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CLOUD-BURST FLOODS SAN ANTONIO

Estimate Dead from 100 to 500; Property Loss Over Five Million

BOLAND GETS TEN YEARS FOR MURDER

After deliberating twenty-three hours the jury in the J. H. Boland murder case brought in a verdict of guilty and fixed the penalty at ten years in the state penitentiary. The case went to the jury at two-thirty Friday afternoon and the verdict was returned at one-thirty Saturday afternoon.

The verdict came as a surprise as it had been reported throughout the morning that the jury was in a deadlock with no hope of reaching a decision. The court was notified shortly after noon that the jury wanted to be brought from the jury room, and it was generally presumed that they wanted to ask to be released and report that they could not agree.

Promptly at one-thirty the defendant was brought from the jail, where he had been placed by the sheriff earlier in the day, when the court received formal notice from defendant's bondsmen that they "wanted off." When the formal notice from the bondsmen turned the defendant back to the sheriff the officer placed him in jail.

In a few minutes after the defendant had been brought from the jail the jury filed down from the jury room and took their seats in the jury box. "Have you reached a verdict?" asked the judge. "Yes, sir," replied D. W. Turner, as he handed the judge some papers. "We, the jury find the defendant guilty and assess his punishment at ten years in the penitentiary," read the judge.

Boland was occupying the seat he had occupied throughout the trial, and was smoking a cigarette when the verdict was announced. He continued to smoke the cigarette and did not appear to be concerned over his fate. He was returned to jail and no announcement has been made as to whether his attorneys will file a motion for a new trial.

It was reported that the jury was unanimous for a verdict of guilty on the first ballot, and were only divided as to the degree of punishment. Some held out for manslaughter and a light sentence while others held out for a greater punishment, finally compromising on ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Nicholson and daughter, Miss Ruth, returned home Friday night from New York, where Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson went to meet Miss Ruth, when they received a telegram that she was ill en route home from Europe. The young lady had a severe attack of appendicitis while on the ship four days out from New York, but recovered and is getting along nicely.

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Social Gathering Marks Close of Successful Year

That degree of success which has followed the Y. M. B. L. throughout the year marked the close of the fiscal year's work in its annual banquet Friday night. Optimism reigned supreme, and that good feeling of commercial and social fellowship which counts for so much in the success of such work could be read on the countenances of the more than two hundred progressive men and women who gathered around the festive boards.

The banquet was a fitting dedicatory ceremony for the modern Harwell garage which is just being completed. Mr. Harwell very kindly granted permission for the committee to stage the banquet in his new building.

The front, or display and sales-room of the garage was decorated with pot plants, and artistic signs placed here and there calling attention to the accomplishments of the Young Men's Business League during the year just closed, or pointing to goals to which the league is driving. These attracted the attention of the guests, and created an interest among those who have not been keeping close tab on the work being done by the local commercial organization.

The guests began arriving at seven o'clock and mixed and mingled together in a social way for nearly an hour, when the doors to the room where the banquet tables had been arranged, were opened, and the enthusiastic boosters gathered around the table for the annual feast.

C. S. Guin, president of the Y. M. B. L., presided, and acted as toast master for the occasion. R. T. Williams offered the invocation, and for two hours, singing, speaking and mirth mingled with the viands making up the menu.

The presenting of special awards was the occasion of much merriment. Mr. Guin briefly reviewed the work of the League, calling attention to some of the activities of the organization, and paying credit to whom credit was due, etc. He told of the untiring efforts of the various committees, and how the committee members neglected their own private business, broke social and business engagements to carry on the work successfully.

In making the special awards, Mr. Guin called for James A. Wear to rise. Mr. Wear stood up and advanced towards the speaker's stand, and was presented with a baby rattle. Those who know something about the avoirdupois of Mr. Wear appreciated the joke. Dr. J. G. Douglass was the next member of the Y. M. B. L. to receive special mention and he was asked to stand and was presented with a bottle of anti-fat tonic, and the crowd caught the joke. R. E. Willingham, who, the toastmaster said, had a hard time making

