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Lv 10:00 a. m.	5:30 p. m.	Sonora	8:30 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	Lv
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Building Notes

Building activity in Ozona is again on the increase, there being at present four new business houses now under construction and at least one other to be begun in a short while. Building investments, including residence property, since the first of the year will total close to a half million dollars.

The Perner building, destroyed some months ago by fire, will be rebuilt, and to that end a force of Mexican laborers were put at work Monday morning tearing down the old walls and removing the debris from the ground. Although we have not been authoritatively informed of such, it has been reported that the building will be 80 by 100 feet in size, of brick construction with rock partitions. Occupants of the new building have not yet been announced.

W. E. Smith began work Monday morning on the erection of a concrete building to be 20 by 70 feet in size. This building will be on the lot east of the Dudley garage on the site of the old building torn down after being vacated by the Wilson Motor Co. He will also begin the erection soon of another concrete building on the vacant lot north of the Roy Parker tailor shop. This building will be 26 by 100 feet in size. Occupants of these two buildings have not yet been announced.

J. R. Kersey is making good progress on the large concrete building which he is erecting as a new home for the Ozona Theatre. We do not know the exact dimensions of this house, but it is of a size sufficient to provide ample space for the theatre, the stage and the people who attend. The new theatre building is in the rear of the new postoffice building, west of the Ozona Mercantile building.

Work on the foundations for the new hardware building being erected by Joe Oberkampf is now under headway. This building will be 33 by 100 feet in size, of hollow tile construction, with a brick front. Four large center columns will support the roof and a large basement will serve as a store room. The house should be completed in a couple of months.

Exterior work on the new Methodist church is now being finished, and interior work is being rushed. The completion of this new stone building, one of the most beautiful and substantial in West Texas, should be accomplished shortly.

The new Hotel Ozona building, the largest in this section, is being rushed to completion, and interior work is now occupying the attention of workmen. Only a few more weeks of work remain on this three-story building.

Residence building in Ozona has kept pace with business constructions, and several new and elaborate homes are just being completed. Among these are a brick veneer home for T. A. Kincaid; brick veneer for Mr. Mrs. John Mitchell; brick veneer for Paul Halcomb; same for Joe Davidson; and a contemplated concrete ranch home for Ben Ingham to replace the one that burned down last week.

Mike Couch has been remodeling his store building to permit carrying of a larger stock of goods and to provide a better display of wares. Mike has a most attractive business, and is suc-

House Burned

Ben Ingham had the misfortune to lose, through a fire of undetermined origin, his ranch home and contents, last Thursday. Those on the ranch at the time, of which one was Mr. Ingham, were at the corrals a short distance away, and did not notice the blaze until too late to save anything out of the house except a trunk of clothing. The greatest loss was from ranch equipment stored in the house.

The burned house was one of the oldest, if not the oldest ranch house in Crockett county, one of the old landmarks of this section and its loss causes regret. Mr. Ingham plans to replace the destroyed building with a stucco finish concrete house.

Barber Shop Sold

Raymond Bennett, for several years a barber in the local shop, has purchased the shop and equipment from A. J. Sorrells, and will continue to operate the business as is. Price paid for the shop, equipment, good will, etc., was not divulged.

It is reported that Mr. Sorrells and family, who have been here for some two years, will return to their former home at Ennis, Texas, where Mr. Sorrells will engage in business.

Lee Wilson was a visitor to Dallas the first of the week on business.

R. J. Cooke visited at the Sonora Experiment Station this week on business.

E. B. Deland and family and Harry Joslin and family have returned from a visit to relatives at Brady.

Rev. A. J. Carson and family have returned to their home at Victoria after a short visit with relatives in Ozona.

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ceeding to a larger extent than he had thought.

The Ozona Boot Shop has been moved to a new location on the northwest corner of the block on which the bank is located. For some time the boot shop has been located on the northeast corner of the same block.

Minor repair work, interior decorating, and painting keep all carpenters and other workmen as busy as they care to be, and the general appearance of the town has greatly improved within the past few months. For the first time in the history of the town, perhaps, all business lots around the square will have a building on it, which will create a most favorable impression upon visitors and be good for the business of the community.

Incidentally, and without any desire to bring up an unpleasant subject, we would like to ask, "What has become of all that agitation for more and better fire fighting equipment?" Along about the first of the year there was a very strong desire for fire equipment, but the demand apparently has died down now. If anything has been done in the matter, we haven't heard of it.

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Livestock Quarantine

Be it remembered that on this 8th day of July, 1926, the Honorable Commissioners Court of Crockett County met at the Court House in Ozona in special session, all the members of said Court being present, whereupon the following order and judgment was duly passed by said Court and spread upon the minutes.

