3 arrested after kidnap payoff here

Jewel Ellis is picked for chief appraiser position

Chamber to present proposal for numbering county roads
Architect gets approval to seek bids on school admin building

COMMISSIONERS have busy agenda

Beckville water chief named

Shelby man arrested after 2-county manhunt

15 from Panola College named to Who's Who

At Longview's Cherokee Club

Hebert honored on 'retirement'

Jury trials are slated for criminal cases here

In The Service

Accidents reported

Public hearing planned on waste water project
**Editorials ★ Columns ★ Opinions**

**Choices reflect Reagan's tone**

Despite the bleary-eyed appearance of President Reagan supporters in Texas, the New York political observers may be correct in their view that the Texas and presidential election outcomes are not as strongly related as some might think. Though Reagan supporters have turned out in large numbers, the state's Democratic Party has been more successful in attracting voters in recent elections.

**States offer energy expertise**

Several states offer expertise in the oil and gas industry, which is crucial for the success of the industry. Relying on state expertise can help the industry make better decisions and improve its overall performance.

**War on drugs has new focus**

The war on drugs has recently taken a new focus, with the emphasis being on prevention rather than just law enforcement. This shift in focus is crucial for the long-term success of the war on drugs.

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**Outlook for 1981**

Energy costs and interest rates are expected to increase in 1981, which may affect the economy and consumer spending.

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**Marshall's World**

Termites in the cabbage patch

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**Classified Advertising**

EVERYBODY'S MARKET PLACE

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**ATTENTION**

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Hot summer kept fires burning

628 fire calls answered

Carthage Roundball Roundup
Lady Bulldogs win district premiere

Panola County Oil & Gas Report

Elysian frosh win debut

Bobcat jv’s remain undefeated

Carthage girls ranked fourth

Lady Yellowjackets bat .500

Boarcats return home in victory
Driving course is scheduled

Gas transportation rate approved

New Arrivals

Six Tatum firefighters attend training school

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- Support the merchants who support our schools, churches, civic groups and vital services.

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