W. Patterson Dead.

Mr. Watson Patterson, long-time citizen of Crockett and Houston county, died at the family home in north Crockett Thursday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the residence at 3 o’clock Friday afternoon, with religious services by Rev. J. L. Spears, pastor of the Tenney Memorial Presbyterian church. Interment followed in Glenwood cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of T. J. Waller, local undertaker.

Active pallbearers were G. H. Henderson, W. P. Bishop, Harvey Douglass, M. Younas, Frank Leediker, Leo Knox, Vernon Sanders and Will Wilson.

Born at Raymond, Miss., on August 29, 1859, Mr. Patterson was 71 years old. He came to Houston county about 50 years
ago, and had made his home in Crockett approximately 40 years. A salesman for years, he made the acquaintance of many people of this city and county, and was possessed of the friendship of all who knew him. Mr. Patterson was a member of the Methodist church. He was a good citizen and a kind and loving father. His passing is deeply regretted by a large circle of friends.

The deceased leaves the wife and five children, several grandchildren and other relatives. Two sons are W. E. Patterson of Houston and Ernest Patterson of Crockett. Three daughters are Mrs. L. A. Parker of Shreveport, La., Mrs. G. W. Hayslip and Mrs. W. H. Sanders of Crockett.