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By Harriett Hecht

Daily Mirror

Dry winter grass and an abundance of fireworks provided a perfect storm for a rash of holiday grass fires over the past weekend. The number of fires has increased dramatically in recent years, with many caused by fireworks. The situation was exacerbated by the dry conditions, making the grass more susceptible to burning.

City officials are urging residents to take precautions when using fireworks. They recommend keeping a water source available and not lighting fireworks in areas with dry grass. The city has also implemented restrictions on the use of fireworks in certain areas to help prevent grass fires.

Texas emerges as an economic pace-setter during '70s decade

Texas, the nation's economic powerhouse, has emerged as a leader in the 1970s. The state has experienced a significant increase in industrial and business growth, making it a major contributor to the national economy.

The growth is attributed to various factors, including a strong manufacturing sector, oil and gas industries, and a robust agricultural base. Texas has also attracted significant investment from out-of-state companies, further boosting its economic performance.

Poerner calls for deregulation

National Transportation Chairman John Poerner has called for the Texas and western deregulation of oil and the establishment of a national transportation authority to speed up the deregulation process.

Deregulation of the oil industry is necessary to ensure fair and competitive pricing, he said. Poerner has also called for the establishment of a national transportation authority to regulate the industry and ensure efficient and fair transportation services.

Poerner believes that deregulation will lead to lower prices for consumers and increased competition in the industry. The establishment of a national transportation authority would also help ensure the safety and efficiency of the industry.

Pamola still ETX leader in natural gas

In an age of change, Pamola remains a leader in the natural gas industry. The company has continued to grow and expand, maintaining its position as a major player in the industry.

Pamola's success is attributed to its focus on innovation and investment. The company has consistently invested in new technologies and explored new opportunities to remain competitive and sustainable.

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Traffic safety office offers holiday driving tips

Roy Blake introduces unemployment measure

FOR PANOLA

Insurance decision due

Bullock forecasts $28 billion in '83

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Learning lessons from the past

The one thousand losses of the 1940s and the standing small nations to their feet in the face of the German Nazism and the Japanese militarism in the 1930s and 1940s has set the stage for the future. The Holocaust and the war in Europe was the result of the failure to learn the lessons of the past.

The United States and the Soviet Union should have reacted more decisively to the aggression of Germany and Japan. The United States should have supported the anti-fascist forces in Europe and Asia.

Today, less than a year after the Second World War began, the United States and the Soviet Union are again at war. The United States should learn the lessons of the past and not repeat the mistakes of the 1940s.

Your Social Security

Social Security is a system of social insurance that provides benefits to older, disabled, and survivors of deceased workers. It is funded by payroll taxes paid by workers and employers. The Social Security Administration manages the program and distributes benefits.

Social Security benefits are based on a worker's earnings history and the age at which they start collecting benefits. The benefits increase with inflation and are adjusted annually.

Social Security is a vital program that helps millions of older Americans and their families. It is a long-term investment that provides a secure future for those who need it.

Forestland warning is sounded

The loss of the world's forests is a major threat to the environment. Deforestation leads to climate change, loss of biodiversity, and the loss of important ecosystem services. The United States can play a role in protecting forests around the world.

The United States can support the Paris Agreement on climate change, which aims to limit global warming to well below 2°C above pre-industrial levels. The United States can also support efforts to reduce deforestation, such as the REDD+ (Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and森林 Degradation) program.

Lumberjacks close fall schedule with twin wins

Lumberjacks closed their fall schedule with twin wins over Faulkner, 8-2, and Missouri, 10-0.

The Lumberjacks' offense was led by senior outfielder John Smith, who went 2-for-4 with a home run and two RBIs in the win over Faulkner. In the win over Missouri, junior pitcher Kevin Brown threw a complete game shutout, striking out 11 batters.

Lady Bulldogs devour Elysian

Lady Bulldogs easily defeated Elysian, 10-0, in five innings.

Lady Bulldogs' senior catcher Sarah Thompson went 3-for-4 with a home run and four RBIs. Lady Bulldogs' junior pitcher Emily Johnson threw a one-hitter, striking out 10 batters.

Ladyjacks pass early test

Ladyjacks defeated El Dorado, 7-2, in their opening game.

Ladyjacks' senior outfielder McKenna Brown went 3-for-4 with a home run and three RBIs. Ladyjacks' junior pitcher Emily Johnson threw a complete game, striking out 10 batters.

Ladyjacks are off to a strong start and are looking forward to the rest of the season.
### Rabbit hunting a challenge

Wild hogs possess keen intelligence.

### Cash Dividends

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### Sunfish at top of angling shoplist

Austin fish causes flurry.

### Swann speaks out against violence

We see violence... for all of us.
Know Your Heritage

by Louie LeBlanc

2,000 named in suit over crude oil prices

Many former Lake Charles residents have been named in a lawsuit over crude oil prices. The lawsuit, filed in state court, alleges that the defendants, including several energy companies, conspired to fix the price of crude oil in violation of state antitrust laws.

State is having record interest year

The Louisiana Department of Natural Resources has reported that the state's energy sector had a record year in terms of interest. According to the department, the state received a record amount of revenue from oil and gas leases, as well as royalties from natural gas production.

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