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U. S. FLYERS TO CIRCLE WORLD

Trip Will Show Ease of Communication Between the Continents.

Washington. — Secretary of War Weeks has formally approved the project for a flight of four or five army airplanes around the world next spring and summer.

This flight, the most ambitious undertaking of the army air service, is intended to demonstrate the feasibility with which aerial communication may be established between the various continents and to obtain data concerning the operation of present type airplanes under varying climatic conditions.

As now planned, the personnel for the flight will consist of four commissioned officers and four enlisted men, well qualified for a long and arduous flight. The selection of personnel is now under consideration by Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, chief of the air service, and his associates.

Await Foreign Approval.

Until authority has been received from all foreign governments whose territory will be visited the exact route of the flight will not be determined. The route tentatively mapped out follows:

Leave Washington about the middle of March and proceed to Seattle. Depart from Seattle about April 1, flying northward along the coast of Canada and southern Alaska.

They will fly across the Aleutian islands, down through the possessions of Japan, along the shores of China, French Indo-China, Siam and Burma, across India, up the Persian gulf, across Turkey and Europe to England, thence north through the Faroe islands to Iceland, thence to Greenland and southward along the eastern shore of the continent to Cape Farewell, Greenland, from which point a direct flight will be made to Hamilton Inlet on the Labrador coast, thence southward along the Canadian shore and up the St. Lawrence river to Quebec and Montreal, from which point the flight will proceed to Washington, thus completing the circumference of the globe via the air.

This itinerary has been worked out tentatively in the expectation that it will enable the flyers to dodge the rainy seasons in the United States and India and insure flight over Iceland and Greenland during August and September.

Pilots Will Study Routes.

Existing airway facilities will be followed in the United States, southern Japan and between India and London. The intervening sections of the long route will be given further study by experienced pilots, who will proceed over the route prior to the arrival of the flight.

A path-finding expedition of two officers has been in the field for some time. Lieut. Clarence E. Crumrine is now in Greenland, investigating facilities for aviation there. Lieut. Clifford C. Nutt, now in the Philippines, will visit Japan to make preliminary arrangements as soon as the wishes of the Tokyo government have been made known to the State department.

Meanwhile, a detailed study of the route is being made in the office of General Patrick, the United States coast guard is obtaining data on facilities between Seattle and Attu Island in the Aleutian group, which is the point of departure of the flight from United States territory.

Special attention is being given to weather conditions along the proposed route, with a view to making available every possible facility to the army flyers.

The planes chosen for the flight are Douglas world-cruisers, designed and built by the Douglas Airplane company, Santa Monica, Cal. They will be powered with Liberty motors. At Seattle the planes will be equipped with pontoons for water landings. Present plans contemplate reaving the pontoons at Tokyo and using landing gear from that point on.

Achievement Follows Work.

A reasoning age demands respect for the person of others no matter what the sex or social station. It is folly for a man to imagine that he is strangely destined to rank above his fellows. You may be on the road to power, but that will result from fitness rather than from any endowment of divinity. The old idea that nature bestows exceptional gifts upon certain individuals is pretty much fiction. It is nice for the gifted but rather hard on the common, ordinary chap. But experience shows that achievement is a matter of work and not of gift. The world is daily awarding prizes to those who dare to toil to the limit for the sake of winning place. Men who rise to remain leaders are those who do themselves to hold high station.

BAPTIST FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT NEW HOPE

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Brownfield Baptist Association will convene with the New Hope church, situated 12 miles southeast of Tahoka, Thursday night, December 27th.

The program has been arranged as follows:

Thursday Night
8 P. M.—Sermon by Rev. W. L. Stewart.

Friday
10 A. M.—Devotional, led by Uncle Ben Rodgers.

10:30—Why adopt the church budget system of financing in our churches.—Revs. W. K. Horn and J. M. Doshier.

11:00—Sermon, Rev. J. P. Hardesty.
2 P. M.—W. M. U. Associational work led by Mrs. Walker.

2:30—The need of organization and enlistment of all our Baptist Women in this work.—Mrs. F. G. Galloway.

3:00—How to accomplish this task.

—Mrs. J. P. Hardesty.
3:15—Practical problems of the work.—Mrs. Buck Briley.

3:30—Stewardship discussed by Rev. C. E. Ball, Rev. F. G. Galloway and Rev. Chas. Burnett.

4:30—Board Meeting

7:30—Song service led by Boyce Hatchett.

8:00—Sermon by Rev. K. W. Horn.

Saturday

9:30 A. M.—Devotional service led by E. W. Holway.

10:00.—The importance of Associational missions in this fast developing country, and the personal responsibility upon every church in our association in taking care of this work.—J. M. Braswell, D. D. Johnson, and C. E. Ball.

11:30.—Sermon by Rev. F. G. Galloway.

MRS. J. M. WILLIAMS DIED AT POST LAST THURSDAY

Mrs. J. M. Williams died at the Post Hospital last Thursday afternoon at 2:30, having been there for several weeks. She was thought to be fast improving until just before death came. The body was carried to Lubbock, Friday, where it was laid to rest, Rev. Poston officiating at the grave.

Mrs. Williams was an ideal wife and mother, and a member of the Baptist church to which she was devoted. The saddest part of her departure seems that some two weeks ago her eldest daughter, Onie, died here suddenly, and she was in condition to break this sad news to her.

Mrs. Williams leaves a husband and a son and daughter, Guy and Lillian to mourn her departure. The Herald joins the friends in condolence to this double bereft family.

D. Hunter had us put his Dad on our subscription list at Lawton, Okla., starting with our Holiday issue.

2:09 P. M.—The tragedy of a wasted life and a saved soul, by Rev. W. L. Stewart.

2:30—Model layman from a preacher's view.—Rev. H. D. Heath.

3:00—A model preacher from a layman's view.—E. I. Hill.

7:30—Devotional service led by W. P. Bassell.

8:00—Sermon by Chas. Stokes.

Sunday

10:00 A. M.—Why have a church Sunday School?—Uncle Ben Rodgers and B. J. Emanuel.

11:00—Dedicated sermon by Rev. J. M. Doshier.

3:30 P. M.—B.Y.P.U. program rendered by the Union.

NO HERALD TO APPEAR NEXT WEEK

As has been our custom for fifteen years, no Herald will be published Christmas week. This is in order that the tired newspaper folks may get a short vacation and forget the cares of the constant grind for one whole glorious week.

However, will say that there will be a man in the office all the rest of this week to look after your wants in the job and subscription line, and after Wednesday next week.

Again let us thank you for the very nice and pleasant business you have given us this year, and hope that we may so serve you in 1924.

OVER 7,000 BALES WEIGHED IN TERRY COUNTY

Tuesday morning early a little over 7,000 bales of cotton had been weighed this season at the two yards in Brownfield and one at Meadow. The figures are as follows:

Brownfield Yard	1902
Union Yard	3393
Meadow Yard	2198

Total 7193

Receipts for the season will run around 10,000 bales.

NOTICE TO ALL W. O. W.'S.

There will be a public installation of officers at the W. O. W. hall on Friday night the 4th day of January.

