein)
July 4, 1992. Residence 187 Little Rest Rd., Kingston. Beloved wife of Ivan Asher. Devoted mother of Dr. Ira Asher of Kingston. Dear sister of Dr. Manuel Rodstein of Westchester, N.Y. Loving grandmother of 2 grandchildren. Graveside Funeral Service Monday 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers contributions in her memory may be made to Hadassah. Shiva will be private. Arrangements by the MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St., (Corner of Doyle Ave.)
Michael D. Smith, Associate.
HARRY ASHMAN, 91, of 355 Blackstone Blvd., a retired Baltimore, Md., attorney, died Wednesday at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of the late Adele (Salzman) Ashman.

Born in Baltimore, a son of the late Henry and Ida (Myers) Ashman, he had lived in Baltimore before moving to Providence last year.

He was a 1930 graduate of the University of Maryland.

He was a member of the Howard County and Maryland Bar Associations.

Mr. Ashman was a past officer and member of the board of Temple Oheb Shalom in Baltimore and a member of Temple Beth-El in Providence. He was a member of the Laurelmead Resident's Association.

He leaves a son, P. Miller Ashman of Pittsford, N.Y.; a daughter, Ellen A. Golubenberg of East Greenwich; a brother, William Ashman in Virginia; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Samuel, Ely and Jerome Ashman.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 11 a.m. in the Sol Levinson and Brothers Funeral Home, Baltimore. Burial will be in Oheb Shalom Memorial Park, Reisterstown, Md.
Isador Askins

ESTHER T. ASTRACHAN, 88, of St. Elizabeth Home, Melrose Street, a retired clothing buyer, died yesterday at the home.

She was the wife of the late Louis Astrachan. Born in Rochester, N.Y., a daughter of the late Jacob and Belle (Silver) Beckler, she had lived in Rochester most of her life before moving to Rhode Island 19 years ago.

She was a buyer for McFarlin's Men's Store in Rochester for 20 years until her retirement 28 years ago. She was a member of Temple Sinai and its Sisterhood and the former Majestic Senior Guild.

She leaves a son, Rabbi George Astrachan of Warwick; a daughter, Cheryl Feinstein of Coral Springs, Fla.; a brother, Charles Beckler of Phoenix, Ariz.; and four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Harry, William and Simon Beckler.

A funeral service will be held today at noon in Temple Sinai, 30 Hagan Ave., Cranston. Burial will be in Sinai Memorial Park, Warwick.
ASTRACHAN, Louis
April 13, 1993. Residence: Cherry Hill Manor, Johnston. Beloved husband of Esther (Beckler) Astrachan of Pocasset Lodge, Johnston. Devoted father of Rabbi George Astrachan of Warwick; and Cheryl Feinstein of Coral Springs, Fla. Dear brother of Max Astrachan of Los Angeles, Calif., and the late Carl Astrachan. Loving grandfather of Bruce, Jeffrey, Sara and Marc. Shiva will be observed at the home of Rabbi and Mrs. George Astrachan, 100 Sturbridge Dr., Warwick, Thursday 7-9, Friday 2-4, Saturday 7:30-9, and Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Arrangements by the MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St. (corner of Doyle Ave.).

JOHNSTON — Louis Astrachan, 81, of Cherry Hill Manor, a film projectionist for General Cinema and other theaters in Rochester, N.Y., for 50 years before retiring 12 years ago, died yesterday at St. Joseph Hospital, North Providence. He was the husband of Esther (Beckler) Astrachan.

Born in Rochester, a son of the late Israel and Lottie (Goldman) Astrachan, he lived in Cranston for 10 years, before moving to Johnston two years ago.

Mr. Astrachan was a member of Temple Sinai, Cranston, and elected secretary of its Brotherhood. He was a member of the ritual committee of the temple, and led the daily Minyan services. He was a member of the temple bowling league, and served on the bingo committee. He was a member of the Majestic Senior Guild.

