

# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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## 10 ARE KILLED IN EXPLOSION

CHICAGO, March 29.—Ten persons were killed today and several score of persons injured as the result of a factory explosion. Half an hour after the explosion three bodies had been taken from the ruins and four of those injured sent to a hospital. A short time later two more bodies were removed from the ruins which brought the known list of dead up to five. The cause of the explosion has not been determined.

W. T. Garner went to Talpa on business Monday afternoon.

## TOO MUCH COURT

AUSTIN, March 29.—Governor Neff today vetoed the McNealus Senate bill appropriating \$200,000 for a new state school for the blind. Mr. Neff, in vetoing the bill pointed out that the state already possessed a splendidly equipped school for the blind and said that if additional facilities were needed to care for the blind, that the present school should be enlarged.

AUSTIN, March 29.—Gov. Neff declared today that a considerable number of district courts in Texas should be abolished. He said that more money was wasted by idle courts than in any other department of the state government.

## MERCURY DROPS TO 26 DEGREES

DALLAS, March 29.—The Dallas weather bureau today reports that considerable damage to fruit and vegetables in North and West Texas was caused by frost last night. The extent of the damage will not be known for several days. A general freeze in North and West Texas resulted from the low temperature, and the freeze extended as far South as Taylor and Palestine. The weather bureau announced that the frost extended to the fruit belt of Arkansas and Northern Louisiana.

It is the opinion of most of those who have examined the fruit that the twenty-six degree weather last night was more than the tender fruit could stand and the crop has practically, if not completely been wiped out.

Some of the more optimistic hold out hope for a partial crop, but it is generally conceded that the crop has received a heavy jolt and a later falling off may take the last peach from the trees.

Only the winter variety, or frost-proof garden truck escaped death in the freeze which swept the country Sunday and Monday nights. It is also reported that maize and other early feed crops which were coming up to a good stand, were killed, and replanting may be necessary.

Prospects were very promising for a good fruit crop. It is possible that fruit far advanced may escape, but it is believed by most of those who have examined it that it has all been killed.

## LOOKING TO CARE WOUNDED MEN

WASHINGTON, March 29.—President Harding today appointed a committee of eleven, headed by Charles Dawes, to investigate the administration War Risk Bureau and Board of Vocational Training, and care of the wounded or impaired service men.

CONCESSION rights for both the goods—Hamburgers—Cream Cones, etc., for White Sox game, can be bought from NOEL PENN. —29-2td

## GUARD DATE SET

AUSTIN, March 29.—The Texas National Guard encampment will be held at Camp Mabry, commencing about the middle of June. The encampment will be under the command of Brigadier General Jacob F. Walters, the Adjutant General's Department announced today.

Mrs. R. D. Dewees, of Bronte, Mrs. J. R. Fielder and Mrs. Bert Low, of Winters, passed thru the city Tuesday morning en route to Brownwood to attend the missionary union meeting.

## CASTLE OFFICER SHOT TO DEATH

DUBLIN, Ireland, March 29.—Captain Rees, official of Dublin Castle, was shot dead today outside of his hotel on Drury Street here, according to an official statement made at the castle. Four men comprised the party which did the shooting.

COPPER MINE CLOSES DOWN  
NEW YORK, March 29.—The Anacondo Copper Mining Company announced today that operations had been suspended indefinitely. All employees are without employment.

## British War Veterans in Huts



Several British war veterans and their families, unable to secure other shelter, are living in miserable huts at Sundridge Camp, Woking, England. Of course the sanitary conditions are bad. The veterans, however, say they must live and insist that they cannot find other quarters. The authorities are investigating.

## BOARD RULES LEAGUE OUT

CHICAGO, March 29.—The United States Railway Labor Board today declined to admit the National Industrial Traffic League to rules in a case before the board, saying: "Hearing of the petitioners will not be helpful and is not in public interest." The decision also argued that to admit the organization as a party contestant would result in opening the gates to dozens of similar bodies and perhaps prolong the hearing for a year.

