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West Texas News

Breckenridge—Breckenridge is to have a new hotel with a cost of approximately \$400,000, according to reports from the Chamber of Commerce of this city. Citizens of Breckenridge will be required to take out stock to the amount of \$60,000. Other interests will subscribe for the remainder of the amount.

Wellington—The Chamber of Commerce of this city is making plans bid on the 1927 convention of the northern Panhandle district. All business houses will close for the convention this year at Clarendon, and the delegation from that city will include more than 500 business men.

Clarendon—Clarendon is having a new hotel, which will cost \$75,000. It will be a three story structure, modern throughout, with private telephones. Private parking places will be arranged for the cars belonging to the guests of the hotel.

Haskell—An election has been ordered for the citizens of Haskell to vote \$17,000 bonds in City Hall and fire station improvements and \$20,000 funding bonds. The bond rates will not carry a tax raise.

Hereford—Hereford High School now has affiliation in all of the twenty six courses of studies offered, according to reports received from the State Department of Education. Three and one half units were secured this year.

Stamford—The traffic bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been instrumental in saving more than \$3,000,000 annually to the shippers of West Texas, according to reports received from the Interstate Commerce Commission which recently denied the five per cent raise in the rate for all carriers west of the Mississippi River.

O'Donnell—The Chamber of Commerce of this city is contemplating the securing of a county agent for Lynn County. A petition for this agent is being signed by members of the organization and will be presented to the commissioners court.

Eastland—The organization of the Eastland Mineral Water Company has been completed, and the capital of the company will be \$25,000. The outlook of the company is good, since no unfavorable comment has been made against the supply of water here.

Wichita Falls—Building permits in Wichita Falls amounted to a total of \$1,242,039 for the month of June, and the grand total for the year, up to this date, is \$6,169,287.

Brownfield—The new hotel Brownfield is open for business. The hotel is modern in building and fixtures. There are twenty eight guest rooms with private baths and the building is steam heated.

Ballinger—The poultry men of Runnels County are affecting the organization of all poultry growers for the purpose of selecting and raising the best grade of chickens.

Mineral Wells—Necessary funds for the installation of signal lights have been appropriated by the Mineral Wells City Commission, and the system will soon be in use in the beginning, but others will be added later as the need for them becomes more urgent.

Plainview—Orders have been placed for Plainview's new playgrounds. The grounds will shelter a pavilion lunch tables, benches, and several sets of playground equipment for children. The park will have a flag pole and at sundown each evening the American Flag will be lowered, with all the children present standing at attention.

Oil Field Road To Be Extended

Inspection of the Old Fort Stockton road was undertaken Friday by Rev. S. C. Guthrie, C. C. Whatley, Paul T. Vickers and Henry Webb of Odessa to determine the line of extension to be made. After covering the road carefully it was decided to extend the road about three miles toward the Church and Fields well now known as Magnolia-Tidal et al. Here the new road will intersect the McCamey Odessa road.

A contract was let by the Chamber of Commerce to C. C. Whatley to grub the new road and work was started Monday. Mr. Webb said that state machinery would be used free of charge, and work started the early part of the week.

The three mile stretch when finished will give Midland through connections to McCamey and Crossett and connects Midland with all the oil fields. It is thought that the road will divert business to Midland which has been going elsewhere.

Midland Gets Second In Golf Tournament

Midland Golfers scored second in a tri-city meet at Fort Stockton Sunday afternoon. The Fort Stockton players were well in the lead. Local followers of the niblick and putter edged out the Alpine aggregation by twelve strokes. One or two of the Midland players were slightly off form. Only seven men played in the tournament instead of the usual eight.

Harrison of Ft. Stockton was low man with an aggregate of 69. He was closely followed by Ellis Cowden of Midland who turned in a 33 and 38 for a 71. The 33 is one stroke under par for the Stockton course and was the single lowest score for the nine. Harrison who beat Cowden won the State championship of Arizona last year. Cowden has been playing only a year.

