# The Scurry County Times

# **'YOUR HOME COUNTY PAPER'**

### FORTY-EIGHTH YEAR.

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Congressman George Mahon, with his wife and daughter, left Colorado several days ago for Seattle, Washington, where they joined Vice

Longer lines and more advanced President Garner's party which sailed Wednesday of this week for Japan, China, the Philippines and The national representative is making the trip as a member of the house committee on insular afunusually large hub caps strike an fairs. The group's destination proper is Manila, where they will be special guests at the inauguration Mr. and Mrs. Earl Louder, W. K. of the Philippines' first president, Roberts and Martin Norred return-Manuel Luis Quezon. ed yesterday from Dallas, where they witnessed a Tuesday pre-show-

Action on Highway **Right-of-Way Was** Not Taken by Court

Woman Dies Sunday

At Colorado Home

Funeral rites were held at San

Antonio Tuesday afternoon for Mrs.

Sam Berman, 64, resident of Colo-

died Sunday night, following a long

illness at the home of a son. Philip

Berman

day

rado for 10 years. Mrs. Berman

family, were in Anson Monday aft- vision Friday night to lose by the H. L. Wren and W. A. Boyd were ernoon to attend funeral rites for overwhelming score of 75-0.- Lub-

ther guests of the day. It was decided by unanimous vote that the club postpone its regular J. and L. G. Ely, local ginners. The Class A foes, and Texas Tech field Brownfield. retired farmer, resident of Jones was the battleground. meeting on Tuesday, October 29, in

Just south of the barber shop is a cafe that is now in the hands of A. B. Ely, 79-year-old father of W. bock Westerners were the hefty Mrs. Fred Beisel, formerly of

Mr. Beisel, who moved here reorder to hear District Governor County for 52 years, was interred Friday night of this week the cently with his wife and daughter, Tigers travel to Post, where they is opening a welding and blackbut still conservative streamlining Services were conducted at the will meet the Antelopes, a squad of smith shop on the north end of the are the chief changes in appearance First Methodist Church, with Rev. apparently the same strength as block, just south of the livestock of the Ford V-8 for 1936, which will Hawaii. be on display Saturday at Louder

# New Ford V-8 Will **Be Shown Saturday**

ing of the new V-8. The entire

At Snyder Dealer's

ing place in the affairs of his coun- day session this week, the county regular hour on Thursday, Octy, having been commissioner for Commissioners Court recorded the tober 31. 10 years and a member of his dis- following action in regard to right- O. P. Thrane and J. C. Smyth Ben Hardy, pastor, officiating. He the locals. It is a non-conference pens. trict school board for a number of of-way east of Snyder: years

Funeral rites were held at the Highway No. 83 or 15 from a point the death of A. B. Ely, father of pastor; Rev. H. C. Gordon, present The second stringers tackled the the month, it is reported. Odom Funeral Home Sunday aft- on Highway No. 7 one mile south- Lion W. J. Ely, and Mrs. Sam Berernoon, 4:00 o'clock, with Rev. R. east of the city limits of Snyder, man, mother of Lioness Marcel ter, pastor of the Anson Baptist on Tiger Field Wednesday after-E. Bratton, assisted by Rev. Orlan east to the Fisher County line, as Josephson. Cary, officiating. Burial was in suggested by the State Highway the Ira cemetery Monday morning Department, came before the court at 11:00 o'clock, with Rev. Bratton for consideration.

in charge. The final service was "After deliberate discussion, acdelayed to await arrival of a sister tion on this subject was deferred Pallbearers were Dewey Engle of pending plans and field notes o from Arizona.

