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THREE SISTERS ARE DROWNED

One Gets Beyond Depth and Others
Go to Aid.

Wanette, Ok.: Jessie, Rosa and Sadie Coffey, 16, 14 and 12 years old, daughters of B. Coffey, a Wanette blacksmith, drowned in Pond Creek, a half mile from Wanette. They had gone wading in the shallow water. Sadie outdistanced the others and stepped into a pool over her head. As she sank Rosa tried to save her and both went down together. Jessie, in frantic efforts to save them both, also was drowned.

Jessie 16 years Drowned
Rosa 14 years "
Sadie 12 years "

father: B Coffey

Wanette, Oklahoma

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Typhoid Obliterates Family.

Kitaning, Pa.: His wife and five children taken by typhoid fever within ten days, Lee Cogley, the only survivor, is dying of the same disease, while Mrs. John L. Wood, who volunteered as nurse, is in a precarious condition.

Mrs Lee Cogley typhoid fever
5 children within 10 days of ola
Kitaning Pennsylvania

~~Apr 10 1910~~

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Father / Husband Lee Cogley

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Aged Couple Killed.

Fort Worth: Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Coleman, an aged couple, were killed by a Cotton Belt train near Grapevine. They were driving a buggy. They were both deaf, and though the engineer says he made every possible effort to check the speed of the train with the emergency brakes, rang the bell and sounded the whistle, his efforts were fruitless, and the engine struck the vehicle with great force, killing Mrs. Coleman instantly and injuring Mr. Coleman so that he died.

Fort Worth, Texas

• Mr. Cooper Coleman

• Mrs. Cooper Coleman

Killed by Cotton Belt train

Grapevine, Tx

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CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH

Three and Five Years of Age, They
Perish in Flames.

Prague, Ok.: Two small children of William Cook were burned to death in a fire that destroyed Cook's barn. Their bodies were burned to crisps when taken from the flames. Their ages were 3 and 5. It is supposed they set fire to the barn while playing in the hay. The barn and contents were destroyed. Cook's farm is eight miles northwest of prague.

Child of William 3 years
" Cook
" 5 years

Prague, OK laham

Barn Fire
Mar 1910
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Cook Kills Cook in Dallas.

Dallas: W. B. Cook, aged 43, was shot twice in the head and died almost instantly about 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon in a saloon on Elm street. One bullet entered the forehead just at the edge of the left eyebrow and another entered in the upper lip just below the nose. Following the shooting V. A. Cook, owner of the saloon, went to the Sheriff's office and surrendered, saying that had shot a man. Four shots, it is said, were fired from a large caliber revolver.

Dallas, Texas
W. B. Cook - 43
shot
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Night Riders Kill Witness.
Kuttawa, Ky.: Axeltree Cooper, a tenant on the farm of Milton Oliver, died as a result of wounds received when he was attacked by three men at a barbecue given Saturday afternoon near the Lemasco precinct. Oliver is a confessed night rider and was a witness for the State in the coming night rider trials and the air has been thick with rumors lately of an outbreak against him. The attack on Cooper is thought to have been a blow to Oliver, and, in order to protect the latter's home, a detachment of State guards was put around his home.

Axeltree Cooper
Result of wounds in attack.
Kuttawa, Kentucky
D-Aug, 1910
Aug 6 1910

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Fatal Wreck on the Katy.

Gainesville: The Missouri, Kansas and Texas special, which was put into service between this city and Dallas was wrecked on the return trip Sunday night when nearing the city limits of Gainesville. The special left Dallas at 7 a. m. and was due to arrive here at 10:45, and was running on time. Fireman C. D. Corthen of this city was instantly killed

October 16, 1910
Gainsville, Texas
C. D. Corthen (Fireman)^{Gainsville, Tx}
Oct 22, 1910

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John W Daniels
J.W. Daniels (Senator)

Lynchburg, Virginia
Paralysis - Cerebral hemorrhage
June 29, 1910
July 2, 1910

SENATOR J. W. DANIEL IS DEAD

Virginia's Favorite Son Passes Away
At Lynchburg.

Lynchburg: John W. Daniel, senior United States Senator from Virginia and for more than thirty years Virginia's favorite son, died at the Lynchburg Sanitarium, his death being due to a recurrence of paralysis. The im- cause of death was a cerebral hemorrhage sustained at noon Wednesday in the right portion of his brain, involving



JOHN W. DANIELS.
United States Senator from Virginia, the right side. This was in addition to the paralysis of the left side, which was sustained last winter while in Florida for his health.