Kenneth Johnson with an 82 came second for Midland followed by H. B. Dunagan, Jr. with 84 and David M. Ellis with 86. Johnson made an eagle on a five par hole.

"Shorty" Wells, formerly of Midland but now of Ft. Stockton, turned in an eighty to help defeat his old teammates.

The team representing the local club was: Ellis Cowden, Roy Johnson, Kenneth Johnson, Sneed Dunagan, R. B. Cowden, David M. Ellis, and H. B. Dunagan Jr.

Simmons Man Here

Y. P. Kuhn, gym director of Simmons University, was in Midland Monday conferring with prospective students for the big school this fall. Wallace Wimberly and Foster Brown introduced him to a number of Midland people, and they state that they believe as many as ten Midland boys will attend Simmons.

J. Wiley Taylor, Midland musician, was in a group picture of Smith Balloes Ft. Worth Club Orchestra in Sunday's Star-Telegram.

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BUICKS FOR 1927 NOW ON DISPLAY

New Standard in Looks and Performance Claimed.

On August first the Buick Motor Company introduced its new models for 1927.

Many features never before found in cars of its price class are included in the new Buicks, and several important engineering developments are introduced as being exclusive Buick features.

Chief among these is the Buick valve-in-head engine, which is said to be absolutely without vibration periods and very silent at all speeds. This result is obtained, Buick engineers say, through a combination of counter-balanced crankshaft and torsion balancer, with light, cast iron pistons and a heavy flywheel.

A new crankcase ventilator and thermostatic water control prevent crankcase dilution and make a complete change of oil necessary only four times a year.

Silence and the elimination of closed car rumble are also claimed for these cars. These results come from rubber engine mountings at all three points of suspension, a silent transmission and rear axle, and a muffler and exhaust system which eliminates unpleasant noise.

Among the many attractive features of the new Buicks are balanced wheels, which prevent wheel bobbing and chatter and aids in smooth riding.

Upholstery and trim is of the best in all models, mohair plush being used in the closed cars and genuine Spanish leather in the open models. New color combinations are in Duco. Tires and rims are jet black, adding much to the appearance of the cars. Attractive lines and several entirely new models feature the line. Prices are no higher, in spite of the many improvements.

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R. D. Scruggs, Prop.

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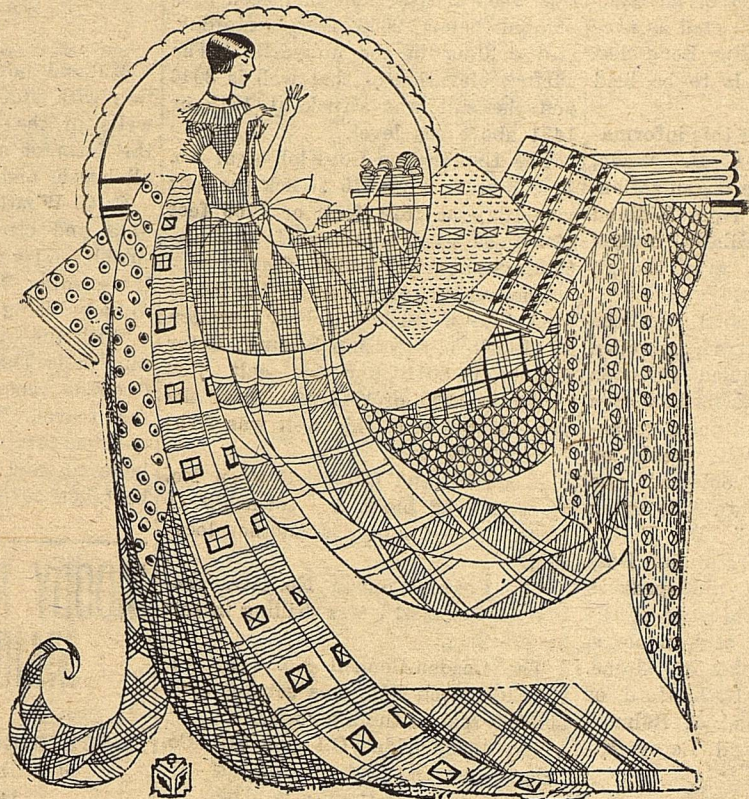
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SEPTEMBER 13

