Mrs. Paradise
Rites Slated
For Friday

Funeral services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at Leach’s Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Willie Mae Paradise of 1911 Rose Lane, who died Wednesday morning at her home after several years’ illness.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Memorial Park. Rev. J.L. Nothaf, pastor of Shady Grove Assembly of God Church, will officiate.

Mrs. Paradise was born Feb. 29, 1883. She had lived in Irving for the past 35 years and was a member of Shady Grove Assembly of God Church.

Her survivors include two sons, Bill Jack Paradise and Aubrey Paradise of Irving; five daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Harvey, Mrs. Clemmie Cohen, Mrs. Elaine Shepherd, all of Irving; Mrs. Ruby Shepherd of Frisco; Mrs. Opal Sanders of Lake Dallas; three brothers, one sister, eight grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren.
Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today for Mrs. Osie Fern Parks, 1001 S. Iowa, who died at her home early Monday.

Mrs. Parks had been an Irving resident since 1954. She was 70.

Survivors are her husband, Floyd T. Parks Sr., two sons, Floyd Parks Jr. of Illinois and Gerald J. Parks, Irving; one sister, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Rev. Robert Walker, pastor of First Methodist Church, of which Mrs. Parks was a member, will officiate. Interment will be in Urbana, Ill. 

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Pate Rites Held Wednesday

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in Leach's Funeral Chapel for Jesse James Pate, of Irving.
Burial was in Oak Grove. Rev. H.H. Kinkeade officiated.
The son of Frank and Emma Pate, Mr. Pate had lived in Irving all his life.

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Patterson
Rites Set

Last rites will be held Monday at 10 a.m. for Willie 'Dave Patterson, 70, of 529 Joffre St., who died in a Dallas hospital Friday after a long illness. Rev. R. H. Murphy will officiate at services in Faith Temple Baptist Church. Interment will be in Restland.

Mr. Patterson, who was a retired employe of Gaylord Container Co., was born in Texas in 1891.

His survivors include his wife, Mrs. Vada Patterson; three daughters, Mrs. Thomas R. Brown, Mrs. Mozelle Carter, Mrs. Lorene Cary; two sons, R. W. Patterson and George W. Patterson; three sisters, three brothers, 10 grandchildren.

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Murder Charge Brings Tears

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich (UPI) - Otis Peebles broke into tears briefly Monday at his arraignment on a charge of murder for shooting his wife after finding her in the embrace of a prominent Indiana industrialist on a Saturday.

Peebles' attorney, Harold Sawyer, demanded preliminary examination on the charge and Municipal Judge Louis E. Simhauser tentatively set the examination for Thursday afternoon.

After his brief court appearance, Peebles, 41, a Rockford, Mich., industrialist and gun collector, was returned to the Kent County Jail.

The Indiana industrialist, Roy Staples, 44, who was wounded twice by Peebles, meanwhile was reported in satisfactory condition at St. Mary's Hospital here though he was still paralyzed from the waist down as the result of a bullet wound in the back.

Peebles came home early Saturday and found his wife missing. He drove to the home of one of her friends, Mary Voss, 40, and peered through a window and saw his wife sitting in Staples' lap 'making love.'

Peebles burst into the Voss home on nearby Silver Lake, shot his wife, Louise, 40, once in the head, then shot Staples with a .44 caliber magnum pistol.

Peebles told police he had intended only to frighten his wife and Staples, not to kill them, but that he began shooting when Staples jumped up as he burst into the Voss home.

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L.C. Petty

Final Rites
To Be Held

Final rites will be held in Black's Funeral Chapel today at 4 p.m. for Louise Cecil Petty, 52, of 2013 Union Bower Rd., who died Tuesday in a Dallas hospital. Mr. Petty suffered a heart attack at his home several days ago. He had been an Irving resident for a number of years.

Rev. McClain Smith will officiate, and interment will be in Oak Grove Memorial Park.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Minnie Lee Petty of Irving; four brothers, W.O. Petty, H.G. Petty and H.S. Petty of Irving, and E.L. Petty of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. George W. Powell and Mrs. William S. Jackson of Dallas.

Mr. Petty was a carpenter.
Peveto Rites
Held Monday

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in First Baptist Church for Caswell Peveto, 76, retired farmer. Rev. H.H. Kinkleade officiated, and burial was in Oak Grove Memorial Park.

Mr. Peveto died Saturday at his home after a long illness. A long-time resident of Irving, he was a member of First Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; three sons, Rev. J.A. Peveto of Dallas, J.W. Peveto of Irving and Sidney Peveto of Richardson; three daughters, Mrs. Lena Frederick and Mrs. Joe Seiber, both of Irving; Mrs. Russell Walters, Dallas; six sisters, including Mrs. Howard Brand, Mrs. Ruth Whalen and Mrs. Emery Brown, all of Irving; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.
G.R. Phillips

Rites Are Set

Funeral services for George Riley Phillips, 618 N. Nursery, will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Bible Way Church. Rev. Charles Starnes will officiate, and interment will be in Sowers Cemetery.

