Legion Convention Set
100 Expected Over Weekend

An estimated 100 American Legion posts will be represented at the Panola County Legion Convention being held in Carthage Friday. Posts from all over the state and other counties will be represented. There will be a banquet at 6 p.m. and a business meeting to follow at 8 p.m. Friday. The Panola County Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a dance at 9 p.m. in the Legion Auxiliary Armory. The dance will feature Corky Whaley and his orchestra. The public is invited to attend.

Two Hurt In Wreck Here Fri.

A two-mile stretch of railroad owned by the city of Carthage was torn up by a Second Avenue wreck here Friday night. The accident occurred at 10 p.m. at the crossing between Second Avenue and Branch Street. Two city workers were killed in the accident. The railroad was temporarily closed to traffic.

Ticket sales were opened in Panola County for this year's Panola County Legion Convention being held in Carthage Friday. There will be a banquet at 6 p.m. and a business meeting to follow at 8 p.m. Friday. The Panola County Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a dance at 9 p.m. in the Legion Auxiliary Armory. The dance will feature Corky Whaley and his orchestra. The public is invited to attend.

Carthage Schools Not 'Lousy'

Says CISD Superintendent

Carthage School Superintendent Howard Davis said he was not surprised to learn that Carthage High School had been named one of the "Lousy" schools by the state of Texas. Davis said he had been aware of the problem for some time and had been working to improve the quality of education at Carthage High School.

The Carthage Independent School District (CISD) has taken steps to address the issue of low student performance at Carthage High School. The district has implemented a new curriculum and has increased staffing to improve student outcomes.

Curtain To Rise On Lions Show

The show, which will feature a lion ride and various animal acts, will be held at the Panola County Fairgrounds on Saturday, May 21. Tickets for the event can be purchased at the door or online. The show is open to the public and is expected to attract a large crowd.

Building Is Down

Commercial building activity in Carthage during the month of March was non-existent, according to the latest data from the Panola County Economic Development Council. The council reported that there were no new buildings or additions to existing structures in the city during March. This lack of construction activity is likely due to the economic challenges faced by many businesses during the pandemic.
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**Gun Confiscation**

The National Rifle Association has opposed gun legislation for many years and has been successful in stalling gun control measures at both the federal and state levels. The NRA's opposition is based on the belief that guns are a fundamental right protected by the Second Amendment. However, many believe that legislation is needed to address the issue of gun violence.

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**Malpractice Racket**

There have been several high-profile cases of medical malpractice in recent years, leading to increased scrutiny and calls for reform. The medical profession must do more to ensure that patients receive the best possible care and that those who are negligent are held accountable.

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**Sensing the News**

**Economic Immorality**

Recent economic policies have led to a growing divide between the rich and the poor. This has created a sense of unfairness and has led to calls for greater equality and social justice.

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**Our Bicentennial**

The bicentennial of the United States is an opportunity to reflect on our history and to celebrate the values that have shaped our nation.

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**Cuban Relations**

The United States has had a complex relationship with Cuba, with periods of both cooperation and conflict. The current administration has taken a more conciliatory approach, seeking to normalize relations and promote trade.

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**Russian Religion**

While it is true that the Soviet Union had a state atheistic policy, there were pockets of religious activity despite the official line. The authorities often turned a blind eye to this activity, recognizing the role of religion in maintaining social stability.

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**Out of the Past**

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Horizon Seniors Honored

The Chicago High School seniors honored at the Annual Coronation held in the school auditorium were selected by their classmates. The seniors who were honored are listed below:

- Miss Brooks
- Miss Scott
- Miss Tiller
- Miss Brown
- Miss Jordan
- Miss Lyons
- Miss Liverman
- Miss Smith
- Miss Kyle
- Miss Benson

The ceremony included a pageant, speeches, and musical performances, highlighting the academic and extracurricular achievements of these seniors. The event was attended by family, friends, and the entire school community, celebrating the end of the seniors' high school journey.
**Samford-McMillian**

**Couple Exchange Vows**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny McMillan

The former Miss Villa Sampford

The ceremony was officiated by the Rev. L. E. Johnson of the First Baptist Church, La Grange, Texas.

Mrs. McMillan and Mr. McMillan are the parents of Mrs. McMillan and Mr. McMillan.

**Approaching Weddings**

**At Shreveport**

**Book Club Has Meeting**

Local Sorority Meets At Cherokee Lake

Patterson is Honored On 80th Year

Altrusa Club Initiates New Associates

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Mrs. Loretta Carter Honored By Shower

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**Horizon Seniors**

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