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Special For One Week

Ten pieces of 40 inch printed voiles in Blue and White, Black and White, White and Orchid, Gray, Navy, Red, & medium Blue, all pretty patterns and a regular 65c quality, priced at the yard 39c
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36 inch fast color Suitings, summer weight all colors the yard 39c
36 inch fast color suitings best qualities yard 50c
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TOM FLOOD, Prop.

J. S. Cordill was here Monday from Judkins on business.

**Chrysler's Plan Is
Standardized Quality**

Close observers of the automobile industry seem to discern, in the recent announcement of Walter P. Chrysler on his plan of Standardized Quality for the manufacturer of Chrysler cars, a definite bid for one of the most powerful positions in the industry. The plan is defined as the group manufacture of four lines of cars under one name and one management, in a unified group of plants. Certainly, it is pointed out, the plan is the direct opposite of the operation idea of other large motor car manufacturers. By stressing its advantages to the car buyer it thereby places other methods on the defensive.

Those who have talked with Mr. Chrysler recently assert that this new Standardized Quality plan is the

culmination of years of thinking and planning on his part. He has often expressed this ideal of large, cost saving manufacturing, which is now in full operation after a growth that really started when the Chrysler "70" was introduced two and a half years ago.

While close students of automotive affairs differ widely in their individual opinions as to what is to happen, or is happening, in the industry they agree on one thing, that developments of unusual moment are in the offing.

In nearly every conservation there arises speculation as to what Chrysler is doing and will do. The present statutes of both Mr. Chrysler and the Chrysler Corporation is actually amazing, especially in view of the fact that three years ago he was absolutely unknown to the public and but little known to business men generally, although well known and appreciated as a manufacturer and executive by those "on the inside" of the motor car business.

Today his every move is watched and studied. Each step he takes in the development of his products or his company is eagerly seized on by competition and loudly acclaimed.

In all frankness it must be acknowledged that he and his engineers and manufacturing executives have, in the last three years, pioneered more features aiding the performance and perfection of the motor car than had appeared in the industry during the ten years previously, all of which gives a significance to the Chrysler plan of Standardized Quality that makes it worthy of the most serious consideration by persons interested in the progress of the automotive industry or of the motor car.