himself heard, was presented with a little tin bugle. J. McGregor responded to the toast "The Inhumanity of De-horning Hydraulic Rams." Mr. McGregor in his usual witty way related a number of jokes which continued the merry spirit of the occasion. "The Use and Abuse of Herpetoids," was a subject responded to by District Attorney Walter U. Early. Mr. Early declared it was the first time he ever heard of such an article. He stated that he had first thought it was the name of some new breakfast food, and a friend told him it was the name of a cough syrup. Not being acquainted with the subject assigned to him the speaker took up the catalog of other liquids and named every brand in a way which brought tears to the eyes of some of the old timers who were among those seated at the banquet table. Porter A. Whaley, of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was the speaker of the evening. Mr. Whaley arrived here from Stamford in his car, accompanied by Mrs. Whaley and Porter Jr., and Hamilton Wright, of the Fort Worth Record, just a short time before the banquet hour. He complimented Ballinger for her progressive spirit, and for being so prominently on the map as a result of the successful work of her commercial organization. Mr. Whaley's talk was along the lines of benefits of commercial organizations, and he referred to the successful developments of projects launched and put over by commercial organizations in other towns. The speaker referred to the possibilities of the irrigation project, and called attention of his hearers to the fact that the Y. M. B. L. was behind this work, was responsible for its achievements up to this time, and appealed to the citizens to stand behind the League in working for its success. Secretary Allbright, of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, made a brief talk, and complimented Ballinger for getting so much publicity and so many head lines in the state papers. He said he was going to find out before he left Ballinger how Stuart Williams managed to get so many headlines in the papers. "Brownwood is proud of her neighbor, 'the biggest little city in Texas,'" said Mr. Allbright. Secretary Williams made his annual report by calling attention to the report which had been printed and mailed to the members, and stated that a surplus of copies of the report were on hand for anyone who had not received a copy or wished to read it. The report was unique in its arrangements as well as reflecting most forcibly the good work done by the organization. The report was made up in the form of a balance sheet, and published in the monthly bulletin of the Y. M. B. L. On one side, the debit column, was outlined the tasks which confronted the organization at the beginning of the year, while on the credit side was a brief review of how well these tasks had been performed in showing what the Lea-

STORM REACHES FROM CANADA TO GULF OF MEXICO

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Country wide thunder showers and disturbances were reported today from the Canadian Northwest to the Gulf of Mexico.

Tornadoes were reported in South Dakota and Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The Caribbean hurricane centered today South of Haiti and is moving West and Northwest, the weather bureau reported.

GEN. PERSHING SENT TO FRANCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—General Pershing, chief of staff of the United States Army, was ordered by President Harding today to proceed to France immediately where he will present a congressional medal of honor to the unknown dead soldier of that republic.

COTTON MARKET CONTINUES CLIMB

Cotton made a net gain of about 125 points Saturday, after fluctuating considerably before the market closed. Spot cotton was bringing from 21 to 21.50 on the streets in Ballinger Saturday afternoon, and the buyers were taking all they could get at these prices.

PASTURE ON FIRE IT IS REPORTED

Information received in Ballinger shortly after noon Saturday, stated that a prairie fire was sweeping over the pasture of Mrs. Meud Vancil Northwest of Hatchel. A call had been sent out for fire fighters and men were hurrying to the scene of the fire to check the flames and keep them from spreading to other pastures.

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HOUSTON, Sept. 10.—The mayor's office at San Antonio today, at noon wired city officials in Houston that San Antonio did not need food or medical help at present. The message fixed the loss of life at one hundred and property loss at five million dollars.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 10.—With twenty-two bodies recovered up to noon today, the estimated death list is placed at five hundred, and the property losses estimated at from one to three million dollars in San Antonio, the city suffering the worst flood in its history.

The residence section where the greatest loss of life occurred is occupied largely by Mexican families, and they were caught in many instances like rats in their holes and did not have time to escape from the flood.

Both banks of the San Antonio river are strewn with wreckage and houses. Before the waters began to recede at eight o'clock this morning the flooded area was estimated to be two miles wide and six miles long, including the largest part of the business district, which was swept by the flood.

Among the buildings damaged are some of the finest in the city. At one time the water was standing almost to the mezzanine floor of the Gunter Hotel, and the St. Anthony and several smaller hostels were damaged badly. The Alamo escaped damage on account of the elevation taking it above the high water mark.

The troops under the command of Col. Porter opened headquarters in the Federal building shortly after midnight and are patrolling the city, and up to noon had recovered twenty-two bodies most of whom are women and children. As the waters receded organized bands of workers began searching the ruined homes for bodies, and temporary morgues have been established to handle the dead.

