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CITATION BY PUBLICATION TO:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
The Unknown Heirs and the Unknown Legal Representatives of J. C. George, deceased, and all persons claiming any interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. C. George of Hockley County, Texas, as grantee, said deed recorded in Volume 32, page 176, Deed Records of Hockley County, Texas,

GREETING:
You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D., 1958, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 72nd District Court of Hockley County, at the Court House in Levelland, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25th day of November, 1957, and Plaintiff's Amended Petition was filed on the 10th day of December, 1957.

The file number of said suit being No. 3678.

The names of the parties in J. B. Taylor as Plaintiff, and The Unknown Heirs and the Unknown Legal Representative of J. C. George, deceased, and all persons claiming any interest in land under deed heretofore given to J. C. George of Hockley County, Texas, as grantee, said deed recorded in Volume 32, page 176, Deed Records of Hockley County, Texas, as Defendants. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Plaintiff, J. B. Taylor, alleges that on the 1st day of November, 1957, that he was and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described tracts of land and premises located in Hockley County, Texas, to-wit:

East 70 feet of Block 3 and the East 70 feet of Block 6, S. S. Ripley Subdivision to the City of Levelland, Hockley County, Texas,

and that on November 1, 1957, the defendants entered said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and wrongfully withholds possession to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$100.00 and plaintiff alleges that he has had and held peaceable and adverse possession of the lands and premises heretofore described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years before the institution of this suit and plaintiff holds his said title under and by virtue of the ten year statute of limitation. Plaintiff asks for title and possession for damages and for decree removing cloud from title.

Issued this the 10th day of December, 1957.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Levelland, Texas, this the 10th day of December A.-D., 1957.

Ruby Beebe,
District Clerk,
72nd Judicial District Court,
Hockley County, Texas.

METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Frank Story, Pastor
Church School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 7:00
MYF 8:00
Choir Practice 9:00
WCS, Monday 2:30
MYF Choir Practice
Wednesday 7:00
Prayer Meeting
Wednesday 7:30

The Pastor and family are deeply grateful for every expression of love and appreciation from the Church and Community during this Holiday Season. They wish for you and yours a very Merry Christmas and a most happy and prosperous New Year.

There will be no mid-week activities this week, but we will have some kind of service to watch the old year out and the new year in. The pastor has a recorded Message from Bishop W. C. Martin to be used as a highlight to this service.

The Christmas Program was well attended Sunday Evening for the Program and Christmas Tree. Old Santa was present, dispensing small remembrances to the Pastor and family, the various teachers and officers of the Church School, and the children under seventy-five years of age. The Children's Division and the Youth Division presented the program.

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SAM WILLIAMS HERE FROM ASPERMONT

Sam Williams, a former citizen of Ropes but now living in Aspermont, was here Tuesday visiting friends. He is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Ray Abney and family, in Brownfield over the Christmas holidays.

Sam, who has been suffering from a chronic asthmatic condition for several years, says that he can't see any improvement in his condition. His illness caused him to close his blacksmith shop in Ropes some years ago.

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GROCERY STORES CLOSED FOR TWO DAYS

The Ray Johnson Grocery and Market and the Ropes Food Store, in Ropes, will close on Christmas Eve and will not open until Friday.

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WALT'S CAFE CLOSED FOR TWO DAYS

Walt's Cafe closed its doors Monday night and will remain closed until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraley are expecting their children home for Christmas and will spend two days playing with their grandkids.

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NAZARENE CHURCH

Rev. Dan Jones, Pastor
Our regular services are as usual:
Sunday School 9:45 AM
Morning worship 11 AM
NYPS, Juniors 6:30 PM
Evening service 7:00 PM

NOTICE

If there is a date written by your name on the Plainsman, your subscription expired on that date. Please take note.

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1957 WANES

As you read this 1957 will be well into its swan song—its events classified and filed away in the dark and dusty archives of the past; its sands filling the bottom of the glass as Time hurries into 1958.

Alas! how swift the moments fly!

How flash the years along
Scarce here, yet gone already by,

The burden of a song.
See childhood, youth and manhood pass,

And age with furrowed brow;

Time was—Time shall be—
drain the glass—

But where is time now?

—J. Q. Adams.

Dormant, Time lies behind us; active, Time is ahead of us. As yesterday's flower, Time disappears without a sound; as the fleecy cloud, which wends a silent path across the inverted bowl of heaven, it comes upon us and passes us by—a unit of passing years—a moment in eternity's waste, the years glide in unending number and will continue to glide.

1957 is just one of a million or more.

In that dark chasm of the past lies an eternity of time rich in the history of man; rich in the history of God—it tells of the rise and fall of empires; it holds tight the history of the crumbling of kingdoms—the sway of the king and the empress; it tells of greed, of hunger for power. Pictured in Time is Nero; pictured are the Pharaohs, Moses, King Saul and Solomon, and then the Christ; the martyrs, and of more recent years Napoleon, the Kaiser and Hitler—the pages of history are filled with living color—and death.

It will continue so.

While the world has changed, human nature remains the same today as it was in the beginning.

Life is vain; a little love, a little hate and then —
gooday!

Life is short; a little hoping, a little dreaming, and then —
goodnight!

Countless generations of man have lived, hoped, hated, and passed back into the bosom of Mother Earth, to make room for generations to come. It is an unbreakable law of nature that it should be so—a little time here and—no more.

During the year 1957 we have seen momentous events—we have seen the handwriting on the wall—the atomic bomb, the H bomb, the sending into the heavens by the Russians the man-made moon.