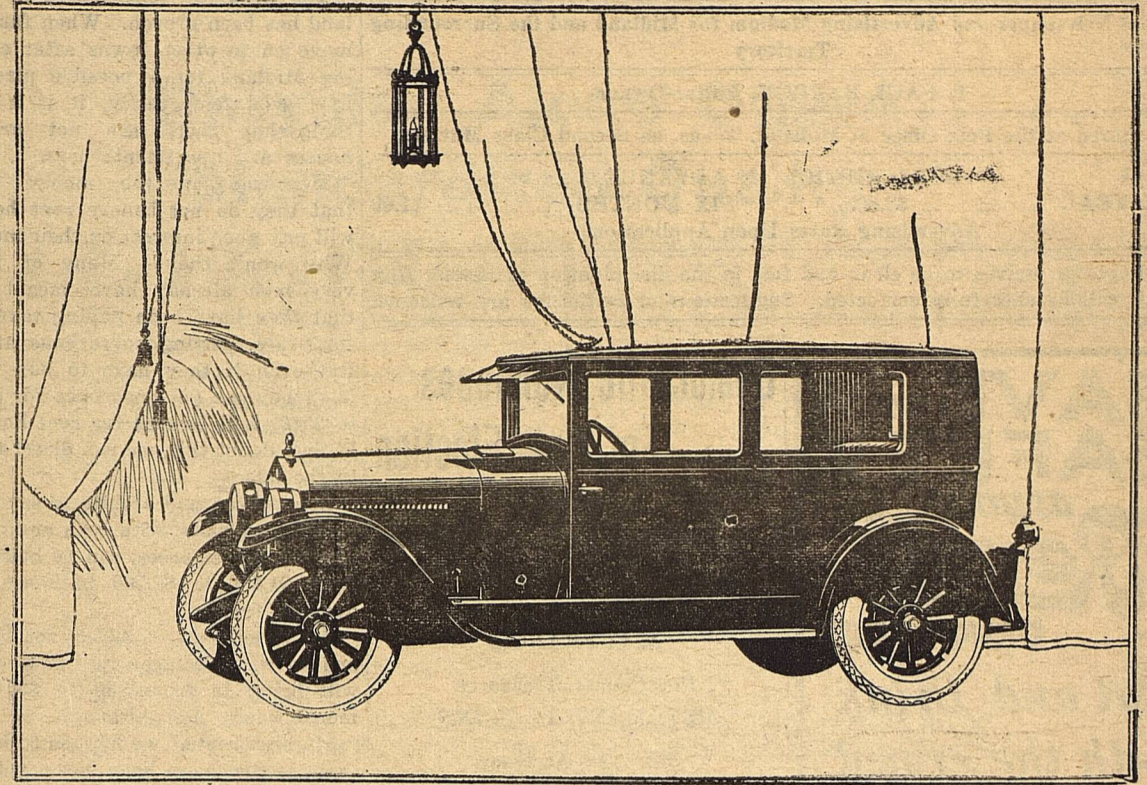
**Excursion To New
Orleans August 7**

J. J. Hamlett, T. & P. agent, received word this week that a special train would run from Fort Worth to New Orleans August 7, with a round trip rate of \$112.50, leaving Fort Worth at 6 P. M. Tourist sleepers, diners, etc. will be carried. The train will return to Fort Worth at 3:10 Tuesday afternoon.

J. P. Rankin was a business visitor from Rankin Tuesday. He reported the Rankin No. 1 well down to 2050 feet at that time, with good reports from the men drilling it.

Lawrence Shields of Wichita Falls returned last week end from Cloudcroft, where he has spent two weeks.

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It is all steel, bolted and riveted, and so rigid that squeaks, rattles and distortions, are as unlikely as in a steel building. Doors are so hung that a man may hang on an open door while the car is being driven over rough roads, without springing it out of true.

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There has been constant improvement in the chassis from the first Essex shipped. And only by the accumulation of the resources, the information, experience, and the skill that have resulted from the building of 350,000 Essex "Sixes" was it possible to create this car which we ask you to inspect and to drive as the best looking, best value, best Essex ever built.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon G. C. B. Robinson, if living, and if not living then the unknown heirs of G. C. B. Robinson, deceased; J. J. McCollough, if living, and if not living then the unknown heirs of J. J. McCollough, deceased; J. E. D. Stallings, if living, and if not living then the unknown heirs of J. E. D. Stallings, deceased; J. A. Martin, Jr., if living, and if not living then the unknown heirs of J. A. Martin, Jr., deceased; J. Hunter Clark, if living, and if not living then the unknown heirs of J. Hunter Clark, deceased; Annie Lou Clark, if living, and if not living then the unknown heirs of Annie Lou Clark, deceased, whose whereabouts and residences are unknown, are defendants, the cause of action alleged being as follows.

Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title and alleges special title by limitation to the Southeast One-fourth (SE ¼) of Block 45, Homestead addition to the town of Midland, and situated in Midland, Midland County Texas, according to the map or plat of said town and addition, which is on record in Book 1, pages 241-243; Deed Records of Midland County, Texas, alleging specifically that for

more than ten years he has held the open, notorious, uninterrupted and adverse possession of the said properties against the defendants and every one else, and that he has been paying the taxes on said property and has held the open, notorious, uninterrupted and adverse possession of said property against the defendants and everyone else, and that there by he has acquired under the statutes of five and ten years limitation the title thereto, and prays that the Court establish his said title by said statutes of limitations as against the defendants, and asks for the cancellation and termination of any claim of the defendants and each of them to said property or any part thereof, and also prays for general relief.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, But have before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS C. B. Dunagan, Clerk of the District Court of Midland Co., Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in the town of Midland, Texas, this the 30th day of July, A. D. 1926.