All Woodmen and their families and all single Woodmen and sweethearts are invited.

Bring your baskets filled with cats, coffee, music and speaking furnished by the Camp.

We understand that Mrs. Sefton is agent for the Santa Fe at Meadow.

OLD SHOPKEEPER DEFIED PROGRESS

Bayside's Famous Merchant Who Objected to Modern Inventions Dies

New York.—"Johnny Hope's dead." That's what everyone in Bayside was saying. It was echoed for many miles around on Long Island as the news spread. For John Hope, seventy, was the last survivor of an older, gentler but not less busy time along the shores of Little Neck bay and its hinterland. To the day he died John Hope ran the sort of general store that really intrigued the eye of the discriminating. It is probably the last store of its kind in the city of New York.

It still stands at Bell and Park avenues in Bayside, but big, old-fashioned stutters are on the doors and the kerosene lamps no longer glitter on tinware. John's sister, Miss Annie, and his younger brother, William, held the funeral in the lamp-light rooms above the store. They will not continue the business. Their brother made a very considerable fortune and they will not go on with the tradition.

And Johnny Hope's was a distinct tradition. When the old store is closed it is expected that a branch bank or a moving picture theater will occupy its valuable site. That will be the definite sign that Bayside is no longer a country village, but a suburb of New York.

Had Real General Store.

Johnny Hope was born in Great Neck, of English and Irish stock, 70 years ago, and 40 years ago he had got far enough along to set up in business for himself. He bought the building at Bell and Park avenues, which even then was a real estate office, and proceeded to build around it a country store that sold literally everything—"Groceries, dry goods, hay, feed and grain" were all that were mentioned on the sign. But the windows showed the modesty of such a declaration.

There are just two concessions to modernity in those windows. One is a thermos bottle and the other a cocktail shaker. The latter, his nephew, Gene Hope, declares, must have been foisted on Johnny by some slick drummer. For Johnny himself never either smoked or drank. Aside from those two concessions, however, there are nothing but reminders of boyhood on the faro. There are halteres of rope and leather collar pads, lanterns, cut glass parrot lamps, old willow china, vinegar cruet water pitchers of glass and of pewter, nutmeg graters and kerosene cans—the kind the grocer used to ring the post of with a potato.

Inside the wicker is even more confining to the untrained eye. Bottle of ketchup stand on an old-fashioned glass case of ribbons. Lanterns in paper bags and hams in sack bags are ranged on shallow shelves above the coffee and flour bins. The candy case with all-day suckers, sticks, jawbreakers, licorice strings and all the old favorites is just beside Johnny's desk, leading belief to the tradition that he was not above blanching a child with a gift, hence for a well delivered message or order.

No Use for Cash Register.

The desk itself is the same one with which Johnny started business—one of the high ones with a stool behind it and a big thick ledger on top. He scorned a cash register. And he did a strictly cash business. It was true that he said he was always able to compete with the chain stores and the other modern inventions that line the main street on either side of him. He had neither telephone nor electric light. "I like the lamps," he used to say, "and so do lots of people, and I'll have no telephone because the way I want to do business is for cash right across this counter."

He was an intelligent Terry in other ways, too. He fought hard against the widening and paving of Bell avenue.

"And I was right," he said not long ago. "There's no place to hitch a team nobody stops to buy. Look at them sweating through."

Right up to the last he retained a big share of the custom of the town and the surrounding country, however. There was a sign on one of the rafters of his main store which read:

"If you don't see what you want ask for it."

And few things were asked for in vain.

"If I couldn't get a thing in Johnny's I knew I couldn't get it any place," said a woman outside the store. "And his prices were as cheap as any store here or in New York. He said he never bought anything but the best, and I believe he was right. I never got anything unsatisfactory in his store in all my life."

Johnny made a considerable fortune. Nobody knows how big it is yet. But among his early customers were many wealthy New York families who had country estates near Bayside.

ANOTHER DANGEROUS RUNAWAY MONDAY

A gentleman unthoughtfully left a team of broncs hitched to his wagon at the Cicero Smith Lumber yard Monday morning, and the first thing anyone knew, they came plunging out with a heavy wagon, which they wrecked against another wagon, and went careering up 6th street, into the courthouse park, where they ran into a tree, separating them, and tearing aloose from the fore wheels of the wagon. They came near wrecking an onto in their way.

The Herald has twice before reminded the city council of this danger, should there be children in their pathway—a scared horse don't give the road to anything—but so far, we understand nothing has been done to remove the danger. Of course those who leave their broncs hitched to wagons are not even criminal minded, just careless, and a small fine for leaving horses hitched would be a fine reminder.

The practice of leaving nervous teams hitched and permitting them to use our crowded streets as a race course is not only dangerous to people, especially children, but is destructive to property.

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES WHO AIM TO ANNOUNCE

The first issue of the Herald in which you may tell the good people of Terry county your wants for the several county offices will appear on January 4th, and if you aim to get your announcement in that issue be sure and see us several days at least before that time.

We are going to radically depart from our old rule of writing the candidates' announcements for them, and will ask that you please remember this. You can use a half column if you want to in telling the voters your wants and qualifications, but you or your friends will have to do the writing.

District offices	\$45.00
County offices	10.00
Precinct offices	5.00

FIRE AT SEMINOLE COTTON GIN LAST WEEK

Quite a bit of excitement was had Friday morning when an alarm was given that the gin was on fire. The fire originated in one of the stands, caused presumably either from friction or a match in the seed cotton, and although discovered immediately it spread rapidly through the machinery to the press.

Employees had the fire put out by the time the bucket brigade arrived from town, with only a slight damage.—Seminole Sentinel.

YES WE ARE THANKFUL

We are thankful that we are not a cynic; that we are not a pessimist; that we are not a foolish optimist; that we are not over sensitive; that we give and take in all social and business relations of life; that we are not a self styled saint; that we are not very bad or a very poor citizen; that we are not conscientiously a liar for any advantage, under the sun; that we believe in our Government and in our fellow citizens; that we believe in our friends and neighbors; that we trust our loved ones; that we believe in the Ten Commandments and in the Golden Rule, in God and His Holy Word; and finally, we are thankful that we believe most men are as good as we are and that some are better.—Balsorhea Herald.

THE TIME ELEMENT

When James A. Garfield was president of Hiram College, a man brought up his son to be entered as a student. He wanted the boy to take a course shorter than the regular one.

"My boy can never take all those studies," said the father.

"He wants to get through more quickly. Can't you arrange it for him?"

"Oh yes," said Garfield. "He can take a short course; it all depends on what you want to make of him. When God wants to make an oak, He takes over a hundred years, but He only takes two months to make a squash.—Exchange.

Our generous nephew Aubrey A. Thomas, of Repesville has our sincere thanks for a nice Christmas card. This is a sure enough gift.



The Christmas Dream That Came True

A Personal Message To You

As Christmastide is the Trail's end of the Old Year; as the broad path of the New Year unfolds wide before us all; our thoughts go out to each of our friends to wish them well in all their endeavors. Our hopes are that your joy may be constant and that your cares may be fleeting.