The statesman's illness began with a slight attack of apoplexy in Philadelphia last October, this keeping him from being in his seat at the opening of Congress last December. Only once since then had he appeared before an audience and that was for an informal talk in January.

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and S. L. Deskin a wealthy citizen of
Clay County, residing near Wind-
thorst, was accidentally killed Mon-
day at Henrietta by being thrown
from a wagon drawn by a runaway
team of horses.

SL. Deskin
Henrietta,
Jan 3, 1910
Thrown from wagon
Jan 8, 1910

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E. R. Dietz, an electrician, was
killed by a shock received at the light
plant at Handley Tuesday morning.

E. R. Dietz

Nov 29, 1910
Accidentally
Electrocuted

Handley, Texas

Dec 3, 1910

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Funeral of Senator Dolliver.

Fort Dodge, Iowa: Funeral services for Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver will be held on Thursday at 2 o'clock, it was announced. The suddenness of Mr. Dolliver's death from heart disease, while a physician was listening to the irregular beating of the organ with a stethoscope took every one so much by surprise that some of the funeral arrangements are only tentative. The funeral services will be held on lawn at family home.

Sen. Jonathan P. Dolliver

Heart disease

Ft. Dodge, Iowa

Oct , 1910

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MINE ACCIDENT KILLS TWO

Cage Shoots to Top of Shaft Smashing Engine.

McAlester, Ok.: Bill Douglas, hoisting engineer at the mine of the McAlester Coal and Mining Company at Buck, where the shaft is 500 feet deep, lost control of his engine and the cage shot to the top of the tibble, broke that off with the shieve wheel and threw all this with the cage, weighing over two tons, into the engine room, breaking the engines to pieces, instantly killing the engineer, so injuring Phil Tinchor, fire boss, that he died within an hour and seriously if not fatally injuring Arthur Oliver, another fire boss, and Cash Manuel, an employe, all of whom were in the engine room at the time. The property damage is heavy.

McAlester, Oklahoma

Phil Tinchor

Bill Douglas

2 OBITS

mining accident

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Bishop Edward J. Dunne (Ret. Rev.)^{Joseph}

Green Bay, Wisconsin

Heart Failure

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Tipperary, ~~Irish~~ Ireland

1847. B

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BISHOP EDWARD J. DUNNE DEAD

Prominent Catholic of Dallas Dies in
Green Bay, Wis., of
Heart Failure.

Chicago, Ill.: Rt. Rev. Edward Joseph Dunne, bishop of the diocese of Dallas, Tex., for twenty-two years one of the most prominent Roman Catholic priests of Chicago, died of heart failure Friday at Green Bay, Wis., according to dispatches from that city.

Bishop Dunne was attacked by heart disease three years ago, and for many months was cared for at Mercy Hospital, in Chicago. Since that time he had been unable to endure the heat of the Texas summer and had spent the summer months in the North. He was visiting Bishop J. J. Fox at the time of his death.

Born in Tipperary, Ireland, Bishop Dunne was brought to Chicago by his parents when he was 2 years old, arriving here in 1849, and except for a few years spent at the seminary in Baltimore, he lived in this city continuously until he left, accompanied by an escort of twenty-one Catholic priests, to take the post of Dallas.

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Robert W. Eaton

Sep 26, 1910-D

55 years - Ky

Oakland Cemetery.

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Commissioner Eaton Dies

Dallas: After an illness of some months, Robert W. Eaton, County Commissioner from Precinct No. 1 of Dallas County, died at his home here, 860 Ross avenue, Monday night. Mr. Eaton was a native of Kentucky, where he was born 55 years ago; and where he spent this past summer for his health. Mr. Eaton was a very popular commissioner of the county over, and a popular man generally; and his death will be greatly regretted by the citizens of Dallas county.

The remains were laid to rest in Oakland cemetery Wednesday evening. Before death he

arranged the following details for his funeral:

Active Pall Bearers—W. G. Godfrey, John L. Young, Jack F. Witt, W. M. Scott, Frank Austin, Lee Hughes.

