JOSEPH W. STRAUSS

Funeral services for Joseph W. Strauss, 69, owner of the Rhode Island Vacuum Cleaner Co. at 72 Richmond Street, who died unexpectedly on Oct. 18, were held the following Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Strauss, who lived at 75 Edgehill Road, was the husband of Mrs. Selina (Woolf) Strauss. He remained active in the business he founded 40 years ago until his death. He was a past commander of the Jewish War Veterans Post No. 23.

Born on May 15, 1893, in Russia, he had lived in Providence since 1900. He was a son of the late Abraham and Gussie Strashnick

He was a member of Temple Emanu-El, Redwood Masonic Lodge, the Shriners, Trowel Club, the Jewish Home for the Aged, and Touro Fraternal Association.

Surviving, besides his wife, are two daughters, Mrs. Seymour Posner and Mrs. Milton Stanzler, both of Providence; three sisters, Mrs. Esther Kane, Mrs. Jack Polak, and Mrs. Louis Winn, all of Boston; a brother, Louis Strashnick of Providence, and three grandchildren.

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