

**Theodore R. Peyrek Sr.**

Theodore R. Peyrek Sr. of Washington Township died on Sept. 28 at Stone Arch Health Care Center in Union Township, Hunterdon County, after an illness. He was 94.

Born in Graz, Austria, he came to the United States in 1907. He was the son of the late Rudolf and Wilhelmina Adams Peyrek.

Mr. Peyrek had worked as a mechanical engineer for L.J. Wing Co. of Linden for 30 years, until 1959. He also was a partner in Tedwell Inc. of Phillipsburg, retiring in 1970.

Mr. Peyrek was a recipient of the "Outstanding Immigrant Son of New Jersey" and honor conferred by former Gov. Alfred Driscoll for Mr. Peyrek's outstanding defense work during World War II.

Mr. Peyrek held an honorary degree from Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken and was a life member of the American Society of Heating, Ventilating and Refrigeration.

He is survived by two sons, Theodore R. Jr. and Richard R. Peyrek, both of Washington; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Oct. 3 at noon at the Ford Funeral Home, 234 W. Washington Ave., Washington. Interment followed in Washington Cemetery, Washington.

Memorials may be made in Mr. Peyrek's name to: "In Memory of Ria H. Peyrek," American Cancer Society, Warren County Unit, R.D. 1, Box 342, Oxford, N.J. 07863.

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