

**FEDERAL RESERVE BANK  
OF DALLAS**

Dallas, Texas, July 13, 1932

**RECEIPTS ISSUED BY WAREHOUSES LICENSED UNDER THE  
LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**To the Member Bank Addressed:**

The Department of Agriculture of the State of Texas has prescribed forms of receipts to be issued by warehouses licensed under the Texas laws. As a matter of interest, and in order to facilitate transactions involving notes offered to us which are secured by warehouse receipts, we are enclosing copies of the prescribed forms, as well as a copy of a circular which that Department has forwarded to all warehouses operating under its supervision.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. A. McKinney". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "B" and a long, trailing flourish at the end.

Governor.

NEGOTIABLE WAREHOUSE RECEIPT  
JOHN DOE STORAGE CO.  
STATE BONDED WAREHOUSE  
1565 Water Street

Galveston, Texas, \_\_\_\_\_ 193\_\_

This is to certify that we, John Doe Storage Co. have received in our Warehouse No. \_\_\_\_\_ located at \_\_\_\_\_ for account of \_\_\_\_\_, in apparent good order, except as noted hereon, (contents and quality unknown) the following described property, subject to all the terms and conditions contained herein and on the reverse hereof, such property to be delivered to \_\_\_\_\_ or order, upon payment of all storage, handling and other charges and the surrender of this warehouse receipt, properly endorsed.

NUMBER	PACKAGES	SAID TO BE OR CONTAIN	VALUE	MARKS

Storage \_\_\_\_\_ Per \_\_\_\_\_ Per month, From \_\_\_\_\_ 193\_\_  
Handling \_\_\_\_\_ Per \_\_\_\_\_ In and out inclusive  
Lot No. \_\_\_\_\_ Freight Bill No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Car Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Car No. \_\_\_\_\_

Advances have been made and liability incurred on such goods as follow, to wit:

Coopering \_\_\_\_\_ Cartage \_\_\_\_\_ Freight \_\_\_\_\_  
Insurance \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous Advances \_\_\_\_\_

Shipped From \_\_\_\_\_

John Doe Storage Co. claims a lien for all lawful charges and preservation of the goods, also for all lawful claims for money advances, interest, insurance, transportation, labor, coopering and other charges and expenses in relation to such goods.

JOHN DOE STORAGE COMPANY

BY \_\_\_\_\_  
MANAGER.

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The goods mentioned below are hereby released from this receipt for delivery from warehouse. Any unreleased balance of the goods are subject to a lien for unpaid charges and advances on the released portion.

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DATE	QUANTITY RELEASED	SIGNATURE	QUANTITY DUE ON RECEIPT
ENDORSEMENTS:			

Any other contract terms and conditions that do not conflict with the general provisions of the warehouse laws may be printed hereon.

WAREHOUSE DIVISION  
L. L. SHACKELFORD, CHIEF  
DIVISION OF HORTICULTURAL  
INSPECTION AND QUARANTINES  
J. M. DEL CURTO, CHIEF  
MARKET DIVISION  
W. A. CANON, CHIEF  
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M. S. FRAZE, CHIEF



PECAN DIVISION  
J. H. BURKETT, CHIEF  
FIELD SEED CERTIFICATION DIV.  
R. V. MILLER, CHIEF  
SEED LABORATORY DIVISION  
J. B. McCLUNG, CHIEF  
WYNONA ROBBINS, CHIEF ANALYST  
GIN DIVISION  
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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

STATE OF TEXAS

AUSTIN

J. E. McDONALD, COMMISSIONER  
BEN F. CHAPMAN, CHIEF CLERK

May 27, 1932.

TO THE WAREHOUSEMEN OF TEXAS:

We are enclosing herein, a copy of receipt form which you are requested to give due consideration, in issuing future receipts for all commodities stored with you.

This receipt is in conformity with the regulations and requirements of the present warehouse law and will perhaps meet the requirements of any future changes that may be made by Legislative enactment.

In the past there has been such a multifarious conglomeration of receipts that it has become necessary and expedient to adopt one of uniformity that will be acceptable as collateral by the Federal Reserve Bank and other financial institutions.

For your information, you as a warehouseman, are not permitted to make a special charge for weighing and a charge for this service should not appear on your receipt.

A carbon copy should be made of all receipts issued, in order that a true copy will be available at all times, for inspection purposes, as well as a complete record of all storage transactions.

You are authorized to issue both a Negotiable and Non-Negotiable receipt but in all instances where a Non-Negotiable receipt is issued it should be plainly written, printed or stamped on the face of it "Non-Negotiable".

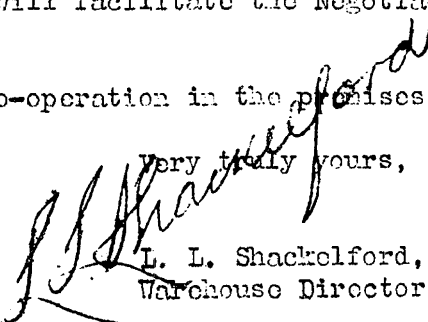
In no instance should a warehouseman issue a receipt signed by a Public Weigher and the words "Public Weigher" should not appear on the receipt.

Posting of a Tarriff sheet in office or elsewhere does not relieve the Warehouseman of the requirement of inserting charges in face of receipt.

We respectfully suggest that you adhere to these instructions, as it will greatly relieve the mass of confusion that has been caused by the many varied forms used in the past; this will facilitate the Negotiability of the receipts to be issued in the future.

Thanking you for your usual co-operation in the premises, I am

Very truly yours,

  
L. L. Shackelford,  
Warehouse Director.

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ORIGINAL

NEGOTIABLE WAREHOUSE RECEIPT

NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

FOR  
ONE BALE OF COTTON  
ISSUED BY  
JOHN DOE COTTON WAREHOUSE

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Austin, Texas, \_\_\_\_\_ 193\_\_

Received of \_\_\_\_\_, one bale of cotton described as follows, to wit:

DESCRIPTION AND ALL MARKS	WEIGHT	CONDITION

Said cotton is not exposed to weather and is under shelter. The rate of storage is \_\_\_\_\_¢ for the first 30 days and \_\_\_\_\_¢ per month for each subsequent mo. or part thereof. The undersigned guarantees, under his bond, the weight and condition of said one bale of cotton, within approximate limits, at the time of the issuance of this receipt. The above described cotton ( is not insured by this warehouse. A lien is reserved for advances and liabilities, as follows:

Advances \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance \$ \_\_\_\_\_

The owner guarantees that there is no lien on the above described cotton except as indicated below

Advances, if any \$ \_\_\_\_\_

made by \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: Not responsible for acts of Providence.

On the presentation and return of this receipt to the above named Warehouse, and the payment of ALL advances, charges and insurance (if carried by Warehouse), said cotton will be delivered immediately to

or to \_\_\_\_\_ order properly endorsed on the back hereof \_\_\_\_\_

JOHN DOE COTTON WAREHOUSE

By \_\_\_\_\_ Manager.