Norman M. Kahn, 65; retired optometrist

PROVIDENCE — Norman M. Kahn, O.D., 65, of 18 Whiting St., a Pawtucket optometrist for many years before retiring three years ago due to poor health, died yesterday at home. He was the husband of Leona (Zawatsky) Kahn.

Born in Providence, he was a son of the late David and Rose Kahnovsky.

Mr. Kahn was a graduate of the Massachusetts School of Optometry. He was a member of the Rhode Island Optometric Association.

He had been scoutmaster of Troop No. 20 at Temple Emanu-El for more than 15 years. In 1985, he received the Shofar Award at Temple Torat Yisroale. He was a member of Temple Emanu-El and its Men's Club, Overseas Lodge F&AM, and for the last two years was a volunteer in the host program at the Nathan Bishop Junior High School.

Mr. Kahn was an Army veteran of World War II and served in the European Theater.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Deborah F. Roberts of Warwick, and two grandchildren.

The funeral service was to be held today at 10 a.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was to be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

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