

Marriage/Divorce 1908

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Miss Carrie Gott and H.E. Stewart were united in marriage by Justice Brothers at his office at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The couple will reside in this city.

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From Friday's Daily – Burch – Allen

Mr. Samuel W. Burch and Miss Genevieve Allen were married at the St. Charles Hotel on Tuesday evening Dec. 24th. Rev. Charles Eaton, rector of the Episcopal Church, officiating.

Mr. Burch is an engineer on the Fort Worth and Denver Railway, while the bride is a sister of Mr. Walter Allen, proprietor of the St. Charles hotel and restaurant, and was cashier of the restaurant.

They will make this city their home.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to E.L. Boyd and Miss Celia Brown.

From Tuesdays Daily –

After living together as man and wife for a number of years, L.E. Young and Mrs. Mattie Jones were united in marriage by Judge Yeager at the courthouse yesterday. The couple originally came from Kansas and were newcomers to Electra. The fact that they had never taken the trouble to go through a marriage ceremony became known in the neighborhood and their arrest followed. Before Judge Yeager both acknowledged their guilt and upon the advice of the judge they took out a marriage license and were united in a good manner.

Felder – Hawkins

Houston Post Special

Hempstead Texas – Dec. 28 – wedding chimes inevitably strike a responsive chord in the human breast, be they synonymous of the happy union of whomsoever they may, but when the peals tell the beautiful story of two lives, possessive of all the charms of happy buoyant youth then is the sympathetic interest kindled to the full exemplification of that all the world loves a lover. And such was an instance Christmas night, when Miss Georgia Hawkins of Hempstead and Mr. T. Felder, a prominent young business man of Wichita Falls plighted their troth at the Presbyterian church, Rev. W.S. Red, officiating the ceremony. A decorative effect of garlands was symbolic of the doubly joyous time and through the edifice loving hands had left their impression in handsome and striking embellishments. Promptly at 9:30 o'clock the impressive service was pronounced and after receiving the hardy congratulations of their friends Mr. and Mrs. Felder departed on the north bound train for Wichita Falls, their place of residence. For the ceremony, the bride was attired in a brown cloth suit, lace waist with ? point trimmings, hat shoes and gloves to match. She was attended by Misses Mary Morrison and Lillie Sterling of here

as maids and little Janice Sanders, Marie Mills, Jack Atusler and Theodore Ahrenbeck as flowers girls and boys. The groomsmen were Messrs. J.M. Hawkins of Hempstead and Seth Mayfield of Fort Worth. The precession entered to the wedding march played by Misses Vera and Hennie Hawkins and professor Klein of Chappell Hill and when the chancel rail was reached "Love Me and the World is Mine" was rendered in the splendid voice of Mrs. Sterling Smith of Chappell Hill. The church was filled to its utmost capacity, the local attendance being considerably augmented by the presence of friends and relatives to the contracting parties or out of town residence. Among the latter were Mr. and Mrs. R.K. Felder, Mr. and Mrs. E.K. Felder, Misses Maggie and Helen Felder, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M.J. Klein, Dr. and Mrs. Campbell, Miss Bertha Brandt, Chappell Hill, Dr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. Mix Buchanan, Mrs. Anna Felder, Brenham, Mr. Rufe Nicholson, Sommerville, Mrs. Maggie Kenney, Miss Mary Kenney, Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barwise, Ft. Worth, Mr. Weston Meek, Miss Hennie Meek, Houston, Mrs. George Hoenecke, Palestine. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins of this city, the former a prominent traveling salesman. She is an elocutionist of no small note and as a teacher of such as been connected with the Public School of Beaumont, the Chappell Hill Female Seminary and other institutions. Naturally her talent has been given a wide scope in this city and together with social distinctions she has won popularity and esteem from all with whom she came in contact. Mr. Felder is a young business man of sterling qualities and business capacities that have earned him an enviable footing among the people of his home town.

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Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to L.J. Brezin and Miss Matilda ___ch, Daniel E. Hooks and Miss Lillie Gay and to Frank Overbeek and Miss Mary Schmidt.

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Surprised Their Friends

Miss Meota Curry and James O. Smith Married This Afternoon

Miss Meota Curry and James O. Smith, two popular young people of this city, surprised their many friends here by being quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N.M. Curry, at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. J.J. Dalton, pastor of the Presbyterian church and was witnessed by only a few friends. Mr. Smith and his bride left on the northbound train at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon for Roswell New Mexico, where he will engage in the drug business. The congratulations and best wishes of many friends will follow the couple to their new home.

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Hooks – Ferguson

At the elegant country home of Mr. B.N. Ferguson, near Iowa Park, at 6 o'clock on Wednesday evening, the marriage of his daughter Miss Lillian to D.E. Hooks was solemnized. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. J.A. Bush of this city and was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives.

Following the ceremony, a splendid wedding supper was served. The couple received many handsome and useful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooks will be at home to their many friends after January 30 at the groom's farm near Electra. BY A GUEST

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Friberg – Karrenbrock

Miss Clara? Karrenbrock, daughter of E.G. Karrenbrock, one of the most prominent farmers of the red river ___ near Burkburnett and Arvie. Friberg son of Ed Friberg, were united in marriage at the M.E. Church at Friberg at 8 o'clock Thursday evening Rev. Edgar M. Wisdom? officiating.

