Elizabeth Sydney

PAWTUCKET — Elizabeth Sydney, 69, of 27 Nottingham Way, a former counselor, died yesterday at Miriam Hospital. She was the wife of Miles Sydney.

Born in Central Falls, a daughter of the late Maurice and Arabelle (Fairbanks) Frost, she lived in Pawtucket for 40 years.

Before retiring in July, Mrs. Sydney was student counselor at Providence College for 10 years. She was a graduate of the University of Rhode Island, and had earned advanced degrees at Rhode Island College.

She was a member of the Rhode Island League of Women Voters, and was president of the Rhode Island Federated YMCA. She was an avid supporter of the Pawtucket Public Library, and assisted in its recent expansion.

Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Robert F. Sydney of Newton Center, Mass., Dr. A. David Sydney of Newtown, Pa., and five grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial will be private.

SYDNEY, ELIZABETH