In Rochester, he was a member of the Elks and secretary of Local 253, I.A.T.S.E., where he was a 50-year member. He was a former member of Temple B'rith Kodesh of Rochester.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Rabbi George Astrachan of Warwick, rabbi of Temple Sinai, Cranston; a daughter, Cheryl Feinstein of Coral Springs, Fla.; a brother, Max Astrachan of Los Angeles, Calif., and four grandchildren.
AUERBACH, JEROME M.,
62, of Livermore, CA, a laser physicist, died Monday in Worcester.
Born in Providence, he was the son of the late Isidor and Ruth (Blank) Auerbach. Mr. Auerbach
was a retired Captain in the U.S. Naval Reserve.
He leaves twin sons, Scott and Thomas at home and a sister Paula
Auerbach of Shrewsbury, MA.
A graveside funeral service will
be held on Thursday at 1:00 P.M. at
Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
In lieu of flowers, contributions
may be made to your favorite char-
ity. Arrangements by Sugarman-
Sinai Memorial Chapel.
RAY AUERBACH, 95, of Miami, Fla., formerly of Providence, a jewelry designer for various Providence companies, died Sunday in Miami Jewish Home, Miami. She was the wife of the late Harry R. Auerbach.

Born in Austria, a daughter of the late Simon and Sarah (Yaner) Brandwein, she had lived in Providence for many years before moving to Florida.

She was a life member of Hadassah and a member of B'nai Brith and the Order of the Eastern Star. She and her husband made many charitable contributions to Israeli causes.

She leaves a niece, Rita Eisman of Warwick.

Graveside services were held in Miami.
AUERBACH, Ruth
(Blank)

July 1, 1998. Beloved wife of the late Isidore Auerbach. Resident of Highland Court, Providence. Dear mother of Paula Auerbach, Shrewsbury, MA; and Jerome Auerbach, Livermore, CA. Deceased sister of Albert Blank, Sarasota, FL; and the late Thelma Cronin. Devoted grandmother of Scott and Thomas. Funeral Service 10AM Monday at MOUNT SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 825 Hope St. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to RI Chapter of Hadassah, 1150 New London Ave., Cranston 02920 or your favorite charity. Memorial Observance to be Private.

RUTH AUERBACH of Highland Court, proprietor of the former Auerbach's Delicatessen on Hope Street for many years, died Wednesday at St. Vincent Hospital, Worcester, Mass. She was the wife of the late Isidore Auerbach.

Born in Canada, a daughter of the late Joseph and Eva (Fishstrom) Blank, she had lived in Attleboro for more than 20 years before moving to Providence more than 50 years ago.

For several years, she was the sole proprietor of the delicatessen after her husband's death. She had also been a bookkeeper, retiring in 1984.

Mrs. Auerbach was a member of Temple Emanu-El and had been treasurer of the Providence chapter of Hadassah. She was a member of the Women's Association of the Jewish Home for Aged.

She leaves a daughter, Paula Auerbach of Shrewsbury, Mass.; a son, Jerome Auerbach of Livermore, Calif.; a brother, Albert Blank of Sarasota, Fla.; and two grandsons. She was a sister of the late Thelma Cronin.

The funeral will be held Monday at 10 a.m. in Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
Donald Avrut (1937 - 2018)

Avrut, Donald
81 Passed away April 22nd in San Marcos TX. He was the son of the late Sadye and Irving Avrutsky of Providence. He is survived by his wife Sallye Long. From his marriage to the late Linda Avrut, he is survived by his sons, Richard and his wife Annemarie Slobig of Oak Park and Michael and his partner John Leyden of Brooklyn. He will be remembered by his children, his beloved grandchildren Isaac and Lucy, and his sister Marilyn Moskol of Saunderstown and her family.
Funeral is private. Shiva will be held Friday, April 27th from 1-4 at the Moskol's
AVRUTSKY, Sadye (Chorney)
July 24, 2002. Residence: 225 New London Ave., Cranston. Beloved wife of the late Irving (Izzy) Avrutsky. Devoted mother of Donald Avrutsky of Newbern, North Carolina and Marilyn Moskol of Saunderstown. Dear Sister of Sanford Chorney of Boynton Beach, Fl., and the late Diane Raiff and Pauline Poulten. Loving grandmother of Scott, Jennifer, Richard and Michael. Funeral Services Friday 2 p.m. in SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston. In lieu of flowers contributions in her memory may be made to your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at the home of Mr and Mrs. Robert Moskol, 1285 Gilbert Stuart Rd., Saunderstown, Sat 8-10 and Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Mailing address: P.O. Box 91 Saunderstown, RI 02874.