ig Spring, Will McQuery of Post, of-way by the highway depart. Ed Murphy, Alex Murphy, Jesse ment.' "Jones and Nolan von Roeder. Hon-The court examined and approv

orary pallbearers were N. M. Har- ed monthly and quarterly reports pole, Joe Caton, Jim Henderson, of the county treasurer, Mrs. O. S. Tom Casey, Joe Stinson, Lee T. Williamson. Stinson, J. G. Lockhart, Fred Sor-It was voted unanimously that

rells, Joe Wicker, R. L. Gray, Jim \$200 be transferred from the jury by visits made to the local relief York, J. C. Dorward, A. P. Biggs, fund to the road and bridge spe-W. B. Lemons, W. M. Scott, O. P. cial maintenance fund, and that a the past few days. Thrane, Clemens von Roeder and like amount be transferred from Dave Dorward of Gail. the permanent improvement fund

Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, Mrs. J. to the same fund. J. Dyer, Mrs. Pearl Minkin and Miss Doris Warren were in charge of Mother of Snyder flowers.

der, and had been brought here

Coming to Borden County from

for medical treatment last month.

Coke County 33 years ago, Mr.

Weathers had resided continuously

on the same place. He took a lead-

Survivors are the widow; four children, Alfred, Walter and Ben Weathers of Knapp, Mrs. Harley Smith of Snyder; mother, Mrs. G. A. Rambin of Robert Lee: two brothers, W. D. Weathers of Casper, Wyoming, who was unable to attend final rites, and Curtis Rambin of Robert Lee; four sisters, Mrs. Frank Burns of Edith, Mrs. Lena Payne of Holbrook, Arizona, Mrs. Joe Turner of Knapp, Miss Minnie Weathers of Robert Lee.

# **Commercial** Classes Get State Approval

Full approval of the State Department of Education has been given the local commercial courses Philip and H. I. Berman-were sons that are being given free to adult of the deceased. These sons, with classes through the Smith-Hughes their families and Mrs. M. L. plan. Albert T. Kreuger, state su- Kirschbaum of Colorado, and the pervisor of industrial education, was here Monday to make the inspec- overland to San Antonio early Montion and approval.

More than 50 adults are now en- Born in Russia, Mrs. Berman rolled for the work, which is being came to the United States about handled by J. C. Dennis of Sweet- 35 years ago, settling with her famiwater with the assistance of regu- ly in Seguin, Texas. She lived there lar school employees. C. Wedge- until 10 years ago, when she came worth, superintendent, announces to Colorado to be with her three / that a few more may be enrolled in | sons the classes.

Attend Directors Meeting. Hugh Boren, Pat Johnston and Fred A. Grayum were in Lubbock Friday for a meeting of secretary-

treasurers and directors of the full swing, most schools of Scurry Farm Loan Association. They were County are making plans to close accompanied there by Mrs. Gray- for two to six weeks. um and grandson, Grayum Mc- Ira and Pyron have already clos-Knight, who visited with relatives ed, and several other schools will and friends. Mrs. Violet McKnight, probably halt classes after Friday changes that reflect even greater the Grayum's daughter, who teach- of this week. Two or three of the

close. the week-end with the group.

Ralph Randel of Panhandle at the

were made members of a resolu- was assisted by Presiding Elder Sam affair, arranged a few days ago Snyder pastor, and Rev. R. D. Car- Dunn footballers in a scrimmage Church.

Mr. Ely had been ill for a num- another match Saturday afternoon. ber of weeks. The local men and their families had been frequent like it sounds. Led by Halfback WPA and Relief visitors at his bedside. Death oc- Joe McClinton, former Snyderite curred Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock. and brother of Bedford McClinton Officials Visit in Surviving Mr. Ely are 10 children, of state-wide sprinting fame, the four brothers and three sisters. Sons are J. W. and E. L. Ely of Anson, G. W. Ely of Sweetwater, W. J. and home tribe. Brilliant off-tackle Snyder Recently

G. Ely of Snyder. Daughters runs, backed by equally brilliant are Mrs. Harry Marvin, Mrs. Roy blocking, were the chief scoring That district officials of the va-Bussey and Mrs. G. W. Cook of rious government-help agencies are Anson, Mrs. Cecil Harris of Hawon the job has been well proven ley and Mrs. A. F. Edison of Sylvester.

