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H. M. Morrison Is Appointed County Judge.

The commissioners court appointed H. M. Morrison county judge of this county Wednesday morning. This was good news to the many friends of Mr. Morrison, as his ability is well known here, having been a practicing attorney here for some time, we could say nothing that would be of interest, beyond we feel the office is in good hands as it was when under Judge Dale, and that the interest of the county will be guarded well under Morrison. There were three applicants for the position and while all three were good men and able ones, too, but we feel the commissioners have made a good choice.

The Christian parsonage was the scene of a quiet wedding Wednesday evening the contracting parties being Miss Mamie Horn and Mr. Lee Powell. These young people are well known here where they have a large circle of friends who wish for them a happy and prosperous married life. Rev. Bledsoe officiated.

Mrs. J. S. Cordill Entertains.

One of the prettiest social events in the history of Big Springs was pulled off Tuesday evening at the Palace hotel in honor of Judge L. A. Dale and wife. There were many who came to be at the last entertainment given Judge Dale and all went away with words of congratulation for Mrs. Cordill as an entertainer and words of praise for the pretty decorated dining hall.

After the rendition of a nice program all were invited into the dining hall where there was served a course of ice cream and cake. After this Rev. Bledsoe made a nice talk followed by an enjoyable one by Judge Dale.

A fine young man arrived at the home of Frank Connell Sunday morning. He seems to be well pleased with the looks of everything and the kind treatment he has received, has about persuaded him to remain here for awhile and get a better view of everything. Frank is all smiles and says the world looks brighter to him. Mother and child both doing well.

2,000 People Attend Soash Picnic

The picnic at Soash Monday was one well attended and enjoyed by some 2,000 people who came with no other view beyond spending a day in social enjoyment. The people seemed to come from every quarter of the country, until by 12 o'clock the grounds seemed to be a surging mass of pleasure seekers.

Soash is one of the finest located places for a good town as can be found anywhere. Situated in a belt of rich land settled up by a thrifty and industrious class of people, it is bound to become the leading inland burg from Big Springs, and in the event of a railroad will no doubt develop into a place of considerable note.

The forenoon was spent in looking over the ground and viewing the bright prospects for the future outcome of the place. To those who attended the picnic they are bound to have been impressed with the beauty of the surrounding country and the embracing quality of the breezes that constantly blow from the south. It seems more like you were standing beside some gulf inhaling the sea-breezes than in some western inland town.

About 12 o'clock dinner was announced and everybody moved in one mass to the garage, which had been transformed into a dining hall, where they found long tables covered with delicious viands. Everybody seemed to enjoy this dinner to the full extent and there was heard on every side words of congratulation for the quality of the barbecued meat.

Afternoon the crowd was given a series of entertainment in the way of baseball game, tournament and bronco busting which was enjoyed by all. The baseball game between Lamesa and Soash, seemed to have been the most interesting thing of the evening. Was a good game and well played by all, resulting in a score of 7 to 8 in favor of Lamesa. After a day of unequalled pleasure, as the shadows began to fall across the prairie, there could be heard the sweet music of the Mexican band and soon vast crowds of dancers were thronging the floor for a few hours of social pleasure.

Everybody left with words of congratulation for the pleasant treatment they received and hoping to soon have a return of such a day of pleasure.

CULTIVATOR TIME

The rains have come and are still coming. We have had one inch more rain now than Fort Worth has, so it is up to us this year to make a bumper crop for the Big Springs country. We are in position to help you with the strongest lines of cultivators in the world.

The Case, The Canton and The Texas Ohio

Four or six shovel, round or flat shank; we also have a new improved two row cultivator with ten shovels. We have sold several of these and they are doing the work of two single row cultivators. They are not an experiment, they are a success; we guarantee them.

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are going like hot cakes. We have the Ohio and the Canton, lots of them, but they won't last always. Come and see us, we are the implement people.

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WHOLESALE

RETAIL

City Council Meets.

City council met in regular session Tuesday night with all councilmen present, and after reading the minutes the regular work was taken up as follows:

An ordinance regulating the speed of automobiles was adopted and will be found in another place in this paper.

Motion carried that the secretary draw warrant for \$5.00 payable to Howard county, being full payment for leased ground on northwest corner of square for year 1909.