CHICAGO, March 29.—The Railroad Labor Board today held that the St. Louis & Southwestern Railway probably violated certain sections of the wage agreement last July on complaint brought by the United States Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way employees and railroad shop employees.

The board set March 31st for a hearing and requested the unions and railroads to have representatives present at the hearing. One of the allegations in the complaint was that the road had established a ten hour day for unskilled labor and paying pro rata scale for overtime instead of time and a half.

## GREEK TAKE CITY

LONDON, March 29.—Greek troops have occupied the city of Eski Shehr and captured many prisoners and a large quantity of war materials, says a Central News dispatch from Athens. The city is one of the most important objectives of the Greek offensive against Asia Minor, and is located at the junction of the Bagdad Railway and the road running Southeast toward Kon.

Rubber Stamps.—The Ballinger Printing Co.

## 15 KILLED IN RIOT; 40 HURT

ESSEN, Germany, March 29.—Fifteen rioters were killed and forty others wounded in a clash with the security police here today. An attempt to cause a general strike in this region has so far failed, and the police have the situation well in hand.

BERLIN, March 29.—Government troops and security police today surrounded the nitrogen plant at Luna, which has been the communist stronghold for the last five days, and forced the insurgents to surrender.

## YEGGS ATTEMPT TO CRACK MILES BANK

A damaged vault and a large safe fit only for the junk pile, is the total loss from an attempt to rob the Miles National Bank, at Miles, eighteen miles West of Ballinger, Monday night. The yeggs made a bad job of it and escaped without any booty after making four attempts to blow open the big money safe in the vault.

Entering the building through a window, the robbers dug through the vault, breaking a hole large enough for a man to crawl through, and then opening the vault door from the inside began work to blow open the large safe. Evidence left behind indicates that four shots were taken at the safe without success.

The robbery was not discovered until the bank opened for business at the usual hour Tuesday morning, when the employees found cement and rock scattered over the floor and the safe badly battered and damaged from the charges of explosives planted in an effort to blow it open.

About four o'clock Tuesday morning, or a short time after the morning train passed thru Miles, explosions attracted the attention of several citizens in Miles, but no attention was paid to them at the time, and not until the robbery was discovered this morning was it recalled that the explosions were heard. It is presumed that the yeggs became frightened for fear of apprehension after failing in the fourth

Mrs. W. C. Penn returned home Monday afternoon from a visit to her brother, Thad Thomson at San Angelo.

attempt to blow the safe, and beat a hasty retreat.

It was first reported that a quantity of Liberty Bonds and war stamps were stolen, but in a conversation over the phone with A. H. Lewin, cashier of the bank, The Ledger learned that the robbers did not get away with any booty.

Sheriff Flynt was notified as soon as the robbery was discovered, and accompanied by Deputy O'Kelly and J. D. Perkins left for Miles to make an effort to get a clue which might lead to the capture of the yeggs.

## WRITER IS DEAD

NEW YORK, March 29.—John Burroughs, the famous naturalist, died at two o'clock this morning on a New York Central train from Kingsville, Ohio. Railroad officials received the death news here. Burroughs was returning to the East after the winter's sojourn at Pasadena, California, where it was reported he had been slightly ill from afflictions incident to old age. Deceased was eighty-four years old.

Mrs. Hill Jackson and Mrs. J. F. Lusk left Monday afternoon for Brownwood where they will attend a district meeting of the Baptist Missionary Union.

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This is the original Chicago White Sox team who have been in training in Texas and are coming to Ballinger to give an exhibition of the sport. This is an opportunity to see professional players "slap the pill" and run bases just the same as they do when against any League team. Don't miss this game—you'll be sorry if you do. Game called promptly at two o'clock.

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Ballinger's insurance rate is low as a result of the fight on fires. The death rate can be made low by fighting filth.

It is an ill wind which fails to blow good to some one, and the woman without an Easter bonnet was strictly in style with the freezing weather Sunday.

