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### Mrs. Beulah McGraw Died Sunday

Funeral Services Were Tuesday at 2 p. m. at Christian Church. Burial Was at Napton

The death of Mrs. Beulah G. McGraw Sunday about 4 p. m. ended a ten year period of invalidism, borne with patience and courage.

The Christian Church was filled to capacity Tuesday afternoon for the funeral. The comforting service was conducted by the church pastor, Dr. Harvey Baker Smith, who said in part:

"We honor the memory today of an unusual woman. For years she lived behind the black curtain of blindness. Her dependence upon others for many things which, with sight, she could have done for herself, created within her, a spirit of appreciation that was remarkable.

"The years are long when sight leaves us. Life withdraws into the acutely intimate contacts that are immediate. The voice of a friend or loved one, the handclasp of a friend opens fellowships in which the days shorten and the hours become brighter. Our friend clung to her friends and loved ones with pathetic eagerness. Often she must have felt like the poet who said—

"I want to let go but I won't let go.

There are battles to fight, for God and the right And I'll never let go."

"Eleven living children today bless her memory. Within the home her hands had that unflinching industry that such a family demanded. Beyond the mere duties of caring for the home, her services were spent in uncounted ways for those she loved. Until her passing, she was the devoted help and companion of her husband. When he was taken, she moved to Marshall and has made her home here ever since. Her children have been thoughtful and devoted to her needs.

Her faith was real and her prayers were that each of her family might be led into the church of the Living God.

We bring today, the service memory to the church. Often we had expressed the desire to come. Nature has exacted the final toll from her weary. Her spirit we commit to heavenly Father."

The "Old Rugged Cross" and "The Way of the Cross" were sung by Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs.

B. E. Shaw, and Mrs. Owen Rawlings. Mrs. Smith sang "Shadows" as a solo. Professor Frank Q. T. Utz, organist, was the accompanist.

Burial was at the Napton Cemetery. The pall bearers were J. N. Hollywood, Ernest Harvey, Robert Stafford, Frank Evans, Frank Weislocher, and Edgar LeFavre.

There were many lovely flowers, expressions of sympathy and love which were in charge of Mrs. O. G. Moore, Jr., Miss Nellie McGraw, Miss Irene McGraw, Miss Anna Belle Halsey, and Misses Ida and Mae Weislocher.

Beulah Grant McGraw, daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Grant, was born in the county near Hardeman October 7, 1876. She was married to William S. McGraw in June, 1893. They established their home on a farm in the Napton community, where she continued to live until a few years ago, when she came to Marshall for residence. Mr. McGraw died in 1932.

Surviving her are three daughters and eight sons: Mrs. Ollie Garrett, Clay McGraw, T. S. McGraw, Harry McGraw, Miles McGraw, Frank McGraw, Mrs. Claud Hinton, William McGraw, John McGraw, Miss Jane McGraw, and Charles McGraw, all of Marshall and the county. John and Charles and Miss Jane McGraw reside in the home. Two children died in infancy. Five sisters survive, Mrs. Charles Harvey, Mrs. C. J. Payton, and Mrs. Ida Mull of the county, Mrs. Willeta Reedy of Idaho, and Mrs. Robert Kincaid of Oklahoma.

Mrs. McGraw was a member of the Presbyterian church at Hardeman. Her home had been the realm of her activities, where with wisdom and kindness she had reared her large family of children, who during her long invalidism saw that she had every comfort possible. She had been a loyal and devoted wife and mother. In the county where she had spent so many years of her life, she made many friends who are saddened by her passing.

### Still Funeral Was Friday

Services Were Held at Sweeney Chapel at 2 o'clock. Burial at Antloch

Funeral services for Mrs. Florence Still, who died Wednesday, September 25, at a hospital in Columbia, were held at 2 o'clock Friday at the Sweeney Chapel, conducted by Dr. Frank Evans. Burial was

at the Antloch cemetery.

A quartet composed of Shelby Wilson, Homer Rich, Miss Dora Leonard, and Mrs. J. M. Stivers, accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Fichtorn sang "In the Garden," "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Have Thine Own Way, Lord."