Motion carried that the city ask for bids to construct a city hall, the exterior vault and engine room to be complete, with the right to reject any all bids.

The mayor appointed a committee of S. A. Penix and R. P. Jackson to instruct bidders, the amount to be built.

Motion carried that city adopt grades of Main and Rundles and cross streets as submitted by Bert Ramsey and a motion carried that the city employ Ramsey to establish grade from 1st to 9th, consideration \$7.50.

Motion carried that secretary instruct all property owners or agents on Main street to appear in council meeting on August 3, to show why they cannot build buildings to conform to the city ordinance.

The tax rate of 1908 was adopted for the year 1909. The mayor was instructed to appoint a board of equalization.

The secretary was instructed to pay off labor and material on bridge built by J. G. Doby.

Mr. Merrill, living on the Chas. Morris place 8 miles north of town, had two valuable horses killed by lightning Friday afternoon.

Get a new cherry red four-in-hand tie at A. P. McDonald & Co.

Baptist Revival.

The revival meeting conducted by Evangelist E. M. McConnell, under the auspices of the Baptist church at the large tabernacle, closed last Sunday night. Every one who heard Rev. McConnell pronounced him a great and forceful scriptural preacher. The meeting has been a great spiritual uplift to our city, and many will remember it all their lives. An invitation was extended to him to come again next year by almost the entire congregation standing to their feet in the closing service. The meeting run only 10 days; and the results were about 30 conversions and 11 additions to the Baptist church, with several others who said they would join other churches. The pastor, Rev. Wilson C. Rogers, wishes us to express thanks for himself and his congregation to one and all who in any way took part or assisted

in the success of the meeting. Rev. McConnell also expressed himself as being delighted with the hospitality of the good people of Big Springs. Over \$200 was contributed to Rev. McConnell for his services.

FOR SALE—Sixteen acres of land within a short distance of the corporate limits of Big Springs. Will make a fine truck farm. For price and terms call at The Enterprise office.

Miss Erin Kinnery left Friday night for a visit to Dallas and Fort Worth.

A small young man arrived at the home of J. W. Shnell and wife Tuesday morning, and is so well pleased with the treatment he is receiving and the climate of Big Springs that he has decided to make his home with them. J. W. is about the happiest man in town.

A Most Hearty Welcome

to each of you who visit our store, and we are anxious that you become a customer if not already one. Our groceries are fresh, you know we are styled

The Pure Food Grocers

If its to eat, we have it. We carry feed stuff of all kinds, such as oats, chops, bran, hay, etc. Remember that you don't have to pay long time prices when you buy from us.

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Ward Building

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Local and Personal

W. J. Shank, of Garden City, was here Wednesday.

Carbon to kill your prairie dogs, at Biles & Gentry's.

A. M. McCright, of Coahoma, was here Tuesday.

Visit Reagan's fountain, the popular place, and be pleased.

John Phillips and Will Burns of North Concho were in town Tuesday.

Jones & McGowen first door south of McCamant Drug Store.

J. D. Cunningham was in the city Tuesday shaking hands with friends.

Have just received a shipment of Lowney's candies. Biles & Gentry.

Mrs. Barry returned to her home at Coahoma Tuesday evening.

Smokers can always find what they want in cigars at Biles & Gentry.

Cris Shopper and John Currie, of Glasscock county, were here Wednesday.

Miss Tena King was among the shoppers from the country in town Tuesday.

Miss Mary Akins, of Lubbock, is visiting her mother for a few days this week.

Wedding bells are ringing. Buy your wedding presents at Reagan's.

Mrs. Mullins went over on Tuesday's train to Abilene for a few days visit with relatives.

Kresso Dip, the best disinfectant known, 35 cents per pound, at Reagan's.

Chas. D. Wallace, of Dilley, was here this week on a visit to his parents, H. C. Wallace and wife.

Let us write your cotton insurance. The cost is small and the protection is great.

Hartzog & Coffee.

Mrs. Buler Bradley, cousin of Mrs. J. E. Moon, came in on Tuesday's train from El Paso for a few days visit in the city.

No risk to run by taking your prescriptions to Reagan's to be filled. The price is always right.