We've heard rumors of wars and talks of peace—yet the silver dove remains perched in a tree with its head tucked under its wing, while the hounds strain at their chains. From January 1st to December 31st the peoples of the world have faced a fear of sudden and complete destruction. Headlines tell us, "The United States in Grave Peril". Others tell us of the power of a ruthless enemy—a nation of atheists, who know no God but the god of Greed; who have no more respect for human life than the swatting of a fly.

As 1958 dawns we will

have the same fear.

What the future holds for this nation—what 1958 hides from us is in the hands of God. War is not popular with any people, but is brought about by leaders of crave and live on the desire for world dominance. Perhaps we, of today, will never know the outcome, but we do see the approach of something so terrible that it begs description.

So, let us leave the dark picture and come nearer to home.

Two of the outstanding events in Hockley County during 1957 were (1) the appearance of the "Whatnik" and the "Masked Killer".

A strange aircraft, the Whatnik, with the power to stop automobiles—a long cigar-shaped object which glowed in the dark and sought for its landing place paved highways, and then rose silently and disappeared in the blue. Perhaps, no other event has brought so much publicity to the county and Levelland, than this one event. The story was carried in newspapers throughout the world. What it was and how it was propelled yet remains a mystery.

The second, the Halloween masked killer—a killer who seemingly leaped from the pages of fiction, murdered a man, and disappeared as completely as if swallowed up into the earth. With him went his gun and his mask. It is the unsolved crime of the year.

Another event, dished out by the elements, was the unseasonable freeze on October 25, and following rains and snows which so delayed the harvest and cut the crops short—ruining one of the brightest crop prospects we have had in years.

This reminds us very definitely that the chickens cannot be counted until they are hatched.

However, the past year has held many good things for all of us. Of course, it has had its moments of sorrow and grief. It has also had its moments of happiness, and during the years none of the flower of manhood has died on foreign fields. While in constant turmoil with the expectancy of war, war is yet in the future.

So, in just a day or so we will salute the New Year and hope it will be as happy as the past year.

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AN EARLY CHRISTMAS TREE

Due to the fact that a part of the family could not be present on Christmas, the Morris family gathered in the Troy Morris home in Ropesville on Saturday night of last week and distributed gifts and good wishes.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morris and children of Texico, N. Mex.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitfield and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shanklin and children, all of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and children of Ropesville.

25,445 BALES OF COTTON NOW IN

Taking reports from seven gins in the Ropes territory on Monday morning showed that a total of 24,685 bales had been ginned, and that there were some 750 bales of unginned cotton on the gin yards. This makes a total of 25,445 bales out of the fields.

So far, the gins have been running day and night, including Sunday, and up until this week they have been covered up. However, the Monday report showed that some gins had as little as 6 bales on the yard up to 350 bales.

Hand pulling has virtually stopped. Strippers have been placed in most of the fields. While these strippers do not deliver as clean cotton as hand pulled, they do make short work of the crop.

It is thought now that the peak of the ginning has been passed and that within a short time the entire crop will be in. It is believed that the crops for the Ropes territory will run something over 30,000 bales, which is not far from a normal crop, despite the unfavorable weather that has prevailed during the gathering season.

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ON SICK LIST

Royce Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Cavitt, is ill and receiving medical treatment. It is stated that he is suffering from a bronchial condition.

A. L. WILDMAN VISITS IN ROPES

A. L. Wildman, who has a blacksmith and machine shop in Plains, visited in the home of the Plainsman family Sunday.

Mr. Wildman was returning home from a three months vacation spent in Pennsylvania, Oklahoma City and other points, where he was visiting in the home of his children.

He stated that until he came upon the Plains he did not so much cotton ginning, but all points he passed through on the Plains the gins were running day and night and the yards full of trailers of cotton.

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WILL VISIT PARENTS DURING CHRISTMAS

Dick Brazell, operator of the local TV and Radio Repair Shop in Ropes, left Tuesday for Ft. Sumner, N. Mex., where he will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

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BRICE KENNISON SERIOUSLY INJURED

Brice Kennison, truck driver for the Ropes Paymaster Gin, is in a Lubbock hospital in serious condition after being struck by a cotton hoist.

He suffered severe lacerations about the face and possible head injuries.

Ring in the New Year



May the bells of the New Year ring in

a most happy season . . . may they ring with

all the happiness you so richly deserve

and may health and success come

to you in the New Year as a reward for

The Ropes Plainsman

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HOCKLEY
SHERIFF'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 6th day of November, 1957, in Cause No. 116, in the District Court of Hockley County, Texas, wherein Pettit Independent School District of Hockley County, Texas and State of Texas in behalf of itself and Hockley County, Texas, High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 and Hockley County Wide Equalization School District, were Plaintiffs, recovered judgment against D. C. Prince, E. A. Henry and Prince and Henry Gin, a partnership composed of D. C. Prince and

E. A. Henry, Defendants, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of December, 1957, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the

14th day of December, 1957, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendants the following described property, situated in Hockley County, Texas, to-wit:

3 acres of land more or less, part of tract no. 37, in League No. 77, of the Haskell County, School Lands, situated in Hockley County, Texas, more fully described as follows: BEGINNING at a point 381.5 ft. East and 200 feet north of the Southwest corner of said tract No. 37, for the beginning corner of this tract THENCE East 326.7 feet; THENCE North 400 feet; THENCE West 326.7 feet; THENCE South 400 feet to the place of beginning.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of February, 1958, the same being the 4th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendants in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Levelland, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or

to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever

is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendants to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendants to have said property divided and sold in less divisions

than the whole. DATED at Levelland, Texas, this the 18th day of December, 1957.

