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## Married.

Last Sunday afternoon at the
home of the bride, six miles west of town, Mr. E. G. Cauble and Miss Mary Anderson were united
in the bonds of wedlock, Rev Wilson Co Rogers officiating.
Last Monday evening at 8:30 o'olock at the home of the bride'
mother, Mre. S. C. Martin, Mr. mother, Mrs. S. C. Martin, Mr. Martin were united in marriage Rev. Wilson C. Rogers performei Rev. Wison C. Rogers performei happy couple man and wife.
Reagan's soda fountain is the popular place.

## High School Graduating Ex ercises.

 Last Friday evening the opera house was filled with an eager,expectant, patient gathering of expeotant, patient gathering of
the friends of the graduating the friends of the graduating
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addreesees of the graduates were all good and ehowed much careful study and preparation.
At the close of the exerciee the graduates were presented
with diplomas, and they all gion with diplomas, and they all go
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students, teachers and friends for their succeess in life.
Miss Helen Vaughan, valedioship of the Texas Christian University, Btate University, South western University at George. town and the Polyfeohnic College at Fort Worth. She wae also given the gold medal present:
ed by B. Reagan for the beet original essay or story.
400 Pounds Flour for Paste
and 900 Yards Canvass and 900 Yards Canvass In our mention last week of the various articles bought in
Anson by the Switzer Lumbe Anson by the Switzer Lumber
Co., for use in their building oontract for the Lee-Norrifo Land $\&$ Immigration Co., at the new town of Lees, in Glassoock county, we negleoted 0 slaw
that they purchased 400 pound of flour to make paste for hang. ing the wall paper in the largt hotel and business offices now
under construation at the new town of Loes. They also pup ohised 800 yarav- ot domestio load of material was shipped trom Anson to the new townsite, $\pm$ Pacifio rillond ahioh in miles, on last Monday, and the carpentere are now on the ground pushing the work
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Eleotric lighte will be shedding
their glory over that embryo city and the printing pross will and the printing press will b advantages of seeking a home in that land which nature has endowed with so many supren
virtues.- Western Reporter.
A. L. Wasson and family hav moved here from Colorado.

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## Memorial Services

Sunday afternoon memoria ervicos were held at Mt. Olive oometery. There was a tairly ood atendanoe and an interest-program of prayers, song
nd addreases. Reva. Jamea E Iorris and E. S. Bledsoo made ry interesting and appropriate ks. A good many carried
wers and evergreens with which ey deoorated the graves of ved ones.
The cemetery presents a very arked iorderly appearance and ble in every part of the grounds. ie ladies of the Cemetory Asso iation have done a grand and ince they work in the three years tery in charge and wo mo earaily oommend them for it, It you want anything done properly
just let the women have a chance it.

For County Attorney.
We are suthorized to announc W. T. McPherson as a candidate for County Attoruey for Howard County, subject to the action of
the Democratic primary. Mr. MoPherson is a practioing attorney and has been for nine years aving graduated from the law epartment of the State Univer y in 1901 with the degree o . L. B. He has been identifie ith the interests of Weet Texa nd Big Springs for severa oars, has boen a citizen and
for more then year, and eels that he has been a citizen onger from the fact that he did business with Big Springs people during his entire retidence in his part of the State, there is not
stranger to many of our peo stranger to many of our peo-
ple. His experience in the prac tiee of law fully qualifies him for tice of law fully qualifies him for he office which he seeks at the ty, and he respectfully asks the careful consideration of all whe the 23rd of July comes 'round.
Doctors Have Changed Dates. On account of the meeting of tion which will be held in ouis in June, the eonvention he Big Springs-El Paso Distric Association, which has been an nnunced to meet in Midland on June Oth, has been postpone and will not be held until June 21st. This will give the members of the
tunity
unity to attend the St. Louis ment of the Association have

Mey Have Said of Women.
Do not strike a woman even
with a flower.-Hindoc Proverb.
Woman's sword is her tongue, and she do
Bruyere.
If the world was lost by a wo-
man, woman alone can save it.-
Louis de Beaufort
Women who love forgive grave indiscretions more easily th tittle infidelities.-La Rochefau o iuld
$A^{\circ}$ woman never forgets her sex. She would always rather
talk to a man than to an angel. talk to a man than to an
-Oliver Wendell Holmes.
-Oliver Wendell Holmes. pity the virtue of woman. The dea of seeing a woman filling the office of magistrate is laughable, but Sisters of Charity are
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at A. P. MoDonald \& Co,a.