Mrs. Jack Holman and Miss Effie Campbell, of Midland, are the guests of P. B. Posey and family this week.

See H. B. Arnold for anything in sheet metal work, will please you if I can. Am no amateur workman.

Mrs. F. E. Thompson, of Italy, arrived here Wednesday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Bledsoe.

We receive new shipments of shoes each week. See our stock before you buy. A. P. McDonald & Co., the men and gent's furnishers.

Mrs. Nettie Ashley, mother of Mrs. J. E. Moon, came in from Clinton, Ky., Wednesday morning. Mrs. Ashley will make this her home in the future.

The newest and most complete stock of groceries in the city at Jones & McGowen, first door south of McCamant Drug Store.

Miss Lula McGee came in over in the auto Tuesday from Garden City where she had been visiting relatives and left over the evening train for her home in Brownwood.

See H. B. Arnold for anything in sheet metal work, will please you if I can. Am no amateur workman.

The foundation of the new Edgings building is completed and work will soon begin on the walls and will be pushed to a speedy completion. This will be one of the nicest buildings in the city when completed.

We have a few more pairs of fine worsted pants left. You had better see them as they are the best to be had in this market.

A. P. McDonald & Co.

The Place to Buy

Hardware, Glass and Queensware, Wagons, Buggies, Plows, Windmills and water supply materials of all kinds is at our store. We can fit you up with any kind of galvanized sheet iron work from our own shop. :: :: ::

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Buy the best--Buy Eupion

Eupion Oil has stood the test and has been considered the highest standard grade of oil in Texas for over fifty-two years and still holds the lead in the oil field. It is the only non-explosive oil that is sold--barring none.

Ask your grocer for Eupion and take no other

J. O. Gibson, the tailor, in the front basement of the Ward building, makes a specialty of cleaning and pressing clothing. 22-tf.

T. H. Johnson Land Co., report the sale of 320 acres of land northwest of town belonging to T. A. Gaskins to J. H. Haynie at \$22 per acre. Also 147 acres in Victoria county at \$40 per acre.

Nothing more appropriate than cut glass and silverware for wedding gifts. Complete line of both at Reagan's.

It has been estimated that one hundred people from our town spent the Fourth in El Paso. All report a pleasant trip, and carried away with the beauty of the border city.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gently stimulate the liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system, cure constipation and sick headache. Sold by all druggists.

Jerry, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoekerton, was kicked by a horse late Saturday evening fracturing the skull in three different places. The chances for his recovery are slight.

Lubricating oil in bulk, at Biles & Gentry's.

M. M. Hance, of St. Louis, who is interested in several stores, has bought the interest of J. F. Ball in the dry goods business of Ayers & Ball and the name of the new firm is Ayers & Hance Co.

Killed by Train

Word was received this morning from Stanton that a man had been killed just this side of that place by a train supposed to have been a freight train, early yesterday morning. The body was so mutilated from that identification was impossible. The man was supposed to have been riding a freight and in some manner fell off.



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are sold here because we believe they are the only kind fit to put in medicine intended to save and preserve life. We solicit any prescription work you may have. You'll not find our charges excessive.

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Woodmen Circle Entertain

Quite a crowd of the ladies of the Woodman Circle gave an entertainment at the hall last night that certainly bespeaks well for the quality of the entertainment of these good people. The out of town guests were from Stanton, consisting of some fifteen members from that camp. After initiating of some five members into the mysteries of the order, the people were served to delicacies of cream and cake.

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Big Springs, Texas

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emotions arising naturally under conditions like this one now present, that through acquaintance with Judge Dale's qualities of mind and heart, we have found him to be an honest, honorable and upright man.

"Having tested him we know that as a citizen he is true, enterprising and loyal to the best interests of the people amongst whom he lives, generously contributing his time, his means and his influence to every enterprise and agency devoted to the building up of a splendid citizenship and an ever increasing prosperity for them.

"As a public officer he is faithful and efficient, courageously discharging every duty incident to his office.

"Resolved, that while we are sad at losing for a time our citizen, beloved, trusted and honored, yet we are gratified at being able to loan him to the larger service of the state, confident that larger benefits will be dispensed through the enlarged opportunities thus afforded him, and we commend him to the citizenship amongst whom he goes to dwell and with whom his position may bring him in contact, but we request due and timely return of the loan we make."

