

## H.B. Savage Rites Held On Tuesday

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning in Dallas for H.B. Savage, brother of Mrs. Fred Newberry of Irving, who died in a Grand Prairie hospital after a long illness.

A native of Whitewright, he had been for 30 years maintenance superintendent of the Melrose Hotel.

Other survivors include a son, Jack W. Savage of Farmers Branch; a daughter, Mrs. Ernest B. Jones of Dallas; one brother, Lester Savage of Dallas; six other sisters, Mrs. Ernest E. Anderson, Mrs. J.E. Potteet, Mrs. David P. Sledge and Mrs. Johnny H. Rogers, all of Dallas, Mrs. Henry Large of Westville, Okla., and Mrs. Tom Watson of California; and six grandchildren.

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# Rites Held For Mother Of Irvingite

Funeral services were held Saturday morning in Oklahoma City, Okla., for Mrs. Opal Schomp 74, mother of Mrs. P.E. Watson of 205 West 12th, Irving.

Mrs. Schomp lived 43 years in Oklahoma City and was a Member of Exchange Avenue Baptist Church.

Other survivors include another daughter, Mrs. F.D. Miller; two sons, Alva Schomp and Harry Schomp, all of Oklahoma City, Okla., two sisters, Mrs. J.E. Moore of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Mrs. Carl London of City; and 11 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

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# Rites Held For Father Of Irvingite

Funeral services were held Monday in Dallas for Louis A. Schrader, 78, father of Mrs. Joe W. Warren of Irving.

Mr. Schrader, a native of St. Louis, died Saturday in a Dallas hospital following a long illness. He was a Dallas sales counselor with Restland Memorial Park. He was formerly with Alexander Film Co. and TAD Movie Screen Advertising Co. He was a member of the Vickery Baptist Church.

Other survivors include his widow; another daughter, Mrs. Collie D. Martin of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. Lilly Schaumburg of San Antonio and Miss Hulda Schrader of St. Louis; and four grandchildren.

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# Irvingite's Funeral Set

Mrs. Lona Shawver 81, of 306 Falcon Drive, died at her residence Wednesday.

Mrs. Shawver had lived in Irving for seven years. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Carrolyn Scott, of Irving, and one son, Dr. John R. Shawver, of Waco, two sisters, Mrs. J. O. Hix, of Childress, and Mrs. J. E. Blakemore, Shamrock, three grand-children.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at Black's Funeral Chapel, Irving, with Rev. Noel Bryant and Rev. Walker officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

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## Services Held For Former Irving Man

Funeral services were held in Dallas yesterday for Joe M. Shuford, a former resident of Irving who died in Niagara Falls Saturday. The deceased, who was 34, has been hospitalized about two weeks ~~prior to his death. He had~~ been working in Niagara Falls on a construction project. He was an electrician.

Rev. Robert Walker, pastor of First Methodist Church here, officiated at the services. Interment was in Grove Hill. The Irving Masonic Lodge conducted Masonic rites.

Mr. Shuford is survived by his daughter of Atlanta, Ga.; a son of Dallas; his father of Dallas and one grandson.

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## Irvingite's Brother Dies

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Nathan Edward Simmons, 33, of Mesquite. He was the brother of Mrs. Sylvia Fleming of Irving. Other survivors include his wife; two daughters, Deborah Ann Simmons and Sandra Sue Simmons and one son, Nathan E. Simmons Jr., all of Mesquite; his mother, Mrs. Catherine Simmons of Dallas, and two other sisters, Mrs. Golden Luker and Mrs. Delois Tucker of Dallas. Rev. L.M. Huff, pastor of First Baptist Church of Mesquite and Rev. L.C. Crate, Sr., pastor of North Dallas Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Laurel Oaks Memorial Park in Mesquite.

Mr. Simmons had been a resident of Dallas for 23 years before moving to Mesquite in 1950. He had been ill for several weeks.

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~~Harrington~~  
**Infant Twins  
 Die Tuesday**

Graveside services were held Saturday morning for infant twins of Mr. and Mrs.

~~Albert Harrington of Irving.~~

The babies, Tammie Mae and Albert Ray Harrington, died Tuesday afternoon in a Grapevine hospital.

Rev. Clarence Snodgrass officiated at the services in Babyland at Mount Olivet

~~Cemetery in Fort Worth.~~

Other survivors are a sister, Patsy Harrington, a brother, Monte Harrington; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Harrington of Euless; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bible of Irving.

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# Drowning Victim's Body Found

BLANCO, Tex. (UPI) — The body of Carl T. Smith, 35, owner of an Odessa meat packing company, was the last to be recovered Saturday from Williams Creek where he and three members of his family and his sister-in-law drowned when their car was swept off a farm road.

About 100 National Guardsmen from Breckenridge and volunteers found the body partially hidden in brush in the still swollen stream more than three miles from where the car was washed off Farm Road 1623 near the community of Albert.

Smith, his wife, Annie, 27; their son, Gary, 7 and Miss Patsy Darlene Lewis, 13, Smith's sister-in-law, drowned when the car was swept off a bridge Friday night.