and re-employment office within The brothers are Conyer Ely of Noodle, Walter Ely of Syra, Okla-Miss Caroline Chambers, superhoma, Rev. Robert Lee Ely of Elecvisor of women's work in state distra. Sisters are Mrs. Laura Mctrict No. 13, was here last week for Farland of Ector, Mrs. Nevada the purpose of getting the final Henry of Montague, Mrs. Artie papers properly signed for the sew-Skinner of Dallas.

in Rose Hill cemetery, Merkel.

ing room which is to be one of the Local funeral attendants were projects under the WPA program. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Arnold and She expressed appreciation for the daughter, Vera Gay; Mr. and Mrs. progress that has been made pre- Joe Stinson; Rev. and Mrs. H. C. paratory to getting WPA projects Gordon, Dr. H. G. Towle, R. H. started in Scurry County. Miss Odom, Frank Farmer, J. E. Shipp, Chambers was accompanied by Mrs. D. P. Yoder, I. H. Walton, Mr. and many bank customers who had ov-Brooks, an assistant. Mrs. W. M. Scott

Mrs. Bernice Landers, district supervisor of intake and certifi- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patterson of fect. Snyder National Bank was cation, was a visitor in the local re- Westbrook visited in Snyder with closed all day. It was not a nalief and NRS offices last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson dur- tional legal holiday; the post office ery "buggy. She spent several hours checking ing the week-end.

She was the mother of Mrs. Marcertification reports, and said the cel Josephson of Snyder. Mr. and local office is progressing nicely in Mrs. Josephson and daughter, Sangetting out certifications. Mr. Dar. dra Jean, were at the bedside when nell, district supervisor of edu-adeath came, and continued to San tion, was also a viistor last week. Antonio for final rittes. Mrs. Ber-Miss Nellie Mae Henderson, disman was a frequent visitor with the trict supervisor of FERA-Federal .

Josephsons before her last illness. Emergency Relief Administration-Three Colorado merchants-Max, was here Monday morning. The NRS office-National Reemployment Service-headed by J. T. Jenkins, was visited the same day by E. A. Elliott of Abilene, dis-Josephsons, accompanied the body trict NRS manager.

# New Pontiac Model Shown by Stimsons

A new Pontiac for 1936 is on public view at the Stimson Brothers show rooms in North Snyder.

"They sell at prices which out them within the range of the lowest **Most Schools Have** priced cars on the market," say Ol-Made Closing Plans lie and Woodson Stimson of the new Pontiac

"The 'silver streak' radiator and With cotton picking getting under hood grille that formed the central design motif of 1935 and earned for Pontiac the descriptive characterization of the 'most beautiful thing on wheels.' continues as the basic theme with certain pleasing refinement of taste and more aron in Spur, returned to Snyder for schools that started late will not tistic beauty than was expressed in the original."

Skinny, Tom, Mama and Daddy A menagerie of jungle beasts, including the big elephant pictured above, will be included. And there are all waiting for Harley Sadler and his new circus, which comes to Snyder Friday, October 25, for will be Jack Hoxie, western movie star, with his Hollywood company. on and night performances.

Opening other business houses on Motor Company, local Ford dealer. "The matter of relocation of tions committee in connection with Young of Stamford, former Snyder on a date that has been wide open. the block is planned for later in Impressive new steel wheels with entirely new note.

### **Re-Organization of** noon. They travel to Coahoma for Local Nazarenes Is The story at Lubbock was just Announced Sunday

group was enthusiastic over the Rev. V. B. Atteberry, superintensmart economy of the new models. dent of the Church of the Nazarene The front end of the car has been the Abilene district, assisted in re-designed to give a longer hood he revival that has been going on line. Deeply flared front fenders, at the city tabernacle, and reorganeach with high inner apron carryized the church here Sunday morning smoothly into the new radiator

The congregation has secured the horn for the first time is placed old tabernacle one block west of within the fender apron, behind a the school building, where a full small chromium grille under the church program will be carried out headlamp. This is made possible each week. The Sunday school will by the higher apron, and takes the be reorganized Sunday afternoon at horn, always wind-catcher, out of 3:30 o'clock. Rev. J. Ollie Hux, pastor, will preach at the close of this ervice and at 7:45 p. m. Sunday numerous. norning he will preach at the Ennis Creek school house.