If gambling is tabooed to begin with and kept out the baseball park, and the game made clean from start to finish, Ballinger's support of the great National sport will place this town in the West Texas League line up next season.

Eggs are cheap, but eggs which are selling or twelve cents per dozen now hatch chickens which will sell for twelve dollars by next poultry shipping season, and the cheap eggs should be fed to the incubators. More poultry and less cotton will solve the problem.

Secretary of War Weeks says Uncle Sam will get Bergdoll if possible. If Uncle Sam finds that it is impossible to get the rich draft dodger, he should step aside and give the American Legion permission to get him, and back it up instead of permitting our soldiers to be sent to German prisons for attempting to get the slacker.

**"THE OLD MAN"**  
He may wear a last year's hat; his finger nails may need manicuring; his vest may hang a little loose and his pants may bag at knees; his face may show signs of a second day's growth; and the tin dinner bucket he carries be full of dents, but don't call him "the old man." He's your father. For years and years he has been rustling around to get things together. Never once has he failed to do the right thing by you. He thinks you the greatest boy on earth, even though you plaster your hair back, wear smart clothes, and fail to bring home a cent. He is the man who won the love and life partnership of the greatest women on earth—your mother. Happy will you be indeed if memory recalls no word, look, or act of yours toward him bringing untold sor-

row to your heart after his hands are folded in his last long sleep.—San Francisco Daily News.

Theo. Schuhmann was here from Rowena Monday, and while in the city had his address on The Ledger changed from Rowena to Slaton, Texas. Mr. Schuhmann stated that he would move from Rowena to Slaton the last of the week, where he will try farming for awhile, devoting his time to producing something to eat. He has been a citizen of Rowena for a long time, having left before and returned, the last return being in 1906, and after fifteen years he has decided to leave again.

**REVIVAL AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Rev. A. N. Gloves will hold evangelistic services at the First Christian Church, West 10th St., April 3rd to 10th inclusive. During the week there will be only night services beginning at 7:45 o'clock.

Mrs. T. J. McCaughan, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Mason, of Norton, came in early Tuesday morning and caught the four o'clock train for Brownwood, to attend the Baptist Missionary Union.

In this country, it has been said of office holders, "Few die and none resign." In Ireland, it's "Few don't die and none resign."—Greenville Piedmont.

The way to economize is to eliminate the "con."

Since Palmer's ruling on beer has been made public it's likely that thirst will be considered a further use for it.—Detroit News.

**OUCH! RUB BACKACHE STIFFNESS, LUMBAGO**

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**ANOTHER WOMAN ESCAPES**

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**WILL DISCUSS THE PASSION WEEK**

Dr. S. M. Provenee will discuss the passion week of Jesus' life tonight in his second Bible lecture at the Baptist church. The length of time Jesus' body lay in the tomb will receive special notice. The meeting is at 7:45.

Two large classes in Young People's work are meeting Mr. Carson every day at 5:00 and 7:30.

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**COURT HEARING DAMAGE SUIT**

After selecting a jury to try the case of J. J. Bedford vs. A. F. Roberts and H. K. Reid, the court dismissed the remainder of the jury for the week Tuesday morning, indicating that the case on trial would complete the jury work for the present term of district court here.

The case on trial was called following the completion of the criminal docket Monday afternoon, and all of Tuesday forenoon was consumed in hearing evidence, and the court was still taking testimony late Tuesday afternoon.

This is a suit in which J. J. Bedford, of Winters, is seeking to recover damages from Roberts & Reid, also of Winters, for alleged failure to thrash the plaintiff's grain crop according to contract.

Plaintiff is asking for damages in the sum of about \$3,000, alleging that Roberts & Reid were operating a thrashing machine, and made a verbal contract to thrash the plaintiff's wheat and oats at a certain time, and by failure to do so the plaintiff suffered loss due to delay, rain, etc.

Quite a number of Winters citizens who are alleged to know something about the conditions, contract, etc., are here as witnesses in the case and if all witnesses are used the case will require several days.