Eagles Give Banquet.
Last Tuesday evening Loo
Last Tuesday evening Local
Aerie No 1716 , Fraternal Order Aerie $\mathrm{No}^{-1716, ~ F r a t e r n a l ~ O r d e r ~}$
of Eagles, following Its annual Eagles, following its annual Hall which was one of the social events of the season and was
attended by a large number of embers and friends of the or-
"A feast of good things for the
mind" was in store for those
was in store for those present and the hearty applause
which followed each number on the program showed the audince to be in a receptive and salient features of the evening' entertainment we may mention vecal solos by Misses Allison and Tansitt; addresses by Messrs. F. O. Kelly and C. A. Schull of this city and Mr. Springman of Sweetwater; music by the Helen neans least, refreshments wer erved as only Big Springs peopl know how to serve them
Cone Johnson Club Organized. Tuesday night at a meeting held at the Court house a Cone ohnson Club was organized with
lourteen members. T. B. Davi ourteen members. T. B. Davis
was elected president and O. T. Long eecretary. Seven lista ar being circulated for members and he list is growing. One list we pected to complate 40 name is exion next Tuesday night at whiz time the country precinots will be organized.

Ready for Business
Yes! We are here sure enough ight in the center of Blg Spring with the best Business College and girls; they need our boya bring them to see us. Buy a scholarship for them now while will pay you to see us now
Big Springs' Business Academy
Capital City Letter.
Austin, Texas, May 30, 1910 Vital statistios of the State Health Department for Apri show 4579 births and 2508 deaths. Tuberculosis was the leading cause of death with pneumonia a close second. There were nine deaths from the dread pellagra. The State Purchasing Agent as issued the schedule of supplies needed for the state eleemosynary institutions during the welve months beginning Sep-

Petition for Vote on Submission
Petitions are being oirculated over the state asking the State Executive Committee to place c party in the July Demooratproposition for the submission of State- Wide Prohibition Constithe peopla by thent e vote of Legislature. It will require a pe tition by one-tenth of the votera to get the proposition submitted, ed in this county being circulat ple a chance to ask for submision if they want it. We feel that the required per cent of the
voters of this County will readily sign the petitions, which have to be sent in by the 13th.
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June 29. Bids are to be opened approximately $\$ 1,000,000$ worth of goods, which is approximately 20 per cent more than last year. Land Commissioner Robinson is notifying those whose land is subject to forfeiture for nonpay ment of interest due Nov. 1 ol the amount due and that their land will be forfeited if paymen is not made. The payments are coming in at the rate of $\$ 15,000$ to $\$ 25,000_{\mathrm{c}}$ a day at the present time. The forfeiture of the lands will not be declared before June According to the State Health Department, hog cholera of malignant type has made its ap pearance in a herd of hogs in Health Offic. As soonn as State Health Officer Brumby was ad vised of the appearance of thi disease among hogs in Travis county he immediately wired to livestock sanitary commisaion al San Angelo, to at onmee send sufficient quantity of serum inoculate twenty-five sorum to as soon as this eive hogs, and hogs will be inoculated es prevent the digeses from ing.
Under the caption "College Cooper, the Bible," Clayton 8 Men's Chriatian Aesociation of the United States, in a recent is ue of the Century Magazine reviews the work done along re gious lines in the more impor and universities of 1908-1909, and in his summan places the University of Texa sents in the number of men stu

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## Local and Personal

## D. C. Riley of Coahoma was

## D.ere Monday

Next Monday is "Trades Day" Big Springs.
Mrs. L. H. Jarvis visited rela ves in Stanton last week.
G. W. Amas and wife of Center Point were in town Tuesday Vistal kills ants and roaches 50 c and 51.00 . Blles a Gentry Deé Davis and wife of Baird dsited relatives here last week Prof. Lackey, Superintenden of Schools at Midland, was here Saturday.
A marriage license was issued Monday to O. G. Petty and Miss Alma Martin.
Will P. Edwards and two sons were here Sunday from Glass cock eounty
S. E. Slayton returned Saturday from a two week's visit to East Taxas.

- You can store away your furniture at G. D. Hall's furniture atore at reasonable rates.
Mrs. Poffenbauch and children left Monday night for Alpine on $s$ visit to roletives.
Miss Ora Allen returned Fri Ariends at Stanton.
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F. O. Allen returned Saturday re looking fine up there.
If you want to exchange ol see G D. Hall, 216 Main St.
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Mre, S. A. Perix and two sons Chauncey and Lindsey, visite latives in Lamess
Last week G. C. Canble pur chased 380 head of steers of Wasson Bros. of Dawson county.
Dr. Layne returned Friday ight from a visit to Roscoe, and while there sold a house and aree lots.
Your preseriptions will be correctly filled at Biles \& Gentry' Drug Store.
Vistal is a superior disinfectmoths. Biles \& Gentry's Drug tore.
Mra. Lee Minter left Sunday tor her home at Mingus after J. I. Prichard and wife.