C. B. Dunagan,
Clerk of the District Court, Midland County, Texas.

Issued this 30th day of July, A. D. 1926.

C. B. Dunagan,
Clerk of the District Court, Midland County, Texas.

**Junior Choir Is
Organized Here**

Miss Pearl Wimberly has the distinction of organizing and leading the first junior church choir in Midland. Last week a meeting of a group of boys and girls was held and an organization was effected. There will be twenty members in the choir and the first public music will be given at the Baptist revival which begins August 14.

Miss Wimberly is also leader of the Junior B. Y. P. U. at the First Baptist Church and has been doing good work there. She recently received two diplomas for special training taken sometime ago.

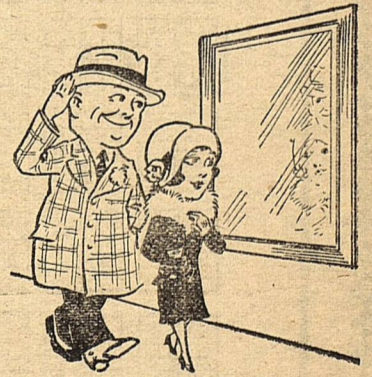
Clarence Scharbauer, who came home last week from Colorado Springs, reports Mrs. Scharbauer and the young man getting along fine. Mr. Scharbauer will go back up there in a few days.

**County Convention
Selected Delegates**

At a meeting of the Democratic County Convention of Midland, Co., Texas July 31st, the following delegates to the State Convention were unanimously elected: Dr. J. G. Hall, and T. A. Fannin; and to the District Convention, J. N. Wells, and G. H. Lumpkin.

The only instruction given the delegation to the State and District conventions was that they vote as a unit on all questions that may come before the conventions.

W. L. Graves, was elected permanent chairman and T. A. Fannin Secretary.



Men say women always do—women say men always do—what? Look at themselves in the mirrors they pass. But women look from vanity, men merely to make sure their hats are on. You couldn't blame a man, though, for stealing a glance at his reflection in one of our latest styles, even if he knew it was safely perched upon his boyish bob.

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Democratic Nominees For Nov. Election

For District and County Clerk: J. M. (Jim) SHELburnE

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: A. C. FRANCIS

For County Treasurer: MRS. MARY L. QUINN

For Tax Assessor: ED DOZIER

For County Judge: M. R. HILL

For District Judge: CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH

For District Attorney: HENRY RUSSELL

For Justice Of The Peace Precinct No. 1: I. W. TOWERS

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4: HOLLY E. ROBERTS

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: A. B. COLE
LON ROBERTS
(For August 28 Run-Off)

E. R. Benedict returned Tuesday from a pleasant trip to south Texas. Mrs. Benedict is now in Dallas, but will return soon. They visited in Kerrville for three weeks, going then by auto to San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and to points in the Rio Grande Valley. They crossed into Mexico at Brownsville, visiting the city of Matamoros.

WHY WON'T IT PAY?

The need for rent houses in Midland has been proven. When families move on to other towns after coming Midland for a possible place to live, even temporarily, it is a sure thing that there are not enough houses and apartments here.

Men who have the money state that they do not believe rent houses will pay good interest on their money. Why won't they? Many of these very men already have vacant lots that they have been paying taxes on for years, getting no revenue at all. But even if they have to buy their lots, they can get good ones for \$250, to \$500, well located for rent houses. If they doubt this, we can direct them to the lots.