SADYE AVRUTSKY, 92, of 225 New London Ave., a retired salesperson, died yesterday, on her birthday, at South County Nursing and Subacute Center, North Kingstown.

She was the wife of the late Irving Avrutsky. Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Harry and Nettie (Fleishman) Chorney, she had lived in Cranston for more than 20 years.

Mrs. Avrutsky was a saleslady at the former Morse Shoe Store in Providence for 40 years before retiring.

She was a former member of Temple Sinai, Congregation Beth David, and the former Temple Beth Israel. She was a member of the former JCRS, the Women's Association of the Jewish Home for the Aged, and Pioneer Women.

She leaves a son, Donald Avrutsky of Newbern, N.C.; a daughter, Marilyn Moskol of North Kingstown; a brother, Sanford Chorney of Boynton Beach, Fla.; and four grandchildren. She was the sister of the late Diane Raiff and Pauline Poulten.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. in Shalom Memorial Chapel, 1100 New London Ave. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
AWERMAN, Gustav M.
March 20, 1996 in Phoenix, AZ. Beloved son of A. Irving Awerman of Lake Mary, FL and Jackie (Siegel) Awerman of Phoenix, AZ. Loving brother of Rachel Beth Awerman of Phoenix, AZ. Graveside Services Sunday at 12:00 at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Rd., Warwick. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to your favorite charity. Shiva will be Private. Arrangements by: MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St. (Corner of Doyle Ave.), Prov.
PROVIDENCE — Rose Awerman, 99, of the Jewish Home for the Aged, Hillside Avenue, died yesterday at Miriam Hospital. She was the wife of the late Elias N. Awerman.

Born in Providence, she was a daughter of the late William and Clara (Cohen) Silverman.

Mrs. Awerman was co-owner with her husband of the former Awerman's Delicatessen for 50 years before retiring 30 years ago. She was awarded a bronze plaque from Brown University two years ago for Cognitive Resources. She was a former member of Temple Sinai.

She leaves a daughter, Marilyn Grossman of North Kingstown; six grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, and 10 great-great-grandchildren. She was mother of the late Sylvia Awerman, Lillian Weinstein, and grandmother of the late Neil Weinstein.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Abraham Axelrod dies at 88; music store owner, botanist

PROVIDENCE — Abraham Axelrod, 88, a musician, music store owner and botanist, died yesterday at the Oak Hill Nursing Home, Pawtucket. A former resident of Medway Street, he was the husband of the late Rose (Bernstein) Axelrod.

Born April 30, 1887, in Philadelphia, son of the late Joseph and Sophie Axelrod, he was a Providence resident for more than 65 years and the founder and former president of Axelrod Music Inc., which is still located in the downtown section.

"Most men throw away the best part of life, the last part," Axelrod said in an interview many years ago. He didn't fall into that trap.

A graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music, he played the violin and piano and was one of the first orchestra leaders to play in the old Narragansett Hotel.

When he decided he "wasn't fitted to be a successful musician," he opened his music store at 120 North Main St., the day he was married.

Within 15 years the store had moved to 45 Snow St. where it remained until the early 1950s when it relocated at 251 Weybosset St., its current location.

In 1939, when he was 52, Axelrod returned to his interest in nature, enrolling in a Brown University extension course in gardening. He subsequently received permission from the dean of the school to become a special student in botany, and he graduated in 1943.