Honorary Pall Bearers—W. B. Langley, G. L. Ford, W. J. J. Smith, Henry Smith, Maj. B. P. Jett of Farmers Branch, Ben E. Cabell, A. D. Fife, Albert Jackson

And the request that the quartette of the Oak Cliff I. O. O. F. degree staff sing "Nearer My God to Thee" at the grave

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June 11, 1910

June 1910
Mr. Wink Lucas
Grapevine, Texas

~~Mr. Wink Lucas~~
Mr. Julian Gleghorn
Miss Effie Smith
Miss Vashti Hogue

Estelle Echoes

With sad heart we report the death of ~~Mr. Wink Lucas~~ who lived at Grapevine at the time of his death. But he had lived in this community from boyhood, and has many friends here. He was one of Grapevine's best business-men. He was a christian from a boy up. He leaves a widow and four children, and many friends, to mourn his demise.

Mrs. Minnie Clark and husband visited her parents Sunday.

Mr. Julian Gleghorn and Miss Effie Smith were in Irving Sunday evening.

Miss Vashti Hogue returned home Monday from a week's visit in Arlington.

Mr. Philip Berry and Miss Euce Eden, Mr. Will McGaugh and Miss Jennie Berry and sisters, attended church at Coppell Sunday night.

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February 17, 1910

Mr. D. B. France

Born - 1841 - in Ohio

Died Feb 17, 1910

Grapevine, TX

Ulcer of the stomach

Flower mound. Buried
by wife

Daughter:
Mrs. Luther Stockton
Mrs. Tillery (Myrtle)

Son: Bert W. France
Harry B. France
Will France
Roy France

Death of Mr. D. B. France

On February 17th, at the home of his daughter in Grapevine, Mrs. Tillery, death claimed an old citizen—Mr. D. B. France.

Mr. France had resided in and near Irving for some two years, and recently made his home here with his son Bert. A few weeks ago he was called to Grapevine, owing to the sickness of his daughter there. He, too, was taken sick there, and after a period of eighteen days died of ulcer of stomach.

His remains were carried to Flower Mound in Denton county, and there laid to rest beside those of his wife, in their family cemetery.

Mr. France was a simple Samaritan, and lived, died and was buried as such. He was born in Ohio in 1841; came to Texas at about 35 years of age, and has since resided in Denton and Dallas counties. Six children survive him: Mrs. Myrtle Tillery of Grapevine; Harry B. France of Hopkins county; Bert W., Will and Roy France and Mrs. Luther Stockton of Irving.

Mr. France was a quiet—very reticent citizen, but a great reader. He had made many friends in Irving, who extend sympathy to the family.

Bear Creek Breezes

The little baby of G. G. Fulbright died Sunday evening, after a protracted sickness. It was buried at the Sowers cemetery Monday afternoon.

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Fulbright,
Sep 25. 1910
protracted sickness
child of G.G. Fulbright
Sowers Cemetery

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CHIEF JUSTICE FULLER IS DEAD

Death Came As Surprise—Presided
Over Supreme Court 22 Years

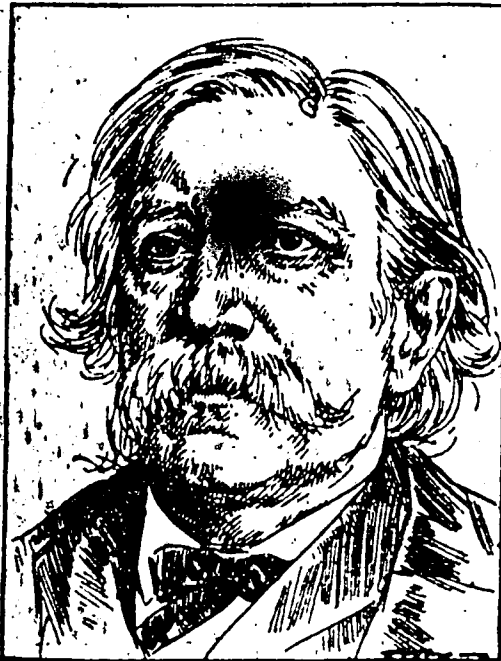
Bar Harbor, Maine: Chief Justice
Melville Weston Fuller, of the United
States Supreme Court, died of heart
failure at his summer home in Sor-
rento, at six o'clock Monday morning.

The death of Chief Justice Fuller
was entirely unexpected, as he had
been apparently in good health lately,
and there had been no symptoms of
any kind of trouble.

Sunday he attended church as usual
and when he retired he was to all
appearances in his customary health.

Death came about 8 o'clock Mon-
day morning.