Unprecedented rainfall began at midnight Thursday night and continued throughout Friday and Friday night. At least eight inches of rain fell up to last night, and early last night heavy rain in the valley of Olmos creek brought the river out of its banks within a few hours and the flood swept through the business district before the people had time to flee to safety.

Police and firemen attempted to warn residents of the Mexican section, and succeeded in getting hundreds to safety before San Pedro creek overflowed, or the death list would have been more appalling.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 10.—The first report of the flood which swept thru this city last night fixed the known dead at six and property damage at millions. The flood swept thru the central portion of the business district. The first estimate of loss of life was fixed at hundreds, but definite figures are not available.

The San Antonio river flooded the business section for many blocks from a depth of ten to fifteen feet. The water, was standing fifteen feet deep in the lobby of the Gunter Hotel early this morning and the flood reached to Alamo Plaza on the East. Street car service was suspended, the light plant and telephone system out of commission and many people were unable to reach their homes, wandering down town all night.

Eighteen Inches Rainfall at Austin.

AUSTIN, Sept. 10.—From seven o'clock yesterday to seven o'clock this morning 18.25 inches of rain fell at Austin, according to Government Observer Morris.

This is the greatest amount of rain that ever fell in Austin during that short period, Morris said. Approximately \$15,000 damage to property has been caused by the heavy rain, and eight people are known to have been injured as a result of the terrific downpour and tornado which accompanied the rain yesterday afternoon. Most of the people injured reside in the Creedmore vicinity. The city of

Austin suffered much from the rain and tornado.

San Marcos is Under Water

SAN MARCOS, Sept. 10.—The greater part of this city is under water this morning, however up to noon little damage had been reported, the flood not reaching high enough to get in the uptown buildings.

Colorado Up 22 Feet at Bastrop

HOUSTON, Sept. 10.—According to telephonic information from Bastrop, the Colorado river at that point was up twenty-two feet at eleven o'clock this morning and was still rising. The river had broken over in the low places when the message was filed.

Crops in Central Texas Badly Damaged.

WACO, Sept. 10.—Advices from Cameron received here today state that the floods on Little river have already done great damage to crops in Milam county, and other property has been damaged by the floods.

The rainfall for the last twenty-four hours amounted to 11.45 inches.

One Dead; Two Injured; Result of Washout Wreck.

HOUSTON, Sept. 10.—Brakeman Wagner is dead and Engineer Williams and Fireman Wolfe were injured as the result of a wreck on the Southern Pacific three miles West of Noonan when a mixed freight and passenger train operating on the San Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad ran into a washout early this morning.

EMBARGO PLACED ON PASSENGERS SOUTH

The local Santa Fe ticket office received notice Saturday afternoon not to sell tickets to points South of Temple, the message stating that it would probably be three or four days before traffic could be resumed on account of the heavy rains and floods.

MAN HANGS SELF ON CLOTHES LINE

Frak Wanrick, age about 26 years, ended his own life at Rowena Saturday by hanging himself on a clothes line in the backyard. Joe Ostertag was called out from Ballinger to prepare the body for burial. The Ledger was unable to get details of the tragedy at the hour of 4:45 this afternoon.

Rubber Stamps.—The Ballinger Co.

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Methodist Church
Sunday school 9:45. W. A. Francis, superintendent.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8:00 o'clock.

You have a cordial invitation to attend all of the above services.
C. E. SIMPSON, Pastor.

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Baptist Church
The pastor's subject for the morning hour will be "The Reality of Sin, or a discussion about the Devil."
The subject at 8:00 p. m. will be "The Reality of Sin, or a discussion about Christian Science."
Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Sunbeams 2:00 p. m.
B. Y. P. U.'s at 7:00 p. m.
Woman's Missionary Society

WOMAN SICK FOUR YEARS

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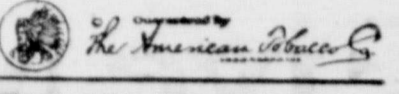
How many women, overworked, tired and ailing, keep up the ceaseless treadmill of their daily duties until they are afflicted with female troubles as Mrs. Blake was, and are run-down, weak and nervous. But every such woman should be convinced by the many letters like hers which we are constantly publishing, proving beyond question that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will overcome such troubles and restore women to normal health and strength. Letters about your health will be given careful attention and held in strict confidence if you write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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MAKING COPY OF PAINTED ROCKS

Orland Sims, of Paint Rock, who was here Friday night as a guest at the Y. M. B. L. banquet, reported that a party from Austin had been at the Sims ranch for a week studying the Indian signs on the painted rocks and making a copy of the hieroglyphics.
From time to time the painted

rocks on the bluffs of the Concho river have attracted attention of historians from all over the country, and the State University and other institutions have sent men to investigate the paintings, but not until recently did anyone become sufficiently interested to make a copy of the paintings on the rocks.

