TUGCO suspends some lignite royalty

By Ben Franklin
Representatives from the Texas Public Utilities Commission (PUC) and the Texas Railroad Commission (RRC) met with the TUGCO (Texas Underground Gas Company) and Panola County representatives to discuss the suspension of lignite royalties.

The PUC and RRC issued a joint statement indicating that they have concerns regarding the company's compliance with state regulations. The statement further mentioned that TUGCO has been non-compliant with certain environmental regulations.

Rodeo winds up Saturday

By Bill Miller
Panola County Fair rodeo fans were in for a treat as the final day of the rodeo event rounded up the long weekend. The event featured a variety of events, including bull riding, barrel racing, and rodeo clowns. The top performers were awarded certificates, trophies, and cash prizes.

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**Editorial**

Two new deputies not the answer

Female County Court justices have indicated they do not want the proposed new law passed. Officials of the the court have said that the proposed new law would make it more difficult for them to hire the deputies they need. The justices have also said that they would not want to hire new deputies if they did not have enough money to pay them.

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Oil, gas revenues may not drop as anticipated

Despite the recent news of TUGCO's suspension, the local government has maintained that oil and gas revenues are unlikely to be affected. The state has been working on a plan to increase production and diversify the economy, which will likely help offset any drop in revenue from TUGCO. The plan includes investments in renewable energy, infrastructure, and education, which will create new jobs and stimulate economic growth.

Carthage officer solves area burglary

A Carthage police officer has been praised for solving a series of burglaries in the area. Officer Smith has been working on the case for several months and has made significant progress in recent weeks. The officer has been commended for his dedication and hard work, and the community is grateful for his efforts.

County Commission faces varied agenda

The County Commission will face a varied agenda at its next meeting. The commission will discuss a range of issues, including budget cuts, infrastructure projects, and education. The commission has been working on a plan to reduce the budget, with a focus on cutting non-essential expenses. The commission will also discuss a proposal to build a new library in the county.

New Beckville city offices to open soon

The new city offices in Beckville are set to open soon. The city has been working on the project for several months and has invested a significant amount of money in the building. The new offices will house all city departments, providing a streamlined and efficient service for the community. The opening will be celebrated with a ribbon-cutting ceremony later this month.
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Rodeo Week filled with excitement

Women prove tops in log sawing event

By Bob Charchard
News-Register
Women in the rodeo show their strength and determination Thursday at the Pendleton Round-Up. The ladies proved they could handle the man's activities after a log sawing event. The women participated in two events, a log sawing and a log throwing. The log sawing event was won by Diane Brown and Diane Blood. The log throwing event was won by Diane Brown and Diane Blood. The women's average score was 389.72.

Winners only scorers ...

Horse shoe throwing held

By Bob Charchard
Women's Horse Shoe Throwing event proved to be a challenge for the participants. The event was held Thursday at the Pendleton Round-Up. The women participated in the event, which was won by Diane Brown and Diane Blood. The average score was 350.72.

King's biggest bubble

Top King bubble oil at the best oil bubble. The event was held Thursday at the Pendleton Round-Up. The women participated in the event, which was won by Diane Brown and Diane Blood. The average score was 300.00.
Square dance draws crowd

By Earl Schuder

Despite hard andOvard Weather, the very fact that 60 people showed up for a square dance at the Shady Grove Community Center is cause for celebration. The square dance, which is a community event sponsored by the Shady Grove Community Council, is held on the second Saturday of each month. The event begins at 7:00 p.m. with refreshments served at 6:30 p.m. The dance is open to the public and is a great opportunity to meet new people and have fun. The Shady Grove Community Council is a non-profit organization that works to improve the quality of life in the community. They are always looking for volunteers and donations to support their efforts. So, come out and support your community!
4 H-ers ride State Railroad

Panola County 4-H members ride the State Railroad as part of their participation in the annual State 4-H Fair. The event provides an opportunity for 4-H members to showcase their skills and projects in a variety of areas. This year, the 4-H members display their livestock, crops, and projects, and are judged on their presentations and participation. The fair is a significant event for the 4-H members, offering them a platform to network, learn from others, and gain valuable experience.
Anniversary of singer Reeves’ death marked

Williams family unites for annual reunion at home place

Close-up views of the event, including portraits of Reeves and family members, are highlighted. The text mentions that the Williams family, including relatives and descendants, gathered for a reunion at the home place.

Continuing research, writing, philanthropy...

Ninety years don’t slow Emma Brannon

The text continues with a focus on Emma Brannon, a person who has been involved in research, writing, and philanthropy for ninety years. It highlights her contributions and achievements over the years.

-Know Your Heritage-

Mrs. Texas USA contender

The text briefly mentions Mrs. Texas USA contender, adding context to the story.

Sale barn action

The text concludes with details about a sale barn action, likely related to the events or activities mentioned in the previous sections.
Religion
LOOK AT CHURCH ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS IN OUR COMMUNITY

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
Joash: A King Lead Astray

Integrated Scripture, 1 Chronicles 36:11-27

Divine Highway, pg. 743
1 Chronicles 3:1-10

The Bible Says:

"And all the sons of Joash were slain; and there was not a man left of all the house of Joash, because of the Presence of Jehovah, who had smitten them.

1 Chronicles 3:11" (NKJV)

What Happened:

Joash was the last king of Judah before the Babylonian exile. He was a good king, but he did not have children who would carry on his reign. His son, Amaziah, was not a good king and led the kingdom into a period of decline. Joash's legacy was overshadowed by his son's actions.

The Lesson:

1. Joash, a good king, did not have children to carry on his reign. This demonstrates the importance of spiritual inheritance and the need for Christian families to pass on their faith. Joash's children were not collateral damage, but they did not have the opportunity to lead the nation in a righteous manner.

2. Joash's story serves as a warning to current leaders to ensure that they are not仅为 their own power and position. The choices of leaders can have far-reaching consequences.

Strength for Living

God's plan is perfect, even when we cannot understand the circumstances. When we rely on God, He will provide the strength and wisdom we need to make wise decisions and navigate difficult situations.

DEVOITIONAL
First Things First

1. In the Name of the Father.
2. In the Name of the Son.
3. In the Name of the Holy Spirit.

In the Name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Amen.