Among our assets we value most highly, that priceless, though intangible asset, YOUR GOOD WILL AND FRIENDSHIP—we prize beyond measure.

With grateful appreciation for all the favors received by us from you, we seek to merit your continued confidence. Our greatest desire is that we may co-operate with and serve you helpfully in the future.

A Christmas of joy and a New Year filled with HEALTH and PROSPERITY to you and yours is our wish.

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GIGANTIC IS THE WEALTH OF TEXAS

Much has been said lately about the series of articles by Mr. Clay, financial editor of the New York American, and printed in the 20 other Hearst paper, about the great natural wealth of Texas, written during his recent trip from Fort Worth over a great portion of the Panhandle, Plains and West Texas. Below we give a few of his utterances:

Gigantic is the wealth of this state of Texas, with its 32,000,000 acres under cultivation and its 136,000,000 still to be cultivated.

Who can guess or dream the destiny, the future greatness of the empire of Texas inside the Republic of the United States?

"Figures give but a feeble idea, however, consider these figures.

"Inside of Texas you could put Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Mas-

sachusetts, twice over. You could have room for New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. And after putting into Texas the six New England states twice over, plus Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey you'd still have land enough left to feed plentifully all the 5,000,000 people in Texas now.

In ten years, Dallas and Fort Worth will be usefully and patriotically competing centers of one group of over a million.

How soon will that become two, three, four and five millions?

The people of the United States do not know that they own how great they are in opportunity, or how great their destiny.

Texas proves it.—Ft. Worth Record.

MAMMOTH BRONZE Turkeys for breeding purposes; toms \$5.00; hens \$2.50. C. M. Thomason, Gomez, Texas. (1-11)

Happy With Her Christmas Gifts

By ELEANOR KING

Young Singer's Yuletide Songs Assured Her of Training for Opera

"HELLO, Esther, hear me home tonight."

"Yes, by ten minutes. Mr. but some folks are slow," she said laughingly. "Where have you been, Mary?"

"It's a rather long story," replied Mary, as she removed her wraps, hanging them in the one and only little clothes closet the boarding house room afforded. This was already filled to the bursting point, needless to add.

"Do you remember my speaking of a Miss Young?"

Esther nodded in assent.

"I met her when I was a stenographer at the settlement house, you know. She tells me she is still in that work. I think it so queer that I should meet her like this after our conversation last night. Now, Miss Esther, I am coming to the point. You recollect saying that you were so blue because it was almost Christmas and you had no money to go to, no money to give to make some one happy, and you couldn't go to see George because you hadn't the railroad fare? Well—and Mary paused for breath—"now, here is your chance to show how much you meant all this. Mrs. Young was telling me her troubles."

"Oh, Mary, how awful!" and Esther burst out laughing as she threw her arms about Mary and gave her a hug. "You old dear!"

"She said," proceeded Mary, as though nothing had happened, "she was giving a big entertainment for her settlement folks Christmas eve. She was having a hard time getting artists. It seems that there are so many of these things going on that there aren't artists enough to supply the demand. Now you know."

"Yes, she wants me to sing, I suppose, but I am horribly out of practice. I—"

"Oh, hush! I never knew it to fall. That is what they all start out with. I took the liberty to tell her you would be glad to do it, so—"

"I surely will do my best. I will begin to practice this very night. I will see Mrs. Young tomorrow about the songs she wants me to sing. Do you suppose George would come down to hear me sing, and then maybe stay over for Christmas?"

It was the night of the entertainment, and the girls were putting the finishing touches to their dressing when Esther suddenly broke the silence.

"I think it is so queer that I didn't receive any answer from George. He might at least have told me he couldn't come."

Everything was excitement and noise in the large hall of the settlement house, where people of all nationalities were crowding in. The program began at the hour stated. Before long Esther heard her name announced and stepped onto the platform with her pianist.



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Gazing at the audience, while she awaited the pianist, her wandering glance fell upon a familiar face. It could not be, but yet, in recognition, he smiled. It was George!

"The old dear," and then, in the same breath, she murmured, "Oh, God, I thank thee for the power of breath, the desire to live with which you have invested me, and, dear Lord, for George!"

She threw back her head with an excited air. George was going to hear her sing. She must do more than her best.

Never did she sing with such spirit and vigor. She seemed truly inspired. Her cup of joy was full. The burst of applause which met her ears showed the thorough appreciation of her audience for her efforts.

She couldn't get to George fast enough after the entertainment. Meeting, they both seemed perfectly oblivious of the crowds about them as he gathered her in his arms.

"Esther, you were simply divine. Your voice was wonderful. I never heard you sing like that before." Some one tapped him on the arm. It was Mary.

"But, George," said Esther, wriggling out of his grasp, realizing that they were creating quite a scene. "Why didn't you tell me you were coming?"

"Didn't you get my telegram with all the good news in it? Well, listen, then," George said, excitedly. "I brought my book along. He has heard so much about your voice—Mr. Williamson, meet Miss Esther Hislop and her friend, Miss Mary Rorer, Mr. Williamson. He is very interested in your voice—in fact, he has a proposition to put before you."

Esther slipped her arm about Mary and put her other arm through George's. She needed support.

"My idea was this," began Mr. Williamson. "For me to send you to New York for training for a year or so; being near my place of business, you could report often as to your progress."

"And I will be near George, too," thought Esther. But, aloud, she said, "I can't leave to take Mary. She is my inspiration always. I couldn't do without her."

"Then," proceeded Mr. Williamson, "I want to send you ahead and finish you off as an opera singer."

"All out!" shouted the janitor, rather peevishly.

"Come up to the house," Esther put in. "This is so wonderful, I want to talk it over some more. George, isn't it wonderful? We will be in New York together. Oh, what a glorious Christmas!"

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The State of Texas:
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon E. A. Masey 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 there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to the said Seventy-second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House therein, Brownfield, Texas, on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1924, the same being the 7th day of January, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 19th day of November A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 749, wherein Mrs. Lottie Masey is Plaintiff, and A. E. Masey is Defendant, and alleging that Plaintiff is a resident of Terry County, Texas, and has been for more than six months past before filing this suit, that her and defendant were lawfully married December 24th 1916, and separated June 1st 1923. That during their marital life she was a dutiful wife, that Defendant, about two years prior to their separation began a course of cruel, harsh and tyrannical treatment toward her which lasted till she was forced to abandon him on the 1st of June, 1923.

That he would often use abusive and profane language about and toward her, and had threatened her life, and his actions and conduct toward her destroyed her happiness, and become unbearable, and rendered their living together further insupportable.

That defendant's whereabouts, is to plaintiff unknown.

Wherefore she prays judgement of the Court dissolving said matrimonial bonds, for Citation by Publication, for cost of suit, etc.

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 Brownfield, Texas, on this 26th day of November, A. D. 1923.

H. R. Winston, Clerk.
District Court, Terry County, Texas.

Second Count

Plaintiff alleges by reason of said deed and notes he holds superior lien on said property, by defendant's failure to pay the notes, plaintiff is entitled to title and possession thereof, and asks for judgement for same.