Mr. Friberg and bride will start housekeeping at his farm near Red River. Both the bride and groom are will known and popular young people and are held in high esteem to all who know them. The Times joins with their many friends in sending congratulations and best wishes.

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A marriage license was issued yesterday to J.F. Sutherland and Miss R.L. Boston. The couple were residents of Oklahoma.

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A marriage license was issued yesterday to Charles L. Wolf and Miss Lillie May Lively. The parties are residents of Clay County.

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A marriage license was issued this afternoon to A. Lucke and Miss Louisa Ditterman.

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Charles H. Omber and Mrs. Jessie Haley were united in marriage by Judge A.H. Carrigan in the county clerks office at the court house this morning.

Harding – Cobb Nuptials

Former Wichita Falls Girl Married to Amarillo Ranch Man

Amarillo Panhandle – Tuesday

At high noon today in St. Andrews church Rev. E. McQueen Gray of Carlsbad N.M. officiated at the wedding of Miss Virginia Leoma Cobb to Mr. Henry Clay Harding. For the wedding the attractive interior of St. Andrew's Church had been touched with color, with sprays of Southern smilax, which lined the arches in front of the church, twined about the organ, the desk, the pulpit and the crucifixes. Smilax and ferns arranged over the rich cloth of the altar centered and completed the quiet beauty of the whole. At 12 o'clock to accompaniment by the organist, Miss Sadie Thompson, Mrs. Adrian Driggs sang, "All for You". Then to the measure of Mendelssohn's wedding march ushered by Mrs. J.W. Hoover, and preceded by the matron of honor, Mrs. Avery Turner, the bride on the arm of her father, Major Cobb, entered the door of the church. At the altar where Rev. Gray awaited them, they were joined by the groom, ushered by Mr. A.P. Mitchell.

During the giving and the hearing of the solemn responses of the ceremony, Miss Thompson played softly and after the invocation she played the march from Lobengrin as a recessional and Mr. and Mrs. Harding, the matron of honor with Major Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Stinnett and the ushers left the church to take the cabs in waiting to carry them to the train.

Mrs. Harding is the daughter of Major Cobb of Wichita Falls, a distinguished Confederate veteran who was commander of Cobb's battery during the Civil War. For over four years she made her home in Amarillo with her sister, Mrs. A.S. Stinnett. Her charm and social graces have made her a favorite with her friends and she is sped with best wishes on her wedding journey by a host of friends who wait to welcome her back home.

Henry C. Harding is one of the best and most favorably known men in West Texas today. As a member of the LX ranch until its dissolution, he showed the same ability to deal with the changing conditions in the business that has made him successful in his own business and as a commission man. Besides owning extensive ranching interests in Eastern New Mexico, Mr. Harding is a member of the recently organized Western Land and Commission Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding left on the 12:45 train this afternoon for El Paso and points in old Mexico, where they will spend several weeks. After March 1st they will be at home in their new residence at Sixteenth and Lincoln streets in this city.

A marriage license has been issued to E.C. McMillan and Miss Eunice Payne.

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Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Brown of Electra to the marriage of their daughter Miss Myrtle Shonnie to Mr. W.O. Duffie of Beaumont, the wedding to take place at the home of the bride's parents at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening February 2nd.

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A marriage license was issued this morning to N.J. Ridley and Miss Velma Hamilton.

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A marriage license was issued Saturday to William L. Doyle and Miss Emma Mayer. Both were residents of Clay County.

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Miss Emma Myre and Mr. William Doyle of the Charlie neighborhood were united in marriage last Sunday morning, Rev. W.F. Fry officiating.

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Marriage licenses were issued today to L.E. Wallace and Miss Bertha Gwinn and to Henry Wilson and Miss Mary Armstrong.

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Myles – Curry

At half past 5 o'clock this morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N.M. Curry, The marriage of Miss Tott Curry to Mr. A.E. Myles took place. Rev. J.A. Stafford, pastor of the Tenth street Methodist church officiating.

Mr. Myles and his bride left on the early morning train for a bridal trip of about ten days, during which time they will visit Kansas City and St. Louis. The couple will return to make this city their home and Mr. Myles will engage in business here.

The bride has been employed by the post office and is both popular and highly esteemed. Mr. Myles is a native of Kentucky and until recently was secretary of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce. He is a man of pleasing personality and is possessed of splendid business ability.

Wallace – Gwinn

Miss Bertha Gwinn and Mr. L.E. Wallace of Cleburne were married at Iowa Park this morning. Mr. Wallace and his bride passed through Wichita Falls today on their way to their new home in Cleburne.

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Goes After His Bride

Forest Dean left this afternoon for Vernon, where he is to be married tonight at 8 o'clock to Miss Mabel Kester, one of the popular young ladies of that city.

After the ceremony, Mr. Dean and his bride will return here, and from here will go to the home of the groom's parents thirteen miles northeast of this city, where they will make their home.

