Thursday, March 25, 1963



## Services Held For Olan W. Davis

Funeral services for Olan Welborn Davis, 79, of Grapeland were held Friday, March 19, at 4 p.m. in the First Christian Church, Grapeland, with Rev. Jim Brandt and Rev. Andrew Byers officiating. Burial was in the Refuge Cemetery east of Grapeland.

Pallbearers were J. D. Hollingsworth, Edward Davis, Luther Davis, Henry Davis Newman, Eddie Zimmerman, Alroy Zimmerman, Billie Frazier, James Frazier and Dick Murchison.

Lifelong resident of Grapeland, Mr. Davis was born January 15, 1886. From 1954-1960, he served as commissioner in Houston County, and at the time of his death, he was serving as Justice of Peace in Grapeland, having held that office since 1960. A farmer and rancher, he died Thursday morning, march 18, in his home following a short illness. He was a member of the Christian Church

Suvivors: wife, Mrs. Mada Murchison Davis of Grapeland; a son, Welborn davis of Houston; two daughters, Miss Mayola of Grapeland and Mrs. Sallye Lou Christopher of Crockett; three brothers, Clyde Davis of Grapeland, Edwin Davis of Robstown, and Leroy Davis of Woodville; three sisters, Mrs. Adell Zimmerman of Poynor, Mrs. Eula Mae Trigg and Mrs. Winnie Newman, both of Grapeland; two grandsons, Larry & David Christopher, both of Crockett.

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