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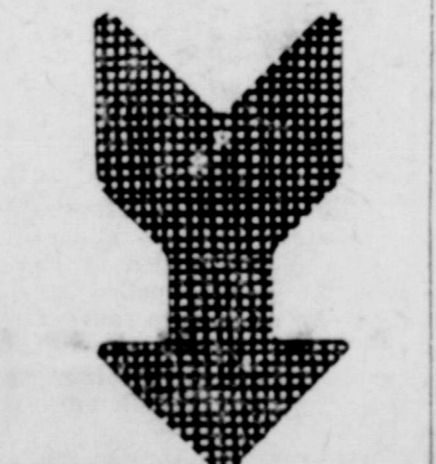
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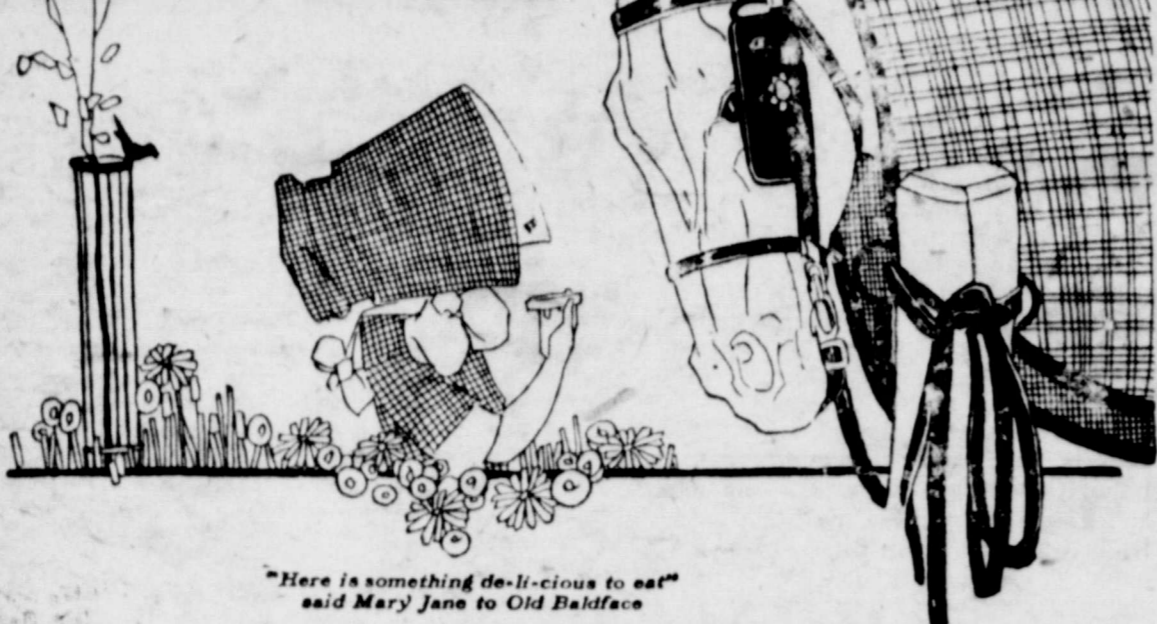
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# THE MERRY JOURNEYS OF MARY JANE



"Here is something de-licious to eat" said Mary Jane to Old Baldface

## Mary Jane and Old Baldface the Horse

ONE day the doctor came to see Mary Jane's mother and tied Old Baldface, his horse, up to the hitching post in front of the house. Mary Jane and Baldface were old friends, because he was with the doctor the night the stork brought Mary Jane in the big wicker basket. So Old Baldy said: "Have you anything good to eat left over from lunch?" And Mary said, "We had some wonderful, delicious corn bread for lunch—you wait here and I'll get you a piece." Mary went into the house and spread a great big piece of corn bread with Mary Jane Syrup, for nothing in the world ever tasted better to Old Baldy than corn bread and Mary Jane Syrup. She brought a piece for herself too, and so they had lunch to-

gether and sat there and visited until the doctor came out. Baldy told the doctor that Mary Jane was the best friend he had anyway, because nobody ever gave him anything so delicious in all his life as that spread of corn bread with Mary Jane Syrup. The doctor told Baldy that everybody ought to know about this, and it made people healthy, strong and ruddy—whether they were little girls and boys like Mary Jane and her brother Bobby, or whether they were grownups, like Mary Jane's mamma and papa and Grandma Susan.