Also a boatsman, he was a former member of the Edgewood Yacht Club. He was also a member of Temple Beth-El.

He is survived by two sons, Paul and Walter Axelrod, both of Providence; two daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Mines of Providence, and Mrs. Belle Stern of Cranston; and by eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held tomorrow with a noon service at Sugerman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
Bernice Axelrod

PROVIDENCE — Bernice “Bea” Axelrod, 63, of 9 Turney Gardens, and 5 Caswell St., Narragansett, died today at her home in Providence. She was the wife of Walter Axelrod.

A lifelong resident of Providence, she was a daughter of the late Samuel and Jennie (Goldberg) Ganzer. She also had a home in Narragansett for 15 years.

Mrs. Axelrod was a member of Temple Emanu-El, its Sisterhood and its Garden Club. She was a life member of the Jewish Home For the Aged, the Brandeis Women’s Association and the Miriam Hospital Women’s Association. She also belonged to the Meeting Street School and the R.I. Philharmonic Friends Society.

Besides her husband, she leaves a son, Alan Axelrod of Providence; a daughter, Sandra Cabral of Cranston; and two sisters, Shirley Palestine of New Bedford, Mass., and Sybil Yaffe of Providence.

The funeral service will be tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Temple Emanu-El. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

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AXELROD, ALAN JOHN. 52, of 23 Lawn Avenue, died Thursday at the Miriam Hospital. He was the beloved husband of Adelina (Azevedo) Axelrod. They were married for 16 years.

Born in Providence, a devoted son of the late Walter and Bernice (Ganzer) Axelrod, he had lived in Providence for most of his life before moving to Warwick 5 years ago. He was the Assistant Director of Planned Giving at the University of Rhode Island since 1999. He was previously the Vice President of Gift Planning for the United Way of Southeastern New England and was the former CEO of Axelrod Music, Inc. in Providence. Alan was a graduate of Moses Brown School, received his BA from Brown University, Class of 1976 and his Masters Degree in English from Rhode Island College, Class of 1997. He was also a graduate of Leadership RI, Class of 1986. While at Brown, he was a member of the crew team. He was a member of Temple Beth-El, its Executive Board, the School Board and its Brotherhood. He was also the Temple's Social Actions Committee Chairman. Alan was on the editorial board of the RI Jewish Federation's newspaper, the Voice & Herald. He was chairman of their Community Relations Council and received the Norman D. and Flo Tiles Community Relations Council Award in 1999. He was a member of Touro Fraternal Association, the Narragansett Boat Club and was a volunteer for Habitat for Humanity and the RI Coalition of Library Advocates where he was a past president. Alan was an avid writer, sailor and hiker.

Devoted father of Caroline, at home. Dear brother of Sandy Cabral and her husband Michael of Cranston. Loving nephew of Shirley and Dick Palestine.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:00 p.m. in TEMPLE BETH-EL, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to the Walter and Bernice Axelrod Fund, c/o Temple Beth-El, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence, RI 02906 or Habitat for Humanity, 807 Broad Street, Box 37, Providence, RI 02907. Shiva will be observed at his late residence Sunday 7-9, Monday 2-4 & 7-9. Tuesday 2-4 p.m. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.
WARWICK — The quiet benevolence of Alan Axelrod was remembered across Rhode Island this week. Many organizations large and small remembered his passionate dedication with fondness, and friends and colleagues recalled him as being equal parts “gentleman” and “scholar.” He died Nov. 2 after a battle with cancer.

At Temple Beth-El, Rabbi Leslie Gutterman eulogized Axelrod as a man of “faith, family and friends,” who “wore the crown of a good name.”

Friends praised him for his boundless energy and dedication, even during his final days. He moved through countless non-profit and fundraising circles, both as a professional and a volunteer, trying to secure the funds, the labor and the “buy-in” to advance a plethora of social and humanitarian causes.

“There was something about his character and basic goodness that people recognized and respected,” said Paul Witham, associate vice president for development at the University of Rhode Island, where Axelrod had worked for seven years.