Prot. King left Monday fo the Summer Normal He wil he Summer Normal. He wil department.
Word was received here th Worth that Ira Ford, who is in F orth ior medical treatment, un getting along very well.

Mrs. W. O. Miller will leave
tonight tor Baird where ehe goee io join her husband.
Rev. Brown has accepted the call of the Baptist church at Con-one-fourth time.
Why suffer from the hot weath when you can get an electric fan and keep cool for 10 cents a day, See L. L. Stephenson, the ligh
man. J. M. McCarson of Ferris,Tex. passed through Wednesday en visit his daughter, Mrs. Bailey Rev. P. Hawl, Mrs. Bailey Rev. P. Hawkins will fill the pulpit in the Baptist church a tor being next Sunday, their pas Holy Land.
Frank Good of Dawson coun ty was here Tuesday and sai crop and range conditions ar geod up here. A hail last week uno his loed crop. "Mound City Paints may cost
trifle more, but-1
B. Reagan." Rev, S Thompson of Cisc was here Tuesday. He was Su perintendent of Schools here, sev eral years and has many friends among our people who
ways glad to meet him.
Powder that kills flies and a
insects, insects, at Biles \& Gentry's.
In a difficulty which took place at Coahoma Thursday between G. L. Walters and a man named badly bruised up and was uncon scious for about twelve hours.
Try those new drinks at Rea-
gan's fountain.
Rev. Wilson C. Rogers lef Tuesday night for a ten days Viney to Worth, Dallas and ineyard. In his absence Rev . EMorris will fill the pulpit a and Sunday night.
Trade at the place that does the business-you get service
and quality there. That is Reagan's.
John Bates and W. R. Purse attended the filth Sunday meet ing at Vincent, and John say hey ateso much that both hem had to stand in water Sun day night to keep from founder ing.
Cet the habit of looking through
my stock of furniture. If you dont buy yqu won't need any. G. D. Hall, 216 Main St.

One night recently a party of young men were speeding their buto along the streets at a speed hailed by Marahal Sullivan they ofused to marshal they passed him, a shot from hi they passed him, a shot from his
pistol brought them to a standstill right now.

Don't throw your old hat away or send it away. Take it to At | kins, the hatter, and have |
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| made as good as new. |



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## R. L. McCAMANT

 M Misses Nilla and Rubie Cromvell are attending the Summer Normal at San Marcos which is building at that place.
Mr. and Mrs, Shepherd, former residents of Big Springs but now of Gomez, were in town Wednesday trading and to meet their daughter who has been attending Baylor Female College at Belton.
Why Dread Ironing Day? Let us install you an electric 11. Stephenson, the Light Man Dr. J. C. MeKinnon, who recently graduated from the American Medical College, St. Louis, with first honors, is visiting his waiting for the State Board waiting for the State Board Medical Examiners, which meet
in Austin June 28-29. in Austín June 28-29.
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Here is what the leading lard packer says in a recent advertisement: "Leaf is the cream of lards. There is not enough of it to supply one-tenth of the people, and so it goes only to those who insist upon it."
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ike you are ", "just out of the bandbox." Take your ooiled cothing. your baggy trousers,
your delapidated Pruetorian Didated hat, etc., to the
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Just try them once.

Industrial Item
The "devil", has washed the office towel and now thinks he is entitled to membership in the civic league.
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atores that have electric fans stores that have electric fans and the ones that have no fans.
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Drug Store.
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well as as superintendent of ou well as Superintenndent of our entire cilizenship of Big Bprings joins the Enterprise in wibhing him success and happiness in his new nome.