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## CASTORIA

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Miss Fannie Wilmeth is at home from Brownwood, where she and her mother had been with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Joe Blagg, while Mr. Blagg was seriously ill. Mr. Blagg underwent the second operation for appendicitis, and was at the point of death for several days. Mrs. Wilmeth remained in Brownwood until Mr. Blagg is out of danger. He is improving and Mr. and Mrs. Blagg's baby has recovered from diphtheria.

Cold settled in the muscles of the neck, arms or shoulder makes every movement painful. Use Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relieves the pain and relaxes the muscles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

R. B. Rogers is here from Brownwood to spend a day or two looking after his dry goods interests. He has about regained his health from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen and brother, Nath Allen, returned to their home at Big Spring this week. They came here to attend the Boland murder trial.

L. B. Sawyer, one of the young farmers of the Winters country, was here attending court as a juror Monday.

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### A CORRECTION

In yesterday's Daily Ledger in the story of the prospective baseball team, we made the statement that the position of Short Stop was never filled last year. This was an error on our part and the position was capably filled by Mr. "Skeet" Baker, better known as "Andy Gump."

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation

James B. Harris, of Dallas, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harris, and other relatives. Mr. Harris formerly lived in Ballinger and was with The Ledger. He is now at the head of one of the largest general insurance agencies in Dallas, and had been to El Paso on business, coming here to spend a couple of days with his parents.

### METHODIST REVIVAL CONTINUES THIS WEEK

The Methodist revival continues with two services each day. A good service was reported at the Monday night's meeting and again Tuesday morning. Services will be held again tonight at 7:45 and on throughout the week until further announcement is made.

R. W. Gilliam and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Allen, who came here to attend the trial of the man who is charged with killing Mrs. Allen's husband, returned to their home at Hereford, Tuesday.

Mrs. Alvin Swindell and Mrs. A. S. Love are among those attending the Baptist Missionary Union at Brownwood. They went down to Brownwood Tuesday morning. Mrs. L. L. Stroble was also a member of the party.

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## Cash Offered for Home Run; To Hold Train for White Sox

Local fans are hanging out two nice cash prizes to the heavy hitters on the local team which plays the Chicago White Sox here Thursday. The first man on the Bear Cat team to send the ball over the fence for a home run in the game with the White Sox will receive a cash prize of \$58. The following named firms and individuals contributed to the purse for the first home run: The Hub, First National Bank, Ideal Barber Shop, Van Pelt-Pyburn, Weeks Drug Store, Ballinger State Bank, V. Weinberg, E. Sheppard & Co., Ballinger Auto Co., Harwell Motor Co., \$5.00 each; F. & M. Bank \$2.50; Floyd Carr \$2.50; Pearce Drug Co., Van Pelt, Kirk & Mack, D. Reeder, \$1.00 each. Total \$58.

For the first member of the Bear Cat team making a score in Thursday's game a cash prize of \$29.50 will be given, the following firms and individuals making up the purse: LeRoy Nicholson, \$10; Richard Cockrell, \$10; R. A. Nicholson, H. M. Nicholson, \$5.00 each; C. S. Guin \$2.50; Higginbotham Bros. & Co., \$5.00; N. Passur, \$1.00; Woodson & Thomas, \$1.00. Total \$39.50.

Santa Fe Agent Beck received orders from the railroad officials Monday, to hold the East bound Santa Fe next Thursday until four-thirty for the accommodation of the Chicago White Sox, who will play here that afternoon.