Contractors and architects say that good rent houses, with bath and other modern conveniences, can be built for from \$1,500 to \$2,500 to house the average family.

An investment of \$2,500 for house and lot will produce a rent house that will bring in from \$30 to \$50 per month rent, and although we are "agin high rents," we happen to know that people here have been willing to pay as much as \$75 per month for a suitable house. Such a rental will pay big dividends, for the insurance taxes and repairs will not take up over \$150 on the average small house. We believe it will pay.

RESIDENTIAL ADDITIONS
There are enough vacant lots in Midland that people will not have to go into the outlying pastures looking for residential lots, but it is likely that many of the new houses soon to be under construction will be in the additions adjacent to the present center of population.

Restricted additions are put over very successfully in other places, and should go well here. A residential section composed entirely of new houses is a very attractive place to locate.

At the same time, there are many choice lots in neighborhoods already developed that offer the prospective builder convenient distance from town and property values already built up.

Corner C. Brassell of Marshall, Texas has accepted a position with the C. A. Jones Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shelburne are taking a vacation.
Chiropractic Adjustments, Phone 164

Daily Radio Program

W. F. A. Dallas and WBAP, Ft. Worth take time about every day giving programs consisting of the various Market Quotations, health exercises, musical programs and the main ball games play by play.

WOAI at San Antonio broadcasts three daily programs. Late news interest, market quotations, and varied musical programs.

It is estimated that radio waves travel only 30 per cent as far in the day time with only 30 per cent of the volume compared to night, due to radio energy absorbed by sun rays.

All sets should be equipped with a good lightning arrester.

All connections should be inspected and the condenser plates, dusted every month. A pipe cleaner is good for this.

An efficient coil winder for the amateur may be had by altering an old hand drill.

There is lots of interesting radio phone and code work going on the amateur and government wave length under 200 meters.

Radio receiving sets will soon be indispensable to farm and ranch homes.

Dr. Pemberton Had Operation

Dr. L. B. Pemberton had a sudden attack of appendicitis last Monday, and was operated on that afternoon.

He is reported to be doing nicely but will be absent from his office for at least another week.

Dick Graves made his regular Tuesday night run to Odessa this week.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summons John Howard, G. W. Griffith, F. C. Griffith, B. K. Brant, J. H. Cornwall, J. B. Ellis, Mrs. C. F. Barkley, a widow, J. C. Rathburn, John H. Watson, W. N. Williams, George W. Works, H. E. Yost, H. A. Howard and J. W. Hollingsworth if living, and if any of all of them be not living, then the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of such of them as may be dead at the date of the service of this citation, the name of such legatees, heirs and devisees being unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court to be holden at the court house thereof in the town of Midland, Texas on the First Monday in September, 1926, the same being the 6th day of September, 1926, then

and there to answer the petition filed in said court on the 3rd day of August, 1926, in a case numbered 1925 wherein Mrs. Letha J. Cheatham and T. R. Cheatham, her husband are Plaintiffs, and G. W. Griffith, F. C. Griffith, B. K. Brant, J. H. Cornwall, J. B. Ellis, Mrs. Mrs. C. F. Barkley, a widow, J. C. Rathburn, John H. Watson, W. N. Williams, George W. Works, H. E. Yost, H. A. Howard, J. W. Hollingsworth, J. W. Moffett and D. E. Decker are Defendants; the cause of action alleged being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiffs allege that they and those under whom they claim, have been in actual, adverse, open and notorious possession of the following described property lying in East Midland in the County of Midland and State of Texas under duly recorded deeds for a period of more than five years next preceding the filing of this suit. That the taxes thereon have been promptly and seasonably paid, and pray under this court for confirmation of their title under the statute of five years limitation.