Mr. Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Dean and has many friends in this city who will congratulate him upon the successful termination of his love affair.

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Married at the Presbyterian manse at 10 o'clock this morning, Mr. E.S. King and Mrs. Ola Walker, Dr. J.J. Dalton officiating. Both are from Ft. Worth.

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The marriage of Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allison, in the home of the bride in Seymour, last Wednesday evening was a nuptial ___ of more than ordinary interest. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. Charles A. Eaton, rector of the Church of Good Shepherd in Wichita Falls and among the guests were Miss Sibyl Kemp and Mrs. T.B. Greenwood of this city.

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A Marriage license was issued Saturday to James T. Sellers and Miss Lola Crow.

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At the home of Richard Ireland at high noon today the marriage of Mrs. Norvie Ehl and Robert Walker was solemnized, the Rev. R.E. Farley officiating. The couple are residents of Oklahoma.

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Lawson – Thompson

Miss Lizzie Thompson and Emil Lawson were united in marriage by Justice Brothers at his office on Indiana Avenue at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The bride has been a resident of the Allendale neighborhood and is a highly respected young woman. The groom is employed with the Fort Worth and Denver and is a young man of many excellent qualities.

Their many friends extend hearty congratulations.

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A marriage license was issued to W.W. Robinson and Miss Birdie Simson.

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At the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.S. Fonville Saturday night at 10 o'clock, the marriage of Miss Johnnie Berry to Otto Stehlik took place, the Rev. J.J. Dalton officiating. Mr. Stehlik is engaged in the real estate business in this city, where the couple will make their home after a bridal trip to Fort Worth and other points of South Texas.

Marlow – Williard

At Haskell Sunday afternoon Will Marlow, a Wichita Falls boy, was united in marriage to Mrs. Donna Williard of Munday. Mr. Marlow and his bride left on a wedding trip after the ceremony and upon their return will take up residence at Weinert's ranch of which Mr. Marlow is foreman.

Married

At the Presbyterian manse at 2:30 this afternoon, Mr. Alva Lee Matthews and Miss Lela Staller, Dr. J.J. Dalton performing the ceremony. The newly married couple are from Frederick and immediately after making the nuptial knot was securely tied departed for that town via the Wichita Valley and Northwestern.

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A marriage license was issued this morning to Lizzie Todd and John Marcum.

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Hardesty – Hutchcraft

Miss Dora Hutchcraft and Roy Hardesty were united in marriage at the Tenth Street Methodist Parsonage at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. The wedding was a very quiet affair, only a few of the friends of the couple learning of their marriage until Sunday morning.

Both the bride and groom are well known and popular young people and have many friends who extend congratulations.

They will make their home in this city for the present.

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WEDS OKLAHOMA GIRL

Miss Mamie Stephens and W.P. Bledsoe Married at the Courthouse

Married at the courthouse at 11 o'clock this morning by Judge M.F. Yeager, Mr. W.P. Bledsoe and Miss Mamie Stephens, both of Eschiti, Oklahoma. The bride and groom accompanied by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Williams, arrived this morning on the Wichita Falls and Northwestern and will return to that place by the same route this afternoon. The groom Mr. Bledsoe, was formerly a resident of Wichita County and has many friends who will be glad to learn that he has taken for himself one of Eschiti's fairest young ladies for his bride.

BROUGHT HOME A BRIDE

Billy Hansard, the postmaster at Thornberry, arrived this afternoon with his bride from Arkansas, where the wedding took place a few days ago. Some of the Thornberry people who were in town today say that they are preparing to give Mr. Hansard and his bride a rousing welcome tonight and that all the ___ cows in the neighborhood will be relieved of their neck pieces in order to furnish the most necessary instruments that cut such an important part of an occasion of this nature.

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Royals – Dennis

C.H. Royals and Miss Eva Dennis of Byers, were married in the courthouse Monday afternoon, Judge Denny officiating. They were accompanied to Henrietta by a party of friends and after the wedding they took in the sights of the city. Henrietta Independent.

Dixon – Anderson

On Saturday W.S. Dixon and Mrs. Gertrude Anderson of Wichita Falls were married in Henrietta. Judge Denny performed the ceremony at the courthouse. Henrietta Independent

At the Presbyterian manse last night Mrs. Gladys Black and Mr. J.F. Umbarger were united in marriage by Rev. J.J. Dalton. Both of the contracting parties are well known residents of Wichita Falls and will make this city their home.

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A marriage license was issued Saturday to A.R. Gaddis and Miss Mattie Lawson.

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Neely – Saufley

Mr. and Mrs. Ras Saufley of Bowie have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Bertha Edwin, to Rufus Polk Neely of Wichita Falls. The wedding will take place at 1 o'clock Wednesday, April 29th. Mr. Neely is traveling freight and passenger agent for the Fort Worth and Denver with headquarters in this city.

Green – Hund

Friends in Wichita Falls have received invitations to the wedding of Miss Josephine Catherine Hund to Orten? David Green at Corpus Christie, Texas, Tuesday morning April 28th. The bride to be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hund and lived near this city until a few months ago when she moved with her parents to Corpus Christie. Mr. Green was formerly cashier at the M. K. & T. office here but is now located at Pottsboro, Texas where he is agent for the same company. The at home card announces that the couple will be home at Pottsboro after May 15.