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BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

SIMMONS COLLEGE TO COLLECT WEST TEXAS HISTORY

Arlene, Texas.—History of West Texas from first hand sources and rare documents from frontiersmen still living in this section is the interesting line of study taken up by the history Club of Simmons College. The club was organized last year under the direction of R. N. Richardson

head of the history department of the college, with the purpose of promoting an interest in history and especially the history of the immediate section. The club meets regularly and has some thirty members doing active work.

Sources of the line of study are books published by scouts and frontiersmen, newspaper and magazine articles published in various periods,

some of them running back to the pioneer days, publications of the War Department and department of Interior, and documents of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. The recent acquisition of the Crane Library by Simmons with its valuable and rare documents of West Texas history has given a big impetus to the work of the club this year.

A distinctive feature is the interviewing by the students where practical the early settlers of the region, and the gathering of old records, letters, newspapers and almanacs. Such collections are filed in the library. Several old photographs of interest have come to the club thru friends.

One recently acquired shows a pioneer preacher holding forth before his congregation with a pistol in evidence on the stand before him; the members of the flock also have guns in readiness. A few excellent interviews have been obtained recently. One is a ten-page type-written story of vivid interest to people in this part of the country from Mr. E. Roberts of Nugent, who was the westernmost settler for a period of two years on the Clear fork. He lived in a tent during the time, whose location he had to change constantly to prevent surprise attacks and to keep in hiding from the Indians. He was doing pioneer ranching. Other interesting

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 Brownfield, Texas

Interviews with pioneers of this section are being worked up by students of the History Club.

Grady Brown had the misfortune of getting his face badly burned on Friday last at the Little Gem Bakery. They are using pressure tank oil burners under the oven, and one of them exploded while he was working with it. While he is having to go about with his face swathed in bandages, he is peering along as well as could be expected.

GENUINE Edison Madra lamps all sizes in stock—Holgate-Endersen Hardware Co.

Dr. T. F. Miles is up from Lorena, McLennan county, looking after his property interests. He can't stay away from Terry long at a time.

BROTHERS & BROTHERS always has a nice assortment of fresh candies and fruits.

Seasons Greetings

We take the method to express our thanks to our many friends and customers of the past year for their patronage, and we wish you a Merry Christmas and a very Prosperous New Year.

THE TEXAS COMPANY

Phone No. 5. W. M. Adams, Agent

The goose hunters, after being snowbound on the north Plains almost a week have returned, reporting the death of one lone gander.

GENUINE NARRAGANSETT turkeys for sale for breeding purposes, both hens and toms. See Mrs. J. T. Hamilton, City. (5-30)

Miss Tempie Shepherd was at home over Sunday. She is attending a business college at Lubbock.

TRY A SACK of our flour. It has a full guarantee to please you—Bro. & Brothers.

Many of the business men and the readers in general heartily congratulated us on the Christmas edition.

SUNDAY Mail Car leaves at 8:00 o'clock; arrives in Lubbock at 10:30. Fare \$2.00; round trip \$3.50. (1-12)

We still have a number of the Holiday edition of the Herald. Why not spend 25c or 50c in sending these papers to your friends? They might thereby become interested in Terry county. Only 5c each and we mail 'em out for you. Bring in your list of names, or phone them if you wish.

FEDERAL FARM LOANS at 5 1/2 per cent interest, and 34 years and six months time on them. For particulars, see C. R. Rambo.

For Sale—Full blood Barred Plymouth Rock hens, \$1.00 each; also some white Leghorn hens at \$1.00 per dozen. Address Mrs. Lee Cowan Ropesville, Texas.

J. T. May was down from Lubbock one day last week visiting his son and daughter, Tom May and Mrs. W. B. Downing.

BEST LINE of staple and fancy groceries on the market—Brothers & Brothers.

Mr. Crikshank, prominent cattleman of Plains, died last Friday and was buried at Plains. Mr. Crikshank came from Canada to Yoakum county in its young days and has been instrumental in its upbuilding.

YOU WILL FIND a nice assortment of heating stoves and ranges at Holgate-Endersen Howe Co.

S. H. Winn dropped in to see us one day this week.

Lost—Three keys on chain; lost in Brownfield; finder put in P. O. box 717.—J. W. Easley.

T. J. Price informed us this week that he had sold the first section that was filed on in Terry county to Mr. Pogy, Sweetwater.

FRESH VEGETABLES always on cold storage at Brothers & Brothers.

Dr. O. F. Peebler, of Lubbock has purchased the Corning building and lot on the north side of the square, and will erect a substantial brick on same in the near future. Dr. Peebler has strong faith in the future of our city. There is another substantial building to be erected on the north side right away, but we are not at liberty to give details just now.

FOR rooms and board phone 117 city. (1-4)

Mrs. D. R. Johnson left this week for Collin county, where she will spend the holidays with her mother.

Mr. Paul Randal and family of Lamesa, spent Sunday night and part of Monday with his brother, John, on their return from Sudan, where they had been visiting relatives. These brothers had not seen one another in several years.

C. O. Newlin has fixed his subscription to the Herald so he thinks it will be easier to handle from this on. It now expires in December instead of mid-summer. What suits the reader suits the editor.

Geo. Allen
The House Reliable
Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Western Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalog and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE. SAN ABELLO

The Herald may not be just what you expect this week, but we were late last week with the holiday issue and also, we are anxious to be on our way to enjoy our—well deserved vacation and holiday.

Snowing again like tips (Tuesday) morn. A white winter has been predicted by old timers and of course

The Place To Buy

You may go all over the town but you will return to the Gift Shop for you selection—for it is the right place.

There are no better Christmas remembrances under heaven than beautiful jewelry, silverware, and cut glass. We wish for you and yours a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE GIFT SHOP

At Randal's Drug Store

D. E. McGee, Prop.

Railroads Completely Regulated

The Santa Fe says efficient transportation to meet growing needs of country is possible under existing Governmental regulation. Farmers and business men asked to exercise their influence in giving Transportation Act a fair trial.

The vigor of our national life absolutely depends upon transportation, primarily the railroads. To insure that all important functions of the railroads are discharged in an orderly and dependable manner the Government has undertaken to regulate them in the following particulars:

1. A Government Commission determines freight and passenger rates.

2. A Government Commission determines what is a "fair return" on the value of property used for transportation purposes, but does not guarantee any return.

3. A Government Commission determines the above value of transportation property.

4. A Government Board determines wages and working conditions in case of dispute between railroad employer and employe.

5. A Government Commission determines whether or not a railroad may issue its stock and bonds.

6. A Government Commission has determined how all railroad accounts are to be kept.

7. A Government Commission determines whether or not a railroad line may be built or abandoned, leased, sold or merged with any other line.

8. Any and every form of discrimination is prohibited by law.

9. A Government Commission prescribes safety methods and appliances and makes constant inspection for any failure to observe its requirements.

There are duties devolving upon the people to see that the railroads are given fair treatment by the Commission and Boards to whom has been delegated the task of exercising the overwhelming control described above, and that the provisions for such control are not lightly tampered with nor changed until some clear need for change appears. With such treatment assured the railroads can and will grow in capacity and efficiency to meet all the needs of our country, and health and vigor will be assured to our great national industries, such as farming, manufacturing, mining and commerce.

