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Rites for Wade Little Were Friday

Services were held at
Malta Bend Methodist Church
conducted by Rev. Firestone

The Malta Bend Methodist Church was filled to capacity Friday afternoon for the funeral service of Wade H. Little.

The comforting funeral sermon was delivered by the Rev. Lyman Firestone, pastor.

The songs, "Sometime We'll Understand" and "Crossing the Bar" were sung by Mrs. Lyman Firestone, Mrs. Ralph Simpson, L. W. Shultz and Johnny Dingley, accompanied by Mrs. L. W. Shultz.

Burial was in the Malta Bend Cemetery. The pall bearers were Richard Stockman, Albert Mitchell, Lester Nye, G. W. Franklin, Joe Dockard and J. M. Williams.

The many beautiful flowers were arranged by Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. Carmen Henke, Mrs. William Kennedy, Mrs. Albert Ross, Mrs. Eugene Carter and Miss Helen Sullens.

Mr. Little was taken to the hospital January 26 and on January 27 submitted to an operation. His condition had since been critical.

Wade Hampton Little, a son of George W. and Laura Louella Little, was born May 17, 1877, at Lanesville, an old river town north of Malta Bend. He grew to manhood and spent the greater part of his life in the vicinity where he was born. He was married December 24, 1899, to Mary Ellen Hill of the same community.

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Malta Bend; three grandchildren, William Wade Haynie, C. F. Haynie, Jr., and Carladean Haynie; one brother, Ernest D. Little. A brother and sister died while small children. Mr. Little's mother died January 3 and an uncle, Charles B. Little is critically ill in Bethany Hospital in Kansas City.

Mr. Little, optimistic by nature and thoroughly enjoyed life; he was particularly fond of all types of sports. As a husband and father he was devoted and indulgent; he was loyal and fair minded toward his neighbors and associates.