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Funeral services for Samuel Temkin, 65, of 193 Elmgrove Ave., prominent Providence attorney and for many years active in civic and fraternal affairs in this state, who died July 12, were held Sunday at Temple Emanu-El. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

He had been a practicing attorney since 1926 and had served on the executive committees of the Legal Aid Society and the Rhode Island Bar Association. Mr. Temkin had been chairman of the Rhode Island Judicial Council since its founding in 1950.

He was a graduate of Brown University and Georgetown Law School. Founder of Phi Chapter of Pi Lambda Phi fraternity at Brown, he was given the "Big Pi" award by the national fraternity in 1950. He was an appointed trustee of Brown University.

A secretary of Miriam Hospital for 21 years, he was an honorary lifetime trustee of that institution. He was a director of the Jewish Community Center, a member of Temple Emanu-El, and the first secretary of the temple. He was a member of Roger Williams Lodge, B'nai B'rith, the Jewish Home for the Aged, and the Hebrew Free Loan Association.

Mr. Temkin was vice president of the Hattie Ide Chaffee Home. A 32nd degree Mason, he was affiliated with Almas Temple, F & AM. He was active in the affairs of the Republican Party in this state.

He was born in Russia, Nov. 19, 1897, a son of the late Noah and Bessie (Bolotow) Temkin. He had lived in Providence since 1905. He was the husband of Ruth (Pinkos) Temkin.

Besides his widow, he leaves one son, Herbert L. Triedman of Providence; two daughters, Mrs. S. Frederick Slafsky of Boston and Mrs. Mitchell V. Green of Natick, Mass.; three brothers, Charles, Nathan Y. and Jacob S. Temkin, all of Providence; one sister, Mrs. Jacob M Saxe of Providence, and three grandchildren.

More than 1,000 persons attended the funeral services, at which Rabbi Eli A. Bohnen and Cantor Jacob Hohenemser officiated.

Among those serving as honorary bearers were Sen. John O. Pastore, judges of the State Supreme and Superior Courts, members of the Rhode Island Judicial Council and representatives of Brown University, Miriam Hospital and Rhode Island Bar Association.

Active bearers were Dr. Aaron T. and Dr. Irving A. Beck, Shepard Freed, Malcolm Makowsky, Noah Saxe, David, Jacob N., Leon H., Martin M., Merrill and Noah Temkin, and Dr. Howard and Dr. Leonard Triedman, all nephews.