In order to fill other engagements it is necessary that the White Sox leave on the Thursday afternoon's train, and this made it necessary to call the game here earlier than usual, to prevent a rush and give ample time for staging the game, the train will be held for twenty minutes.

The Pullman Company will

also provide additional accommodations for the baseball players on the train leaving at the above hour. The White Sox will jump from Austin to Ballinger, arriving here at noon Thursday. The game will be called in an hour or two after the arrival of the club.

### STOP THAT ITCH

There is an epidemic of iteh among the school children. Use the reliable Blue Star Eczema Remedy which is sold on a guarantee to cure or prevent your child from taking it, if applied twice a week. Will not stain clothes, and has a pleasant odor. Sold on a guarantee by John A. Weeks, 6mo-d&w.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall in the City of Ballinger, on the first Tuesday in April, 1921, the same being the 5th day of April, 1921, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two City Commissioners for said City of Ballinger, who shall serve for a term of two years as such.

The polls at said election will be open at 8:00 o'clock a. m. and close at 7:00 o'clock p. m. J. F. Lusk is the presiding officer for said election.

C. S. GUIN, Mayor, City of Ballinger, 8-15-22, 29 d

Regular bowel movements should be corrected, as they lead to chronic constipation. Take a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters at bedtime and you will get its beneficial effects after breakfast next morning. It empties the stomach and bowels and makes a man feel fit for the day's work. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

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## SECOND TRIAL SETS NEGRO FREE

Willis Thompson, a Wharton county negro, who was convicted or plead guilty to receiving stolen property, when arraigned for trial last week, and given a two year sentence in the pen, was in a manner set free Monday, and was the happiest negro to ever walk out of the local court house.

Acting on his own suggestion, Judge Woodward appointed Judge A. K. Doss to take the proper steps and present to the court a motion for a new trial, which the court readily granted, and in five minutes after granting the defendant a new trial, he was again arraigned for trial and Judge Doss presented to the court with the negro's plea of guilty an application for a suspended sentence. The jury deliberated only a few minutes and returned a verdict, fixing the punishment at two years in the penitentiary and recommending a suspended sentence.

Judge Woodward gave the negro a good lecture and instructed him to report to the court, either in person, through the sheriff, or by letter, at each term, until two years had elapsed and then to appear in person and make formal application for his discharge.

Willis Thompson was made a "dupe" in disposing of stolen goods. Goods stolen from the Van Pelt-Pyburn store last fall were placed in the negro's hands, and he was instructed to take them to South Texas and dispose of them. The grand jury failed to find a bill against the white man on account of lack of evidence connecting him with the robbery here, and the negro, with a good record for forty-six years, impressed the court with his innocence of any crime. He stated that he had twelve children, the youngest one month old, and conducted himself before the court as an old time Southern negro.

After the negro was tried and given two years last week it was at first planned to get a pardon for him, but later the court granted a motion for a new trial, and the negro goes free under a suspended sentence, instead of asking the governor to free him.

Rapid heart throbbing does not necessarily mean heart disease; generally it is caused by a disordered stomach. Prove it for yourself by taking Prickly Ash Bitters; if the stomach is at fault the heart symptoms will quickly disappear. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

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Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

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## NEXT MEETING OF C. I. A. AT BRONTE

The next regular meeting of the Colorado Valley Irrigation Association is to be held at Bronte in Coke county, near the site of the proposed dam across the Colorado river, the erection of which the irrigation association is promoting.

The association is composed of business men and land owners living in and near Ballinger, San Angelo, Bronte, Tennyson, Robert Lee, Miles, Paint Rock, Rowena and Winters.

Tuesday, April 26th, has been set as the date for the meeting. Elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors are being made by the Bronte Chamber of Commerce and it is expected that several hundred people from this section of the state will be in Bronte on that date to attend the meeting, inspect the proposed dam and reservoir and enjoy the hospitality of the Bronte people.

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Judge Culp, of Gainesville, returned home Monday afternoon. He had been here as counsel for J. H. Boland, charged with the murder of Chas. Allan.

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