W. B. STOREY, President
The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway System

It is bound to happen just that way. Anyway, we are all preparing for a bumper crop next year.

Mrs. F. M. Burnett left this week for Dallas, where she will spend the holidays with her daughter.

Wanted by experienced farmer, a share crop for 1924. Can cultivate and gather 200 acres. Write me at Meadow or see me at P. J. Nettles' 3 miles east of Meadow.—J. T. Hardy.

Homer Laster, of Tokio is now a regular reader of the Herald.

Mrs. John Raymer has our thanks for renewal.

A MAN IS JUSTIFIED BY HIS LOOKS

Let us keep you looking good by keeping your clothes cleaned and pressed. One day service, rain or shine. Free call for and delivery. Ladies silk dresses and pleated skirts a specialty. All work guaranteed.

C. GEORGE, Tailor
Brownfield — — — — Texas

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS FURNISH PLAYS FOR SCHOOL

Austin, Dec. 10th. Teachers who are desiring plays to be acted by the students for entertainments and special occasions, may now receive a collection of plays suitable for the purpose from the Extension Loan Library of the University of Texas.

Any teacher who will write to the library telling what type of play is preferred, the number of characters, the age of the children, and the time and occasion for production will receive a number of plays for a week's examination. Then full information will be furnished as to where to order the plays, the price, and whether or not there is a royalty. There are now in the library twenty plays suitable for Christmas entertainments, and lists appropriate for other holidays will be prepared from time to time.

ROAD NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT LAND OWNERS

The law directs, hereby give notice that we will on the 12th day of January, 1924, assemble at Brownfield, Texas, and thence proceed to survey, The State of Texas, County of Terry—

We the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of Terry County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, at its November term 1923, to view and establish a 40 foot, first class road, from the Southeast corner of the Northeast 1/4 of Section No. 145 in Block D-11, Terry County, Texas, and having been duly sworn as locate, view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at a point on the east line of Section No. 145, Block D-11, at the Southeast corner of the NE 1/4 of said section No. 145, thence North following the East section line of said section No. 145, to the Northeast corner of said section; thence east on the north line of Section No. 144, Block D-11 and following the Section line due east to the intersection of the county road south from Gomez.

And we do hereby notify J. B. Reitor, B. W. Fuller, A. C. Britton, C. S. Trotter, W. S. Sharp, J. E. Spear, Allen Morton, and Tri-State Loan & Tr. Co., and any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1923.
A. J. Bryan
I. M. Smith —Jury of View
E. W. Glover (1-7)

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas.
To whom these presents come know ye—

That whereas, pursuant to a judgment rendered in the District Court of Donley County, Texas, on the 9th day of January, 1923, wherein the Farmers State Bank of Clarendon was Plaintiff, and Mrs. W. R. Slaughter, J. E. Slaughter, M. C. Slaughter, Homer Slaughter, A. A. Slaughter, Ora Lee Slaughter, Iris Slaughter, C. C. Slaughter, Mrs. Guy Hardy and her husband Guy Hardy were defendants, the plaintiff bank recovered a judgment against the above named defendants for the sum of One Thousand and Sixty-one and 28/100 dollars, together with ten per cent interest thereon, besides costs of suit. And whereas costs of suit amounted to Forty-nine and 50/100 dollars.

And, whereas, thereafter on the 16th day of November, 1923 an alias execution was issued out of said Court, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, requiring me, of the goods, lands and chattels belonging to the defendants, to seize as under execution, and after advertising the same as the law requires, to sell the same at public vendue at the court house door of Terry County, Texas, to the highest bidder for cash, said alias writ of execution having come into my hands on the 19th day of November, 1923, and having on the same day and hour been by me levied upon all of the commu-

Alexander's Drug Store

Has appreciated a very generous portion of your business the past year and we hope you will come back next year and that the new year will bring you happiness and prosperity.

The *Rexall* Store

Best QUALITY Reasonable PRICES
Brownfield Texas

Why not a Gray For Christms?

Instead of each member of the family giving each other member something that will soon depreciate and be forgotten, we suggest a Budget System Gift, all join in buying a Something useful a GRAY.

Gray Cars and Trucks

See our cars at the Spear Garage. Let us give you a demonstration! It is the marvel of Gray users to find a motor of such smooth performance in a car priced so low. Only quantity production and an exceptional motor design could produce such a sweet running car at such a low price. It is a flexible engine, one that will idle down in a traffic and pick up quickly.
Price delivered, Touring \$615.00
Used cars accepted at good prices.
MCGINNIS & ELLISON
Local Dealers

THE BRICK GARAGE

Carries at all time a full and complete line of auto repairs, accessories and the best line of tires and tubes in the city. Our repair department is in the hands of faithful, honest repair men who will give you honest and prompt service.

Call in and get our prices before purchasing elsewhere.
AGENTS FOR DURANT AND STAR AUTOMOBILES.
HARRIS BROTHERS
Brownfield, Texas

TURKEYS WANTED

We will buy turkeys from December 1st. to 25th. inclusive for Christmas Market. Can pay as much as anybody for No. 1 Turkeys. Bring them in.

R. J. CARVER

Brownfield, Texas

New Lumber Yard

We are now receiving new stock daily and are in a position to supply your building material needs. Call and see us.

A Merry Christmas is our sincere wish to the good people of Brownfield and trade territory.

C. D. Shamburger

1924 between the hours of ten o'clock A.M. and four o'clock P.M. at the court house door in Brownfield at public vendue, and for cash, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, all of the community interest of Mrs. W. R. Slaughter, as surviving wife of W. R. Slaughter, deceased, in the above described lands, and all of the interest of the defendants J. E. Slaughter, Homer Slaughter, A. A. Slaughter, Ora Lee Slaughter, Iris Slaughter, C. C. Slaughter, M. C. Slaughter, Mrs. Guy Hardy and her husband, Guy Hardy, in the above said lands, by them owned as the heirs of W. R. Slaughter, deceased. Of this notice you will take due cognizance and govern yourselves thereby.
Witness my hand at Brownfield, Texas this 23 day of November, A.D. 1923.
Wood E. Johnson,
(12-14) Sheriff Terry County, Texas.

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750

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270
750

Christmas Greetings

We appreciate your past business given us and will continue to give pure food products and service.

Order your Christmas Cake, Pies, Candies, Nuts and Fruits from us.

HANCOCK & RAMBO
Bakery and Confectionery
Brownfield, Texas

OUR SALE Will Continue

Considering the fact that many of our Customers were unable to attend our Tremendous Price-Slashing Sale due to adverse weather conditions we have decided to continue it through December 24th. We are anxious that all of you will be able to come in and take advantage of the rare bargains.

Again we greet you with the seasons best and hope that next year will be the most pleasant and prosperous of your lives.

Jones Dry Goods Co.

