

SATANTA, HASKELL COUNTY, KANSAS
1936 POINTS OF INTEREST
Haskell County, Kansas

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The land on which Satanta was built was first inhabited by various tribes of Indians. The city was named after an old Indian chief. Satanta is a tiny town that has a population of four hundred and forty-four. It was declared an incorporated city on June 6, 1921. It is located in Haskell County on Highway number 45. It is approximately forty miles north of the Oklahoma state line and seventy miles east of the Colorado state line. Sublette is the County seat, and Satanta is nine miles southwest of Sublette. The streets are all graveled, and there are trees on both sides of the street.

James S. Patrick's* Real Estate, Insurance, and Abstract office was the first building on the town site. However, he has recently moved into a new building. He has had his business in Haskell County since March 3, 1888. In earlier years, he was at Old Santa Fe and later moved to Satanta. The building is on North Main.

Another business on North Main is the Satanta State Bank. It was built of brick in the year 1919.

Satanta has a lovely park. It is triangular-shaped with grass and small Chinese Elm trees, which have just started to grow nicely. This park is located west of Main Street.

There is a swimming pool that is 60 by 80 feet. It is 8 feet deep in the deepest part. It is located one block west of Main Street.

The Satanta Theater furnishes entertainment for the city and surrounding vicinity. They show movies only three days a week. The building has a frame construction and is located on the east side of South Main.

The Methodist Episcopal Church has been built in recent years. It is enormous and is the only church in the city. It is constructed of brick, and the cost was approximately twenty-five thousand dollars to build. It has a beautiful lawn and is located on an angled street southwest of Main Street.

The Ungles Brothers Drug Store* was constructed of brick and is very up-to-date. It is located on South Main, and Dr. Ungles has an office in the back. The brothers have a small hospital that consists of three rooms. It is constructed of stucco and is located on South Main. Dr. Ungles is the only physician.

The Modoc Hotel is the only hotel in the city, and it has about twenty-five rooms. It is a two-story building with a very up-to-date dining room. It is located on South Main.

The Satanta Café is a lovely place. It has a frame construction, and it is located on North Main.

There is a Ford Garage on North Main that is constructed of stucco.

The Satanta Chief weekly paper, established in 1920, serves the people of Haskell County. Jesse W. Reeves was the first editor, and Mr. Janquart is the editor today.

Satanta has two service stations. The McCormick Deering and Case Company can supply you with excellent machinery. There are two grocery stores in Satanta, the Landers and the I.G.A. Both are on North Main Street.

Additional Information JAMES S. PATRICK

JAMES S. PATRICK was the son of Walter S. Patrick (1826-1889) and Sarah Ann Richards (1833-1917). He was born in 1862. In 1892, James married **SARAH "ELIZABETH" ANTHONY**. She was born on 16 Dec 1872 in Iowa. She sometimes went by the nickname "Libby". James and Libby made their home in Satanta, Haskell County, Kansas where James worked as a Real Estate Agent and Abstractor.

Elizabeth "Libby" died on 4 Sep 1903 in Garden City, Finney County, Kansas.

After the death of his first wife, Sarah Elizabeth "Libby", James S. Patrick married again to **MAE COLBURN**. They were married on 28 Sep 1904 in Chicago, Illinois. Mae was born in 1875.

James died on 8 Apr 1939 due to heart disease. Mae passed away on 26 Jul 1957 in Satanta, Kansas. James and his two wives, Elizabeth and Mae, were buried at the Haskell County Cemetery in Sublette, Kansas.

James S. Patrick and Sarah Elizabeth Anthony had the following children:

MILLICENT ANTHONY PATRICK, a daughter, was born in late March of 1893 and died on 11 May 1893. Burial was at the Haskell County Cemetery in Sublette, Haskell County, Kansas.

GLENICE M. PATRICK was born on 6 Aug 1896 in Santa Fe, Haskell County, Kansas. In 1919, Glenice was living in Kansas City, Missouri, and was working as a Stenographer. She was there just briefly and then moved to Colorado Springs, Colorado. By 1923, she was living in Detroit, Michigan. Between 1935 and 1941, she was living in Phoenix, Arizona, and again working as a Stenographer and bookkeeper. She married Albert Williams Amos in June of 1941. Albert was first married to Susan Alyce Alexander. Susan passed away on 18 Apr 1940. Glenice passed away on 3 Jun 1944 in Phoenix, Maricopa County, Arizona. Albert died there on 16 Jan 1956. Burial was at the Greenwood Memory Lawn Cemetery in Phoenix, Arizona.