"There will be a place at all servway down on either side of the ces for those who are interested in fender. A handsome new V-8 inthe upbuilding of the kingdom of God," declares the pastor.

### **Apostolic Meeting Jack Howard Rides** Being Conducted by **Buggy for Laundry**

Jack Howard is the new driver for Snyder Steam Laundry's deliv-

The laundry's self-service department, adjoining the main laundry pel of Christ, is preaching for servby addition of another set of tubs. Apostolic Faith Church, corner of Life." The general theme was "The H. A. Lattimore continues as the Avenue O and 22nd Street (three Vision Splendid." blocks north of the Church of laundry manager.

the congregation. Changes at Edd Dodds. "It is our desire to have everyone The Edd Dodds store, under the new management of Lee Armstrong, to cooperate with us for the salis making extensive changes. The vation of the souls of men," says basket rack has been moved near a statement prepared for The the front of the store, to the east, Times. "This meeting is strictly An aisle has been arranged just in- undenominational and for the purside the door. Practically all goods, pose of receiving the whole church except those on the wall shelves, of God and drawing the various dehave been moved to form conveni- nominations closer together." ent and attractive floor pyramids.

ing Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gore, Al-**ROAD SURFACE** bert Buchanan, T. J. Fickling, L. B. Peterson, Lindsey Jones, J. S.

WORK IN TOWN New Paint for Gulf. A paint sprayer operated by a

Lovelady, John Davis of Polar.

regular Gulf man has been busy Surfacing of Highway No. 7 from this week on property of the local Hermleigh to Snyder is now ap- Gulf Refining Company agency proaching the Snyder business dis- Silver paint quickly changed the trict. Gravel had been leveled out complexion of the tanks adjoining right up to the R. S. & P. tracks, the R. S. & P. tracks in East Snyand asphalt pouring has been com- der. White paint completely re- the east to the south side of the pleted to the eastern edge of town. decorates the Olds station on the The entire route will be complete northeast corner of the square. The liantly lighted show window disand ready for traffic before the Gulf shade of orange, in nationweek is out, barring bad weather or wide use, will continue in use for other hindrances. signs, pumps and decoration.

# Snyder M. E. Young People to Be Hosts In February Meet

Snyder Methodist young people will be hosts to the district group at the local Methodist church in grille are at once noticeable. The February, it was decided at a district meeting in Midland the past week-end. Plans are already being made to entertain the leaguers here at the next meeting.

Representing Snyder at the two the windstream. Hood louvres are day meeting in Midland were Richof different profile and are more and Davis, president of the local Methodist young people's depart-

ment, Clarence Walton, district The radiator grille is of new detreasurer and a member here, and sign, sweeping inwards about half-Delmus Perry, local treasurer.

The meeting at Midland, which signia decorates the nose of the car. was recently added to the Sweetwater district, was the first district session had in that city. The program was well-planned and well carried out, according to the three

Snyder boys who attended. Speaker From Spur Between 75 and 100 out-of-town leaguers registered, including six from Dunn. Miss Edith Murphy of G. Frank Smith of Spur, evan-

gelist and promoter of the full gos- Dunn was in charge of the morning watch program Sunday. She spoke ices that are now going on at the no "Christ, Our Source of Abundant

Christ), according to members of Dr. English Returns **From Chiro Meeting** 

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. English of Snyder returned late Sunday from Dallas, where they attended the twentieth annual convention of the Texas Chiropractic Association. Dr. English, a charter member of the state organization, declared Monday The meeting is being sponsored that he believed the meeting, with by a number of local people, includ- an attendance of 400 chiropractors,

to be the best he has ever attended. Dr. Joe R. Busby of Abilene was reelected as president. Other officers are Dr. M. B. McCoy of Paris, vice president, and Dr. A. E. Coston of Dallas, secretary-treasurer. San Antonio was selected for convention

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city in 1936.

