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Sampson Sholes; retired owner of skating rinks

QUINCY, Mass. — Sampson Sholes, 79, of 4431 Alton Rd., Miami Beach, Fla., a former owner of roller skating rinks, died yesterday at his summer home, Faxon Commons, 999 Southern Artery. He was the husband of Ruth (Cohen) Sholes.



Born in Attleboro, a son of the late Morris and Nellie Sholes, he lived in Miami Beach for 38 years. He previously lived in Warwick.

Mr. Sholes had the former roller skating rinks at Infantry Hall, Providence, on the Boardwalk, Newport, the Winter Garden, and the Riverview Ballroom, Dorchester. He was also associated with the Sholes Hillsgrove Country Club Roller Skating Rink, Warwick. He was retired.

He attended the former Rhode Island State College, now the University of Rhode Island, and Suffolk University Law School. He was a member of Touro Synagogue, Newport, the Friends of the Ring Theater at the University of Miami, Redwood Lodge 35 AF & AM, the Lodge Council Chapter of the Consistory of the Scottish Rite, Boston, and the Aleppo Temple of the Ancient Order of Noble and Mystic Shriners. In 1989, he received a 50-year service award from the Grand Lodge of Masons of the State of Rhode Island. He was a member of Project Newborn in Miami, and a member of the Brandeis University Men's Committee.

Mr. Sholes was an Army veteran of World War II and served in the European Theater.

Besides his wife he leaves a brother, Leonard J. Sholes of Cranston; four sisters, Bessie Lipson, Esther Harris, Evelyn Kagan, all of Warwick, and Alyce Guthart of Newington, Conn. He was brother of the late Bertha Aron.

The funeral service will be held today at 1:30 p.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

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May 27, 1991. Beloved husband of Ruth (Cohen) Sholes. Residence 4431 Alton Rd., Miami Beach, FL. Summer residence 999 Southern Artery, Building 999, Apartment 112, Faxon Commons, Quincy, MA. Dear brother of Leonard J. Sholes, Cranston, Bessie Lipson, Esther Harris, Evelyn Kagan, Warwick, Alyce Guthart, Newington, CT and the late Bertha Aron. Funeral Services 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at MOUNT SINAI MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 825 Hope at 4th Sts. Relatives and friends are invited. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Sholes Library Fund, Temple Torat Yisrael, 330 Park Ave., Cranston or the American Cancer Society. Memorial Observance Tuesday 7-9 p.m. at the home of Leonard J. Sholes, 310 Norwood Ave., Cranston and Wednesday and Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the summer residence of Mrs. Sampson Sholes, 999 Southern Artery, Building 999, Apartment 112, Faxon Commons, Quincy, MA

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