## Mrs. Countess Irene Hayes

Mrs. Countess Irene Hayes, 49, of Crockett, passed away Sunday, Dec. 23, in the Whitehall Nursing Home hollowing a long illness.

Mrs. Hayes was a lifelong resident of Houston County and was a member of the Pentecostal Church of Weches.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Dec. 26, at 2 p.m. in the Waller Chapel, with Rev. R. J. Rodgers and Rev. Westberry officiating. Burial was in the Weches Cemetery.

Survivors include her mother, Mrs. Gussie Bobbitt of Crockett; two sons, K. A. Hayes of Grapeland and Frank Hayes of Crockett; three brothers, Max and Jimmy Bobbitt, both of Houston, and Vernon Bobbitt of Austin; two sisters, Mrs. Arline DeBattista of New Jersey and Mrs. Carline Jacobs of Houston; also three grandchildren.

Waller Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements

b. 5-10-1924 d. 12-23-1973

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