No man ever left any office with more loyal friends than Judge Dale and at the same time no man ever discharged his duty more efficient than he has done during the past three years in this county. The many friends of the judge, throughout this county and adjoining counties wish for him the best success.

When the stomach fails to perform its functions, the bowels become deranged, the liver and kidneys congested causing numerous diseases. The stomach and liver must be restored to a healthy condition and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets can be depended upon to do it. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by all druggists.

J. L. Ward received a post card Wednesday from R. C. Sanderson, who is in Paris, France, and on the back of the card is the picture of a man with a large bay window. R. C. writes that he will look that way when he returns home.

Cheap Land For Sale.

One section of good black land, 18 miles north of town, all smooth but about 65 acres. Land is worth more than is asked for it, but the owner wants to sell and will take \$12.50 per acre; part cash, balance 1, 2, 3 and 4 years. For further information call at this office.

The congregation of the christian church at this place has secured the services of E. S. Bledsoe as pastor for another year. The church is to be congratulated upon retaining him as their pastor, as he is an able preacher and has done the church lots of good during the year he has been here.

Miss Ruth Roberts, neice of Mrs. J. E. Moon, came in on the train Wednesday for a few days visit with her little brother, Raymond, who is staying with Mrs. Moon.

FACTS

The features of DR. RUTHERFORD'S STOCK REMEDIES is Quality not quantity, medicine not food. If your horse or cow is not thriving give Dr. Rutherford's Blood Tonic, it will renovate the blood and leaves the system pure. Formula on box. Price, 50c. Sold by R. L. McCamant & Co., the druggists. 29

Moore School House Gathering

One of our successful meetings as has ever been held in Howard county by the Farmers Union, was pulled off Saturday at Moore school house, judging from the vast number of people there. An interesting program was well rendered and a most, sumptuous dinner followed. The program was opened by an address of welcome by Miss Norma Merrick, followed by a beautiful talk by Mrs. Shannon, both bespeaking well for the acquired ability of the young ladies. After this treat President Neil made an able talk which was well listened to by a packed house. He very ably took up each phase of the benefit of the Union and followed out in detail many worthy points. His speech aside from an able piece of oratory was one of great instruction. He pictured in glowing terms the birth and experimental state of the Union, and showed why it was no longer an experiment but a great factor in the political affairs of this country. He showed to his hearers the many advantages to be derived from a steady union among the farmer. A union of which the farmers were worthy to be ushered into. He showed where through the efforts of the leaders of the union they (the farmers) would be enabled to consume several millions of bales of cotton otherwise they would be unable to dispose of on the market.

In forcible language he raised vengeance on the gambling in futures and bucketshop schemes, each used to defraud the farmer of his just dues. Mr. Neil is an able speaker and whose heart and life work is for the upbuilding of the union, and lifting the farmers to a higher plane of living enabling them to build better homes and educate their children, is a fearless man in what he believes right. Were it not for such men our country would go into bankruptcy and no longer would freedom ring from the north to south, east to west, but instead a despotism under which the common people would be no more than slaves.

There were some other interesting talks made by Kinard and others whose names we did not learn. It would seem that we were doing justice to the men and injustice to the good women who prepared the dinner if we did not say a good word about it. If there ever was a good dinner in any place it certainly was at Moore Saturday. No one knows how to enjoy such good cooking who have always lived on such until they come to town and have to eat at the boarding houses, as you generally find a class of eating that it is hard to learn to enjoy. There could never have been a nicer dinner prepared than was given to the people at the union Saturday.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is necessary is to give the prescribed doses after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by all druggists.

Baptist Church.

All services held in circuit court room at court house. The pastor will speak on "The relationship of church and pastor." Preaching 8:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Junior Union 3 p. m., Senior Union 4:30 p. m., sunbeams at S. H. Morrison at 3 p. m. A full attendance of the membership is desired. All visitors heartily welcomed.

Wilson C. Rogers, Pastor.

Jno. E. B. Wallace returned Saturday from a visit to Los Angeles, Cal., Portland, Oregon, and Denver, Col., and reports a pleasant visit.