Burial was at Antloch cemetery and the pall bearers were Ray Donnell, John Vardeman, Ben Cundiff, Lawrence Crockett, Jerome Howard, and Henry King.

The many beautiful flowers, expressions of love and esteem, were in charge of Mrs. J. E. Jackson, Mrs. Ernest Hardin, Mrs. A. L. Worley, and Mrs. Jesse Wall, all members of the Wednesday club with Mrs. Still.

Florence Cundiff Still, daughter of John S. Cundiff and Nancy Herndon Cundiff, was born August 25, 1868 near Herndon. She was married to William H. Still, April 25, 1886.

Surviving her are two daughters, Mrs. Harold King, 511 East Yerby, and Mrs. Judson Wood of the county; a sister and two brothers, Mrs. G. W. Stroud of Marshall, Warren Cundiff of Sweet Springs, and L. W. Cundiff, of Wichita Falls, Tex.; a grandson, Woodrow King and a great grandson, Jack Richard King of Marshall, and several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Still had spent the greater part of her life in this county. She was a member of the Rebekah Lodge and the Noble Grand Association and was a member of the Wednesday club.

She held membership in the Baptist church and had lived a consistent Christian life. Kindly in disposition, she had made many friends. She had been a devoted mother and grandmother.

For several years Mrs. Still had lived in the homes of her daughters, dividing her time between the two homes.

Those here from a distance to attend the service were C. C. Still of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. George Akeman, Warren Cundiff, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Donnell, Mrs. Taylor Hoole and daughter, Doris, all of Sweet Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Carter and Mr. William Henegar of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Henry King of Blackburn, and Mrs. William Mallman of Napton.

SMITH CHAPEL AND SHILOH Ernest T. Bailey, pastor, preaching service at Shiloh at 10 o'clock and at Smith Chapel at 7:30 p. m. The committee on evangelism at Shiloh approved the proposition of holding a revival meeting in that church beginning

### Bailey Funeral Was Friday

Services at Sweeney Chapel Conducted by Dr. Ferguson, Assisted by Dr. Smith

Funeral services for John D. Bailey, who died Tuesday, were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Sweeney Funeral Home, conducted by Dr. D. K. Ferguson, assisted by Dr. Harvey Baker Smith. Many friends of Mr. Bailey and his family were in attendance.

The songs, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "The City Four Square," and "God Will Take Care of You" were sung by Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. B. E. Shaw, Mrs. Owen Rawlings, and Mrs. Harvey Baker Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Evans.

The pall bearers were U. G. Hoffman, Les Herndon, L. E. Benedick, Charles Cromley, John Howard, and Will Ridge.

Burial was in Ridge Park cemetery where the many and beautiful flowers were arranged on the grave.

Those here from a distance were a daughter, Mrs. Eva Bailey of Blair, Neb.; a son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bailey, Jr. of Eolia, Mo.; a niece, Mrs. Mabel Shinkel, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hutchinson of Kansas City, Mrs. Marie Bailey and daughters, Mrs. Lillian Wade, Mrs. Margaret Bailey and Mr. James Jones of Moberly.

### G. H. Chamberlain Died Wednesday

Funeral Arrangements Have Not Been Completed. Burial Will Be at Ridge Park

George H. Chamberlain of Norton, 64 years old, died Wednesday morning about 6:20 o'clock at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Campbell, 550 South Ellisworth, where he had been ill for a month.

The funeral will be held at the Herbersberger Funeral Chapel but the hour and day have not been announced. Burial will be at Ridge Park Cemetery.

Mr. Chamberlain was born June 16, 1876, a son of Peter and Mary Langan Chamberlain.

Surviving him are a daughter and son, Mrs. John House, and George W. Chamberlain, Jr., four sisters, Mrs. Emily Mitchell, Mrs. Nora Bennett, Mrs. Charles Page, and Mrs. Campbell, at whose home he died.

### Mrs. Ruby Crain Dies At Kansas City

Funeral Services Were Tuesday Afternoon at the Sweeney Funeral Home Here

Mrs. Ruby Crain, wife of Jack Crain, passed away at 10:20 o'clock Sunday morning in Kansas City. Mrs. Crain was 22 years old and had many friends in Marshall. Her husband was killed in a train accident near Marshall. She was known to many of the people here.

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