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Sam Houston Rice

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Sam Houston Rice died in Houston County on the fourth of March, 1893. He was the son of Clinton A. and Jane Rice and was born in the same county in July 1847.

He married Mrs. Josephine Hatton, a sister of Wyatt N. Lane, in Rusk, Cherokee County, on the 29th day of December 1871.

Shortly after his marriage he spent four years on the coast county of this state and then an equal length of time in Williamson County.

He united with the Cedar Point Presbyterian Church on the first of October 1892. The writer knew Mr. Rice intimately and can frankly say of him he was a "diamond in the rough."

Signed, Thos. Ward White