## J. J. Dyer Improves.

J. J. Dyer, jeweler and watchmaker, has been making continuous improvements since he moved from square several weeks ago. A brilplaying new jewelry, and a hanging gold sign on glass are among his most recent additions.



plays. Local backs failed to threat-

Fans were reminded of the Tiger

team of 1932, which lost to Lubbock,

71 to 0, and then came home to take

The boys came out of the game

with only minor casualties, and Hill

expects all, except Quarterback

Johnny Boren, of his first string

men to be ready for action this

week for the first time since early-

en the Lubbock line.

the district title.

season games.

It Was Columbus Day. Saturday was Columbus Day, and erlooked the notice in The Times ealized that the holiday was in efwas therefore not closed.

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with a campfire gleaming in the Mrs. H. L. Wren Has Culture Club. Members of the Woman's Culture en-faced sandwiches, nut bread sandwiches and stuffed dates. Miniature covered wagons filled with

Alpha Study Club members in noon's program on "Texans." the house party were: Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm, and Mmes. Blackard, Wayne Boren, Maurice noted Texan. Two famous Texas Brownfield, Joe Graham, J. G. women, Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner and

ard, Mrs. Joe Graham and Miss Herman Doak, Fla Joyce, J. D. Hattie Herm, vocal quartet. Scott, E. E. Spears, J. P. Strayhorn

The lace-covered dining table was and Forest Wade, club members. centered with a pioneer scene portraying a camp at evening time center. Silver coffee and tea services were at each end of the table. Tea plates contained decorated op-

Club met at the home of Mrs. H. L. Marie Oliver. Wren Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. T. Egerton was leader for the aftercorn candy were plate favors.

Each member in answer to roll study during the year. call gave a short biography of a

Mattie Ross Cunningham, in a spe-

cial meeting at 3:30 o'clock last

Officers elected at the meeting

were: President, Virginia Yoder;

vice president, Florentz Winston;

secretary, Geneva Glasscock; trea-

surer, Dossie Mae Caton; reporter,

After electing officers, the mem-

bers discussed with the sponsor the

various subjects which they wish to

Thursday, for the purpose of elect-

ing officers.



suggestions.



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hall leading to the music room was

affair

Wedgeworth was next in line, and other members of the faculty followed in the line.

G. H. Leath and H. A. Lattimore. Misses Leah Smith, Zoulena Bar-

tie and Gertrude Herm, Veima

Keep a Good Laxative

Among the necessities of home is s good, reliable laxative. Don't be without one! Do your best to pre-rent constipation. Don't neglect it when rou feel any of its disagreeable symptoms soming on . . "We have used Thedford's Black-Draught for 21 years and have found



Received! Dozens of Beautiful Fall

A box of clothing for an orphan

The class has clothed the orphan, mother Friday at their home in

is sent semi-annually, and a Christwear, pajamas, toothbrush, five Colorado.



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and Blankets

PHONE 211

**Snyder Steam** 

Laundry

H. A. LATTIMORE, Manager

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And What About 50? At 20 we don't care what the world thinks of us; at 30 we worry about what it thinks of us; at 40 we discover it doesn't think of us .- Newark Ledger.

> • † † † The County Barometer?

"The best barometer of the condition of a community is its percentage of delinquent taxes," another editor has written. If that is really an accurate barometer, it's time to be sorry for poor old Scurry County.

Weekly Rooseveltism.

President Roosevelt: "Methods and machinery change, but principles go on, and I have faith that no matter what attempts may be made to tear it down, the principle of farm equality expressed by agricultural adjustment will not die."

A Thoughtful Thought. Henry Ward Beecher: "Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up until your friends are dead. Fill their lives with sweetness. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them and while their hearts can be thrilled.'

