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February 13, 1973. Beloved husband of Clara B. (Rubin) Oelbaum. Funeral services to which relatives and friends are invited will be held Wednesday at 12 noon at The Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to The Providence Hebrew Day School or your favorite charity. Shiva will be observed at his late residence, 72 President Ave., Providence.

Henry Oelbaum

Vice President of Hasbro Helped Found Hebrew Day

Henry Oelbaum, 72, of 72 President Ave., died yesterday at The Miriam Hospital after an 18-month illness. He was the husband of Clara B. (Rubin) Oelbaum. He was the vice president and purchasing agent of Hasbro, Inc., of Pawtucket, for 42 years until retiring two years ago.

Mr. Oelbaum was a founder of the Providence Hebrew Day School, and a member of Congregation Share-Zedek, Sons of Abraham; Temple Emanu-El and the temple men's club; the Providence Hebrew Free Loan Association; the South Providence Hebrew Free Loan Association; the Jewish Historical Association of Rhode Island; B'nai B'rith, and many other philanthropic organizations.

He was born in Poland, a son of the late Israel and Gertrude (Weinreb) Oelbaum, and was a Providence resident for 15 years. Prior to that, he had lived in Cranston for more than 25 years.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Sruel Oelbaum of Providence; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy R. Klein of Warwick; four brothers, Herman Oelbaum of Frankfurt, Germany, Hugo Oelbaum of Manchester, England, Jacob Oelbaum of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Maurice Oelbaum of Providence.

He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Helen Fessel of Providence; Mrs. Fannie Tanzman of Israel, and Mrs. Edith Freudenberger of Providence, and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today at noon at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel, 458 Hope St. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

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