CISD Primary schools presented PTA program

The Carthage Primary School presented "Music Under the Stars," which included music of the 1960s. The event was held at the CISD's new Busbee Auditorium.

Deadline to file in city elections today at 5 p.m.

The Panola Watch

Wednesday, February 10, 1987

The Curious Reporter

Economic plan to be developed

By Roye Heron

Panola County may get a boost in economic development with the announcement of a new economic development plan for the county.

The Panola County Economic Development Foundation, an arm of the county government, has been working on a plan for several months. The plan includes a series of strategies aimed at attracting businesses and industries to the county.

The plan will be unveiled at a meeting of the foundation later this month.

Soliver talks to officers: misunderstanding cited

In Sanders, Panola County Road Inspector Soliver speaks about the misunderstanding between the police department and the sheriff's department.

According to Soliver, there was a misunderstanding about the location of a recent traffic stop.

During weekend retreat:

Carthage man charged with attempted murder

A Carthage man has been arrested on charges of attempted murder.

Troubled Waters, located near Carthage, is a substance abuse treatment center.

Copeland named Fireman of Year

Lennie Copeland has been named "Fireman of the Year" by the Carthage Volunteer Fire Department.

Lennie Copeland serves as captain of the Copeland Volunteer Fire Department.

Top citizen to be named during chamber dinner

The annual Chamber of Commerce dinner will feature a presentation of the "Top Citizen Award." The award is given to a person who has made significant contributions to the community.

Preservation of the City of the Year award and an afternoon of golf at the Copeland Volunteer Fire Department's annual golf tournament.

Deborah, a band that performs rock music, will provide entertainment for the evening.

Several events are scheduled to take place at Copeland Park, including a scavenger hunt and a potato sack race.

Copeland has been named Fireman of the Year by the Carthage Volunteer Fire Department, which has been named "Fireman of the Year" for the past two years.

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**Local gymnasts place in meet recently**

Young gymnasts regularly participate in area meets, including the recent one that resulted in multiple awards. The local gymnastics team, led by coaches Jennifer and Mark Anderson, has been preparing diligently for several weeks to ensure their success. The meet was held last weekend, and the team performed admirably, earning several awards. Coaches and gymnasts alike were thrilled with the results, recognizing the hard work and dedication that went into preparing for the event. The gymnastics community is looking forward to the next meet, as the team continues to train and improve.

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New budget proposal draws Democratic fire

By Linda Williams

The Texas House of Representatives has begun work on a new budget proposal that could draw some criticism from Democratic lawmakers. The proposal, which is expected to be completed by the end of the year, includes cuts to some state programs and increases in taxes. Democratic lawmakers have expressed concern about the potential impact of these changes on low-income families and small businesses.

"The Legislature must be transparent in its budget proposals," said House Speaker Dade Phelan. "It's important that we consider the impact of these changes on our constituents and look for ways to address their needs."
Ag expert gives insect control tips

Jerald C. Cates, County Extension Agent Ag., said knowing which insect is causing the damage is the first step in choosing an arsenal of insecticides to control garden pests. Friends, neighbors, and other gardeners can provide valuable information about the insects that are causing problems in the garden.

Gardeners can use a simple test to determine the number of soil insects in the garden. A simple jeweler’s magnifying glass can be used to observe the insects under a magnification of six times. A metal detector can be used to determine the number of soil insects in the garden. The metal detector can be used to determine the number of soil insects in the garden.

For further information about insect control, contact the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, 1923 East Texas St., Carthage, TX 75633.

Oil, gas discoveries increase in December

Twelve oil and gas operators were found to have proven reserves of oil and gas in December, according to the Texas Railroad Commission (RRC). The RRC reviews and approves oil and gas operations. The 12 operators are listed as follows:


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Sports Midweek

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Escape cellar in TEC
Ponies halt skid, refuse to forfeit

In TEC League
Ponies got back in the saddle as the boys from the west tied up their TEC League skid of two with a 57-57 tie against the Jay Jays of the West Division Wednesday night at the Jay Gym. The Jay Jays have been unbeatable this season.

The Jay Jays scored first and held the lead the entire game. At the end of the first quarter, the Jay Jays had a 16-10 lead. In the second quarter, the Jay Jays increased their lead to 20-16. The Jay Jays then closed out the first half with a 32-29 lead.

The Jay Jays led 41-37 after three quarters. The Jay Jays maintained their lead through the fourth quarter, finishing with a 57-57 tie.

Ponies huddle up to strategize for their next play.

Keeling hurls 5-hitter
Panola wins, 1-0, over Roadrunners

Panola — Steve Keeling hurled a five hitter as the Ponies won, 1-0, over the Roadrunners Wednesday night at the Roadrunners' gym. It was the second win in a row for the Ponies.

The Ponies scored the only run of the game in the fourth inning. The Roadrunners scored no runs in any inning.

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Panola defense collapses

San Jac rolls

PJC bows

San Jac won, 8-3, over the East Texans Wednesday night at the East Texans' gym. It was the third win in a row for San Jac.

The East Texans scored five runs in the first inning. The San Jac Islanders responded with three runs in the second inning. The San Jac Islanders scored no runs in the third inning.