> + + + Diplomatic Editor.

promised to publish her name in the first issue of the paper next month. In two weeks the circulation light service. doubled. Then the editor named his own wife."-Bertha McMillan in Macksville (Neb.) Enterprise.

Littlefield Needs Houses.

This town needs some houses-big houses, little houses, fat houses or lean houses. People want some place to live. Come to think of it, it would be a good thing for Lamb County if we'd even get a lot of chicken houses, and then some more chickens to put in them .- County Wide News (Littlefield).

Man's Use of Electricity.

Subjected to perplexity, mankind sees some unknown force direct the current of human life to ns, yet a lesser animal might won-

The Saturday night bath has become essentially an American institution. In most other civilized countries, folks bathe daily or when their wives or neighbors demand it.

This all-important American earmark-the Saturday night bath-originated back in the fairly good days when running hot water and most other modern conveniences were unknown. Town folks, of course, have largely drifted away from the custom, and most of them now perform the necessary rite at least twice a week.

Not that the farm folks have less pride or less desire to be clean. They just don't have the facilities for bathing whenever the urge strikes them. Few bathtubs. Few running water supplies. Few home electric plants. Therefore, few in-between baths. Principally to root out the once-a-week bathing habit and other customs that make life in the country usually more tiresome and boresome than life in town, Uncle Sam has taken it on his shoulders to help farmers get the benefit of cheap power, light and bathtub service. The Rural Electrification Administration-just REA to most of us-Uncle Sam calls his new agency.

So far, REA has not penetrated to Scurry County. It may never get a very firm foothold here, primarily because most of us have cotton, debts, and new wearables and eatables on our minds just now. But the REA has furnished some figures that are well worth An editor recently stated that he had been kissed reading, and is undoubtedly setting thousands of by the most beautiful married woman in town and farmers to thinking about how much economy and comfort can be added to their homes by power and

> National surveys disclose, says REA, that of the 32,700,000 persons in this country living on farms: Seventy-three per cent must carry water from

> wells or other sources of supply: Seventy-seven per cent must put up with unsanitary, inconvenient outdoor toilets; Ninety-three per cent have neither bathtub nor

shower;

Seventy-six per cent must depend upon kerosene or gasoline lamps; apparently about 10 per cent use candles or are entirely without light; Thirty-three per cent heat their homes partially

or entirely with fireplaces; and 54 per cent with stoves: Forty-eight per cent are compelled to do their

work out of doors

entire house is said to be one of the best protections against colds, while to pass from a hot room into a cold hallway is an invitation for

the deadly cold and pneumonia germs to strike. The common cold is costing the

American public hundreds of mil-

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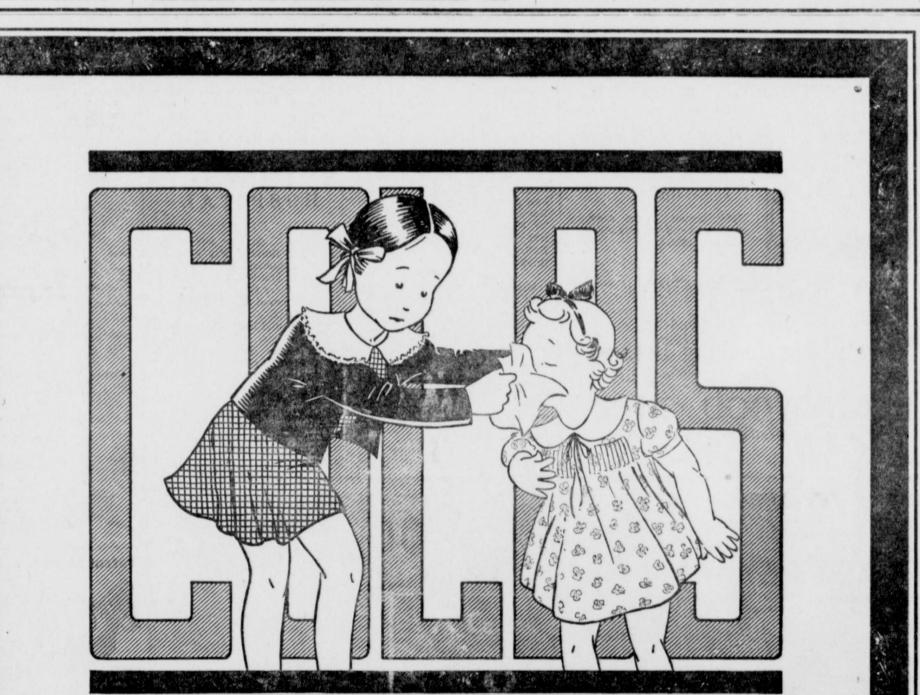


