

GREENBERG,
Albert

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ALBERT L. GREENBERG, 97, of Gibbs Avenue, a lawyer in Newport for 70 years, died yesterday at Newport Hospital after a short illness. He was the husband of Betty R. Lovison Greenberg. They had been married 49 years.

Born in Jassy, Romania, he was the son of the late David and Rose (Wagner) Greenberg. Mr. Greenberg came to the United States in 1901 and was orphaned at an early age.

He attended Newport public schools and graduated from Boston University Law School in 1925. He studied law in the office of the late Frank Nolan and was admitted to the Rhode Island Bar in 1926. Shortly thereafter, he founded the offices of A. L. Greenberg Ltd., where he was in practice with his wife, Betty R. Greenberg, at the time of his death.

He was also appointed a master in chancery. He served in the judge advocate general's office during World War II. He was the past president of the Newport County Bar Association and of Touro Synagogue, where he served on numerous committees. He was also a member of B'nai B'rith.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Lenore R. Gelfman of Columbia, Md., a judge in Howard County, Md.; a son, David H. Greenberg of Columbia, Md., a practicing lawyer in Howard County, Md., and three granddaughters.

His funeral will be held tomorrow at noon in the Hoffman Jewish Memorial Chapel, Fowler Avenue. Burial will be in Beth Olman Cemetery, Wyatt Road.