Mr. Phillips died Friday in a Dallas hospital after a long illness. He was 72 and had lived in Irving almost all of his life, although born in Dallas. He was retired.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Tishia Phillips; by three sons, George H., Ralph H. and A. W. Phillips, all of Irving; a sister, Mrs. D. A. Collier, Irving; a brother, C. S. Finley, Irving; by 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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84 Years Old

Irving Resident

Killed By Car

Napoleon B. Pickett, 1508 Chamberlain, died Tuesday night at Parkland Memorial Hospital.

The 84 year-old man was struck yesterday by an automobile driven by Clarence L. Alton at the intersection of Irving Blvd. and Shepherd St.

Alton, 39, of 2017 Oakhurst Dr., was driving west on Irving Blvd. when the accident occurred at 4:23 p.m. Pickett sustained a broken right arm, leg, and possibly internal injuries.

Alton was not ticketed pending police investigation.
ATTORNEY INJURED

Irving Man Killed In Freeway Crash

Earnest S. Pipkin, 49, of 914 Tanglewood was killed and Irving City Attorney James R. Rainey injured when the 1960 Oldsmobile which Rainey was driving was in a front-rear collision with a state highway department maintainer (street scraper) Tuesday morning about 10:40 a.m. in the 2400 block of Stemmons Expressway at the Motor St. overpass.

Rainey was taken to Parkland Hospital for emergency treatment and later transferred to Gaston Ave. Hospital. He received a fractured left arm and cuts about the face and head. His condition was not thought to be serious.

Pipkin, a passenger in the front seat, died instantly of head injuries when he was thrown into the windshield, according to reports from Dallas police.

Driver of the maintainer was Elvin D. Vines, 54, of 11409 Denton Rd., Dallas. Whether or not he was injured was not learned by the Daily News Texan.

Rainey recently had moved from Irving to 5227 Gaston Ave., Dallas.

Pipkin is survived by his wife, Grace; a father, H. E. Pipkin of Dallas; two daughters, Karal Louise and Sharon Sue; a son, Larry; and one brother, C. E. Pipkin, all of Irving. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church. Rev. Kinkade and McGinnis will officiate. Irving Lodge No. 1218 will have charge of graveside services.

Interment will be in Grove Hill in Dallas.
LISBON - Dr. Jose Pontes, a figure in the spheres of medicine, journalism and sports, died here Sunday at the age of 82. He represented his country at the first inter-allied conference and headed the Portuguese Olympic Committee for many years.

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Rites Set
For City
Councilman

BEDFORD -- Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today for William Harold Prince, 49, of 5216 Glenda Dr., a Bedford city commissioner. Services will be in Smithfield Methodist Church, with burial being conducted in the Smithfield Cemetery. Rev. Jay Darnell will officiate.

Prince, serving his fourth year as a city commissioner, was dead on arrival at a hospital Thursday after suffering a heart attack while working at Western Auto Store No. 4 3032 Hemphill. He suffered the attack about 3 p.m.

The commissioner was born in Smithfield and had lived in Tarrant County all his life. He was the first person to unite with the Bedford Methodist Church when it organized in 1956, and was a trustee of the church and had been church treasurer for four years.

He is survived by his wife and two brothers, Zack and B.R. Prince of Fort Worth.
Services Set
For Dad Of
Mrs. Wilson

Funeral services for Samuel W. Puckett, 87, father of Mrs. Charles M. Wilson, 1400 E. Shady Grove, will be held Friday at Sparkman Funeral Chapel, Dallas, at 11:30. Puckett, a resident of Dallas since 1917, died Monday in a Dallas rest home after a long illness.
Survivors include his wife, a son, Allen K. Puckett, Dallas; three daughters, Miss Ruth Puckett, Dallas, Mrs. Earl B. Sanders of Arcadia, Calif.; Mrs. Wilson of Irving; a sister, Miss Mattie Puckett of Jackson, Tenn., and four grandchildren.

A member of Highland Park Methodist Church, services will be conducted by Rev. Marcus M. Child and Rev. Kenneth Dickey. Burial will be in Restland Memorial Park.

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Funeral services will be held today at 2 p.m. in East Side Church of Christ for Hershel K. Pullen, 52, an Irving resident for 40 years before moving to Dallas a short while ago.

Mr. Pullen died Tuesday in veterans hospital in Dallas after a long illness. He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. James R. Renfro of Irving, Mrs. John C. Myers of DeSoto; a son, James E. Pullen of Dallas; four brothers Ted Pullen, Irving; Aden Pullen, Gilmer; John R. Pullen and Eldred Pullen, both of California.

Jesse Powell will officiate at services. Interment will be in Sowers cemetery.

A former labor foreman for a construction company, Mr. Pullen was a member of the Church of Christ.