Washington, D. C.: To Chief Jus-
tice Fuller fell the third rank for
length of service as presiding justice
in the highest tribunal of the Amer-
ican government. For twenty-two
years he was chief justice of the su-
preme court of the United States, but



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of article

MELVILLE W. FULLER.

Chief Justice U. S. Supreme Court.

Chief Justice Marshall presided over
the court for thirty-four years and
Chief Justice Taney for twenty-eight
years.

Before Grover Cleveland sent Jus-
tice Fuller's name to the senate on
April 10, 1888, for confirmation as chief
justice, he was practically unknown
except to members of the legal profes-
sion.

In Maine, where he was born, Feb-
ruary 11, 1833, he had been known as
a well-behaved, rather scholarly, lad.
He had gone to Bowden College and
while there won most of the prizes
for elocution. He had gone down to
the Harvard law school for one year.
Finally he blossomed out as a full-
fledged lawyer and a politician of the
high-minded sort in his native city
of Augusta.

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Melville Weston Fuller
heart failure

Sorrento, Maine

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Feb 11, 1833 B

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Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme
Court.

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Death of Mrs. M. E. Haley.

On Wednesday evening at about 8 o'clock, at the home of her son, T. C. Haley, in Irving, Mrs. M. E. Haley passed away, after an illness of a little more than a week, with pneumonia.

Grandma Haley had resided in Irving, with her son, much of the time for the past five or six years. She was known and loved by all who knew her. She was a good, Christian woman, and one of the sweet, old ladies that makes life's living a pleasure. She was one of God's noble mothers—like a mother to her young friends.

To her son here, and to her children and relatives in Dallas and elsewhere, the sincerest sympathy of Irving friends is extended.

Grandma Haley was 74 years old. The members of her surviving family are: Two sons, J. H. Haley of Dallas, and T. C. Haley of Irving; one daughter—Mrs. Dr. R. J. Gaudin, of Dallas; one sister—Mrs. A. E. McAtee, of Fort Worth; one brother—Dr. J. L. Fort, of Algona, Texas.

The remains were sent to Dallas on Thursday evening, and the funeral was held from the residence of her daughter there, Mrs. Dr. Gaudin, at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Rev. M. M. Davis conducted the services. Interment was made in Oakland cemetery.

Mrs. M. E. Haley

Pneumonia

Dec 21, 1910

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Sons: J H Haley

TC Haley

daughters: Mrs. Dr. R. J. Gaudin

Sis: Mrs A. E. McAtee

Bro: Dr. J. L. Fort

Oakland Cemetery. Dallas

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Child Accidentally Killed.
Mineral Wells: The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hamilton, of this city, was killed Tuesday by a log of wood falling upon her head while she was playing at the woodpile.

Hamilton, (daughter)
d/o/ Mr + Mrs J. R. Hamilton
Jan. 6. 1910
Mineral Wells, Tx
Log pile accident
Jan 8, 1910

Death of C. R. Hankins

Captain Rondau Hankins died at Hot Springs, Ark. on May 29, 1910; his remains were shipped to Irving, and buried in the Kit cemetery here on June 1. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Tom Green, and, in the presence of family and relatives, kind friends laid the body to rest.

Deceased was born in Tennessee nearly 36 years ago. He came to Texas in 1895, as a youth of about twenty years, and a few years later enlisted in the 3rd Texas Infantry and served through the Spanish-American war, and special mention is made in his discharge of his soldierly conduct. In December, 1903, at Weatherford, Texas, he was married to Miss Adell Murphey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Murphey, for some years residents of Irving. His wife and two little girls, ages about 6 and 4, survive, and reside here with the wife's parents.

Mr. Hankins was a railroad man, and when first known in Irving was healthy and robust, physically. But some two years ago a blight of physique set in, and neither the plains of Texas nor the shores of California would stay its inroads; and as a last resort a few weeks ago he went to Hot Springs—where, in the government hospital he died. But the end was not looked for so soon by family and friends here. Mr. Hankins was a man universally liked.

A railroad friend says of him: "After leaving the army, he entered the service of the Rock Island Railway Co. as a common laborer, but he worked up until he held important positions with this company. Later he entered the service of the C. H. Sharpe Construction Company, and was their general foreman for several years. His services were sought by large contracting concerns, on account of his honesty, faithfulness and efficiency. He lost his health by hard work and exposure. He sought health in California and Western Texas, and finally entered the Army and Navy Hospital at Hot Springs."