Weir Clem, Sheriff
Hockley County, Texas.
By Pat McCullah, Deputy.
(Seal)



GREETINGS

Our very best wishes to all our friends for a happy Holiday.

RIOJAS DEPT. STORE

**CESS POOLS
AND
STORM CELLARS**

DONE WITH MACHINERY
Will Contract Completed Job
Or We Will Dig the Hole
And You Finish It
**CALL 3641. ROPES
OR SEE**

KEN EVANS

"CESSPOOL CLEANING"

Don't take chances with fly-by-night workers who might overcharge you. We are reasonable, and here to stay. Brownfield Septic Tank Service, phone 2024. Charlie Skupin, owner.

Season's Greetings

IT IS WITH THE DEEPEST GRATITUDE THAT
WE WISH YOU AND YOURS A

Happy New Year

FIRST, WE WANT TO THANK YOU FOR THE NICE
BUSINESS GIVEN US DURING 1957, AND WE
SINCERELY HOPE YOU WILL CONTINUE TO
VISIT OUR STORE DURING 1958.

DURING THE NEW YEAR, 1958, IT IS OUR SINCER
HOPE THAT PROSPERITY WILL BE YOUR CON-
STANT COMPANION AND YOUR EVERY DESIRE
WILL BE FULFILLED.

Ray Johnson Grocery

And Market

WE GIVE DOUBLE THRIFT STAMPS

Your friends and neighbors at Public Service thank you for making this a most pleasant year for all of us. It is a privilege to serve you. Our wish for you is that the Christmas Spirit be alive in your home this day—and every day.



Reddy Kilowatt
YOUR ELECTRIC SERVANT

SEASONS GREETINGS

from your **SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY**



Good Neighbor Review of Brownfield Business and Professional People

GOODPASTURE GRAIN & MILLING CO. INC.

BROWNFIELD AND ROPESVILLE

This firm is one of the leaders in grain handling and storage in this district and has built its reputation upon service, satisfaction and good will of its many satisfied customers. Having been in this line of business for a number of years, the management knows the demands of his customers and furnishes quality service at reasonable prices.

People everywhere prefer trading with Goodpasture Grain and Milling Co., Inc. because they know they will be treated fairly. It has often been said that business goes where it is invited and where it is well treated. That accounts in a very large measure for the success and popularity of Goodpasture Grain and Milling Co., Inc. among the people of this district.

In this Review of the reliable concerns in our trade territory we wish to recommend Goodpasture Grain and Milling Co., Inc. to our readers. Their years of satisfactory service to the public, and fair prices are your assurance that it is the best place in Brownfield and Ropesville to trade.

Brownfield - Phone 4151
Ropesville 3851

REED'S BODY SHOP

16 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN BROWNFIELD

Employees at this firm are specialists in body and fender work as well as auto painting. The place to have that old car rebuilt is at Reed's Body Shop in Brownfield at 702 West Broadway, phone 4496.

Mr. Reed, the owner of this firm fully understands auto body and fender repair work. Whether it is a small

or a large job, you will receive the same courteous treatment at Reed's Body Shop.

This is one of the best known body and fender repair shops in this section because of its excellent workmanship and service. They use only high grade materials that will give long wearing service. It will be worth

while to let this firm take care of your body and fender needs.

Their body and fender work as well as auto painting surpasses anything done in this section. They have the "know how" that puts their work in a class by itself. Be sure to see Reed's Body Shop at 702 West Broadway in Brownfield for all work of this type.

TERRY COUNTY LUMBER COMPANY

FHA LOANS - FREE ESTIMATES

Conveniently located in Brownfield at 321 Lubbock Road. Phone 4168. Here they feature building materials of every description and of the highest quality at reasonable prices. They have a complete selection of wallpaper and Seidlitz paints.

This popular lumber concern carries a complete line of grade A building materials and through their fair meth-

ods of doing business and the high quality and fair prices constantly offered, they have won an enviable reputation throughout this section.

The people of this territory, including contractors, builders and farmers, have come to know that they can depend on the Terry County Lumber Co. for everything in building materials. It may

be truly said that this firm is a valued asset to the community.

One of the essential features of any house, store or other structure is that it will stand the wear of the years. The same is true of the reputation of any business firm and that is why Terry County Lumber Co. enjoys an ever increasing volume of business and popularity.

F. B. SKAGGS DRILLING COMPANY

DRILLING - TESTING - CLEANOUT

Mr. F. B. Skaggs on Seagraves Road in Brownfield is completely equipped to drill a water well promptly and efficiently. Phone 3683 in Brownfield for free estimates on any water well that you want drilled or repaired. Turnkey jobs, Byron Jackson Pumps Sales and Service.

Mr. F. B. Skaggs has had

years of experience in drilling and repairing wells. Many in this community have had an occasion to call on him many times in the past. He has always offered efficient and reliable service at a reasonable price. When you think of drilling a new well or repairing your old, think of Mr. Skaggs in Brownfield.

In this Merchants and Farmers Review we feel that we can highly recommend this reliable service offered by this water well driller in Brownfield and suggest that you call him and ask for his estimate before having any well repaired or drilled. Irrigation well drilling. Be sure and call 3683 for service.

BROWNFIELD STATE BANK & TRUST CO.

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

This prominent bank is located at 406 W. Broadway in Brownfield. Phone 2131.

The Brownfield State Bank & Trust Co. is an institution of financial strength and safety and may well be termed "The Friendly Bank", serving Brownfield territory since 1905.

It was founded by men of character and integrity who were very prominent in business and commercial activities, and have progressed as this district itself has grown and progressed.