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der at man's use of electricity. The same slender wire that carries current to illuminate a house of worship may extend to a dismal prison room and end at a grim chair from which a soul is being thrown into eternity .- Matador Tribune.

### + + 1 Education Needed.

Probably most Texans know that their vast and beautiful state capitol is constructed of native granite, and perhaps many of them have wondered why more native stone has not been used in Texas buildings. What is needed in Texas is a campaign of education for architects and for the general public regarding the merits of native stone. Use of Texas stone on a wide scale would mean new quarries, new finishing plants, and increased employment .- The Texas Weekly.

# A New Teacher Plan.

Of course, it might give Romance many a knockout blow, but Sauce theorizes that the teaching profession might be advanced if the teachers were put on a 12-months salary basis, instead of a nine-month. The plan would simply be where a teacher had given complete satisfaction during a school year, such as resulted in reelection by the school board, that salary be continued through the vacation months, provided such teacher accepted the reelection and reported for duty when the school reopened in the fall .- Sauce in Brady Standard.

# Most for the Least.

lowing about newspapers: "Each year the local paper gives \$600 to \$1,000 in free lines to the community do this. The editor in proportion to his means does Missouri Press News

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On the Nation's White Spot.

Farming has taken on new life in Texas this year, but oil is the chief product that placed the state among the two leading states of the Union last month from a standpoint of production. Texas is furnishing now more than 40 per cent of the current oil production of the country, and this state has about 50 per cent of the proven oil reserves of the whole world demands more and more oil products.

Main Street Thronged. Well, anyhow, Main Street is the business barom-

by, getting a slant on 'em, and by their movements, indirectly to the American table. actions, etc., we know just about how everything is setting along in town and county, whether it's wet or dry, cold or hot; if crops are good, cattle fat and hens laying, it's reflected in their bodily movements and facial expression. The study of the masses, the human throng is a wonderful study, yes, we like to walk down Main Street, shake hands and rub shoulders with the folks. It gives us a wonderful inspiration. Yes, still living in the house by the side of the road.-Albany News.

EDITORIAL OF THE WEEK

# WHAT MUSSOLINI BELIEVES.

Mussolini believes the British Empire is about to collapse and that the Italian Empire will rise majestically in its place, according to Albert Viton, pseudonym of a prominent American journalist who writes from Florence, Italy, in The Nation.

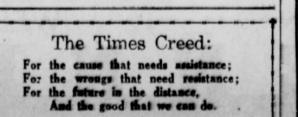
Mr. Viton continues: "What is Mussolini's object in his Ethiopian adventure? The answer is not economic but political. Mussolini has embarked on an extensive campaign which aims to convert the kingdom of Italy into an empire. Ethiopia is to be the beginning; the Mediterranean, an Italian lake, is to be the end. In the eyes of Italian military and diplomatic leaders Ethiopia is destined to be the Italian Gibraltar, the foundation of the new imperial Rome. But where will Italy expand? The answer to this question will sound fantastic outside of Italy, but it is a commonplace within the Duce's borders. Mussolini expects to plant the Italian imperial lion on the cadaver of the British Empire. Every Italian down to the plainest man on the street is convinced that the British Empire is either collapsing or already dead and that it will take only a strong will on Italy's part to inherit its greatness. . . . Repeated contact with high Italian officials and with the common people has persuaded me of the universality of this view.