NEYMAN ANTHONY PATRICK was born on 19 Nov 1898. He married Thelma Faye Crain on 3 Nov 1928 in Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan. They were divorced on 5 Jun 1936. His next marriage was to Mildred M. Jones Davis (1909-1974) on 19 May 1938 in Wood County, Ohio. Neyman died on 7 Jan 1957 in Genesee County, Michigan. The burial for Neyman and Mildred was at the Evergreen Cemetery in Grand Blanc, Genesee County, Michigan.

Newspaper Article
JAMES S. PATRICK

The Wichita (Kansas) Beacon
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VETERAN ABSTRACTER RECALLS
50 YEARS OF KANSAS TITLES

JAMES S. PATRICK, DEAN OF PROFESSION IN STATE
STARTED BUSINESS IN COLDWATER



Newspaper photograph
James Patrick on the right

M. E. Schmidt, Newton president of The Kansas Title Association
Congratulating James S. Patrick, Satanta, Dean of Kansas Abstracters,
who this year is celebrating his golden anniversary in the business.

The oldest abstracter in the state in point of service, James S. Patrick, 75, Satanta, was in Wichita to attend the thirty-first annual convention of the Kansas Title Association. He recalled today that this year marked his golden anniversary in the business.

Coming to this state in 1887, from his birthplace in Illinois, Mr. Patrick settled in Coldwater (*Comanche County*) Kansas, and there in September of the same year, he wrote his first abstract.

From Coldwater he migrated the following year to Santa Fe, Kansas, a booming little city on the prairie, which was later to be abandoned when the railroad builders failed to include it on their line to the west.

Forty acres of developed ground to the section was about the rule in those early days, as Mr. Patrick recalls it, but settlers came fast and business was good.

“Abstracting in those days was much the same as it is now,” Mr. Patrick remembers, “though the procedure might be somewhat different. For one thing there were abstract papers that used to be as long as this,” and he indicated a spread of about three feet, “and if we had been as concerned then about underground rights as we are today, we might have had them even longer.”

Santa Fe went the way of many inland towns, and after it was abandoned in 1922, Mr. Patrick moved his office to Satanta where he has operated since.

With 50 years of abstracting behind him, he continues to conduct his business without the benefit of other office help, and though he admits that the years have slowed him down, he sees no reason why he should not continue to conduct his office and attend state conventions of the association for another 25 years.

Newspaper Obituary SARAH “ELIZABETH” (ANTHONY) PATRICK

The Santa Fe (Haskell County, Kansas) Monitor
10 Sep 1903, Thursday, page one

DEATH OF MRS. JAMES S. PATRICK

PEACE TO HER ASHES

Although Mrs. Patrick had been very sick at Garden City for the past seven weeks, our people were greatly shocked last Friday morning to hear over the telephone that she had passed away that morning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Patrick had gone to Garden City about three months ago to place her daughter, Glenice under the care of a physician. While there, she nursed her daughter through an attack of typhoid fever and almost before the daughter recovered, she was attacked with the same disease.

There were many anxious inquiries as to her condition and usually, it was reported she was getting along as well as could be expected and it was fondly hoped she would soon be at home again with her family and friends, but it was not to be. She was taken worse Wednesday evening and Sammy Brannan was reached by telephone. He hastily came to this place with the word for Mr. Patrick to come with the children at once, as it was thought Mrs. Patrick could live but a short time. The trip was made in a short time, but the next morning the cheering news came that she was resting much easier, and again hopes were entertained that she was resting much easier and again hopes were entertained that she might be spared to her family and friends. However, shortly after Twelve o'clock noon, she was much worse and all hope abandoned.

Mrs. Patrick an affectionate and loving wife, a kind and indulgent mother, and a loving daughter, passed away, and the community and society lost one of its leading members, one whose place will be hard to fill. In every charitable and public undertaking, she was always at the head, doing her part to make it a success. The sick and afflicted always had cause to remember her kindly ministrations. She will be greatly missed by this community, but how much more by the afflicted family. It always seems hard to give up those who have lived their allotted time, but how sad it is for one just in the prime of life, with young children and pleasant surroundings to be called away. But surely if Mrs. Patrick could look down from her celestial home above and witness the kindly interest and feeling of her many friends in performing the last sad rites she could not help but be pleased for all that loving hands could do... was done.

Sarah Elizabeth Anthony was born on 16 Dec 1872 in Comanche, Clinton County, Iowa, and died on 4 Sep 1903 at the age of 30 years, 8 months, and 18 days. She was married to James S. Patrick on 18 May 1892 in Ingalls, Kansas. She joined the Baptist Church at Dow City, Iowa in 1883, and afterward joined the Episcopal Church in Great Bend, Kansas in 1901. She made this change in her church relationship largely because her sister, Mable, was a member of that church. She leaves a father, mother, and sister, besides her husband and two children, Glenice M. and Neyman A., and a host of friends and relatives to mourn her death. One little daughter, Millicent A., preceded her to the other world about ten years ago.