The party on the job at present is making an exact copy of the principal signs, and will send it to the Smithsonian Institute, where an effort will be made to translate them and learn if possible what they stand for.

The paintings were placed on the rocks long before the Indians were driven from this coun-

try, and before white men crossed the Mississippi river, perhaps. Those which are protected from the weather by being far back under the bluffs, or on rocks overhanging the bluffs where the rain and exposure to weather cannot wear away the paintings, are still legible, while those exposed more or less are gradually giving away.

Some years ago Mr. Sims offered that part of the land upon which these historic rocks are located to the state for a park, and some effort was made to have them placed under protection and cared for with the hope of preserving them for generations to come.

Descendants of the tribe of Indians who inhabited the country when these signs were painted will be called into service in an effort to learn their meaning, and it is possible that valuable history will be revealed, or perhaps the signs only stand for the fancies expressed in the crude brush of the semi-civilized people who enjoyed a freedom here no other people will ever enjoy again.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.

at Ballinger, state of Texas at the close of business on the 6th day of Sept. 1921, published in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas, on the 10th day of Sept. 1921.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$22,887.04
Loans, real estate	28,666.58
Overdrafts	78.51
Bonds and Stocks	23,750.00
Real estate (banking house)	20,000.00
Other Real Estate	14,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,730.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	43,388.69
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,317.81
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,874.29
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	6,316.58
OTHER RESOURCES:	
Interest Earned, but not Collected	3,122.25
TOTAL	\$375,626.75

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus Fund	12,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	1,180.87
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,134.14
Individual Deposits, subject to check	202,419.41
Time Certificates of Deposit	48,953.35
Cashier's Checks	347.98
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	49,000.00
Bonds Deposited	1,500.00
Total	\$375,626.75

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss
We Chas. S. Miller as Vice-President, and N. K. Freeman, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

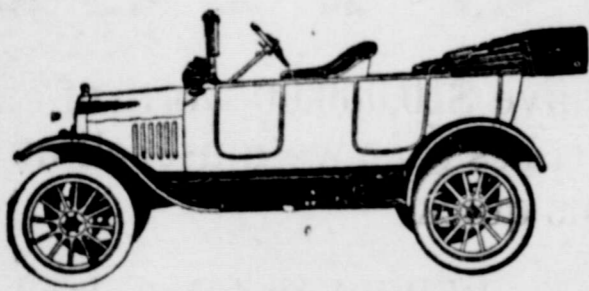
Chas. S. Miller, Vice-President.
N. K. Freeman, Cashier.
Joe Simmons,
Notary Public Runnels County, Texas

CORRECT-ATTEST:
R. W. Bruce, C. P. Shepherd, Sam Baker,
RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$251,553.62
Overdrafts	78.51
U. S. Liberty Bonds, W. S. Stamps and Treas. Cert.	23,750.00
Banking House and Fixtures	25,730.00
Other Real Estate	14,500.00
Int. and Assm't. Guaranty Fund	7,102.10
Bills of Exchange—Cotton	6,316.58
Interest Earned but not Collected	3,122.25
Cash and Exchange	43,388.69
Total	\$375,626.75

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus and Profits	13,180.87
Bills Payable	49,000.00
Bonds Deposited	1,500.00
Deposits	251,945.88
Total	\$375,626.75

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NO NEWS FROM BALLINGER PEOPLE

Up to a late hour this afternoon Ballinger citizens who have relatives in San Antonio had failed to get in communication with them, but it is believed that they are all safe, and no fear is entertained for their safety.

There are a number of Ballinger people residing in the Alamo City. H. Giesecke's family are living there, and Mr. Giesecke left Saturday afternoon to go to them. He was unable to get a phone message through and no reply had been received to telegrams sent up to a late hour Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spill reside there, also Edwin Skinner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Armstrong. Mrs. Armstrong is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cordell, and is a telephone operator in the Gunter Hotel. Morris Crews, son of C. R. Crews, also lives in San Antonio, and others here, including N. Passur, have relatives there.