Mr. J. R. Hankins of Tulia, Swisher county, a brother of deceased, was present to direct and assist in the final disposition of the body. Other family relatives from a distance present were: Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stevens of Teague, and Mr. Will Murphey of Wise county.

Any kind word or act toward my husband, Mr. C. R. Hankins, during his affliction and stay in Irving is greatly appreciated; and any kind words, acts and assistance during our hour of trouble will ever be remembered and appreciated.

MRS. C. R. HANKINS.

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Rondau Hankins

Hot Springs, Ar.

May 29, 1910 - D

Kit Cem

36 years / 1874

Spouse:

Adell Murphey

2d.

Bro J R Hankins

Capt. →

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IN MEMORIAM

In the noontide of life, just when she could look back with pleasant memories upon her early married life, and girlhood days, and surrounded by her beloved children and devoted husband she could look forward to a life of joy and contentment, the Giver of life called her home to form another link in the golden chain that binds her loved ones to the land beyond.

Emma Hardy, the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Hardy, was born in Arkansas July 17, 1874. She was married to H. S. Keeling June 11, 1891. This model husband and three children—Roy Homer and Bertha—survive her to mourn her loss and await that happy reunion in the land where no parting ever comes.

Sister Keeling, while in the quietness of her home, sought and found acceptance from our Risen Lord in the year 1892; immediately joined the Baptist Church, and has lived a consecrated and devoted Christian life worthy of the emulation of us all. Besides being a consistent church member, she was also a member in good standing of the K. and L. of H., and other organizations.

Brother and Sister Keeling came to Texas, reaching Dallas in 1900, and since that time have continuously resided in the State.

A father, four brothers, two of whom are here to attend the funeral services—Rev. G. B. Hardy, of Como, Texas, and R. L. Hardy, of Winnsboro—and two sisters still survive.

Sister Keeling, surrounded by friends and loved ones, departed this life July 20, 1910. She died as she had lived, with all her hopes resting on Jesus and knowing that there awaited her a mansion over there.

The funeral services were conducted at the Baptist Tabernacle at 3:00 p. m., July 21st, by Rev. T. C. Mahan, an old acquaintance and friend of the family, after which the remains were interred in the family burying ground at Kit.

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Emma Hardy Keeling
d/of- Rev + Mrs J.R. Hardy

b. July 17, 1874

Arkansas
d. July 20, 1910
H/of - H.S. Keeling

Roy
Homer } children
Bertha

father 4 Bro Rev G B Hardy
R.L. Hardy

2 Sisters

Kit Cemetery

"Unwearied, unfettered, unwatched,
unconfined,
Be my spirit like thee in the world
of the mind:
No yearning for earth e'er to weary
its flight,
But fresh as thy pinions in the
region of light."

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Mar. 5, 1910

Noted Minister Dead.

Richmond, Va.: Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, one of the most notable Baptist ministers in the South, and widely known in the North, died here, aged seventy-three years. He led thirty-one members of his Mobile congregation into the Confederate army.

Rev. J. B. Hawthorne
Richmond Va
73 yrs

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Jan. 29, 1910

While playing around a fire the clothing of the little 2-year-old son of C. M. Hays, of San Angelo, caught fire, and before his mother could rescue him, he was burned so badly that he died in a few hours.

Son of C M Hays
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San Angelo, Tx

Fire. / clothes caught on fire

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REAR ADMIRAL HICHBORN DEAD

Was Important Factor In Building
Nation's Navy.

Washington: Rear Admiral Phillip Hichborn, U. S. N., retired, who from shipwright's apprentice rose to the responsible post of Chief Constructor of the Nation's navy, died in his home in this city Sunday after a long illness. He was 71 years old. America's great fleet of battleships, which early last year returned from a cruise around the world, is in no small way a result of the genius of Rear Admiral Hichborn, often called the Nation's master ship builder.

Phillip Hichborn (US Navy Retired)
Rear Admiral

d May 1, 1910
Washington,

May 7, 1910
long illness

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Mrs. Frank Hoyle died near Ballinger, on Christmas morning and was buried there. Mrs. Hoyle was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Worthington, and was well known here, where she was married about one year ago. With her husband and parents she went into the west some months since with the hope of regaining failing health. Her many friends here were pained on the news of her death, and much sympathy goes to the family.

Mrs. Frank Hoyle
Ballinger Tx
Dec 25, 1909
d/ol mrs Mrs A. B. Worthington.
failing health
Jan. 8 1910