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Frank Jay Gould and his wife who was Helen Margaret Kelly have separated and it is said Mrs. Gould has brought action looking for a legal separation. Jealously on the part of Mr. Gould, due, it is said, to the homage paid Mrs. Gould, who is a beautiful woman, by other men. They have been married six years and have two children.

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Thomson – Doran

Young Business Man of Houston Weds Wichita Falls Girl

Miss Charlotte Doran, daughter of Denver dispatcher W.F. Doran and wife, and James Robert Thomson, Vice President of the American Securities Company of Houston were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Crescent Lake addition in this city at 10 o'clock this morning the Rev. Father Dolje officiating. The marriage was in the nature of a surprise to the bride's many friends here and the wedding was a very quiet affair, only a few intimate friends and relatives being present. The groom is a son of Dr. and Mrs. R.W. Thomson of Bellville and is one of Houston's most promising young businessmen. The couple left on the 11:40 train this morning for the Gulf Coast, where they will spend a short honeymoon, after which they will be at home in Houston.

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Married

In this city at 10 o'clock last night at the residence of Rev. A.J. Bush, Mr. Courtney McCall and Miss Mattie Goodman, Rev. Bush performing the ceremony. The newly married couple resides near Jolly.

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Howard – Stewart

Miss Mae Stewart, daughter of Frank Stewart, and W.J. Howard Jr., were united in marriage by Rev. A.J. Bush, at his home on Austin street, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The couple has started housekeeping in their new home at the corner of Tenth Street and Travis Avenue.

They have the congratulations and best wishes of many friends.

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Nichols – Hardy

At the home of Rev. F.E. Farley Sunday morning, Miss Clara Hardy and J.C. Nichols of the Mabeldean neighborhood were united in marriage.

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SUES DAUGHTER OF GEN. DODGE

From the fact that the plaintiff was the original owner of the town site of Wichita Falls and that the defendant is a daughter of Gen. G.M. Dodge, chairman of the board of directors of the Colorado and Southern, the following from yesterday's Fort Worth telegram will be read with interest here. The Telegram says:

In the Sixty - seventh district court Tuesday, a petition was filed by R.E. Montgomery, a well known resident of Fort Worth in which he seeks a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Bettie D. Montgomery, a daughter of General Granville M. Dodge, chairman of the board of directors of the Colorado and Southern lines, who with a party of friends, spent Tuesday here in his private car.

The attorneys for Mr. Montgomery believed that the defendant was in the car of her father and a deputy sheriff was dispatched to the depot with service papers, and although he spent several hours in an effort to find Mrs. Montgomery, his mission proved futile and he was forced to return to the courthouse without serving the papers.

Deputy Sheriff Yancey to whom the papers were delivered, visited the private car of General Dodge and while he was treated with courtesy, he was informed by General Dodge that Mrs. Montgomery was not an occupant of the car and he knew nothing of the case. Mr. Yancey remained around the depot until the departure of General Dodge and his party on the Rock Island train at 9 o'clock.

Married in 1873

Mr. Yancey was of the opinion that Mrs. Montgomery was present in Fort Worth but that she avoided service by leaving the city on some train earlier in the day.

The petition states that the plaintiff and defendant were married in Iowa in November of 1873 and that they lived as husband and wife until 1896 when the defendant abandoned the plaintiff and has since resided in the states of Iowa and New York. It is further alleged that the plaintiff in 1897 provided a home in at Clarendon in Donley County and went to New York in an effort to get his wife to return and make her home with him. This he charged she refused to do.

Sends her \$100 a Month

As to the support of his wife since their separation, the plaintiff recites that he sends her \$100 each month and at other times still larger amounts.

Three children were born to the couple all of whom have reached maturity.

Mr. Montgomery makes his home at 104 West Second street, and is well known in local business circles. He declined to discuss the case and when pressed for an interview referred the matter to his attorneys who likewise declined to talk about the suit.

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Married at the home of Mr. Herndon, across the river from the bridge this afternoon, Miss Viola Spradling and Mr. W.L. Coleman. The ceremony was pronounced by Justice Brothers in the presence of a few friends and relatives.

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Dr. Walker to Wed

Invitations have been received by friends here to the wedding of Miss Esther Howard of Tulsa, Oklahoma to Dr. Wade Hampton Walker. The wedding will take place at Tulsa at 6 o'clock on the evening of Wednesday, May 27th and the couple will be at the home in Wichita Falls after their bridal trip.

The bride to be is the daughter of Mrs. John Howard and was formerly a resident of this city where she is well known and highly esteemed.

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Justice W.E. Brothers received a telegram from Milton Frieze at El Paso this morning announcing the marriage of Mr. Brother's son, George L. Brothers to Miss Lula May at that place yesterday afternoon. The telegram further stated that the couple had left on a honeymoon trip to Los Angeles, California.

