



BENJAMIN RICH

## Benjamin Rich Was Well Known As Restaurateur

Benjamin Rich, 167 Essex St., husband of Estelle (Glazier) Rich, died Thursday evening at a local hospital following a brief illness.

He was born in Russia, the son of Louis and Bella Rich.

A well-known Bangor resident, Mr. Rich was the proprietor of Oscar's Restaurant, a Bangor landmark which hosted many celebrities from political, sports and entertainment fields during the long years of its operation. The all-night restaurant was located near Union Station on Washington Street.

He was a member of Congregation Beth Israel and B'nai B'rith.

Surviving, besides his wife, are: two sisters, Mrs. Francis Fox of Bangor and Mrs. Sarah Lait of Louisville, Ky.; two brothers, David Rich, M.D., of Wilmington, Del. and Mort Rich of Detroit, Mich.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held today at the Jewish Funeral Chapel, Center St., at 4:30 p.m.

The Rabbi A. H. Freedman will officiate. Interment will be in Beth Israel Cemetery. Memorial week will be observed at 167 Essex St.