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# Smith Rites Read Today

Funeral services will be held for Randle Smith, 1030 Harlan St., at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, March 24 at 2:30 p.m. in Black's Funeral Chapel.

Rev. A.L. Housewright will officiate. Interment will be in Oak Grove Memorial Park.

Smith died Monday. He is survived by his wife, daughter, Ava, and son Bruce; two sisters and six brothers.

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# Funeral Held for Irvingite's Mother

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Funeral services were held in Gainesville Tuesday for Mrs. Stella Sperry, mother of Coyt Sperry of Irving, who died at 9:37 a.m. Sunday in a Gainesville hospital.

Mrs. Sperry, a native of Aubrey, was born March 8, 1910. She was a member of the Harry Street Baptist Church in Gainesville.

Services were held at that church Tuesday, with the Rev. C.M. Thomas officiating, assisted by the Rev.

Thurman Tatum and the Rev. Milton Pladger. Burial was in Whitesboro.

Survivors also include her husband, J.T. Sperry; three other sons: Franklin Sperry, Johnny Sperry and Billy Sperry, all of Gainesville; two sisters, Mrs. Mattie McDaniel of Gainesville and Mrs. Rittie Dove of Collinsville; two brothers, O. H. Porter and L.J. Porter, both of Gainesville; and six grandchildren.

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# Stalcup Rites Pend

Funeral arrangements are pending at Black Funeral Home for Mrs. Potty Santerre Stalcup, 1828 Williams Rd., who died at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday at her home of a heart attack.

Mrs. Stalcup, 64, had spent most of her life in Irving. She was born in Dallas of parents who had come there with a colony from France. She was Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, Charlie Stalcup; one daughter, Mrs. Cleo Simms of Morton; three grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Leatherwood of Irving and Mrs. Inez Guttering of Dallas; and one brother, George Santerre of Dallas.

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# Stanley Rites Held On Monday

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in Dallas for Walter Haskell Stanley of Dallas, former Irving resident who worked for Humble Oil Co. in Irving.

Mr. Stanley, 49, was on vacation on his way to California when he became ill. He died in a hospital at Globe, Arizona, on June 10.

Born Dec. 25, 1910, in Dallas, he lived in Irving for a number of years. He served as a mechanic for Humble. He was a member of St. Luke's Methodist Church.

The Rev. C. D. Reynolds officiated in services at St. Luke's, and burial was in Restland under direction of Black's Funeral Home. Employees of Humble served as pallbearers.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Leta Mae Stanley; one daughter, Miss Ann Stanley; one son, James Stanley, all of Dallas; three sisters, Mrs. H. J. Hanna, Mrs. T. P. Parks and Mrs. Woodrow Giddings; and two brothers, Wesley Stanley and Glenn Stanley.

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# Victim Identified As David F. Steele

Identification was made late Monday of the body of a man burned to death in a trailer house fire in the 2100 block of Union Tower shortly after midnight Monday morning. Dead was David Franklin Steele, 43, whose body was burned beyond recognition.

The alarm was turned in at 12:12 a.m. Monday by a neighbor woman, who told firemen that a few minutes after she had talked with the deceased and he had returned to the trailer, she heard an explosion.

Fire Marshal J.D. (Pistol) Mitchell said the explosion apparently was caused by a butane leak. Firemen speculated that Steele may have been lighting a lantern when the explosion occurred. He had no electricity in the trailer.

An autopsy was held Monday afternoon to determine whether the fire or the explosion was the cause of death, but a report will not be returned for possibly a week, Mitchell said.

Steele's family claimed the body late Monday.

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## Final Rites Held Tuesday For Mrs. Story

Final rites were held Tuesday for Mrs. Jane S. Story, former Irving resident, who died Sunday in a Waxahachie hospital after a long illness. Mrs. Story recently had been living in Lancaster.

Jack Harcastle officiated at services in the Sunset Church of Christ in Dallas, of which the deceased was a member. Burial was in Old Kit Cemetery.

Born in Dallas County, Mrs. Story lived in Irving until about 1940 and reared her family here. She lived in Dallas for several years before moving to Lancaster. She was 83.

Mrs. Story is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Fred Hooser of Lancaster, and Mrs. Guy Vickrey of Dallas; seven grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

She had numerous Irving relatives.

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## ***Irvingile's Father Dies***

Jim Strauss left for St. Petersburg, Fla., to attend the funeral of his father, who died Saturday. Strauss had been home only a short while after attending the funeral of his mother, who died Nov. 6.

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*29 Nov 1960*  
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# Sutherland Last Rites Set Monday

Final rites will be held Monday at 11 a.m. for Mrs. Mabel Sutherland, 818 S. Irving Heights, who died suddenly Friday. Rev. Henry Kinkead will officiate at services to be held in First Baptist Church. Interment will be in Restland.

Mrs. Sutherland, who was 76, had been a resident of Irving for about 11 years. She was a member of First Baptist Church. She was born in Indiana.

Survivors are one son, Norman G. Sutherland; two daughters, Miss Madeline Sutherland and Mrs. Veda E. Fernholt, and two grandchildren, all of Irving.

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