Under the management of

efficient and capable men, they invite accounts of men and women, farmers, laborers, or all people who desire profitable connection with a modern banking institution.

At this bank you will find strength, seasoned judgment, dependability, accuracy in handling details and breadth of vision—all to be applied to the management for your personal commercial affairs.

In making this Review, we wish to make the statement that at the Brownfield State Bank & Trust Co. you at all times save with safety.

BARBARA SULLIVAN

IN WINNING FLOAT AT WAYLAND

Miss Barbara Sullivan, of Ropesville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sullivan, rode the third place winning float in the Wayland Baptist College Homecoming Queen and was a member of the Court at which Miss Louise Short, Rusk, Texas, was crowned queen by President A. Hope Owen. She was also a nominee for beauty queen last spring and during her freshman year she was elected a cheerleader for the Flying Queens and Pioneers basketball team. At present, she is serving as Baptist Student Union Secretary and very active in the religious activities of the college.

MRS. D. E. STRICKLAND

ILL IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. D. E. Strickland, who has been suffering during the past few weeks from the after effects of the flu, is now in a Lubbock hospital for treatment.

Mr. Strickland told the Plainsman Monday it is thought it will take at least three weeks before she will be recovered.

DWELLING BURNS

AT FARM CENTER

GIN THURSDAY

A large dwelling at the Farm Center Gin was completely destroyed by fire on Thursday morning of last week.

The residence was occupied by the J. H. Horn family, who lost all their household effects and clothing. Mr. Horn is employed as night ginner at the Farm Center Gin.

At the time of the fire a 60 to 80 mile an hour gale was blowing and the wooden structure, with flames fanned by the wind, burned as a house of paper.

Due to the fact that the telephone circuits were busy, there was a delay in getting in touch with the Ropes Fire Department.

GAS COMPANY

HONORS FIVE

Employees of Pioneer Natural Gas Company honored five of their co-workers with service awards at the company's annual Christmas party held at the Community Center in Littlefield.

Charles A. Duval, company manager at Littlefield, was presented a service emblem for 20 years of continuous service with the company.

Others receiving service pins were: Otto L. Sims, of Ropesville, 15-year emblem; Lucille G. Smith, Littlefield, 10-year pin; and Dorothy N. Gore of Brownfield and Reed M. Yandell of Sudan, 5-year service emblems.

Approximately 75 employees and their wives and husbands attended the Christmas party.

AUBREY MAYFIELD

RETURNED HOME

FROM HOSPITAL

Aubrey Mayfield, who was taken seriously ill this past week and rushed to a Lubbock hospital, has so far recovered that he has been returned to his home in Ropes.

It is said Aubrey was suffering from an acute attack of bronchitis and asthma.

JOHN SMITH

IS RETURNED

FROM HOSPITAL

John Smith, who was taken suddenly ill on Friday of last week and rushed to a Lubbock hospital, has returned home almost completely recovered.

MOTHER IS ILL

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story were in Brownfield Sunday where they visited with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Story. Mrs. Story is ill, suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

NOTICE

If you lost anything from your car at the basketball game last Friday night between Meadow and Ropes, please report it to Constable Jack Ogle. No matter how small the item, report it.

S & P MOTOR SUPPLY

AUTOMOBILE AND TRACTOR PARTS

The S & P Motor Supply is located at 110 North 6th in Brownfield, phone 2174.

Their stock is made up of the very best line of auto and tractor parts. It is one of the principles upon which the business has been built that auto parts sold by them must be the kind which the customer will be thoroughly pleased with. "If They Don't Have It - They Will Get It".

Keeping this in mind, they have filled their shelves to overflowing with auto and tractor parts and supplies for all model cars, tractors and trucks. They carry a stock

so complete that you can order with the assurance you will get the best to be had in the parts line. The system with which their stock is arranged enables them to give you the quickest and most efficient service in filling every need of their many patrons.

The S & P Motor Supply is in hands of men who not only know the parts business from A to Z, but also the needs of their patrons and endeavor to supply these needs. We are more than glad to recommend their services to all our readers.

MARTIN MOTOR COMPANY

OWNED AND OPERATED BY GEORGE MARTIN

The Martin Motor Company located at 708 Lubbock Road in Brownfield, phone 4438.

This modern automobile dealer is equipped to serve you and is among the most successful dealers in both new and used cars in this section of the state. They have been supplying the people of this section with used cars of outstanding value for many years. They have always taken great pride in the fact that their customers know they can always find here a car to suit their needs and at the same time get a car that will pass their close inspection and checkup. At

the Martin Motor Company you know the car will do all they say it will. So, don't take chances when you buy a car, regardless of the make, for the car can only be as good as the dependability of the man you buy it from. It stands to reason that you are not gambling when you buy your car here.

If you are planning on buying a car of any kind, then don't fail to see the fine selection which they have provided for you to choose from. At this particular time, this firm has some of the lowest prices on used cars in this section.

CRAIG MOTOR COMPANY

CHRYSLER - PLYMOUTH - DODGE

The Craig Motor Co. is located in Brownfield at 719 W. Broadway. Phone 2181.

Years ago America bought its motor car impulsively. They make selections without comparing values. But now the new Plymouth has changed that. Thousands upon thousands are turning to Plymouth today. They're finding in the smartly styled and impressive Plymouth roominess and comfort beyond their expectations.

When they slip into the driver's seat they discover driving is almost effortless. They marvel at the smoothness and the lack of vibration in the new Plymouth. There's a new brilliance of

performance with real economy, too.

