ZELNICKER, WILLIAM

West Warwick
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WILLIAM S. ZELNICKER, 101, of Van Nuys, Calif., a World War I veteran and former scrap-metal dealer, died Wednesday, a day before his 102nd birthday, at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, North Hills, Calif.

He was the husband of the late Anna (Morganstern) Zelnicker. Born in Russia, a son of the late Joseph and Leba (Shankman) Zelnicker, he lived in Van Nuys for 49 years.

Mr. Zelnicker had been a self-employed scrap-metal dealer in Providence for 40 years, before moving to California.

An Army veteran of World War I, he served in France and received the French Legion of Honor Medal.

He leaves a son, Albert N. Zelnicker of Los Angeles; a daughter, Sylvia Hodosh of West Warwick; a sister, Sarah Zelniker of Providence; and a granddaughter. He was the father of the late Harold Zelnicker, and brother of the late Harry Zelnicker, Sadie Eisenstadt, Rose Kosofsky and Ella Zelniker.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. in Lincoln Park Cemetery, Warwick.

ZELNICKER, William S.

October 11, 2000. Residence, Van Nuys, CA, formerly of Providence. Beloved husband of the late Anna (Morganstern) Zelnicker, devoted father of Albert N. Zelnicker of Los Angeles, Sylvia Hodosh of West Warwick and the late Harold Zelnicker. Dear brother of Sarah Zelniker of Providence and the late Harry Zelnicker, Sadie Eisenstadt, Rose Kosofsky and Ella Zelniker. Loving grandfather of Helene Hodosh. Graveside funeral services Monday 2 p.m. in LINCOLN PARK CEMETERY, Post Road, Warwick. In lieu of flowers contributions in his memory may be made to Temple Am David. Shiva will not be observed due to the Sukkot holidays. Arrangements by SHALOM MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1100 New London Ave., Cranston.