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SARAH KESSLER

SMITHFIELD — Sarah Kessler, 81, a resident of Heritage Hills Nursing Center, co-owner with her late husband of Kessler Bakery and Delicatessen in Providence and North Providence, for 40 years retiring in 1973, died April 13, 1989, at the center. She was the widow of Jacob Kessler.

Born in Providence, a daughter of the late Charles and Becky (Acroman) Feldman, she lived in Lincoln for 25 years before moving to Smithfield eight years ago. She previously lived in Providence and Newport for many years.

During World War II she and her late husband supplied pastry and cookies gratuitously to the troop trains that stopped in Providence.

She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star, the former Ansho Kovno Synagogue on Orms Street. She was a contributing member of the Women's Association of the Jewish Home for Aged, Hadassah and Providence Hebrew Sheltering.

She leaves a daughter, Rosalie Buckler of Lincoln; a son, Morton Kessler of Providence; two brothers, Leo Feldman of Orlando, Fla., and Hyman Feldman of Van Nuys, Calif.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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

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