"The Place Most People Trade"
12 Stores in Texas

Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Lemmon left here for San Francisco, where they Monday morning for Dallas, where they will visit until the 20th, and then they will sail for Manila, P. I., on Christmas Eve. They go as missionaries.

for the Christian church, and he will have charge as surgeon of the Mary Childs Hospital at Manila. The Herricks join their many friends in best wishes and success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Turner sent the editor and family some sausage, back bones and spareribs this week, which were very much enjoyed. This boy was no kin to Adam, for the ribs were all there. Thanks, and will call again, please!

Three Cars in One!

A wonderful business car for dad—big loading space for samples, grips, tools, anything—by removing rear seat and upholstery! A wonderful closed car for the whole family—both seats adjustable forward and backward to accommodate everybody, tall and short! A wonderful vacation car for next summer—seats and upholstery make up into full-sized bed! More service at less cost! Come and enjoy a free demonstration.

NEW *Overland* '695
CHAMPION

SPEAR GARAGE, Brownfield, Tex.

Austin Nursery

I am taking orders for the F. T. Ramsey & Son Nursery, of Austin, Texas, one of the oldest and most reputable nurseries in the State. All Stock guaranteed as represented, and will live if given proper care. See me for future deliveries; orders for \$5.00 and up taken.

S. H. WINN

Brownfield

Texas

HAULING

Is Our Middle Name

When you want drayage or moving done quickly and efficiently with minimum breakage, phone 81 and we will be on the job.

Procter Transfer

Christmas Greetings

Santa welcomes you here to select your Christmas gifts.

Appropriate gifts for every member of the family, use your opportunity as hundreds of others have—by coming to the Palace Drug for your Christmas Gifts.

A Big Doll and a Big Gun Given away absolutely free Monday the 24th at 5 P. M. We want everybody to have tickets. All tickets are free— they cost you nothing, if you do not have tickets ask us about our plan and get your tickets.

We wish to thank the good people of Brownfield and all Terry County for your liberal patronage; we have enjoyed a splendid business.

We shall in the future, as we have in the two months we have been here, do every thing in our power to serve and satisfy you.

Wishing each and every one a Merry Christmas coupled with health and prosperity for the year 1924.

The Palace Drug Store

"Home of Quality"

Subscription Rates
One year: In Terry county, \$1.00; rest of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, \$1.25; all other states, \$1.50.
The six month rate on the above will be 50c; 65c and 75c.
The three month rate will be 25c; 35c and 40c.
Advertising Rates on Application.

A man was held here all last week for alleged theft of a new Ford car in California, but the California authorities seemed to want the car worse than the man and local officers let him out and are authorized to sell the car.

FOR SALE:—640 acres of catchlaw land 7 miles from Brownfield on main highway leading from Brownfield into New Mexico; 250 acres in cultivation; all tillable and all rich chocolate land. Good new five room house and barn; good lots; well and windmill and other improvements. Can give possession Jan. 1st if sold at once. Price of above \$50.00 per acre. Also, 160 acres of chocolate land 12 miles from Fort Worth.—T. W. Wellborn, Alvarado, Texas. (el-11)

J. D. McCulloch, successful Tokio farmer, was in one day this week and had us read the Herald to his friend, J. A. Martindale, of Rochester a dollar's worth. J. D. is not ashamed to let the world know about Terry.

NEW TYPE OF PINEAPPLE

Yellow Potatoes Also Brought to U. S. From Peru.
New varieties of pineapple and yellow potato were brought to this country recently by Francis MacBride, botanist, for the Field Museum of Natural History at Chicago, on his return aboard the steamship Santa Teresa, from a two-year's sojourn in central Peru. In the course of his tour Mr. MacBride has sent to the museum about 4000 varieties of plants, including Peruvian coffee, corn beans and other vegetables of wide economic value.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the good people of the town and community for their many expressions of kindness that has been bestowed upon me in my recent misfortune. Also for the nice purse that was made up and given me by the citizens. I shall never forget you for this kind act.
Carl Pearce

NOTICE

All city tax payers are requested to call at the office of J. F. Winston and pay their 1923 taxes.
By order of the mayor,
(1-18) J. F. Winston, Collector.

That Day Long Ago

By F. H. SWEET

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Solemnly, plumbly, church bells are ringing
On an evening across the white snow,
Gaily, lovingly, to us are bringing
Gifts that first were brought ages ago.
Gifts that make men's hearts
Soft and glad
As on that Christmas day
Ages ago.

Joyfully, tenderly, church bells are chiming
On their greetings across the deep snow,
Bringing fresh hope to the hearts that are
climbing
Upward in search of that feeling of glow,
Such as the shepherds felt
Ages ago,
When they were called by the
Star's tender glow.

What Christmas Brought to Him

By LAURA ELAINE CAMERON

Back to His Old Job, the Present Walter Manners Needed Most
His Cup Was Full to Overflowing With Yuletide Joy

WALTER MANNERS stumbled out of Clarkson's store he felt that Christmas was indeed going to be a dreary time for him and his family. His hands were clenched tightly as he came out into the glare of winter sunshine, and his face showed a dull red—the hue which comes over a man's face when insult or humiliation has come to him.

For twenty years of service to old Clarkson, twenty years wherein he had given the best that was in him to a man who was reputed to be the most ill-tempered man in all Washburn—he had just been told that from now on his services would be dispensed with, and all because of a small mistake that had been made, which Clarkson in the blind rage which had taken hold of him, had laid on the shoulders of Manners.

It was hard, he told himself as he walked along, that a man who had given the best of his life in service could be cast away like an old glove. It must be that he was not as competent as other men, he told himself. For the hurt of dismissal had sunk its iron deeper into Walter Manners' soul than it would have done in the case of another man, for always he had been possessed of the feeling that he was not quite as capable as other men. Something within him always tried to belittle him to himself, and although he had often fought with this feeling and had tried to assure himself that he did as good or even better work than some, in spite of himself it came every now and then to torture him. Now in the face of his recent dismissal, it came with added force, and he told himself over and over again that he was a failure or else old Clarkson would not have let him out. He never stopped to think that perhaps it was the long association with a man of Clarkson's

type that had made him so diffident about his own worth.

He dreaded the thought of going home and telling his family the bad news. He reproached himself that he had not broken away from old Clarkson ten years before when he had an offer from young Peters, who had just then come to Washburn, and who had since made such a success. But then, as always, the fear of himself kept him from accepting and he had stayed on and borne the ill-temper of old man Clarkson since. His fortynine years hung heavily upon him as he



went on and he looked with dread to the future, for his family was just at the age when a steady income was an absolute necessity.

He shuddered now as he thought of

Christmas, when only a few hours ago he had been living in happy anticipation of the day. He had planned so many things; so many little surprises that would bring joy to his loved ones; but now that was all over, for how could he enter into the spirit of Christmas, weighed down with care and dread of the future as he was now?

Walter Manners had always been a man who set a great stress upon duty, and as he went along now the thought came to him that a real duty to his family lay before him. For he felt that he would be inflicting a great wrong upon them were he to go to them now with the story of his failure and to spend their Christmas. What of his own feelings—surely he could be man enough to hide them for a few days for the sake of those he loved! After Christmas there would be time enough to tell them the dread news—to let them know what a miserable failure he was.