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Marriage licenses have been issued to Anna Jo Southers and Arthur T. McDonald and to W.R. Neal of ? and Mary Jane Sours of Jolly.

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Hooks – Barwise

Married at the home of Lawrence Hooks brother of the groom, in this place on Tuesday evening, May 29th at 8 o'clock, Frank Hooks and Josh ? Barwise, Rev. Lewis McV?? of the Methodist Church South officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a few of the relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties. The groom is a prosperous young farmer living two miles south of Eschiti. The bride's home was at Electra, Texas where her parents reside.

Mr. Hooks has many friends here who wish him and his bride all of the good there is in this life. Eschiti Banner

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Will live in Wichita Falls

Married at St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Sherman, Monday evening June 1st, Miss Helen Louise Howell of that place to Mr. W.S. Taylor of 1308 Burnett street, Wichita Falls. The ceremony was pronounced by D.J.W. Miller.

Mr. Taylor and his bride will make their home in this city, Mr. Taylor having taken a position with the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company.

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Dr. W.H. Walker and Bride Arrive in Wichita Falls

Dr. W.H. Walker and bride arrived in this city yesterday afternoon from Tulsa, Oklahoma where they were married on the evening of June 3. On account of washouts they were compelled to come to Wichita Falls via the Frisco and the Wichita Falls and Northwestern.

The bridal party comprised of the bride and groom, Miss Dot Walker and Harley Heath left Frederick at eight o'clock yesterday morning but on account of a derailment of a coach on the train near Kell City they were delayed and did not reach this city until late yesterday afternoon, and even then had to make the last stage of their journey in a box car.

On the same train were O. Terry of Temple, Okla., and W.H. Hundley of Fort Worth who were on their way to waiting brides.

But all well that ends well and the bride and groom are now happily located in their elegant new home on Scott avenue where they are receiving the warm congratulations of many friends.

The Tulsa Morning World of June 4 gives the following account of their wedding.

A wedding of wide social interest was solemnized last evening when Miss Esther Howard, daughter of Mrs. John Howard, was married to Dr. Wade Hampton Walker of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Simple elegance marked the ceremony which was at the home on Denver avenue and witnessed by a small company including besides the relatives of the bride and groom the most intimate friends of the families in this city.

In the marriage room was an altar of palms and smilax studded thickly with pure white flowers and suspended from the overhanging arch was a white flower wedding bell.

The bridal party included besides the bride and groom Miss Lottie Evans, cousin of the bride, Maid of Honor and Mr. Harley Heath, Best Man. Miss Berry played Mendelssohn's Wedding March preceding the entrance of the party and as they paused at the marriage altar Rev. Father Heiring read the simple and beautiful ring ceremony.

The bride wore a gown of mescaline, made with a deep yoke of real lace and finished with a satin girdle, pearl trimmings, pendant ornaments and narrow soutach braid. Insets of lace finished the Japanese effect of the short sleeves, which were met at the elbows with long gloves. The skirt ended with a train and was completed with bands and tucks. She wore no ornaments save an aigrette in her coiffure and carried a shower of roses and valley lilies caught with a tulle bow.

Miss Evans wore a gown of white pompadour satin with lace trimmings and carried a shower bunch of pink roses.

Following the wedding, the Misses Berry gave a large reception which was attended by about fifteen hundred friends. For this occasion the spacious Berry home was transformed into a bower of roses and carnations. The Phi Alpha Club Girls, of which the bride was one, assisted in the affair. The only out of town guest were Miss Sue Walker, sister of the groom, from Wichita Falls, Texas and Mr. Harley Heath, the best man. Dr. Walker and his bride left on the Frisco for Wichita Falls, where a lovely home has been fitted up for their occupancy. She wore a blue voile traveling suit with hat and gloves en tone.

The bride of last evening has spent four years in this city, having come here from the city to which she returns. The wedding was a culmination of a romance which has lasted between the two almost since childhood. She has been a promising member of the literary and musical clubs of the city and also of the young ladies card clubs. She is a gifted musician and possessed of those sweet traits of character which made her the favorite she was and the most popular girl in the city. She received beautiful and substantial evidences of the high regard in which she is held by the many gifts sent by friends since her invitations for the wedding were issued.

The groom, who is a practicing physician and surgeon, is one of the leading figures in his profession in North Texas and is assistant chief surgeon for the Wichita Valley and other railroads. He belongs to a family prominent socially.

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Double Wedding

A Double Wedding took place at the home of Mr. McDonald, about four miles south of town yesterday afternoon, when Mr. E.C. McDonald and Miss Lizzie Ford, and Mr. Wallace Ford and Miss Edna McDonald were united in marriage by Rev. W.F. Fry pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city.

A number of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony and a wedding dinner was served.

The grooms of both instances were brothers of the brides in the other couple.

The young people are members of prominent families and are well known and popular. Their many friends extend hearty congratulations.

Divorced Tuesday Remarried Saturday

Often in the dull pages of the court records are hidden stories of romance or tragedy which rival those of fiction.

Just what story is connected with the appearance of the names of J.E. Wiley and M.A. Wiley on the district court docket and upon the marriage license record within the same week the Times has been unable to learn, but the appearance on the record indicates a good story.

