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**Sino-Soviet talks**

In the teeth of strong opposition from the United States and Western Europe, the Chinese and Soviet Union signed the first formal agreement between the two superpowers on August 16, 1972. The agreement, known as the Sino-Soviet Treaty of Friendship and Cooperation, was a major step towards the normalization of relations between the two nations. The treaty was significant because it was the first time that the two countries had agreed on a permanent basis to cooperate in various fields, including defense, economics, and cultural exchange. The agreement was also seen as a major blow to the United States, which had been trying to isolate the Soviet Union and China from the rest of the world. The treaty was widely criticized by the Western world, which saw it as a sign of the growing influence of China and the Soviet Union in the international community.

**You and the law**

If you receive a civil suit, have you considered what you can do to protect your legal rights? It is important to understand your rights and the procedures involved in civil suits. The goal of this column is to provide you with information on how to protect your legal rights and to help you understand the legal system.

**SENSE THE NEWS**

**Union violence goes unreported**

The news media has a responsibility to report on all aspects of society, including labor disputes. However, there is a growing trend of selective reporting on union violence. This trend is concerning because it can lead to an inaccurate understanding of the labor movement. The media should strive to report on all aspects of society, including labor disputes, in an unbiased manner.

**Anemic industry**

The global aluminum industry is facing a number of challenges. The industry is facing increased competition from China and other low-cost producers, and demand for aluminum has been sluggish. The industry is also facing environmental concerns, such as the need to reduce carbon emissions. The industry needs to find ways to adapt to these challenges and remain competitive.

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**Watchwords**

**Cattle gains boost overall prices**

The gains in cattle prices have boosted overall prices for farmers and ranchers. The gains in cattle prices are due to a number of factors, including increased demand from consumers and a decrease in the supply of cattle. The gains in cattle prices are good news for farmers and ranchers, who have been facing challenging times in recent years.

**PJC sets sewing course**

PJC has set up a sewing course for those interested in learning to sew. The course will cover basic sewing techniques, including how to use a sewing machine, how to cut and sew fabric, and how to create simple garments. The course is open to all interested individuals, regardless of their level of experience.

**LEGION, VFW present PCARC with funds**

The American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars presented funds to PCARC, a local charity, as part of their ongoing commitment to supporting community organizations. The funds will be used to support programs that help local veterans and their families.

**Bergland directs meet**

Jerry Bergland, a member of the U.S. House of Representatives, met with local leaders to discuss issues affecting the area. The meeting was an opportunity for Bergland to hear from local leaders and to discuss the priorities of the community.

**City police check theft**

The Carthage Police Department has investigated a theft case and has made an arrest. The investigation began after a local resident reported a theft from their home. The police department worked diligently to solve the case and has made an arrest.

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Bulldogs bounce back for Brad!!!

Injury to junior tackle sparks CHS win in Kilgore, 21-13

The unbeaten Bulldogs won their second straight game, 21-13, in a Class 2-1A Division II District 14 game against the Chico Wildcats.

Jacksonville's senior quarterback, Brad, suffered an injury to his ankle in the first quarter, forcing backup quarterback Jake, a junior, to step up.

The team rallied behind Jake's strong performance, scoring 14 points in the second half to secure the victory.

Penalties sti for killing wrong birds

In a shocking turn of events, several hunters from Jacksonville, 51, and Palestine, 20, were fined for accidentally killing the wrong species of bird during a hunting trip.

The incident occurred when the hunters mistook a flock of birds for a different species, leading to a flawed hunting effort. As a result, the hunters were fined for not following the correct hunting guidelines.

Jackets, Rams battle to draw

Griffing leads Elysian Fields with 111 yards

The Elysian Fields Rams and the Port Neches-Jefferson Indians battled it out in a close game, ending with a 14-14 tie.

Griffing, the Elysian Fields Rams' star running back, led the team with 111 yards and a touchdown.

Avinger sets bass meet

Two Bearcats run for more than 100 yards in losing effort

In a thrilling game, the Avinger Bearcats and the Fannin County Panthers went head-to-head, with the Panthers emerging victorious, 28-21.

Two Avinger Bearcats, however, ran for more than 100 yards, showcasing their impressive running skills despite the loss.

Eagles turn Beckville green, 6-0

The Two Eagles of Beckville struggled against the powerful Eagles of East Palestine, falling short with a score of 6-0.

The Eagles of East Palestine dominated the game, with their strong defense preventing the Two Eagles of Beckville from scoring.

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Texas pecan crop great

Pecans are the state nut of Texas and are grown in various counties across the state, including Panola. This year’s pecan crop has been reported as great, with high yields expected due to favorable growing conditions. Local pecan farmers are optimistic about the season, hoping for a bountiful harvest.

Panola Nursing Home Activities

The Panola Nursing Home has scheduled a variety of activities for its residents. The activities range from music therapy and art classes to group outings and fitness workshops. These events are designed to enhance the overall well-being of the residents and provide a stimulating environment.

Taxpayers Learn What Their Costs Will Be By Reading Their ‘Something-For-Everyone’ Newspaper

The Panola Watchman recently conducted a survey among local taxpayers to understand their perspective on the upcoming budget. The survey revealed that many are looking forward to reading the ‘Something-For-Everyone’ edition of the newspaper, which features a variety of articles and information tailored to different interests and needs.

The Watchman staff encourages all taxpayers to stay informed and participate in the decision-making processes that affect their communities. Regular reading of local newspapers like the Panola Watchman is a vital way to keep up with local issues and events.

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**City turns down annexation plan**

Prohibitive utility costs cited

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**Hearing slated on parking limit**

Sewer line bid given approval by commission

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**PJC cast to stage 'South Pacific' show**

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**Tatum asks study funds**

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