Ledger classifieds bring results

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Sheriff's Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Runnels County, of the 2nd day of September 1921, by C. H. Wingham, Justice of the Peace of

said court for the sum of One Hundred Two and 09/100 Dollars, interest from date of judgment, and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of O. L. Parish in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1398, and styled O. L. Parish vs. Dougal Cameron Jr., placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Flynt, as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did on the 10th day of September, 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Being all of Lots Six (6), Seven (7), and Eight (8) in Block Sixteen (16), Wilke's Third Addition to the town of Ballinger, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Dougal Cameron, Jr., and that on the first Tuesday in October 1921, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the city of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Dougal Cameron Jr.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Runnels County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of September, 1921.
(Seal) J. P. FLYNT,
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas.
d-10-17-24

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The next session of the College opens Tuesday, September 20, 1921. For further information or for the latest catalogue, address

F. M. BRALLEY, LL.D.,
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STATEMENT of Condition

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER
Sept. 6th, 1921

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$ 492,935.09
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Bonds, Stocks, Securities, etc.	8,270.60
Banking House, F. and F.	28,400.00
Real Estate	17,500.00
Bills of Exchange	78,500.72
Cash and Exchange	132,057.79
	\$ 784,164.20

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	73,898.44
Reserved for taxes	3,552.56
Circulation	25,000.00
Rediscounts	NONE
Bills Payable	NONE
Deposits	581,713.20
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W. A. Kirchville, Minister.

10:00 a. m. Bible class work with helps both oral and written.

11:00 a. m. sermon.

11:45 a. m. Lord's supper.

8:00 p. m. sermon.

Sermon subjects: 11 a. m., "Individual Responsibility," 8 p. m., "Something to be Done."

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SOCIAL GATHERING MARKS THE CLOSE SUCCESSFUL YEAR
(Continued from first page.)

Secretary Williams was congratulated and complimented for the successful year's work and it was well known before the banquet had hardly commenced that he had succeeded in making at least one person believe that Ballinger was the best place in the world to live, and an item in the society columns of the New York Herald and Dallas News was referred to as proof.

A committee composed of C. R. Stephens, R. G. Erwin, and J. McGregor had been previously appointed by the board of directors of the Y. M. B. L. to nominate a board of directors for the ensuing year, and this committee reported as follows:

Directors: A. J. Thorp, Roy Reeder, E. P. Talbot, Louis Cohen, M. S. Karmony, Malcolm McGregor, R. L. Williams, R. E. George, N. K. Freeman, C. S. Guin, C. R. Stone, Leroy Nicholson, H. C. Gardner, James Skinner, J. J. Beck. Associate Directors and Chairmen of the Standing Committees: E. C. Haynes, J. M. Pyburn, R. L. Harwell, M. C. Atkins, Will Dooze Jr., Dr. O. R. Lasater, Joel Simmons, James Wear, Henry Jones, A. W. Sledge, E. A. Giessecke, F. M. Pearce, Scott Maek, Clint Penn, J. H. Baugh.

The report was unanimously adopted and the annual banquet and get-together meeting of the people who make Ballinger what it is, went down in history as one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever held here.

There were twenty or twenty-five out of town guests at the banquet, including several farmers. Messrs. Williams, Hollingsworth, Knierim, Kiker, Wilkins, of Bronte; Price, of Talpa; Fletcher, of Maverick; Leon Shields, of Coleman; Sims and Norman, of Paint Rock; Afflerbach, of Winters; Early, Ernest Albright and wife, of Brownwood; Motte, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keichle, of Rowena; Mrs. Jessie Marks, of Baltimore, Md.; Hamilton Wright, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Porter A. Whaley and son, of Stamford; Chief Engineer Holder and Assistant Murphy, of the Colorado valley surveying crew; and a number of others whose names we failed to get.

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Mrs. Williams is one of the greatest women preachers in America and God has signally blessed her efforts in the many revivals she has conducted, and we feel that the church is indeed fortunate in being able to secure her for this meeting, which will doubtless mean a great spiritual awakening among the people of Ballinger.

Mrs. Beasley will win the hearts of the people with her beautiful voice both in the chorus choir as well as with her special solos.

Regular services tomorrow, Sunday school promptly 9:45 a. m., N. E. Atkinson, supt. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Y. P. S. 5:30 p. m. W. M. S. Tuesday 3:00 p. m. E. D. MESSER, Pastor.

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Nicholson, and to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams.

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