The remains were brought to Santa Fe on Saturday morning and a short funeral service was held at the family home by Rev. H. S. Booth, of Garden City. His talk was very appropriate and was principally descriptive of the new home of the deceased. The services were interspersed with songs that were sung by Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wait, and Mrs. J. J. Miller. After the service, those present were allowed to take a last look at the remains, after which the body was laid to rest in the Santa Fe Cemetery, just south of the Patrick home. There were 32 vehicles in the funeral procession, and the attendance at the funeral was very large.

The pallbearers were V. L. Bethel, F. E. Murphy, G. K. Tyler, W. A. Custer, F. A. Burkill and J. J. Miller. Raymond Stotts acted as funeral director, and Ralph Clark, who brought the body from Garden City in the hearse, was in charge of the remains.

The flowers were the most beautiful ever seen at a funeral in this area and consisted in part of a large bouquet from Glenice and Neyman Patrick, the two children of the deceased. Others who gave beautiful flowers were C. A. and Lyle Tabb, W. R. Anthony, Mrs. Judge Hutchinson, Mrs.

Ollie Lemert, the Winne girls of Wichita, Mrs. George Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Edwards, and several flowers from the ladies of Garden City and Haskell County.

**Newspaper Obituary
MAE (COLBURN) PATRICK**

The Wichita (Kansas) Eagle
27 Jul 1957, Saturday, Page 1

MRS. MAE C. PATRICK
KANSAS POLITICAL LITERARY FIGURE DIES AT AGE 81

Satanta, Kansas, July 26...

Mrs. Mae C. Patrick, a well-known political and literary figure in Kansas during the mid-20s and early 30s, died today. She was 81.

In 1924, she was the fifth woman in the country to carry her state electoral votes to Washington as the Kansas electoral messenger. While there, she was a guest of President and Mrs. Coolidge at the White House.

Mrs. Patrick served on the first Kansas Board of Regents. She was a delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1924 and 1930 was named director of the Kansas Republican Women's Club, and served as vice chairman and treasurer of the Kansas Republican Central Committee.

In 1922, she was a member of the National Republican Speakers Bureau and was a national speaker for the party that year.

Her husband, James S. Patrick, a pioneer Haskell County real estate man and landowner, died in 1937. (*Actually died in 1939*)

Additional Information

DR. JAMES BONNER UNGLES
(OWNER OF UNGLES BROTHERS DRUG STORE)

DR. JAMES BONNER UNGLES, son of Thomas Armstrong Ungles (1854-1918) and Emelie Amelia Gagnebin (1857-1921), was born on 19 Oct 1892 in Arlington, Reno County, Kansas. James was a surgical physician and owned the Ungles Brothers Drug Store in Satanta, Kansas. On 26 Aug 1920, he married **LOU ETHEL GEESLING**, daughter of Henry R. Geesling (1858-1943) and Mary Mollie Lavina Baker (1860-1909) in Reno County, Kansas. Lou Ethel was born on 9 Sep 1895 in Reno County, Kansas.

OWNER OF UNGLES DRUG STORE

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Ungles Drug Store
Dr. J. B. Ungles, M. D., Prop.

The Satanta (Kansas) Chief News – 5 Jul 1923

Dr. Ungles passed away on 30 Apr 1987 in Satanta. Lou Ethel died there on 2 Jun 2001. Burial for both was at the Dudley Township Cemetery in Satanta, Haskell County, Kansas.

James and Lou Ethel had two children:

JAMES MAX UNGLES was born on 21 Sep 1923 in Satanta, Haskell County, Kansas. Early on, he became a Veterinary Doctor and lived in Meade, Meade County, Kansas. He married Josephine Lydia White, daughter of Rev. Raymond F. White (1895-1976) and Fern Elizabeth Naugle (1897-1992), on 13 July 1952 in Meade, Kansas. Josephine was born on 3 Oct 1930 in Turkey. They had one son and three daughters. James passed away on 18 Jan 1998 in Ulysses, Grant County, Kansas, and Josephine died on 30 May 2022 in Satanta, Kansas. Their burial was at the Dudley Township Cemetery in Satanta, Haskell County, Kansas.

LLOYD "BUD" KEITH UNGLES was born on 12 May 1927 in Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts. Bud was a farmer and served in the United States Navy during World War II. He was married to Hazel Carlene Hamm, daughter of Harley and Willie (Wesley) Hamm. Hazel was born on 20 Dec 1929 in Oklahoma. Lloyd died on 8 Oct 2005 at a Satanta long-term health care facility. Hazel passed away on 10 Mar 2011 in Garden City, Finney County, Kansas. Burial for both was at the Dudley Township Cemetery in Satanta.