The new Plymouth is then choice, not because it is moderately priced for such a fine car, but because it offers so much more of everything for every dollar invested. Because it is the car of cars for these times.

If you are contemplating the purchase of a new car, may we suggest that you see, ride and drive in the new Plymouth. Learn the true value of motor economy. After driving the new Plymouth you'll know why it is the one car desired by every motorist who wants style, performance, speed economy and all round motoring satisfaction.

HARRIS FLYING SERVICE

PIPER - SALES AND SERVICE

The special attention of our readers is called to the services provided by the Harris Flying Service located on Tahoka Road in Brownfield.

Aerial crop dusting is rapidly becoming more and more important to farmers everywhere. A sudden plague of harmful insects can be quickly and easily destroyed by an airplane. It makes no difference if the field is muddy, heavily wooded or crisscrossed by streams and ditches. In just a few minutes an airplane can effectively cover a large area that would take days to cover

with old methods. You are cordially invited to call the Harris Flying Service for information or free estimates, phone 4554.

This firm also renders a service for seeding and fertilizing.

In this review we highly recommend you investigate the many advantages of aerial crop dusting by writing or calling the Harris Flying Service in Brownfield. So don't lose a complete crop when for a small amount you can save it with this service. Also complete repair service. Rentals and instructions.

BARNET SHEET METAL

AIR CONDITIONING

Barnet Sheet Metal, located at 707 Lubbock Road, in Brownfield, phone 2602, features general sheet metal work, air conditioning and ventilating work.

Many of the jobs through this section were contracted and completed by this progressive concern. They are experts in all that pertains to sheet metal works and the quality of the materials used are of the latest and best known to the trade.

Their years of experience, coupled with the practical knowledge and know how, kind,

has won for them a reputation that has spread over this section. When you contract with this concern you will receive the best that can be had, and at the same time get the most reasonable prices consistent with high quality work.

This firm supplies all the materials and workmen to complete your job in a way that you will want to recommend them to all your friends. Their aim is to do a top quality job that will sell itself to their next customer.

Phone 2602 when you need sheet metal work of any kind.

FARMERS MARKET SUPPLY

TRUCKERS EXCHANGE - RUBEN LEACH, OWNER

Located in Brownfield, office at 406 West Broadway, Phone 3580. They buy and sell grain, seed and fertilizer. Ruben Leach has the best and cheapest fertilizer on the market, both wholesale and retail.

No review of the Business, Agricultural and Industrial interests of this section would be complete without prominent mention of this well known firm, which adds in no little measure to the progress and prosperity of this area. They have wide experience because of their comprehensive knowledge of every branch of the trade, this business has continued to witness an increase in the number of patrons. They deal on a large scale and

their activity is conducive to the progress and expansion of the community in no small degree.

It is important that we have conscientious firms like this foremost company which aids in the reduction of prices of living for the people. There are no more public spirited citizens in the community than the management of this concern and we direct your attention to this business institution of the community as one of the reliable establishments which has added to the development and progress of this area. In making this Review, we wish to compliment them upon the management in which the business is operated.

Turn the Page for More Ads
From Brownfield Merchants

BUDDY NORRIS DUSTING SERVICE

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

Buddy Norris Dusting Service is located on Tahoka Road in Brownfield, phone 3689.

To the farmers, Aerial crop dusting is very important, because in just a few minutes a large area can be covered by an airplane, even rough terrain, or rain soaked fields. Plagues of harmful insects can be quickly destroyed, thus saving the farmers many dollars or even a whole crop.

This firm has complete ap-

REGAL THEATRE

SAMMY JONES, MGR.

Motion pictures are the best and least expensive entertainment. You will enjoy the latest shows at the comfortable air conditioned Regal theatre. It is located at 206 South 5th in Brownfield, phone 2616.

There are two things that attract the average person into a theatre. First is the show - the show must be the kind in which you are interested and with a popular cast. Second is the comfort - you will enjoy the program more in well cushioned chairs spaced sufficiently to give ample leg room. These two features, a good show and

comfort you will enjoy are the reasons you will like to go to the Regal theatre in Brownfield.

Here you can be assured of fine entertainment with luxurious comfort and easy vision of the screen. At the Regal you will see the latest feature pictures along with the news of the day and selected short features to give you a well rounded program.

In this Review issue we urge our readers to enjoy inexpensive entertainment at the Regal Theatre. Take the entire family and enjoy a good show in the next few days.

MARTIN'S TV & RADIO SERVICE

Located at 405 West Main in Brownfield, phone 4540.

In this day and time, when a change as radical as that which has come to the radio and television industry, people find it necessary to seek the man to repair their sets that is keeping up with the modern changes and improvements on the new sets.

It requires skill and knowledge to keep your radio and television in the best of condition, and Martin's TV and Radio fills this need, as you can be assured they are

familiar with all the habits of your particular set.

The efficiency of their service lays in the practical experience and knowledge they have had in the past along with keeping up with any features that have come about.

So don't put it off any longer if your T.V. set or radio is not in the best of condition, bring it in or call 4540 and they will gladly have a service-man come to your home and do the job.

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BOWERS LIQUEFIED GAS COMPANY

The Bowers Liquefied Gas Co. in Brownfield has scores of satisfied customers. They are located on Plains Highway and they service this entire section. Their tank trucks are metered and radio equipped for fast delivery.

When your tanks need refilling, call this firm and they will promptly take care of your needs. Telephone 2-667 in Brownfield and they will gladly deliver the gas to your home.

There is no need for you to

ever run out of gas and suffer the inconvenience of no heat or cooking facilities when you patronize this concern. They will gladly add your name to their regular list and call at your home regularly and check your tank and keep it refilled when it is necessary to do so.