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An Ordinance Regulating the Speed of Automobiles and Motor Vehicles in the City of Big Springs

Be it ordained by the city council of the City of Big Springs, Texas, that it shall be unlawful for any person to run or operate an automobile or motor vehicle on any street in the city of Big Springs at a greater rate of speed than is hereinafter provided for within the limits as hereinafter set out.

(a) The speed of an automobile or motor vehicle shall not exceed ten miles per hour on Main, Runnells and Scurry streets between First and Seventh streets and on First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh streets between Runnells and Scurry streets.

(b) The speed of an automobile shall not exceed fifteen miles per hour on any street within that part of the city of Big Springs enclosed by the following boundaries: Being all of the original town section and being known as survey No. 43, township 1 north block No. 32 in Howard county. Beginning at southwest corner of said section, thence in a northerly direction with west line of said section one mile to a point near the southwest corner of the Bauer addition to city of Big Springs. Thence in an easterly direction with the north line of said section for one mile to the intersection of the Gail road with said section line to a point for corner. Thence in a southerly direction with east line of said section one mile to a corner, the same being near the northwest corner of the Cole & Strayhorn addition. Thence in a westerly direction

with south line of said section to place of beginning. Provided that the streets or limits as described in section a are not to be included in this section.

(c) Every person who violates any of the foregoing provisions shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

(d) All ordinances in conflict with the above and foregoing provisions are hereby repealed.

The rule requiring a second and third reading is hereby suspended and this ordinance passed at its first reading.

Approved this 7th day of July A. D., 1909.

G. D. Lee,
Mayor of the city of Big Springs.
M. D. Willis, Secretary

Mrs. C. M. Adams and daughters, Misses Byrd and Marion, of Colorado, Texas, accompanied by Miss Juanta Shropshire, of Colorado, Miss Almon Hooper, of Selmer, Ala., and Miss Louise Foster, of New Orleans, are here this week on a visit to B. C. Rix and family.

Painting.

I will guarantee all painting done by me. For particulars see M. D. McDonald, or address L. Box 604, Big Springs. 38-4w

Mrs. G. M. Whitley, of Alexandria, La., sister of Mrs. W. W. Rix, came in on the train Tuesday for a few days visit in the city.

The Baptists closed their meeting Sunday night after a weeks successful work. There were some sixty conversions and many who expressed themselves as being helped to a greater spiritual activity by the good sermons.



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required on that building of yours is a matter of importance

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Mrs. Joe McGowen is on the sick list but is improving

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J. C. Baird.

Frank Jones and family returned Sunday from a visit of several weeks to relatives at Baird.

For better service, see Jones & McGowen, first door south of McCamant Drug Store.

J. M. Morgan has secured a contract for the erection of the First National Bank building at Midland, the cost to be \$8,000.

Phone 276 when you want your piano tuned perfectly or when you want to buy a piano.

Judge L. A. Dale left yesterday morning for Sweetwater where he was billed to deliver two speeches, and from there he will go to Austin to assume his new duties in the office of Attorney General Davidson.

For Sale—\$1,000 buys a nice little home at Pampa in Gray county, a fast growing town on the K. C. S. railroad. Good water, two blocks of school and business part of town. Apply to A. J. Sewell, owner, at the Enterprise office.

One of the most interesting things seen upon our streets for some time was seen here yesterday consisting of some mowers in a wagon to which was hitched a couple of oxen and two little burros. It was quite an interesting scene to many of our people.

One of the latest and most complete inventions we have seen for some time is a cream freezer in the office of the Big Springs Land Co. It is in charge of a competent demonstrator who will take pleasure in showing all how it works.

Houston & Cordill.

The Methodist ladies served ice cream and cake to quite a large crowd at the tabernacle last night and everybody had a good time. We did not learn what the receipts were, but understand the ladies are well pleased with their evening's work.

Buy a suit now during July we give 10, 15, 20 and 25 per cent off (Globe Tailoring) a very high grade made to measure clothing. Orders taken and satisfaction guaranteed.

A. P. McDonald.

The entertainment given by the C. W. B. M. at the Christian church last week was a most enjoyable affair. A special program had been arranged for the occasion. After the program was gone through a half hour was spent in pleasant conversation.

For Rent—Nice room one-half block from court house to rent to one or two gentlemen. Inquire at Big Springs Land office.

