IDA KRAMER-GILMORE

NORWICH, Conn. — Ida Kramer-Gilmore, 84, of 206 Washington St., co-founder in 1959 of the Gilmore-Kramer Co., Providence, a material handling equipment company, which she operated until her retirement in 1972, died Friday, September 26, 1986 at the Backus Hospital, Norwich. She was the widow of Stanley H. Gilmore. Her first husband was the late Israel J. Kramer.

She previously had been proprietor of the former Eastern Wholesale Grocery Co., Providence, for 11 years.

Born in Russia, a daughter of the late Aaron and Lena (Roy) Uditsky, she had lived in Connecticut since 1983. She had previously resided in Rehoboth, Mass., for 32 years and in Providence for 48 years.

She leaves a son, Bernard Kramer of Lincoln, a daughter, Marjorie Mandell of Norwich; three sisters, Eleanor U. Gomel of Warwick, Rita Leavitt of Amherst, Mass., and Doris Kessler of West Palm Beach, Fla.; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at the Mount Sinai Memorial Chapel, 825 Hope St., Providence. Burial was in Swan Point Cemetery, Providence.