## GHURGH SERVIGES <br> Methodist Church. Sunday School at $9: 45 \mathrm{a}$. m. Preaching at $11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and $8: 30$ m. m. by the pastor. Chas. W. Hearon, Pastor. At the Christian Church <br> Supday school at $9: 45$. Sutayy sehool at 9:45. Preaching at $11: 00$ Subject: Charity," In the evening a Subject: "H How dessings come to invited to attend <br> > E. S. Bledsoe, Pastor. <br> <br> E. S. Bledsoe, Pastor. <br> <br> E. S. Bledsoe, Pastor. <br> First Presbyterian Church Mgin and FFith Sis. Sabbath School Moring service and sermon, Evening service and sermon, <br> $\qquad$ <br> Baptist Church Services <br> Sundiy school $9: 45 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.  <br> m . Union 4:30 p. m. Sr. r. Union $5: 30$ $\mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{m}$. <br> Sr. Union $4: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Jr. Union $5: 30$ p. . Preaching $8: 15$ <br> Preaching 8:15 p. m. Don't forget that you are in <br> In the absese services. In the dabence of the partor next sunday. Rev. J. E. Morrie ill fill the pulp it at bot will fill the pulpit at both hours. the pastor desires the member-- thip $\begin{aligned} & \text { give Bro. Morris a good }\end{aligned}$ Wilson C. Roaers, Paetro. <br> Can You Beat This? <br> A 82.00 razor, a 81.00 hone, a all for 82.00 . Striclly  <br> CITY CHILI PARLOR <br> Eggs and Nico chith and <br> | Eggs and Nico Tamalea |
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Use Libby's and tell your friends how good it is.

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er. mankind and set the herd amilling is its desire The old Roman emperors wer experts in this line. When mat ters grew grievous at home the bert Hubbard.

Davidson is outting into the Colquitt vote so much in South Texas that it is fast being recog. nized that the governorship is in no danger of being won by th antis. Davidson is also hurting Johnson all over the State, all o which is pleasing to the Poindex ter advocates,-Taylor County News.

West Texas minister ha been honored by the general as aembly of the Southern Presby terian church, having been elect ed permanent clerk. A Wes Texas ominister was honored by the general conference of the M . E. Church South, having been elected bishop. What's the mat ter with West Texas?"-San An gelo Standard.
There is not a thing the matter with West Texas. She alway shows her hand.
Railróads are very essential to the growth of a town but rail they bring, are not the only enterprises that a town or country West Texas but that-would raise grod sized bonus to land rais or railroad, and this is well buth there is not a town or hamlet in West Texas but that is surrounded by anvundeveloped but fertile country that needs farmers till the soil and develop the country's resources. The basis of the prosperity of almost every community in West Texas reste upon the farms, and most enterprises that a town gets, that benefit the town, owe their existence and prosperity to the farms. We need more railroads in this country it is true, but we need more farmers to plant the waste place in suitable crops, to get bigge yields from the land now in cul tivation in order that the rail roads may have something to haul and that manulaeturing enterprises may have raw material upon which to work. If Weet Texas had all the farmers that i could support, the railroads and other paying enterprises could hardly be kept out with a standing army.- Roscoe Times.

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are nected here anid, will pay handsome dividend on the investment.
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orge ahead much faster than it orge ahead much inster ham it except for the indifference citizens.
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ever attended the coll-ge to be pres - nt for the commenceement Governor Campbell is also in vied. It is the one big gala at-
fair. At the exerciges there will be a dedioation of a ne weel hag pole, the gift of the Mouzon will deliver the commencement sermon and Thornwell Fay, head of the Harrima lines in Texas, will be the com mencement speaker.

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The penple are waiting to pee if Berry a Devenport are going to give 'em away next.
The Epworth League held a very ploseant meeting Wednesduy evening at the home of Mrs. Ayers.
You can buy a straw hat at your own prioe at
A. P. MoDonald \& Co's. B. Reagan went to Midland this morning to attend an annive.sary meeting of the W. O. W. Camp of that town.
June 2 nd will bo remembered ase a very hot day. In faot the hotteat this season. The tomporature ran up to 102 in th poratur
G. W. Long, wife and baby ame in from Garden City yee
terday and will probably their home here.
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J. M. Miner of Coleman came Saturday, having been called son, $\mathrm{W}_{\mathrm{m}}$. Miner. The young man is improving.
The result of the straw vote for governor, which closed yeeterday at Wards drugstore, was
as follows: Colquitt, 67; Johnas follows: Colquitt, 67; John-
son, 47; Poindexter, 32; Davidson, 47;
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Mra. Batton, who has been in
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ple that have taken up land op there are very well pleased.
We have been reliably informed that eontract for the construction of a briek echool building in the Cole \& Strayhorn addition will be let tomorrow. That part of town is coming to the front, it is a little slow but it is coming just the same.
Prof. A. D. Ellis and family left last night for Sweetwater where they will reside in future. Prof. Ellis has been Superintendent of schools here the past three years and he and his excellent family have made many friends during their stay among us who regret to see them leave. He will not engage in teaching again, but said before leaving that were he to continue teaching there is no place that would suit him as well as Big Springs and that he will always oherish a kindly feeling for the people of this town and especinily the school board, teachers and pupils for their kindness to him and their appreciation of his work,
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