

OBITUARY

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Solomon L. Frumson

Psychiatrist, 72, dies in fall from roof at Wayland Manor, where he lived

PROVIDENCE — Dr. Solomon L. Frumson, 72, died early yesterday morning in a fall from the eighth-floor roof onto the rear parking lot of the Wayland Manor, 500 Angell St., where he lived in apartment 317.

The desk clerk heard the roof alarm of the building about 5:45 a.m. and went up to the roof, but did not go out onto it, police said. He returned to the roof at 6:15 with Dr. Frumson's wife, and they discovered the body in the parking lot about 7:10.

Born in Pamegala, Lithuania, March 3, 1907, Dr. Frumson was a son of the late Eli and Ida (Eisen) Frumson. He was the husband of Eva (Israel) Frumson.

He came to this country in 1912 and settled in Boston.

Dr. Frumson was graduated from Tufts Medical School in 1932. He had a general practice until 1937 in Rangeley Lakes, Maine. He then had a general practice in Uxbridge, Mass., and Woonsocket. He served on the staffs of hospitals in Milford and Woonsocket.

Dr. Frumson was the first doctor to volunteer for World War II from Woonsocket. He was in the Army Medical Corps from 1942 to 1946 and was a captain with the 45th Div. of the 180th Infantry. He was awarded three bronze battle stars.

In 1949 and 1950 he went to the University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Medicine, and then served at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Providence from 1951 to 1954 as a psychiatrist.

From 1954 to 1974, he was chief of the psychiatric department at the Veterans Hospital in Buffalo, N.Y.

He was a member of the American Medical Association and the American Psychiatric Association. He was a member of the B'Nai Israel Synagogue, Woonsocket, and the Congregation Mishkon Tfiloh.

Services will be held today at 1 p.m. in Congregation B'Nai Israel Synagogue, 224 Prospect St., Woonsocket. Burial will be in B'Nai Israel Cemetery, Woonsocket.

FRUMSON, Solomon L.