"Once Mussolini's imperial dream is recognized as the basis of Italian maneuvers in Ethiopia, and the Italian belief in the imminent downfall of Britain Ex-governor Francis of Missouri once said the fol- is comprehended, it is easy to forecast how Italy will play its diplomatic game. Under no circumstances will Italy take hostile action against France or Yugoin which it is located. No other agent can or will slavia. It must maintain friendly nations on two sides in case England decides to close the Straits of more for his own town than any other ten men and Gibraltar. Furthermore, it will try to remain on in all fairness he ought to be supported, not because diplomatic terms with the Soviet Union, which might you like him or admire his writings, but because the be a necessary source of raw materials. On the local paper is the best investment a community can other hand, it will oppose with the same determinamake. Today the editors of the local papers do the tion it showed last summer any attempt at indepenmost for the least money of any people on earth."- dence on the part of Austria, which must remain a gateway for raw materials on the Continent. The Italian front is solid against Britain, and the key to this anti-British attitude is the belief that Britannia is doomed."-The Nation, October 16.

# CURRENT COMMENT

### By Leon Guinn.

Probably one of the most interesting things to the ranchman is the so-called Judas Goat, betrayer world, according to Elmer H. Johnson, regional econ- of sheep lead from unloading pens at packing plants omist for the University of Texas Bureau of Business to the abattoir, where killing and dressing (some de-Research. It will not be surprising if the wildcatting clare undressing) occurs. . . At the plant of the that has been kept alive in Scurry County for a New York Butcher's Dressed Meat Company Billy number of years is continued indefinitely, for the works, the only Judas Goat in blase Manhattan, leading 2,000 sheep per day to the odorous abattoir. Billy has been at the plant three years, and if the goat lives a normal 10 years will have led 4,500,000 sheep to sheep heaven. . . . Sheep (unlike cows or ster of a town and county. For hours each Saturday hogs) cannot be driven by man, hence the tall white we sit and watch and think as the busy shoppers go Billy, with uncanny skill leading a flock of sheep



# ·common Everyday Colds!

"Colds" are dangerous! Don't regard them lightly. According to government statistics, diseases of the breathing apparatus are responsible for more deaths than any other single cause, including cancer or heart disease. While respiratory diseases often start seriously, they are closely related to "colds" and in many instances are directly traceable to catching cold.

Municipalities have made great progress in stamping out typhoid fever, smallpox, diphtheria and other communicable diseases that once demanded their grim death toll. But America's Public Health Enemy Number One, the common cold germ, still rages rampant as a constant threat to the health and safety of our loved ones. Frequently "common colds" pave the way for such serious illnesses as pneumonia, bronchitis, influenza, tuberculosis and other serious respiratory diseases that result in so many deaths each winter,

Any sudden change in temperature as you go from a warm room into a cold one disturbs the heat-regulating apparatus of the body and makes it susceptible to the vicious attacks of "cold germs."

Your health and that of your family is your most valuable possession. Guard it this winter with proper ventilation and adequate heat in every room in the house. COMMUNITY NATURAL GAS COMPANY.

Tune in each Thursday night at 6:45, WFAA-WBAP, beginning October 17, for vital facts to belp you guard your family against Public Health Enemy No. 1



America's Public Health Enemy Number One, the common cold germ, is marshalling his forces for winter!



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TAKEN OCT. 26 Farmers Are to Decide Whether

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and hogs will decide on October 26 whether the corn-hog adjustment year 1936.

raisers and a few corn raisers are ligible to participate in the nation-wide vote

The referendum ballot will be favor a corn-hog adjustment program to follow the 1935 program which expires November 30, 1935?"

This proposed ballot follows the general plan of the entire AAA program-letting the farmer decide whether they shall continue under various phases of the cooperative control program

All corn-hog contract signers can vote, as well as all farmers who have raised hogs for sale. Those who have raised hogs for home use only are not eligible to vote.

8:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.

### Big "Brown" Saturday.

Buck Williams



