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Is 'private' street now 'public'?

Brothers on trial in shooting of couple at Dotson home

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Fire ant problem expected to be more severe this year

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'Problem is worst it has ever been' in Panola County

Panola County is facing a severe fire ant problem this year, according to authorities.

"The problem is the worst it has ever been," said County Extension Agent Dr. J. E. Smith. "We've had reports of fire ants in every part of the county, and they're causing a lot of damage." 

Smith said that the fire ant population has been increasing steadily over the past few years, and this year's heavy rainfall has helped to fuel the problem. "The increased moisture has provided the perfect conditions for the fire ants to thrive," he said.

The fire ants have been causing problems for farmers, homeowners, and even pets. "People are finding fire ants around their homes," said Smith. "They can be very aggressive and toxic, so it's important to take precautions." 

Smith recommended that residents avoid spraying pesticides around fire ant nests, as this can kill beneficial insects and disrupt the balance of the ecosystem. Instead, he suggested using natural methods such as baits or barriers to control the ants.

"It's important to be proactive in controlling the fire ant problem," said Smith. "If we don't take action, the problem will only get worse."
Watchman Opinion Forum

Editorials

Academic pabulum

Rutgers News. In part of the regular
coordinated with the Rutgers Board of Trustees,
planning a series of educational programs,
the institution. The series will be devoted to

The old law proves out

Offspring by the United States dropped last
by the Board of Education is a 
year, which is the most significant fact
of the past. The Board of Education has
announced that the enrollment of the

Letters to the Editor

Sensing The News

The balanced budget goal

Michael Kadar, Business Editor

County arrests up over past week

Community arrests up over past week

Panola General

HOSPITAL NEWS

Card of Thanks

Recently, the Card of Thanks
was presented to the

Local girl
among top spellers

Entex pays dividend

New Arrivals

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Obituaries

Annette Pullig earns Centenary scholarship

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Plainview Medical Center

Flatwoods unit answers call

Cookout Special

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Thursday, May 30th - 9:00

Spring Tonic

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14" WINTER TIRES

99¢

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38" WINTER TIRES
City sales tax stands

Deppe wins two events at state swimming meet

Sports Watch

Carthage leads baseball district as race reaches halfway point

Pitcher Roane Smith big reason Bulldogs are leading pack

Yellowjacket power is too much for Beckville
There are still men of integrity found in professional sports

Speaking Of Sports

The story of integration in professional sports has been a slow and difficult journey. Despite the progress made, there are still men of integrity who stand out in the world of professional sports.

Toledo Bend top tournament lake in '80

Catfish barely misses state record

Beckville student competes in meet

Bowling News

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Hushpuppy run is slated for May 16

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New and exciting topics for discussion.

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Last week, smart shoppers saved over $10 from groceries, coupons, and coupons.

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Save over 40% on your next purchase.

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New products and services available.

Powerful poultry

Technology boosts energy costs

Heavy Wrecker Service

Texas and All 48 Service, Air Cushion, and Estate Services.

CUSTOM HAY SERVICE


Café Racer

A cafe racer's guide to city and road riding.

RRC has permit boom in March gas pipeline

A project update on the gas pipeline.

BBZ

A product for cleaning and maintenance.

Bissell

A carpet cleaner and maintenance guide.

Rexall Drug

Pharmacy services and products.

Zeppin Full Size

A product for full-sized applications.

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A product for industrial use.

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A durable product for household use.

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A carpet cleaner and maintenance tool.

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TATUM AREA NEWS

Stagecoach Days planned in Marshall

The most willing work force in America is available in June.

God's Ultimate Word

This Week's
Sunday School Lesson

First Things First
A DEVOTIONAL

Church of Christ plans 4-day gospel meeting

Leslie Crow vies for national honor

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