They further allege that those under whom they claim, have been in actual, open and notorious possession of the said premises for a period of more than ten years next preceding the filing of this suit, and that all of the requirements of the statutes have concurred to ripen their title under the ten years statute of limitation, and pray that upon hearing their title be confirmed under both the five and ten years statutes as alleged, and that any claims which the defendants and each and any of them, their unknown heirs, legatees and devisees may have in and to the premises be cancelled and held for naught, and that their title as above obtained be quieted. The property described in said petition and which is claimed by the plaintiffs is as follows, to-wit:

Blocks 23, 24, 25, 26, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45 and 94 all in East Midland, an Addition to the town of Midland Midland County, Texas.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in said county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness C. B. Dunagan, Clerk of the District Court of Midland. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the town of Midland on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1926.

C. B. Dunagan, Clerk, District Court, Midland Co. Texas.

Issued this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1926.

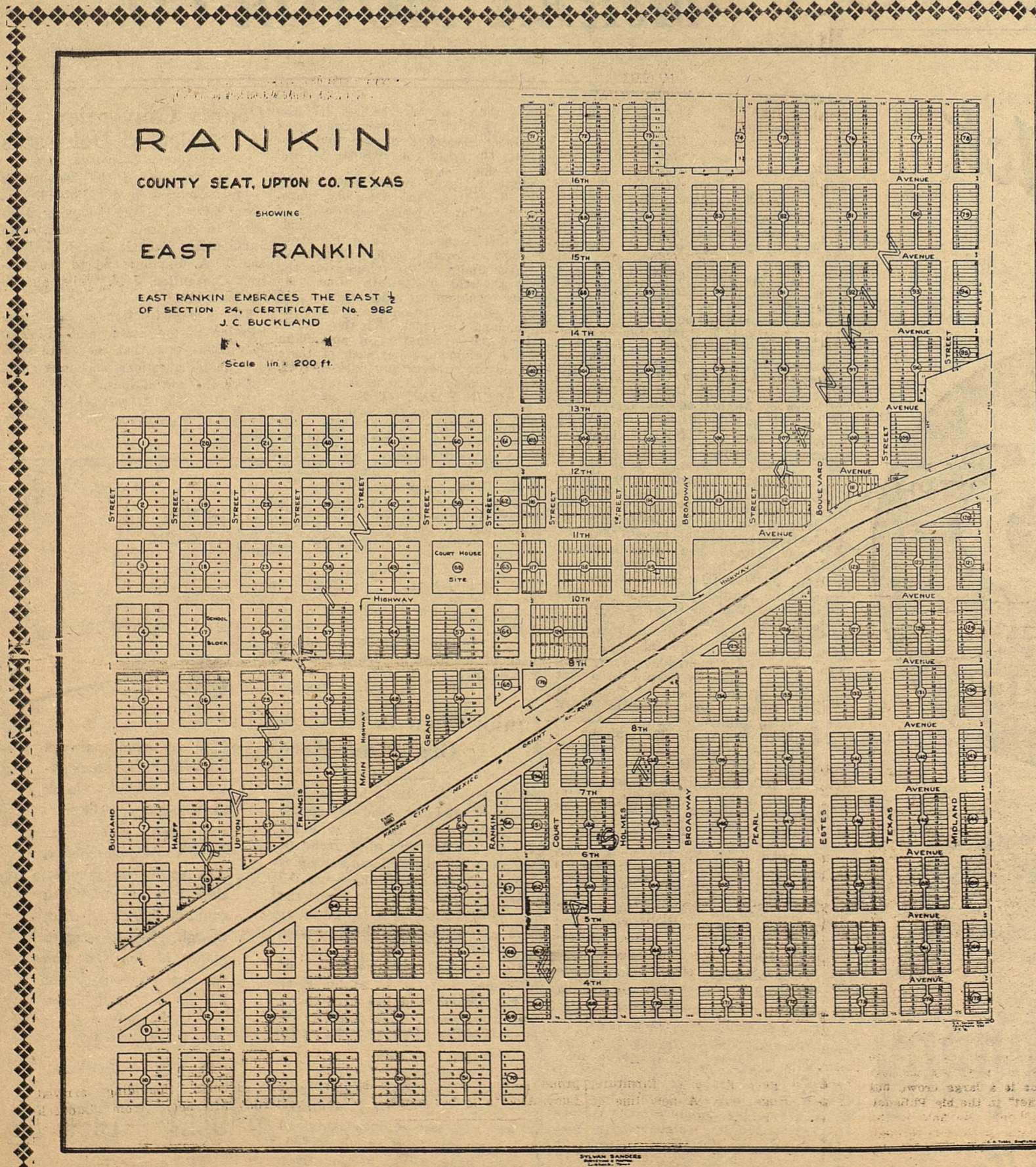
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Who's Who TODAY