He decided then that he would not go home until his usual homecoming hour, lest it might create suspicion, so

to tell them he wandered aimlessly around town. He stopped to gaze in a window as he passed. He admitted to himself that there was a vast difference between the appearance of this store and Clarkson's. Here everything was up-to-date and attractive; the window arrangement such as might make anyone pause to look, since he had brushed this



subject to old Clarkson, but had been met by such an outburst of wrath that he had never dared to open the subject again.

So oppressed was he with his thoughts that he never noticed that Clyde Peters was standing inside the window and gazing straight at him. He flushed a dull red again as the thought came to him that surely Peters would suspect something to see him wandering aimlessly around at what was usually the busiest time of the day at Clarkson's. But he nodded as pleasantly as he could to Peters and walked on.

Somewhat he got through the evening without his family suspecting that there was anything amiss. He joined in the general gaiety and helped with the decorations and various other little jobs, but all the while the heart within him was sick with misery. But he knew that the burden was his to bear alone, and the thought that he was saving his family from the truth for a few days gave him a little feeling of comfort.

At ten o'clock, after the smallest of the children had been put to bed and the Christmas tree had received all its trimmings, the door bell rang with a loud peal. Walter Manners opened it, thinking it was a neighbor or possibly a Christmas gift of some kind, but instead the tall figure of Peters stood in the doorway.

In a few minutes he told what he wanted—seeing Manners standing outside his store that afternoon and suspecting from his attitude that something was wrong, he had made in-

quiries and found he had left Clarkson's. Whereupon he had come to ask him if he would consider a position with him, and when he named

the salary Walter Manners gasped, as it was nearly twice the figure he had been getting. And when, because of his high sense of duty that was his, he told Peters that Clarkson had let him out, Peters only laughed aloud and said: "As if that would make any difference. The wonder to all in Washburn has been how you could have stood him so long."

After that it did not take Walter Manners long to give consent to the offer, and his cup of joy seemed full as he bid good-night and good wishes to Peters at the door.

But it was full to overflowing a few minutes later when old Clarkson came puffing to the door and told him he could have his old job back again, with a small increase in salary. For although he never wanted to see Clarkson's store again, yet the feeling that he was wanted back in the old place, added to the offer which he had just accepted, gave him the confidence in himself which he had always been lacking, and that Christmas Walter Manners really came into his own, he had gotten the gift which he needed most of all.

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Exercise Intelligently.

"Grow younger as you grow older by cultivating a love of good, healthful, honest sport," is sound advice. Walking, riding, rowing, playing golf, tennis or croquet or any other mild form of exercise in the open air keeps the muscles supple and prevents the joints from stiffening, fills the lungs with life-giving oxygen and keeps the blood from becoming sluggish or the liver torpid. In short, it is exercise and right thinking that keep the body "in tune and up to concert pitch."—Orison Sweet Marden in Chicago Daily News.

Girl Flyer Astonishes Experts by Bold Leap

Paris.—Miss Denyse Collin brought confusion among the ranks of the aviation laboratory experts recently when she landed successfully from an airplane flying more than 100 miles an hour with the aid of a parachute weighing only twelve pounds.
"These little parachutes are highly dangerous. The mere shock of the cord when they unfold is given by the dynamometer as 1,500 pounds, which is enough to kill any human being," said the experts.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Beginning Saturday December 15th. we will put on our pre-inventory Sale. Every article in our store will be marked down, and it will pay you to investigate our prices before you buy elsewhere. The Sale will continue through Dec. 24th. 1923

LEWIS BROTHERS & CO.

BROWNFIELD, TEXAS, PHONE NO. 29

Christmas Groceries

See us for all kind of fancy Christmas Groceries, including Fruit Cakes, Plain Cakes, Candies, extra large Pecans, Walnuts, all kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats

Enterprise Market & Grocery

A Land Title

like Caesar's wife, must be above reproach. An omitted technicality, a neglected payment of tax or judgement, a carelessly drawn deed—such things are "trifles" which may not disturb for years, but one never knows when the time may come that they will make trouble for some later owner.

There is just one safeguard—Come to us for an Abstract of Title.
If you are buying property, let us search the title before you buy. If there is any of those "trifles" that might shake your security in that property, we will find them.
If you own property, let us search the title to that, too. If there are any flaws in the title which might cause inconvenience or loss to those who might inherit it, when you are no longer here to carry the burdens, we shall find them and make it possible for you to enjoy and bequeath perfect security of ownership. Come in TO-DAY and do what you will be glad to have done.

C. R. RAMBO, Abstracter
BROWNFIELD, (Terry County) TEXAS

Xmas Buying

Is in order and we will make it to your interest to see our line before you make your purchases. We have every thing needed to make your Christmas dinner enjoyable by the whole family.

Our prices are right, the goods are the finest quality. Santa Claus will want to fill his pack from our bountiful supply of California Fruits and Nuts and from our high grade candies.

NATIONAL CASH GROCERY
R. W. Headstream, Mgr.

Brownfield — — — Texas

Don't Blame The Hen!

Whose fault is it if your hens don't lay eggs? Before you blame the hen, ask yourself these questions.

1. Am I feeding a proper egg making ration?
2. Is it manufactured by scientific authorities?
3. Am I sure the feed is always uniform?
4. Has it been proved by others in practical tests?

The way to answer "yes" to all four questions is to feed **Purina Chicken Chowder** and **Purina Hen Chow**—made and guaranteed by feeding authorities, proved by millions of poultry raisers. Sold in checkerboard bags by—

BOWERS BROTHERS
Located on track east of depot.



ELECTRICITY IS EASY TO CONTROL AND USE

Dallas, Texas—While no man can say definitely what electricity is, research has given to science a definite knowledge that the rules of electric control have been built, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

Electricity comes from dynamos which capture it and it is pushed by electro-motive force, called voltage, along wires to where it is to be used. The wires that carry the electric energy is carried on what is called a circuit and tends to go back to its source. An open circuit is one that is interrupted and along one which electricity cannot flow.

The pressure which drives a flow

of electric current along its conductors is called voltage, and the volt is the unit of measurement for this pressure. The unit of measurement of electric current flowing over its circuit is called an ampere. It is reckoned by the pressure with which the voltage drives the current along and by the lessening of the voltage by what is called resistance. Measurement of this resistance is by a unit called an Ohm.

The actual energy of an electric current as it is applied to use in the home and factory is measured by a unit called a Watt, which is a combination of volts and amperes. This is a very small amount of energy, and the more convenient commercial measure is the kilowatt which is one

thousand Watts. Electric meters register the use of electric energy in kilowatt hours, a kilowatt hour being the energy of 1,000 Watts used for one hour. This is approximately equal to the power of one and one-third horses for an hour.

NOTICE

Hereafter all pupils who are tardy twice in the same week are automatically expelled until one or both parents return with pupil to office of the superintendent.

J. D. Rankin.

A. M. Mangum, of Canyon, is getting the Herald now, complimentary of their son here.

REMEMBER—Good shows at the Legion Theatre every Friday and Saturday night.

SAVE MONEY!

