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Louis B. Lewis

Founder of two companies, retired in '86 after 52 years

PROVIDENCE — Louis B. Lewis, 78, of 9 Alumni Ave. died yesterday at Miriam Hospital. He was the husband of Rose M. (Jaffe) Lewis.

Born in Central Falls, a son of the late Joseph and Rose (Erenkrantz) Lewis, he lived in Providence for more than 50 years.

In 1934, he was founder of the Lewis Syrup Co. which he merged in 1962 with a company he founded named the L.B. Lewis Co., wholesale manufacturing representatives, before retiring five years ago.

He was a member of Temple Emanu-El, the Redwood Lodge F & AM, the Scottish Rite, the Palestine Shrine, the Touro Faternal Association and the United Commercial Travelers.

Besides his wife he leaves a son, Joseph Lewis of Providence; a brother, Benjamin Lewis of Warwick, and a sister, Sophie Lewis of Coventry.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St. Burial will be in Sharon Memorial Park, Sharon, Mass.

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January 19, 1991. Beloved husband of Rose M. (Jaffe) Lewis. Residence, 9 Alumni Ave., Apt. 8. Dear father of Joseph Lewis, Providence. Dear brother of Benjamin Lewis, Warwick and Sophie Lewis, Coventry. Funeral Services 1 p.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 The Jewish Home for Aged. Memorial observance at his late residence, Monday 7-9 p.m.; Tuesday thru Thursday 2-4, 7-9 p.m.; Saturday 7-9 p.m.

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