Edmund Fratus 4/19/8

LINCOLN — Edmund Fratus, 1577 Louisquissett Pike, died yesterday at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, Providence. He was the husband of Anna (Salvatore) Fratus.

Born in New Bedford, Mass., a son of the late Manuel and Mary (Yell) Fratus, he had lived in Lincoln 29 years.

He worked for the St. Maria Home of Providence for 12 years, the Elastic Mills of Providence for six years, and was a security guard for five years, retiring 11 years ago.

He was a communicant of St. Jude's Church, Lincoln, and was a World War I Navy veteran.

Besides his wife he leaves two sons, Anthony Fratus of Lincoln, and Roy Fratus of Cranston; three daughters, Miss Christine Fratus of Lincoln, Mrs. Charlotte Stone of Providence and Mrs. Catherine Mack of Warwick; a brother, Joseph Fratus of Providence; five sisters, Mrs. Louise Costa, Mrs. Lillian McGillivary, Mrs. Phoebe Devine, Mrs. Mae Costa and Mrs. Agnes Samuelian, all of Providence; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at 8:15 a.m. from the Merrick R. Williams Funeral Home, 530 Smithfield Ave., Pawtucket, with a Mass of Christian Burial in St. Jude's Church, Front Street, at 9. Burial will be in St. Ann's Ceme-

tery, Cranston.

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