Stop worrying today about your gas and get on the regular customer list of Bowers Liquefied Gas Co. You will be pleased with their service.

MARTIN'S PACKING COMPANY

WHOLESALE - RETAIL - FRESH AND CURED MEATS

Located West of Colored School in Brownfield, phone 3980.

We would like to call the attention of our readers to the advantages of having a custom butchering firm in our vicinity. They do butchering, processing and curing for home freezers and lockers.

Martin's Packing Co. has all the latest equipment to butcher your meat so that you may get the most out of your hog or beef. They work on the principal that every

customer must have the best and most expert service they can give them.

Sanitary conditions are maintained at all times and they are inspected and approved by the health department.

Bring them your beef or hog and they will butcher it exactly the way you prefer it to be done.

In this business Review, we are more than glad to give them extended mention, and are glad to recommend their services to all our readers.

HITCH-N-POST

OWNED AND OPERATED BY BILL AND KITTY HOLDER

Here is the popular meeting place for folks in this section who really enjoy real Bar-B-Q. Stop here for a meal the next time you are in Brownfield. Located at the corner of East Broadway and Lubbock Road. Bill and Kitty invite you to drop in for some of the fine Hickory Smoked Pit Bar-B-Q, in which they specialize.

There is something about the Hitch-N-Post in Brownfield that sets it apart from other eating places and makes it highly satisfactory.

The extreme care and thought that goes into everything, the cooking service and arrangement creates a dining atmosphere that should be visited regularly.

The food is temptingly delicious, prepared in the most careful manner in a spotless, sanitary kitchen. You'll find a delicious meal here of hickory smoked pit bar-b-q-beef- ham - ribs, or chicken. Be sure to eat at the Hitch-N-Post when you are in Brownfield.

NEWTON & WEBB IMPLEMENT CO.

The Newton & Webb Implement Co. is located at 410 Lubbock Road in Brownfield, phone 4331. This firm features J. I. Case farm equipment, Johnson outboard motors, also Lone Star and Yellow Jacket boats.

They operate an establishment which is known far and wide, for they are the foremost dealers in farm machinery in this section.

They have built a wonderful trade from this and adjoining communities, and it is safe to assert that the name and business is probably better known among the farmers of this section of the state than that of any other similar establishment in the nearby towns and cities.

All farm machinery is of the latest pattern and includes all of the most recently improved inventions and improvements. The stock is composed of machinery known throughout the world as the best on the market. See the new Case-O-Matic Tractor for 1958.

This is the day, and age when it is the duty of every man to see that he gets a maximum from every acre of his land, and in order to do this it is necessary that he use modern and scientific methods. Call or see the men of the Newton & Webb Implement Co. for any information about these excellent machines.

JACK HAMILTON TIRE & SERVICE

When your tires need to be repaired, be sure to take them to a firm that knows the job a hand. Jack Hamilton in Brownfield has had years of experience and has the equipment and personnel to care for every tire need. Their complete shop for recaps and repairing is conveniently located at 401 West Main, phone 4444 for any information for on the farm service. Featuring U. S. Royal super grip master tractor tires. For liberal trade ins call 4444.

Here's where you get more value for your money. You needn't worry about your tires being damaged when you take them to Jack Hamilton in Brownfield. They employ workmen that can truly do a satisfactory job.

This firm features the world famous U. S. Royal Tires which are known to be safe, economical and smooth riding.

These tires are offered at a low down payment with weekly or monthly terms to fit your immediate budget. Now is the time to trade for a set of these U. S. Royal Super Grip Master tractor tires.

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BROWNFIELD MAGNETO & ELECTRIC

Located in Brownfield at 709 Lubbock Road, phone 4588. They are specialists in servicing magnetos, carburetors, fuel pumps, speedometers, generators and starters. They are the official station, lighting and ignition systems and carry a complete stock of parts for these systems. Throughout this section of the state this firm is known as one establishment where starting, lighting, and ignition service can be had at reasonable prices. Hundreds of motorists have marveled at the wonderful and efficient service offered.

When the motorists wishes this type of service he wants to consult one who knows this business. This firm employs only the best specialists in this field.

In this Review we wish to say that Brownfield Magneto and Electric and their commendable business methods is a firm that helps to make this a more progressive community. You will find that this is just the place to take your automobile when troubled with anything electrical.

McINTYRE ELECTRIC SERVICE

Realizing that the proper installation of the aerial and general maintenance of a set is of utmost importance for the finest results; it is essential to choose a firm with thorough knowledge of the service of qualified radio and television engineers.

It is very discouraging to have a set giving trouble or out of adjustments as many interesting programs are missed. At such times we endorse McIntyre Electric Service as fully competent for testing, installations and repairs.

The radio and television have become such an important industry that a reliable service company is an essential factor to every community, we are fortunate in having a firm very proficient in every phase of the work. With guaranteed service on all makes T.V., radios, and small appliances.

If you should require radio or television service the McIntyre Electric Service is equipped to handle all your needs. For repairs call 4320 or take your set to McIntyre Electric Service located at 413 Seagraves Road. You may have full assurance that the job to be done will be done right when returned.

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CRABTREE MACHINE SHOP

Regardless of what your machinery problems may be, you can consult the Crabtree Machine Shop located on Seagraves Road in Brownfield, Phone 3114. They specialize in electric and acetylene welding.

The personnel of this shop represents experience not equaled by another trade. They understand completely the operating of the machines. Many parts of obsolete machines, whether they are agricultural machines, road working machines or pumping machinery, can be replaced only in a properly equipped machine shop such as this one.

