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of Alabama, has continued to make her home at Austin since her husband's death. Mr. Campbell was educated in the public schools of Austin, later entering the University of Texas, in the law department. After his admission to the Bar, in 1914, Mr. Campbell came direct to Houston, entering the law firm of Andrews, Streetman, Burns and Logue at that time.

Mr. Campbell was married at Fort Worth, Texas, the twelfth of March, 1918, to Genevieve Carver, daughter of E. B. Carver of Fort Worth and Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell make their home at the McVea Apartments, and have one child, Robert F. Campbell, Jr. Mr. Campbell is a member of the River Oaks Country Club, the Houston Club, and is a Mason, belonging to Blue Lodge, Temple, No. 4.

RANK J. BREAKER, of Houston, Texas began his career in the business world with the Harris County Abstract Company and with the exception of the time spent in the

World War, has been associated with this company since that time. Mr. Breaker is manager of the Harris County Abstract Company and secretary of the American Title Guaranty Company, Inc., and in these capacities represents two of the most progressive business institutions of Houston. The Harris County Abstract Company was founded in 1885 by Mr. Breaker's father, Mr. George H. Breaker, who is now the president of this institution, and L. F. Fox is vice president and treasurer. The American Title Guaranty Company, Inc., started business here in 1916 and these two firms employ twenty-five people, many of whom are experts in their particular lines. The abstract work is confined to Harris County but the title work extends to all portions of the Coast country and has built up a large business in this line of work, which is largely due to the accuracy and efficiency of this company. The offices of both companies are located on the third floor of the Union National Bank Building. After finishing his education, Mr. Breaker returned to Houston and entered the abstract business of his father in 1911 and worked in every branch of the business in order to become familiar with its every phase. He continued with this firm until he enlisted in the World War in July, 1917, and was assigned to the 111th Field Signal Corps of the 36th Division and received his training at Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas. He went to France with this division and remained with it throughout his activity in France, returned with the same division and was discharged on June 19th, 1919, when he immediately came back with the Harris County Abstract Company and in 1920 was made manager of same and has continued in this capacity.

A native Houstonian, Mr. Breaker was born on June 13th, 1893. His father, George H. Breaker, a native of South Carolina, came to Texas in 1877. He is the founder of these firms and is still active in the business. His mother (now deceased) was Miss Lillie Trapp, a member of a pioneer Texas family. His early education was obtained in the public schools of Houston, after which he attended Washington and Lee University. Mr. Breaker was married June 24th, 1924, to Miss Margaret Chamberlain, a native of Houston and daughter of Mr. Chamberlain, proprietor of the Houston Optical Company and resident of Houston for thirty years.

Mr. Breaker, who is regarded as one of Houston's most progressive young business men, is interested in many of the city's business projects and is a director in the American Building and Loan Association. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M. with membership in Holland Lodge No. 1 of Houston. He is also a member of the Exchange Club, the Conopus Club and many of the social organizations of the city. He resides at 3617 Burlington Avenue. Among the business men of Houston, Mr. Breaker is recognized as a leader in his particular sphere.

UDGE J. A. PLATT, attorney at law, during his practice of almost a score of years before the Texas bar, has established a place of marked distinction among the people of

the state, together with a creditable record in the esteem of the legal fraternity. Judge Platt came to Houston in January, 1921, from Trinity County, and is vice president and general attorney for the West Lumber Company, South Texas Lumber Company, Fort Terrett Ranch Company, West Production Company, South Texas Hardwood Company, West Building Company and the Trinity Valley and Northern Railroad Company. Judge Platt is in charge of the legal department of these companies and this work takes him into the various courts of the state. He devotes his entire time to his own companies.

Judge Platt was born at New Iberia, Louisiana, April 17th, 1884. His father, B. A. Platt, a native of Georgia, was for many years engaged in business in Trinity County, Texas, but is now a resident of Houston. His mother was Miss Felicia Mignes, a member of a well known family of Louisiana. Judge Platt's early education was obtained in the public and high schools of Groveton, Trinity County, graduating from the latter in the class of 1900. He then entered the University of Texas and graduated from that institution in 1904 with the L. L. B. degree. Immediately following his graduation in law in 1904 Judge Platt established his home and office in Groveton and began the practice of his profession. In 1908 he was elected to the office of county attorney of Trinity County and served in this office until 1912. In 1914 he was elected to the office of district attorney of the Twelfth District and served in this office from 1914 to 1918. In 1919 he was appointed to the office of district judge of the District Court of the Twelfth District, and served in this office in 1919 and 1920 when he resigned in order to come into the present work, to which he has given his entire time.

Judge Platt was married in Groveton, Texas, in October, 23rd, 1913, to Miss Maude Dudley, a native of Trinity County and a daughter of J. E. Q. Dudley (deceased) a prominent lumber man of Trinity County and a native of Georgia. They have one son, J. A. Platt, Jr. In fraternal, social and technical organizations, Judge Platt holds membership in the A. F. and A. M. of the Royal Arch degree, Houston Club, Country Estates Club, and the State Bar Association. He is a loyal member of the Methodist Church. Judge Platt is optomistic as to the future of Houston and believes that this city will have attained a population of not less than five hundred thousand within the next decade. Judge Platt is a true type of the southern lawyer and gentleman, in which are mixed the southern gallantry, together with the aggressive, purposeful and constructive business instincts of the modern South.



Frank J Breaker

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF HARRIS.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY: That the foregoing Abstract of Title of n pages, contains all of record or on file in the offices of the Clerks of the County and District Courts of this County, relating to or affecting the title to the property described on the title page hereof.

Examination of Abstracts of Judgments and Federal Tax Lien Records has been made as to the following names only:

Alfred Q. Wooster, Freement M. Mooster, Mallie M. Mheeler, Lovi F. Wooster, George C. Wooster, Ida J. Shreekengaust, Fannae R. Steinman, John I. Wooster, Dora Evahell Richmond, Adeline I. Wooster, Databe of Adeline I. Wooster and Estate of Q. A. Wooster

No examination has been made as to taxes, tax suits, assessments or conflicts.

HADRIS COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY

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Countersigned:

Abstractur

Houston, Temas, June 7th 1988 at 8:00 falls Frank Juhan BREAKER (AFN: 1PMR-FV7)

Sex: M

Pedigree Family

Event(s):

Birth: 13 Jun 1893

Parents:

Father: George Howe BREAKER (AFN: 1PMR-FQD)

Mother: Lillie L. TRAPP (AFN: 1PMR-FRL)

Family

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