The district court record shows that upon Tuesday, June 9, 1908 an order for a decree of divorce was granted to M.A. Wiley from J.E. Wiley and the records from the county clerk's office show that upon Saturday, June 13, 1908, a marriage license was issued to J.E. Wiley and M.A. Wiley.

Further inquiry concerning the coincidence has developed the fact that the couple divorced and those issued a marriage license are identical.

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Arrives With Bride

Mr. James Stearns, a telegram operator of this city, was married last Wednesday to Miss Lee Farley of Cleburne, Texas and after a short bridal trip to Dallas and other cities, the newly married couple arrived here Saturday night, and will make this city their home, the groom having accepted a position with the Western Union Telegraph Company. The announcement of the wedding was quite a surprise to the friends of the groom in this city, and the Times joins with them in extending its heartiest congratulations.

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Married at the home of Rev. W.F. Fry this morning, Mr. Walter Ferguson and Miss Ada V. Peters of New York, Rev. Fry officiating. The newly married couple will spend their

honeymoon on the coast of California and will probably visit Australia before settling down. They were strangers in this city.

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Married

At the Presbyterian manse at 11 o'clock this morning, Mr. George M. Kelley and Miss Virginia Pearle Edwards, both of Holliday, Rev. J.J. Dalton performing the ceremony. The newly married couple will take a short bridal trip, after which they will return to Holliday to make their future home.

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Ziegler - Vaughan

At the Presbyterian manse at about half past eight o'clock last night Mess Rena Vaughan and Julius Zeigler were united in marriage. The young people had planned a surprise for their friends but in some manner the news of the wedding leaked out and a number of friends were present when the ceremony was performed by Dr. J.J. Dalton. The contracting parties were popular young people of this city and will start housekeeping on Broad street near the high school building.

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Pretty Home Wedding

A pretty home wedding took place at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J.A. Stafford on Tenth street at 1 o'clock this afternoon, when their daughter, Jeanne, was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Jackson Jr., a prominent young business man of this city.

The ceremony was pronounced in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties and a few friends.

Rev. J.J. Morgan of Terrell, president of the North Texas University at that place, and a boyhood friend of the groom, solemnized the union. Preceding the ceremony, which took place in the front parlor, Mrs. J.F. Schwab sang very sweetly to an accompaniment played by Mr. C.V. Durland, "Oh Promise Me."

The bride and groom were attended by Miss Lena Breeding of Mineral Wells and Mr. Emmet Stafford, a brother of the bride, and Miss Willa Stafford, a sister to the bride, and Mr. C.W. Hendricks.

Following the ceremony, refreshments were served.

The couple left on the afternoon train on a bridal trip to Denver and other points.

Those present from out of town points were Miss Lena Breeding of Mineral Wells, Mr. Emmet Stafford, Mr. Frank Jackson Sr., groom's father from Carrolton and Ben Jackson of Kell City, Oklahoma.

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Marriage licenses were issued Saturday afternoon to George E. Stearns and Mrs. Ames Martin and to Claude E. Grant and Ruby Dell Robinson.

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Stearns - Martin

Mr. George E. Stearns and Mrs. Ames Martin were quietly married on Sunday evening, July 19th, at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. W.F. Fry, pastor of the First Baptist church officiating. Mr. Stearns is a conductor on the Fort Worth and Denver City railway, and is an honest, honorable gentleman, popular in railroad circles and with all who know him, and belonging to one of the oldest families in the county, while his bride, who formerly lived at Jonesboro, Arkansas, is a woman of culture and refinement and many charms of grace and manner. Their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous married life and offer to them their sincere congratulations.

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A marriage license was issued this morning to Daniel Pelletier and Jane Bradford. Mr. Bradford is the owner of the show having an engagement at the Airdome this week.

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Brannan - Stone

At the M.E. south parsonage last night at about half past ten o'clock, Rev. J.A. Stafford spoke the words which united Miss Dora E. Stone and A.L. Brannan in the bonds of matrimony.

The bride's home is at Henrietta and the groom is a prosperous farmer of the Riverland community in Clay County. They came in last night on the train from Byers and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gould of Petrolia and the Misses Browning of that place.

Mr. Brannan and his bride left this afternoon for their home at Riverland, where they will start on life's journey together with the best wishes of many friends.

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Wichita Falls Couple Married

Miss Pick Hyer and F.M. Kell both of Wichita Falls, Texas, were married this afternoon by Rev. Brown, the Presbyterian minister, at the chapel on Beal Heights. The bride and

groom and Mrs. Fred Hyer, mother of the bride are visiting the family of C.C. Crites for a few days. - Lawton Democrat.

The groom is vice president of the Harriston Townske Company, a new town to be started just beyond Kell, Oklahoma and the bride formerly resided in this city, and is a graduate of the Academy of Mary Immaculate of this city. Both have many friends here who will be pleased to learn of their happy marriage.