As for lathe work, let us enumerate some of the things they do. Special screws and nuts can be made almost while you wait, pulleys are brushed, bored and turned. Bearings are babbitted and bored out, shafts turned and threaded, fly wheels turned, ring gears shrunk, and innumerable other jobs are done that can be taken care of only with a lathe.

In making this Review, we desire to refer the Crabtree Machine Shop to our readers.

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WILGUS PHARMACY FRONTIER STAMPS

Where pharmacy is a profession. This store is located at 302 South 5th in Brownfield, phone 2575. They are well known in this territory for fine service and the best of drugs.

It has been said that a druggist to have a complete stock of popular drugs, including the patents, as well as standard drugs, would need 25,000 items. We'll not stop to count these valuable items, but for any drugs you may need, see the Wilgus Pharmacy.

The prescription from your Doctor will be scientifically filled to his exact order. There is no need to substitute drugs at this store. A registered pharmacist is on duty at all times to see that the proper drugs are compounded and who understands how to read any prescription.

"Quick Service" is their motto, so if you live in the rural district just ask for your order to be sent by the postman. It can be in your mail box the next day.

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SUNSET MOTORS

JOE O'BRIANT - OWNER

Sunset Motors is your authorized dealer for the popular DeSoto - Plymouth automobiles. They are located at 311 South 1st in Brownfield. Phone 2606.

The new Plymouth is the motorists dream come true. It gives you those advantages of driving comfort, safety, efficiency of operation and handles easily. Treat yourself to a ride in a new Plymouth. You will agree that it has beauty, roominess and plenty of pep. The new Plymouth is a product of many months of planning by some of the finest engineers in the automobile manufacturing business.

This firm is completely equipped to service any and all makes of automobiles. Enjoy your car by keeping it in first class condition. The mechanics at this firm are experienced and will give your automobile the best of care.

In this Review Issue we are happy to recommend the Sunset Motors to our many readers. You can be sure of a square deal by trading with this popular firm in Brownfield.

CARGILL TRACTOR COMPANY

MASSEY - HARRIS AND FERGUSON SALES - SERVICE

When in the market for farm implements be sure and go to Cargill Tractor Co., located at 619 West Hill in Brownfield. Phone 2027.

The Cargill Tractor Co. features the famous Massey-Harris and Ferguson farm machinery, which has stood the test of years of rugged usage and has proven satisfactory in every phase to the farmers in this area.

To be efficient, a piece of farm machinery must be built to stand the rough use necessarily involved in the working of farm lands. Cargill Tractor Co. also features a complete parts and repair department so that when

your equipment needs overhauling and renovating, all machinery must at various times, they can give you the best service in the shortest time at the least possible expense to you.

Be sure and contact the Cargill Tractor Co. first when in the market for any type of farm equipment, just phone 2027 for information or stop in at 619 West Hill the next time you are in Brownfield and let one of their representatives show you the advantages of using Massey-Harris and Ferguson equipment to put your farm on a really paying basis.

DECKER GARAGE

OFFICIAL INSPECTION STATION

The Decker Garage is located at 806 Lubbock Road in Brownfield, Dial 2351.

Having equipped their garage with the latest tools and machinery enables this establishment to accurately and economically service your motor car, truck, or tractor.

This is the time of year to have your car inspected thoroughly and to have all needed repairs attended to. Their repair service on all makes of cars will assure you of better work at reasonable prices.

Before you take your car

anywhere be sure to drive in here and get their estimates upon that repair of overhaul work. They also feature complete service for motor trucks and tractors.

The mechanics here know their business and with their modern equipment can put your car or truck in first class condition at low cost. If you want the work done correctly and at fair prices, take your repair problems to Decker Garage and don't forget it is your official inspection station.

KYLE GROCERY

HOME OF K & S BLUE STAMPS

Serving this section with the finest in meats and groceries, located at 121 North 1st in Brownfield. "Buy it at Kyle Grocery" is a fitting slogan for all people who wish to keep their food bill at the lowest possible figure. In this day and age the modern grocery store is more than just a grocery. It is a 20th century service station where articles of every description can be had for the household. Here you will find famous Brand foods at reasonable prices. Due to

their large volume of business and intelligent buying they are able to provide you with the best in groceries, vegetables and meats at lower prices.

The Kyle Grocery is able and efficient in management. They see that their stock is complete at all times with a variety you to drop in the next time you are in Brownfield and see for yourself.

food supplies that every housewife asks for and needs. If it can be had at all, you will find it here. They in-

KERSH IMPLEMENT COMPANY

This well known firm located on Seagraves Road in Brownfield is the dealer for the John Deere farm implements.

Be sure you see this firm first when you buy farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job.

They have one of the finest repair shops in this section for fixing any part of your tractor. They have men in their employ who are

experts on machinery repair work. These men have had years of experience in this line. Whenever you have a breakdown with your farm machinery, or are in need of parts, see this firm.

We, in the Merchants and Farmers Review wish to point out the fine reputation Kersh Implement Co. has built. Trade with a firm you can depend upon. They are located on Seagraves Road in Brownfield.

WESTERN PUMP & SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.

ROSS DRILLING CO.

Located at 1007, Lubbock Road in Brownfield. For any information in irrigation phone 2156.

Western Pump & Supply Co. features the California Western Deep Well Turbine Pumps that give you more water where you want it and when you want it.

Exclusive Western's Vibration Dampened Tubeline pumps pump maintenance, extends life of pump, reduces shaft wear, increases pumping efficiency and reduces mechanical power losses. Western Pumps has the Exclusive Redwood Bearing. Also, the A & M Sprinkler Systems, with years ahead engineering for easier, faster, foolproof coupling and uncoupling, turnkey jobs.

