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OBITUARIES

Harry Ostrach

PROVIDENCE — Harry Ostrach, 76, formerly of Cold Spring Street, died yesterday at the Jane Brown unit of Rhode Island Hospital. He was the husband of Rose M. (Gilfenbain) Ostrach.

Born in the Ukraine, he was a son of the late Samuel and Bella (Seidman) Ostrach. He lived in Providence since age 10, moving to Delray Beach, Fla., last month.

Mr. Ostrach was an internationally known tobacconist and founded the Red Carpet Smoke Shop on Waterman Street, which he operated for 20 years.

He had attended the University of Rhode Island and the College of William and Mary. Mr. Ostrach was a past master of Roosevelt Lodge No. 42, F&AM, and was a member of the Palestine Shrine. He was a member of Temple Beth-El and its Brotherhood.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Dr. Elaine Chaika of Scituate; a son, Herbert Ostrach of Oviedo, Fla.; two sisters, Esther Feder of West Warwick and Sarah Portnoy of Woodmere, Long Island, N.Y.; a brother, Dr. Simon Ostrach of Cleveland, Ohio; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral service will be tomorrow at noon at Temple Beth-El, Orchard Avenue. Burial will be in Sharon Memorial Park, Sharon, Mass.

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