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Obituaries

Martin Silverstein; lawyer, distributor of papers, magazines

PROVIDENCE — Martin M. Silverstein of 40 Brookway Rd., chairman of the board of Max Silverstein & Son, distributors of newspapers and magazines, died yesterday at Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston. He was the husband of Pearle (Weinberg) Silverstein.



A lifelong Providence resident, he was a son of the late Max and Sadie (Bernstein) Silverstein.

Mr. Silverstein was graduated from Brown University in 1928 and from Harvard Law School. He was a member of the Rhode Island Bar Association and practiced law until the death of his father in 1939, when he became president of the business.

He served as president for four years and was on the board of directors of the Atlantic Coast Independent Distributors Association. He was chairman of the legal committee of the Council for the Periodical Distributors Association, a member of the board of directors of Miriam Hospital and of the Jewish Home for the Aged. He was a member of Temple Beth El, the Ledgemont Country Club, Seekonk, the Palm Beach Country Club of Palm Beach, Fla., and Roosevelt Lodge, F & AM.

Besides his wife, he leaves a sister, Mrs. Ruth Halpert of Providence.

A funeral service will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Temple Beth El, Orchard Avenue. Burial will be in Congregation Sons of Israel and David Cemetery.

SILVERSTEIN, MARTIN