While out looking around for news Thursday we stepped into the factory of the McWhorter Ice Cream Co. They seem to be about the busiest people in town. When asked about the business during the Fourth said he shipped over 1,000 gallons of cream during the holiday season. The business of this factory has increased very rapidly in the last few months and at the present rate will be one of the largest similar industries this side of Fort Worth. The ingredients of the cream are the purest obtainable and on this ground Mr. McWhorter is supplying all of our local dealers, except one or two, and shipping to every town between Sweetwater and Pecos.

Lots For Sale.

Three choice lots in Cole & Strayhorn's addition for sale. Price \$225 for the three. One corner and two inside. Apply at this office for further particulars.

Blank Chattel Mortgages for sale at this office.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us Strong and Healthy.

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys. W. S. Miles, living in the southern part of Big Springs, Tex., says: "Two years ago I had a pretty bad attack of kidney backache. I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills and they acted like a charm, driving the pain completely out of my system. Whenever I feel a slight return of the complaint I use Doan's Kidney Pills and they have never failed me or any member of my family who have ever tried them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cts. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agent for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Commercial Club Has Call Meeting.

B. Reagan, president of the commercial club, called an extra meeting last night for the consideration of the railroad proposition. There were some twenty parties present, but very few of this number represented the donations to the railroad bonus. After a few remarks by B. Reagan and others on the proposed line the meeting adjourned having accomplished nothing. It seems our citizenship is letting the proposition drag and unless immediate action is taken we will forever lose the prospects for securing a road from Soash. It seems that we should see the benefits to our town of such a proposition and begin to make steps to secure same. B. Reagan and Lee Permyer reported what they did down at Sterling toward securing the road from San Angelo, and while there was no definite steps taken there may be a chance to secure a road from that course in the near future.

Letter to Joe Hill.

Big Springs, Texas.

Dear Sir: The paint question boiled down is simply this:

The paint that takes least gallons, wears longest; always.

Here's an instance:

E. O. Perry, East 8th St. Erie, Pa., painted two houses same size; one Devco, the other with another paint at same price; took 3 gallons Devco to 4 of the other; and in 3 years Devco was the better looking job.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO

P. S. Biles & Gentry, sell our paint.

Services at Christian Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m., and 8:15 p. m.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 4:00 p. m.

Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

E. S. Bledsoe, Pastor.

Plumbing.

For all kinds of plumbing work call on J. B. Johnson. Bath rooms and lavatory a specialty.

For Sale or Trade.

320 acres of land 10 miles south of town, 50 acres in cultivation well improved. Price \$10 per acre, for further information apply at this office.

Cheap Land For Sale.

One section of good black land, 18 miles north of town, all smooth but about 65 acres. Land is worth more than is asked for it, but the owner wants to sell and will take \$12.50 per acre; part cash, balance 1, 2, 3 and 4 years. For further information call at this office.

BIG MONEY IN DRILLING WELLS. With our New Portable Gas Engine Pumps—Cuts cost 50 per cent. Write for Catalog and Full Information. **WELL DRILLS** Backford Well Drill Co.

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The Ladies Home Journal Patterns

Ladies remember we would be glad to take your subscription for the Ladies Home Journal the best magazine and fashion book made. Price - \$1.50

American Lady Corsets

We are adding new customers daily. The most correct and exclusive garments in corsets. Sheath like lines, snug hip and back. We would ask you to come in and let our saleslady fit you to just the one for your individual figure from the extreme up to those as long as a stove pipe. The new models price \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Table Linen and Napkins

Watch we are running 5 specials in pure linen and satin damask at 50c to \$1.75 per yard, napkins to match. To make this interesting for this week per yard 38c to \$1.29

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THE ONE PRICE CASH STORE

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We Are Demonstrating the 20th Century Ice Cream Freezer at Big Springs, Texas

It makes and freezes Ice Cream in 20 seconds. Come and see it work. Bring this ad and get a nice Free Plate of Ice Cream. Children under 15 years old must be accompanied by parents.

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9 sections of land in Howard county, 16 miles from Big Springs, good improvements, plenty of water, about 80 per cent agricultural land, near school house and postoffice. Will sell cheap and take part pay in black land farm. What have you? For particulars call at

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