

**Hyman Cline Passes
Away at Age of 72
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Hyman I. Cline, born in Suwalki, Lithuania, 71 years ago, passed away Friday afternoon, February 3, at the Beth Israel Hospital after a lingering illness. Burial was from the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. Hermon, 2 Maple Court, Roxbury, Sunday afternoon.

He with his father were the first pioneer Jewish settlers of Holliston, forming the nucleus of what is now a large and prominent Jewish agricultural community center, together with surrounding towns. He passed away on the nineteenth anniversary of his father's death.

His first wife, Sophia, was the oldest daughter of the late Rabbi H. Epstein, spiritual leader of the Wall Street Congregation for many years. The Cline family moved to the West End of Boston in 1892 becoming identified with many charitable organizations in Greater Boston. Mr. Cline was a member of Suwalki Lodge, I. O. E. A., since its inception.

Surviving him are three sons and two daughters of his first marriage and sixteen grandchildren. The children are: Max of Glen Falls, N. Y., Jacob of Mattapan, Dr. Samuel of Newton, Anna C. Hermon of Roxbury, and Miriam E. Simon of Franklin, Mass. His present wife Esther also survives him. His three brothers and four sisters are prominently known in the various communities where they reside. They are: Herman and Harry of Brookline, David of Belmont, Fannie Segal of Dorchester, Bessie Byer of Arlington, Dora Burk of Stoughton and Jennie Mendelsohn of Milton.

Interment was at Adath Jeshurun Cemetery in Dedham under the direction of Jacob H. Levine.

Grandfather of
James Cline

MRS. SOPHIA CLINE, 72

Mrs. Sophia (Epstein) Cline, aged 63 years, wife of Hyman I. Cline, died Sunday morning, February 20th, from heart disease at her home, 10 Intervale street, Roxbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline, with Mr. Cline's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Cline, were the founders of the Jewish community engaged in farming in and around Medway, Millis and Holliston, the Cline families settling in West Medway about 40 years ago. Mrs. Cline was the eldest daughter of Rabbi and Mrs. Harris Epstein, both of whom passed away in the last three years. Twenty-nine years ago Mr. and Mrs. Cline moved to the West End of Boston, where they were joined by her parents. Rabbi Epstein was the spiritual head of the Wall Street Synagogue, Beth Jacob, for twenty-one years. Upon his removal to Roxbury eight years ago, he became attached to the Congregation Adath Jeshurun.

Mrs. Cline was an active member of many Jewish societies, taking an active part in philanthropic and charitable societies and institutions. She had a ready ear for the poor and needy.

Who mourn her loss. She was a member and officer of the Benoth Israel for many years, and also participated in the activities of the Jewish Moshav Zekainim, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Beth Israel Hospital, Adath Jeshurun, Jewish Children's Aid Society, Bikur Cholim, and she was a charter member of the first Free Loan Society amongst the Jews of Boston.

Mrs. Cline is survived by her husband, three sons: Max, a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, is now chief chemist with the International Paper Company of Glen Falls, New York; Jacob, an optician residing in Malden; Dr. Samuel Cline of Boston, and two daughters: Anna, wife of Abraham Hermon of Roxbury, and Miriam, wife of Dr. Samuel Simon of Franklin, Mass.

She leaves four brothers: Isaac Epstein of Woonsocket, R. I.; Jacob Epstein of Roxbury, Matthe Winthrop, and Dr. Stanley Winthrop, California; and two sisters: Fannie Bennett of Webster and Jennie Weinbaum of Roxbury.

left ten grandchildren. The funeral took place at 2.30 p. m. at Adath Jeshurun. Harry Gold officiated at Adath Jeshurun, Roxbury.