This company has had years of experience in drilling and repairing wells, with efficient service and reasonable prices.

In this Business and Professional Review, we recommend the reliable service offered by the Western Pump & Supply Co., Inc. and the Ross Drilling Co. to our friends and readers.

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OGLES VISIT IN LEVELLAND

Constable and Mrs. Jack Ogle were in Levelland on Saturday of last week where Mrs. Ogle was having a session with the dentist.

DAN JONES' LEAVE FOR HOUSTON

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones left this week for Houston

where they will spend the Christmas holidays in the home of their son, Dan, Jr., and family.

WATER DISTRICT TO ELECT OFFICERS

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District will hold its annual election of directors and county committeemen on January 14, 1958.

The two year terms of two directors expire this coming

January; also the three year terms of two county committeemen from each county in the district.

The nominees whose names will appear on the ballot to replace those whose terms expire as follows:

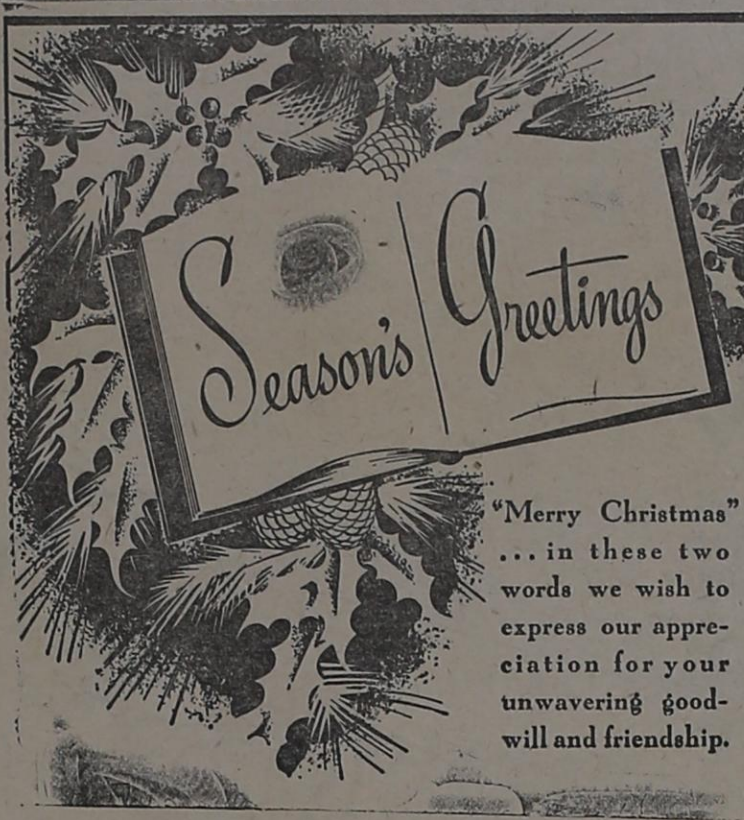
Hockley County — C. T. Pace, Levelland; Henry J. Smedley, Levelland.

The first named is for director and the second for county committeemen.

L. A. TOWNSEN IN HOSPITAL AT LAMPASAS

L. A. Townsen, local Santa Fe agent, who has been away on vacation, is ill in a hospital at Lampasas.

It was reported to the relief agent here that it will be several days before he would be able to return home.



"Merry Christmas" ... in these two words we wish to express our appreciation for your unwavering goodwill and friendship.

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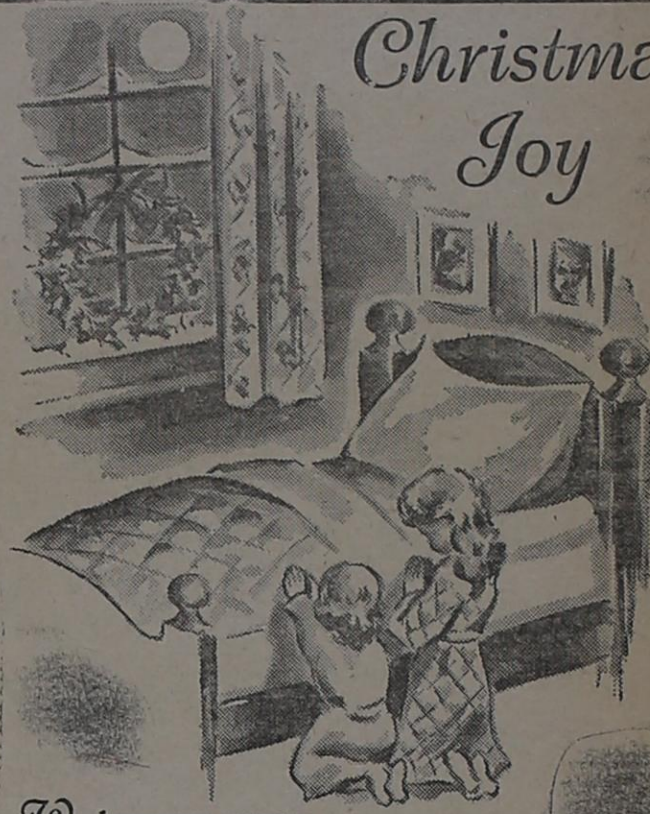
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To our many friends both old and new, we wish the joys of the season in fullest measure. May your holidays sparkle with the merriment of good times and good cheer, and glow with the radiance of warm friendships, family and home.

**We Wish You A Happy and Prosperous
New Year**

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