"Ordered by the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas, that whereas this county has two resident cattle and sheep inspectors duly commissioned by the State Livestock Sanitary Commission and have heretofore been instructed by this Court zealously to protect the livestock of Crockett county from infection by foreign livestock, and, whereas, it has come to the notice of this Court that stomach worm, a malignant disease, now exists among some of the domestic animals in certain counties in West Texas, and also that anthrax exists in a mild form among some domestic animals in West Texas, the said inspectors are ordered to inspect all sheep and cattle entering Crockett county, and to issue written permission to enter all found clean and free from scab, fever ticks, stomach worms and anthrax, but to refuse entrance of any animals, flocks, herds or droves of livestock found infected with one or more of such malignant diseases.

No further business appearing, the Court adjourned sine die.

Chas. E. Davidson,
County Judge.
Attest: Tom Nolen, Clerk.

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The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Thos. S. Moffatt, Edward Norman, Harry M. Culver, Morton F. Culver, Walter D. Stockman, Norman McLeod, W. Maynard Griffith, Lippman Selner, J. J. Parker, Samuel S. Mutton, Charles E. Tipps, Samantha S. Mason, Damascus K. Mason, Damascus K. Mason, Alonzo J. Ross, W. E. Ross, W. B. Elkin, I. N. Whitehead, John W. Ridgeway, Mary E. McEwing, John D. McEwing, A. M. Sloss, Hiram G. Nelson, D. W. Reesman, J. D. Varnell, W. R. Posey, E. G. King, White Ruso, Isaac H. Radford, and S. D. Hazel, and each of them, their respective unknown heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear and defend a Writ of Error sued out on the Petition of Charles Gibbs and Ed. M. Whitaker, plaintiffs in error, against Ella M. Corbett and husband, W. C. Corbett, Thomas S. Moffatt, Edward Norman, Harry M. Cul-

ver, Morton F. Culver, Walter D. Stockman, Norman McLeod, W. Maynard Griffith, Lippman Selner, J. J. Parker, Samuel S. Mutton, Charles E. Tipps, Samantha S. Mason, Samantha S. Mason, Damascus K. Mason, Damascus K. Mason, Alonzo J. Ross, W. E. Ross, W. B. Elkin, I. N. Whitehead, John W. Ridgeway, Mary E. McEwing, John D. McEwing, A. M. Sloss, Hiram G. Nelson, D. W. Reesman, J. D. Varnell, W. R. Posey, E. G. King White Ruso, Whitt Ruso, Isaac H. Radford, and S. D. Hazel, and each of them, their respective unknown heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns are Defendants in Error, filed in the District Court of Crockett county, Texas, on the 23rd day of April 1926, for the revision and correction of a certain judgment rendered in the District Court of Crockett County, Texas, on the 27th day of October, 1925, in a certain cause pending in said Court, numbered 370 on the docket of said Court, wherein Ella M. Corbett and husband W. C. Corbett are plaintiffs and Ed. M. Whitaker, Chas. Gibbs, Thomas S. Moffatt, Edward Norman, Harry M. Culver, Morton F. Culver, Walter D. Stockman, Norman McLeod, W. Maynard Griffith, Lippman Selner, J. J. Parker, Samuel S. Mutton, Charles E. Tipps, Samantha S. Mason, Samantha S. Mason, Damascus K. Mason, Damascus K. Mason, Alonzo J. Ross, W. E. Ross, W. B. Elkin, I. N. Whitehead, John W. Ridgeway, Mary E. McEwing, John D. McEwing, A. M. Sloss, Hiram G. Nelson, D. W. Reesman, J. D. Varnell, W. R. Posey, E. G. King, White Ruso, Whitt Ruso, Isaac H. Radford and S. D. Hazel, and each of them, their respective unknown heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns, are Defendants, said judgment being for the title and possession of the following lands, to-wit:

Sec. 1, Cert 3561, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2 and patented to James F. Salter assignee, situated in Crockett County, Texas.

Sec. 15, Cert 3573, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2 and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Crockett County, Texas.

Sec. 3, Cert 3567, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2 and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Crockett and Upton Counties, Texas.

Sec. 13, Cert 3572, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2 and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Crockett and Upton Counties (or wholly in Upton County) Texas.

Sec. 19, Cert 3573, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2, and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Crockett and Upton Counties, Texas.

Sec. 5, Cert 3568, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2, and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Upton County, Texas.

Sec. 7, Cert 3569, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2, and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Upton County, Texas.

Sec. 11, Cert 3571, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2, and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Upton County, Texas.

Sec. 21, Cert 3576, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2, and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Upton County, Texas.

Sec. 22, Cert 3577, in the name of G C & S F Ry Co, block B2, and patented to James F. Salter, assignee, situated in Upton County, Texas.

and for costs of suit.

Herein Fail Not, but of this writ make due return within twenty days from the date hereof, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and of said Court, and issued at Ozona, Texas, this the 23rd day of April, 1926.
(Seal) Tom Nolen,
Clerk of the District Court, Crockett County, Texas



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