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Miller - Williams

Joe Miller and Mrs. Geneve Williams of Wichita Falls were married in the county judge's office at the court house Thursday afternoon. Judge Denny officiated. - Henrietta Independent

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Married

Mr. M.J. Rusk and Miss Eunice Dykes were married at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Barrett in this city. Rev. W.F. Fry pastor of the First Baptist Church officiating. The groom is from Waco, but the Times understands he and his bride will make this city their future home.

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A marriage license was issued yesterday to George A. Goforth and Miss Maude McCoy. This morning a license was issued to Charles Hurley and Miss Beatrice Phillips.

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Adkins - White

Miss Lillian White of Seymour of O.O. Adkins of Vernon were married at the court house in this city at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the Rev. J.N. Morton officiating. After the ceremony, the happy couple left for Vernon, where they will make their home.

Kimmons - Hargis

Miss Ada Hargis and Henry Kimmons of Quannah were married at noon today by Rev. J.M. Morton at his home on Scott avenue. Mr. Kimmons and his bride returned to Quannah this afternoon.

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Coats - Martin

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.S. Martin, at the corner of Eighth street and Lamar avenue at half past ten o'clock this morning, the marriage of Miss Blanche Hazel Martin to Edward Napoleon Coats, was solemnized. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. R.E. Farley, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church and there were no witnesses outside of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. Coats and his bride left today for a ten days stay at Mineral Wells after which they will return to this city to make their home. Mr. Coats is a retail salesman in the employ of P.H. Pennington Company and is a very popular young man who is held in high esteem by his employers.

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Byman - Johnston

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Johnston, near Petrolia, was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday at high noon when their daughter, Gertrude, was united in marriage to Mr. Earnest Byman. Preceding the ceremony, Robert Carey sang, "Oh Promise Me," and the wedding march was played by Miss Estelle Carey. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. Edgar M. Wisdom, pastor of the Thornberry and Frieberg M.E. church. Following the wedding an elegant dinner was served to the guests, who numbered over sixty relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The couple were the recipients of many handsome presents in silver, china, cut glass, linen and furniture. The groom is a son of August Byman and is a highly esteemed young farmer. Mr. and Mrs. Byman will live on the groom's farm near Thornberry, where a host of friends wish them happiness and prosperity.

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A marriage license was issued this morning to Frank. H. Dodson and Miss Annie Vaughn. The young people are residents of Burkburnett.

Morning Wedding

Last Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock Miss Theresa Hund of this city was united in marriage to Mr. Otto Tschope of Brownwood, Rev. Father Doije officiating. About a hundred and fifty guests were present. A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hund on Ninth street.

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Married

C.A. Stevens and Miss Florence Caldeleugh at the Methodist parsonage this morning at 11:30 o'clock, Rev. J.A. Stafford officiating.

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Marriage licenses were issued Saturday to Henry Moore and Miss Lucy D. Whitley and to C.A. Stevens and Florence Caldwell. This morning a license was issued o Joseph M. Kelly and Beulah A. Long.

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Marriage Licenses Issued

Marriage Licenses were issued today to the following: John W. Sonnemaker and Hanna Holtzen; R. Rozell Browning and Mary C. Brannon.

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Carlson - Kester

At the home of the bride's parents, 1204 Burnett avenue, at high noon yesterday Miss May Carlson was united in marriage to Mr. Elmer Kester, a well known lumber man of Fort Worth. The bride formerly lived in Fort Worth where the romance began, culminating in yesterdays happy event.
The couple will make their home in Fort Worth.

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Weding is Postponed

The announced wedding of Miss Nellie Maye Carlson to Mr. E.L. Koester, which was to have taken place Tuesday afternoon at the home of the prospective bride's parents in this city, was postponed on account of the illness of Mr. Koester. The wedding will not now take place until after the recovery of Mr. Koester, whose home is at Fort. Worth.

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At the Methodist parsonage yesterday morning at 11 o'clock Miss Mary E. Brannon and R. Roswell Browning of Oklahoma were united in marriage by Rev. J.A. Stafford.

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Stout - Denison Nuptials

At the home of the bride's parents in this city, corner of Lamar avenue and Eighth street at 8 o'clock yesterday evening Mr. R.G. Stout and Miss Virgie Denison were united in marriage, Rev. T.R. Bowles officiating.

The groom is a popular conductor on the Wichita Valley and is held in high esteem by his friends and associates.

The bride is the daughter of our fellow townsman Mr. F. H. Denison and her many friends in this city whose best wishers for prosperity and happiness will accompany her through her married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Stout will leave in a few days for Stamford, at which place they will reside in future.

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Married at the Presbyterian manse in this city this afternoon at 3 'clock Mr. John Talley to Miss Ethel Fowler, both of Electra. Dr. J.J. Dalton the pastor officiating.

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Kirkpatrick-Fry

Miss Alice Kirkpatrick and Francis Polk Fry, both of Frederick Oklahoma where the groom is engaged in the drug business were married at ? today at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. W.F. Fry.

The happy couple left this afternoon over the Fort Worth and Denver for a visit at Dallas and other points.

They will make their home at Frederick, where both have many friends.

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Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows:

P.A. Phillips to Minnie Moore, Francis Polk to Alice Kirkpatrick, C.E. Copher to Hattie Duggins, E.D. Silstrop to Miss Bertha Hurst.

