

## OBITUARY

### Louis Levitt, 58, Expires Suddenly

Operated Confection And  
News Store On Main  
Street Since 1932

Louis Levitt, who had operated a confectionery store and newsstand business in Hackettstown since 1932, died suddenly of a heart attack Saturday afternoon, November 16, 1946, at his home on Washington Street. His age was 58.

Taken ill Thursday evening, Mr. Levitt had remained at home under a physician's care for two days but was showing improvement until shortly before the fatal attack, when arrangements were being made to remove him to a hospital.

After a business career of 25 years in New York and Long Island, Mr. Levitt came to Hackettstown 15 years ago, when he purchased a confectionery store at 184 Main Street, where Cunningham's bar is now situated. Six years ago he moved the business to its present location on the opposite corner at 186 Main Street.

#### Native Of Russia

Mr. Levitt was a native of Russia, and had been studying to become a rabbi before he came to America at the age of 18. Before coming to New Jersey he operated a stationery and sporting goods store at Little Neck, L. I. He had previously had similar stores at New Rochelle and at Douglaston, L. I., where he was also in the real estate business. He also had a news service in Manhattan at one time.

Services were conducted Sunday by Rabbi Block of the Northwest Jersey Jewish Center, Washington, at the Lanterman & Hughson Funeral Home in Morristown and at Mt. Lebanon Cemetery, Queens, N. Y., where burial took place.

Mr. Levitt leaves his wife, Mrs. Frida Barroway Levitt; two sons, Capt. Arthur B. Levitt, Dental Corps, Wakeman General Hospital, Camp Atterbury, Ind., who came home by plane for the funeral; and Morris Levitt, a senior at Brothers College, Drew Seminary, Madison; and a daughter, Miss Sylvia Levitt, instructor in health education at New York State Teachers College, Cortland, N. Y. He also leaves two brothers, Jacob and Irving Levitt of New York City.

Miss Levitt is planning to take a leave of absence from her teaching duties to assist her mother in conducting operation of the store.

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