Espon Sanford MacSparran, Sr.

(1892 – 17 Dec 1963)

MacSparran, Espon Sanford. On Tuesday, December 17, 1963, at his residence, 5923 48th ave. N., Kenneth City, St. Petersburg, Fla., Espon Sanford MacSparran, beloved husband of Mary E. MacSparran; father of Mrs. Virginia Wood, Mrs. Elizabeth Mackey, both of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. Alice Clark of Sacramento, Calif.; Mrs. Dorothy Matthan of Silver Spring, Md.; Mrs. Mary Jo Griffith of Fort Knox, Ky., and Richard T. MacSparran of Vienna, Va. Also survived by ten grandchildren and eight greatgrandchildren. Memorial services at the S.H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. n.w., on Monday, December 23, at 8 p.m. (parking facilities). The family suggests that expressions of sympathy may be made in the form of a contribution to the Heart Fund.

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E.S. MacSparran, Ex-Rail Official In Canal Zone

Espon Sanford MacSparran, 71, a former resident of Takoma Park, Md., died Tuesday at his home in North St. Petersburg, Fla., after a short illness.

Mr. MacSparran was born in Providence, R.I. and spent many years in the Canal Zone before coming to the Washington area. In the Canal Zone he was a superintendent with the Panama Railroad Co.

Mr. MacSparran retired in 1951 and moved to 410 Lincoln avenue, Takoma Park. In 1956 he bought a home in North St. Petersburg, and from then until the time of his death he spent his winters in Florida and his summers in the Park Terrace Apartments, Glyndon and Locust streets S.E., in Vienna, Va.

In St. Petersburg he was a member of the Panama Canal Society.

Mr. MacSparran leaves his wife, Mary E., of North St. Petersburg; one son, Richard T. MacSparran, of 1105 Ware street S.W., Vienna; 10 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at 8 p.m. tomorrow at the Hines Funeral Home, 2901 Fourteenth street N.W.