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BUSINESS LEGEND DIES AT 91

The legendary Edmonton hotelier who founded the Canadian Western Bank has died.

Eugene Pechet was 91. He died early Saturday from heart complications, a spokesman said.

Pechet, who built the Mayfield Inn in 1974, is being remembered by his family for his integrity, trustworthiness, and generosity.

He leaves behind wife Pat, siblings, children, and numerous grandchildren. A service celebrating Pechet's life will be held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Edmonton Chevra Kadisha, 12313 — 105 Ave.