Colleagues at the United Way, where he once worked, were in tears when the news hit.

“He really believed that people are here to help other people,” said Mary Jane Silva, vice president of resource development.

Axelrod loved the idea of community service, of making groups of people safer, more connected and more enfranchised. He worked in the interfaith community, trying to find common ground on social issues, and with the Latino-Jewish Alliance to create new partnerships.

He took pleasure in working on both the “big picture” and the “hands on” levels. For example, he helped generate support from the Jewish community for a Habitat for Humanity homebuilding project in Olneyville. He’d also champion the affordable housing initiative through his work at the Community Relations Council (CRC) at the Jewish Federation, and then he’d work to feed the homeless through the Social Action Committee at Beth-El.

A skilled writer with great stores of knowledge, he wrote many erudite pieces to the Providence Journal and the Jewish Voice & Herald in support of Israel. As a member of the Voice’s editorial board, in his final weeks he penned a book review and asked for more work. “It’s the only way I now have to connect to the Jewish community,” he said to the editor.

He was very serious-minded, but his compassion and graciousness always put people at ease. He had a dry sense of humor, and his smile and kind features could inject levity into a tense meeting.

“He liked everybody no matter who you were and where you came from,” a friend said.

He enjoyed nature and loved to sail and garden.

Peri Ann Aptaker worked with Axelrod on the Planned Giving Council of Rhode Island, where he served as president last year. She said he was positive and an unpretentious sort of man, very down to earth.

“Alan was an all-around nice guy — there aren’t a lot of them around,” she said.

“By doing all that good work, he was leaving his own legacy.”

AXELROD, Jeffrey A.

April 8, 2003. Husband of Laurie J. Rocchio. Brother of Mildy G. Christianson, Uncle of Karen L. Christianson and Suzie M. Allen. Residence: Ledge Rd., East Greenwich. Funeral Service Friday at Noon in the Hill Funeral Home, 822 Main St., East Greenwich. Calling hours are respectfully omitted. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to USA Rhode Island Tennis, Rhode Island Tennis, 638 Centerville Rd., Warwick, RI 02886 for the Jeff Axelrod Memorial Fund.

JEFFREY A. AXELROD, 55, of Ledge Road, died Tuesday at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence.

He was the husband of Laurie J. Rocchio. Born in Providence, a son of the late Paul and Shirley (Kenner) Axelrod, he had lived in Warwick before moving to East Greenwich 12 years ago.

A graduate of the University of Rhode Island, Mr. Axelrod had been a self-employed real-estate appraiser for 10 years.

He was a Marine Corps veteran. He was a member of the Warwick Heights Tennis Club, and also enjoyed sailing.

Besides his wife, he leaves a sister, Mildy G. Christianson, and two nieces, Karen L. Christianson and Suzie M. Allen, all of Seattle.

A funeral service will be held tomorrow at noon in Hill Funeral Home, 822 Main St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
NORMAN I. AXELROD, 61, of 40 Winfield Rd., the merchandising vice president for Apex for 10 years, died yesterday at the Dana Farber Cancer Institute in Boston. He was the husband of Ethel (Noveck) Axelrod.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., a son of the late Abraham and Nina (Blinn) Axelrod, he lived in Providence since 1964. He previously lived in Seaford, N.Y.

Mr. Axelrod was a member of Temple Beth-El, and its Men's Club. He was a graduate of Brooklyn College.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Eric Axelrod of Medford, Mass.; a daughter, Nina Axelrod of Cranston, and a brother, Jacob Axelrod of Brooklyn.

The funeral will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Temple Beth-El, Orchard Avenue. Burial will be in Sons of Israel and David Cemetery.

