Alfred E. Sheffield

CRANSTON — Alfred E. Sheffield, 84, of 163 Paine Ave., owner of the Allied Business Machines Co. for 10 years before retiring earlier this year, died yesterday at St. Joseph Hospital, Providence. He was the husband of Ruth T. Sheffield.

Born in Chelsea, Mass., a son of the late Samuel and Dora Sheinfeld, he moved from Providence to Cranston 44 years ago.

Mr. Sheffield was previously a self-employed salesman of burglar alarm systems for many years. He had also been in the retail furniture business. He was a graduate of Northeastern University, Boston.

Besides his wife he leaves a daughter, Joan Sheffield in Virginia; a son, Gerald Sheffield of Newton, Mass.; a sister, Gertrude Abrahams of Sharon, Mass., and a brother, Charles Sheffield in Florida.

A funeral service will be held Friday at 1 p.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Sharon Memorial Park, Sharon.

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