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Mr. Wesley Webster Finch

Funeral services for Mr. Wesley Webster Finch, 79 of Grapeland, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan 20, in the First Baptist Church of Grapeland. Rev. Bland Kerby officiated and burial was in the Parker Cemetery, near Grapeland.

Pallbearers were Mahlon Wright, Graton Streetman, Ed Shaw, Odell McKenzie, Grady Finch, Lewis Garrett, Preston Bridges, and dTroy Finch.

Mr. Finch died following a sudden illness at 1 a.m. Friday, Jan. 19, at his home. A lifelong resident of Houston County, he was born on Dec. 14, 1882. A retired ginner, Mr. Finch had served as the justice of the peace in Grapeland for the past several years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, Grapeland, and a member of the Woodmen of the World.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Annie Finch of Grapeland; one son, H. O. Finch of McCamey; three daughters, Mrs. W. F. Caskey of Columbus, Mrs. M. A. Gibson of New London, Mrs. P. H. Wohlford of Daisetta; five grandchildren; five great grandchildren; and one great great grandchild.

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