AXELROD, Norman I.
March 13, 1995. Beloved husband of Ethel (Noveck) Axelrod. Devoted father of Eric Axelrod of Medford, Mass.; and Nina Axelrod of Cranston. Funeral service Wednesday 1 p.m. at TEMPLE BETH-EL, 70 Orchard Ave., Providence. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Division of Research. Shiva will be observed at his late residence Wednesday 7-9, Thursday 2-4 and 7-9, Friday 2-4, Saturday, 7-9, Sunday and Monday 2-4 and 7-9. Arrangements by the MAX SUGARMAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 458 Hope St. (corner of Doyle Ave.)
Bristol

PAUL S. AXELROD, 78, a summer resident of Bristol, past president of Axelrod Music Co., Providence, for many years, retiring 19 years ago, died yesterday at Rhode Island Hospital. He was the husband of Phyllis (Mittelman) Axelrod.

Born in Providence, a son of the late Abraham and Rose (Bernstein) Axelrod, he had lived in Florida the last 19 years, maintaining a summer home in Bristol. He lived in North Palm Beach, Fla., at the time of his death.

Mr. Axelrod was a World War II Army veteran. He was a past member of Temple Beth-El, Providence, and the Rhode Island Masonic Lodge. He was a volunteer at the Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach, Fla., and had been a member of the Power Squadron of North Palm Beach.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Jeffrey Axelrod of Warwick; a daughter, Milvy Christianson of Asotin, Wash.; two sisters, Belle Stern of Del Ray Beach, Fla., and Evelyn Axelrod Mines of Miami Beach, Fla.; and two grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Walter Axelrod and Alice Galkin. A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
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Providence

PHYLLIS AXELROD, 70, of 28 Yacht Club Drive, North Palm Beach, Fla., died Monday in Kent County Hospital, Warwick. She was the widow of Paul Axelrod.

Born in Fall River, Mass., a daughter of the late Israel and Rose (Goldstein) Mittelman, she was a summer resident of Bristol. She had lived in North Palm Beach, Fla., for the last 25 years, previously residing in Providence for 10 years and before that in Fall River.

She was a member of the Brandeis University Women’s Association.

She leaves a sister, Sheela Percelay of Pawtucket; a stepdaughter, Mildred Christiansen of Seattle, Wash., a stepson, Jeffrey Axelrod of East Greenwich, and two granddaughters.

A graveside funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Lincoln Park Cemetery, Post Road, Warwick.
Walter Axelrod, 68; Weybosset St. store mecca for musicians

PROVIDENCE — Walter Axelrod, 68, of 9 Ternay Garden, Yorktown Village, for many years a co-owner with his brother of Axelrod-Music, Inc. on Weybosset Street, died today at home. He was the husband of the late Bernice (Ganser) Axelrod.

Axelrod-Music Inc., which has been in the family for about 75 years, has for decades been one of the few full-line music stores in New England, catering to music students as well as professional musicians. Mr. Axelrod also owned Providence Music Press, which published the works of local composers.

A lifelong Providence resident, Mr. Axelrod was the son of the late Abraham and Rose (Bernstein) Axelrod.

He was a 1940 graduate of Brown University. Mr. Axelrod was an Army veteran of World War II.

He was an honorary director of the board of the Rhode Island Philharmonic Orchestra, a member of the board of the Boy Scouts of America, and a member of the Turks Head and the Exchange Clubs.

He is survived by a son, Alan Axelrod of Providence; a daughter, Sandra Cabral of Cranston; a brother, Paul Axelrod, and two sisters, Belle Stern and Evelyn Axelrod, all of Florida.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.
SAMUEL AZROFF

Funeral services for Samuel Azroff, 73, of 163 Calla Street, who died July 5 after an illness of one week, were held Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Husband of Nellie (Moore) Azroff, he was born in Russia, a son of the late Abraham and Freda Azroff, and had lived in Providence for more than 50 years.

He was a member of Congregation Sons of Jacob, Anshe Kovno Synagogue, and was a life member of the South Providence Hebrew Free Loan Association. Mr. Azroff was founder and owner of the Superior Cotton Company, retiring several years ago.

Survivors, besides his wife, include a son, Arthur Azroff of Cranston; two daughters, Miss Irving Garrick of Cranston and Mrs. Nathan Chaiken of Providence, and six grandchildren.