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POOR MAN
BEGGAR MAN
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Buy A Lot In RANKIN

Rankin is midway between the Texon-Big Lake Oil Fields and the new Upton-Crane County Fields. Orient Railway and Highway pass through our lots.

Rankin is to have new Court House. Site selected, bonds have been voted. Construction soon under way.

Brown, Cady and Donnelly of Fort Worth, are drilling an oil well just a little over half mile from our lots, North and East of Rankin. ALL of our lots are in the original town section. Our lots begin within 300 feet of new court house site.

Prices—\$50 to \$125; size 25x140. Terms, \$25 cash balance ten monthly payments. No other town as close to large Oil fields offers lots at such prices. IF THE DONNELLY WELL COMES IN AS A BIG PRODUCER OUR RANKIN LOTS WILL MAKE BIG MONEY.

Lots in Block 71 to 76 inclusive are \$50 each. In Blocks 94 to 102 they are \$55 each. In blocks 103 to 108 they are \$60. On Highway they vary from \$75 to \$125. Make first and second choice when sending me your check. If the lot you get is not acceptable your money will be promptly refunded. We want satisfied owners only.

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Remember that oil has made some mighty good towns. It may make Rankin. Upton, Crane and Reagan Counties are BIG producers collectively and Rankin is almost in the center of THIS DEVELOPMENT. A few dollars invested in Rankin may prove a real good investment.

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Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Midland, Texas on this the 29th day of July A. D. 1926. C. B. Dunagan, Clerk District Court Midland Co., Texas. 44-4f

The Dry Water Hole

The day was hot and sultry and the sun was bearin' down. The grass and weeds were scorchin' and fallin' on the ground. The cattle with dusty feet were trailin' with many a heavy thud, Or standin' round and panting or wadin' in the mud. For the water had dried up and the hole was filled with mire, And a cowpuncher sat on the bank with eyes burning like fire. He had been doin' lots of ridin' for many a long day, Tryin' to stretch the water and cut out every stray. Today was his last one, he'd reached the end of his rope, And was as helpless without water as a Gal is without soap. So he tossed his sweaty blanket and also his old kak, Upon his favorite pony and girted it on his back. But just as he was ready to round up the thirsty herd, A gentle breeze came waftin' as swiftly as a bird, And with it came a faint flash of lightning an' thunder heads a lot, An' every drop of water began spillin' on the spot. Then the cattle began a low bawlin' an' a snuffin' of the breeze, And the leaves rattled louder while hangin' on the trees. Then the thunder rolled and popped while the lightning skipped and lashed. And the bottom fell out of a cloud and the water poured and splashed. —FOSTER F. BREAZEALE

T. B. Wadley Has Plums and Grapes

T. B. Wadley has been exhibiting a huge bunch of Sultana grapes on the streets. The grapes are of the seedless variety and are very large and luscious. One of the bunches was so crowded that one stem was forced to curl up to make room for the grapes. Mr. Wadley has also been showing some fine plums. He said that he had never had a plum crop failure in thirty-five years here.

J. V. Hobbs has returned from the North Plains country and will be in Midland about two weeks winding up his affairs preparatory to moving to Abilene. Mrs. Hobbs and Mary have already left.

John Birge returned to Sherman Sunday after visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Birge.

A L. Greenhill is now employed by the Middleton Tailor Shop

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