We know how hard it is to get hold of money—and how easy it is to get rid of it. If you want your money to go as far as possible, then

let us figure with you on your next Grocery bill, and you will find my store a good place to trade.

Z. I. LOWRIE

Staple and Fancy Groceries

Gomez, Texas

FURN. & UND. SUPPLIES

Funeral Directors

Phones: Day 25 Night 148

BROWNFIELD HDW. CO.

Brownfield, Texas

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,

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

You are hereby commanded to summon J. C. Morris 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 any newspaper published in the 72nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said 72nd Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 72nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the Dis-

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trict Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Brownfield, on the first Monday in January A.D. 1924, the same being the 7th day of January, A.D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of July, A.D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 744, wherein F. E. Walters is Plaintiff, and R. D. Koen, I. C. Burgess, J. C. Morris and J. V. Daniels are Defendants, and said petition alleging plaintiff is the present owner and holder of three promissory Vendor's Lien notes for the sum of \$300.00 each dated Feb. 14th, 1921, payable in one, two and three years after their dates, respectively, signed by R. D. Koen, payable to the order of I. C. Burgess and by I. C. Burgess transferred and assigned to plaintiff; and secured by a Vendor's Lien on a strip of land 38 feet wide across the west end of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block 48 of the original town of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas;

That on, to wit, October 31st, 1921, defendant R. D. Koen, sold and conveyed said land to J. C. Morris, and in said conveyance the said J. C. Morris assumed the payment of said notes, whereby he became liable and bound to pay plaintiff the sum of money in said notes specified, principal, interest and attorney's fees.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays for judgment against the said defendants for the full amount of principal, interest and attorney's fees due on said notes, for costs of suit, and for foreclosure of his vendor's lien on the land heretofore mentioned, or order of sale, and such other and further relief, special and general, as he may be justly entitled to.

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 Brownfield, Texas, on this the 21st day of November, A. D. 1923.

H. R. Winston, Clerk
District Court, Terry County, Texas
By Lillian Webb, Deputy.

NOTICE

This is to notify the public that all pastures belonging to Green & Lumsden in Lynn and Terry counties are posted and everybody is forbidden to hunt, fish or anyway trespass on our property.—GREEN & LUMSDEN.

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NOTICE—You can buy goods at reduced prices for cash, beginning Monday, December 3rd to run 30 days.

No goods charged at reduced prices.

Am compelled to reduce stock or enlarge building.

Come and take advantage of cut prices.

Am looking for a large consignment of groceries every day.

Quite a lot of my customers have settled up since my last locals. Some of my locals seem like strangers, as I can't hardly recognize them.

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There are just nine more shopping days until Christmas. Have you done your shopping? **REMEMBER** we have the goods and are prepared to take care of your wants for most anything in the Holiday line, and at prices that are amazingly low. Bring the children and you will find what you want here, and don't forget that old **SANTA CLAUS** will be at our store again on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24th, and will arrive between the hours of One O'clock and Three O'clock P.M. Be sure and bring the children to see him; he will have a gift for every child.

We bid a **MERRY CHRISTMAS** to all.

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WELLMAN WARBLINGS
By Sandpiper.

(Delayed)
Weather fine for hogkilling. Most of or people are almost through with gathering cotton.
Earnest Levy and his mother, Mrs. Kern, are visiting at Eldorado, Okla. Mrs. Levy, who has been visiting her mother, expects to return with them.
Rev. Hanes filled his regular appointment here Sunday.
Prof. and Mrs. Burnett spent Sunday visiting at Meadow.
W. H. Hight and family spent Sunday with Joe Spurger and family.
Mr. D. D. Yancy was a Seagraves visitor, Saturday.
The young people had a social at Mr. Burnett's Tuesday night. All report an enjoyable evening.
Sunday School and singing every Sunday afternoon. Everybody invited.
Officers for the singing class were elected Sunday afternoon.

CHALLIS BUDGET
By Cottonpicker.

Cottonpicker has all the time he needs this week as the cotton patch is snowed under.
Mr. Greathouse is improving his place.
Mr. Webber is on a deal to buy a place soon.
Mrs. O'Neal has been sick for two weeks but is improving at present.
We understand the flu got into the Tapp family last week.
Mr. Daniels of Loop visited Mr. O'Neal Thursday night. He and Mr. O'Neal made a trip to Snyder, Texas, and came home Monday.
The farmers expected to complete their cotton patches this week on several farms, but the bad weather makes it last longer.

MARRIED
Laurence Green and Miss Mary Watts, two popular young people of the town went to the Baptist parsonage at 9:30 Sunday morning and were united in marriage, Rev. C. E. Ball officiating.
The Herald Joins the many friends of the happy young couple in congratulations.

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE MONDAY DEC. 31ST

This is to give due and lawful notice to all whom it may concern that the Compulsory School Attendance term, as required by law, for Brownfield Independent School District, begins Monday Dec. 31, 1923.
E. T. Powell,
Secretary Board of Trustees
On account of bad weather and contagious diseases in town, the Circus at the School auditorium Thursday night was called in.



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Boon Hunter is now employed by the Holgate-Endersen Hardware Co. Boone makes a good, big clerk.

WANTED:—Grubs at the Hancock Bakery.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The Estate of John William Gordon, deceased.
In the County Court of Terry County, Texas.
The State of Texas:
To those indebted or holding claims against the estate of John William Gordon, deceased:
The undersigned having been duly appointed executor of the estate of John William Gordon, deceased, late of Terry County, Texas, by the Honorable County Court of Terry County Texas, on the 20th day of November, 1923, at a regular term of said Court, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them at his residence at Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, where he receives his mail
Witness my hand and signature, this, December 3rd, 1923.
Joe Boyd,
Executor of the estate of John William Gordon, deceased. (1-7)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Joe A. Smith and the unknown heirs of Joe A. Smith if he be dead 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 any newspaper published in the 72nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in the said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to the 72nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Brownfield, on the 1st Monday in January, A.D. 1924, the same being the 7th day of January A.D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of November, A.D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 751, wherein T.L. Treadaway is Plaintiff, and Joe A. Smith and the unknown heirs of Joe A. Smith if he be dead, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on or about the 10th day of November, A. D. 1923, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Terry County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple to wit: The east one-half of Section 24 in Block D-14, located by virtue of Certificate No. 225, issued to the C. & M. Ry Company, in Terry County, Texas, containing 320 acres of land.
2nd. That on the year and day last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof, to his damage in the sum of One Hundred Dollars.
3rd. Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have

judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue for his damages and costs of suit and for such and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to etc.

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 Brownfield, Texas, on this the 27th day of November, A. D. 1923.

H. R. Winston, Clerk
District Court, Terry County, Texas
By Lillian Webb, Deputy.

BROWNFIELD CAMP NO. 1989
Meets every Friday night at 8:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall.
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W. J. Head, Clerk

Brownfield Lodge No. 903, A. F. & A. M.
Meets on Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall.
F. M. Ellington, W. M.
J. D. Miller, Secretary

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Meets every Tuesday night in the Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting Brothers Welcome.
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Brownfield, Texas



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