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Marriage licenses were issued Saturday to Jos. Clark and Miss Maude Baker and Luther Cooper and Miss Ruth Dickson.

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Allendale, TX - Married, Wednesday the 21st at 8:30 p.m. Mr. Oscar Jeter and Miss Emma Smith, Rev. A.B. Mazy officiating.

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Allen - Scott

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Scott, at 1302 Scott avenue, at 7 o'clock last night the marriage of Miss Ella Mae Scott to Mr. G.W. Allen was solemnized. Rev A. J. Bush, pastor of the Christian Church pronounced the ceremony. The wedding was witnesses by a number of friends and following the ceremony a wedding supper was served.

The bride is a popular and charming young woman and the groom is a young railroad man. They will make their home in Wichita Falls, where many friends wish them long lives of happiness and prosperity.

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Carter - Bates

Miss Bonnie Bates and Mr. R.E. Carter were united in marriage by Rev. W.F. Fry at the Baptist parsonage at about 9 o'clock last night.

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McIntyre - Pickett

Miss Veta Irene Pickett, daughter of Deputy Marshal Tom Pickett and wife and Melvin McIntyre took their many friends by surprise yesterday afternoon when they slipped away to the Presbyterian manse, where they were united in marriage by Rev. J.J. Dalton at about 4:30 o'clock.

The bride is a charming young woman of many accomplishments and the groom is a highly esteemed young man.
They will make this city their future home.

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Two marriage licenses were issued yesterday, G.W. Aaron and Miss Nellie Wells and John Goss and Miss Nellie Moore

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Hill - Humphrey

Miss Mae Humphrey and Mr. R.S. Hill were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse at fine o'clock Tuesday evening by Dr. J.J. Dalton. After the ceremony the couple removed to the home on Sixteenth Street, near the high school building recently purchased and furnished by the groom, where they are now at home to their friends.

The bride has lived in this city all her life and is popular and highly esteemed. The groom is a barber employed at Ben Williams shop and is a young man of sterling worth. The Times, with the many other friends of the happy couple, wishes to extend congratulations and good wishes.

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Matheny - Walker

Letters received by friends here announce the marriage of Miss Maude Matheny to Mr. D.C. Walker at Roswell, New Mexico, November 14th. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Matheny and was born and lived in this city until about a year ago when she removed with her parents to Roswell, New Mexico. Wichita Daily Times (Wichita Falls, Texas) > 1908 > November > 19

Married Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Rev. A.J. Bush, Miss Roxie Shipley to A.S. Biddle. Both are residents of this city and will make their home here.

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Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to J.S. Bittle and Miss Roxie Shipley of this city and to Barton Stone of Hastings Oklahoma and Miss Eulah Leown of Burkburnett.

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Marriage licenses were issued Saturday to L. J. Byette and Miss Janie Bradford, E. L. Brooks and Miss Mattie May, Frank Sandefur and Mrs. Mattie Lawrence and to C. Vernon and Miss Laura Crenshaw.

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Koester - Carlson

Mr. Elmer L. Koester, of the Ford - Isabel Lumber Co. of Fort Worth, and Miss Mellie Mays Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Carlson of this city, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, 1304 Burnett Ave., in this city. Rev. Roswell E. Farley pastor of the First Methodist church officiating the ceremony being performed at high noon in the presence of the immediate friends of the family. The bride was dressed in blue voile over silk and carried a bouquet of carnations. After lunch Mr. and Mrs. Koester took the train for their future home in Fort Worth.

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Gist - Browning

Mr. J.H. Gist, one of the popular tonsorial artists in the employ of Fred Carter, of this city, and Miss Lillian Browning of Monroe, Louisiana, were quietly married at the Methodist parsonage last night at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. J.A. Stafford officiating. The happy couple will go to housekeeping at once on Lee Street.

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Marriage licenses have been granted this week to J.H. Gist and Miss Lillian Browning; Clarence Smith and Srepta Herington; W.B. Wilcox and Miss Mabel Walden.

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Double Wedding

Married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stephens of this city, on last Thursday night at 8:30 o'clock, T.M. Smith and Miss Rhoda Stearns and G.W. Braddock and Miss Maggie Graham, Rev. W.F. Fry officiating. The contracting parties reside in this city and have many friends who ? for them a happy and prosperous journey through married life.

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Special to the Times

Frieberg, Tex - Dec. 25 - At 4 p.m. yesterday Mr. Guy E Lightle and Miss Jesse M. Powell were married at the Methodist parsonage. They are very promising young people of the Burkburnett community. We wish them a long, prosperous and happy life. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. Edgar M. Wisdom.

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Marriages

C. J. Flippen of Stamford and Miss Anna Laureck of this city were married yesterday afternoon by Rev.R.W. Farley at his home in this city. Immediately after the ceremony had been performed the newly married couple boarded the train for Stamford, where the groom is the manager for a laundry.

Mr. Clifford McSpadden and Miss Annie Hodges were married in this city on the evening of the 26th, Rev. R.W. Farley officiating. The groom is a prosperous young farmer residing a few miles north of this city.