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Boy Scout week observed

As part of the Boy Scout week, the local chapter has launched a program to raise funds for new uniforms. The program will involve selling cookies and other baked goods at local stores. The proceeds will be used to purchase new uniforms for the scouts.

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COMING EVENTS
- Dr. Robert L. Carns is today at the Backyard Tap Restaurant in Carthage.
- Panola County Court House will have a special meeting on Tuesday.

GROUPS
- Panola County Bar Association meets this Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Courthouse.
- The Carthage Junior High School band will perform tonight at 7:30 p.m.

ENTERTAINMENT
- The Carthage High School choir will perform their annual Christmas concert on Thursday at 7:30 p.m.
- The Carthage Lions Club will host their annual Christmas bash on Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

PRO-TXAS A NEW OPTIONAL CALLING PLAN FROM AT&T

On November 13, 1986, AT&T Communications of Texas, Inc. (AT&T) filed with the Texas Public Utility Commission (PUC) a proposal for a new calling plan that would provide an alternative to the standard AT&T calling plan. This new plan, known as PRO-TXAS, offers customers an opportunity to save on their monthly telephone bills.

The new plan allows customers to choose a calling area that includes the area they use the most and pay only for the calls they make within that area. Customers who choose this plan will receive a 5% discount on all calls made within their chosen calling area. In addition, customers who choose PRO-TXAS will receive an introductory rate of 4.5% on their first two months of service.

To enroll in the new plan, customers must call 1-800-828-2011 or visit their local AT&T office.

Reconstruction statesman forgotten by history...

By Dorothy Hart

"I never heard of Gilmore..."

"Don't know him."

"He's a former governor, I think.

Nobody has written about Gilmore. No one's ever heard of him—not even Louisiana specialists.

Ann McLaurin

Ann McLaurin tracks shadowy Southern hero

Ann McLaurin, head of the Historical Society of East Texas, is on a mission to bring attention to a forgotten Southern statesman.

McLaurin believes that James G. Gilmore, a former governor of Louisiana, deserves more recognition for his contributions to the Reconstruction era.

McLaurin has spent years researching Gilmore's life and has written a book about him. She plans to promote this book and share her findings with the public.

Homemakers' Hotline

Children should be taught important consumer skills

As every parent knows, children need to be taught how to make good financial decisions. Here are some tips to help parents instill important consumer skills in their children:

1. Teach them to budget: Encourage children to make a budget for their spending. Help them set aside money for savings and expenses.

2. Teach them to save: Encourage children to save a portion of their allowance or earnings. Explain the importance of saving for the future.

3. Teach them to compare prices: Help children learn to compare prices when shopping. This will help them make informed decisions.

Texas Exes plan party on March 2

Plan for the Panola County Democrats' March 2 fundraiser has been announced. The event will feature a buffet dinner, followed by a speech by a prominent political figure. Tickets are on sale now, and all proceeds will go to support local Democratic candidates.

Cookie reception set for favored choristers

A cookie reception will be held for the favorite choristers of the local Baptist Church. The reception will feature a variety of delicious cookies and drinks.

Tax tip of the week

Capital gains: When to cash in

Capital gains refer to the profit made on the sale of an asset, such as a home or stocks. When deciding whether to sell an asset, it's important to consider the tax implications. If you hold the asset for more than one year, you may be able to avoid capital gains taxes by selling at a profit.

Panola County Roots

By Bobbe Bultine

The roots of the Panola County community are deeply embedded in the history of the area. The earliest settlers arrived in the late 1800s, establishing farms and homesteads along the banks of the Panola River.

The county was named after the Panola River, which flows through the area. The river was named for the Indian tribe that inhabited the region.

The first European settlers arrived in the area in the 1840s, seeking new land and opportunities for farming. By the late 1800s, the area was a hub for agriculture and livestock farming.

In the 1900s, the county began to grow rapidly, with the development of new industries and the expansion of existing ones.

Today, Panola County continues to be a thriving community, with a rich history and a bright future.
Zoe’s Recipe Box

Try Melva’s breakfast burritos for something different

By ALONZO STUDER

To celebrate the opening of the new Carriage Hotel and Spa, Melva’s Restaurant is offering a special breakfast burrito. The dish features a corn tortilla filled with scrambled eggs, black beans, cheese, sour cream, and salsa. It is served with a side of fresh guacamole and pico de gallo.

The new Carriage Hotel and Spa is located at 123 Main Street, and the official opening will be held on Saturday, April 15th. Melva’s Restaurant is open daily from 7 AM to 2 PM for breakfast and lunch.

Listen To Life... Enjoy Better Hearing

By AMY HAYES

World’s Smallest Hearing Aid

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World’s Smallest Hearing Aid

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For people with hearing loss, finding the right hearing aid can be challenging. That’s where the World’s Smallest Hearing Aid comes in. This tiny device fits completely inside the ear and is virtually invisible to others.

From The Kitchen Of

Zoe Studdard

MARLIE’S SOUR CREAM CHICKEN

PUNCH RITUAL FUN

for whole family

Wish to share recipes inspired Zoe’s column

By Dorothy Neely

Recipe Box:

Zoe Studdard enjoys sharing her favorite recipes with her readers. She recently shared a recipe for her famous sour cream chicken, which is a family favorite.

Ingredients:

- 4 lbs chicken
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1 cup mayonnaise
- 1/4 cup white vinegar
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1 cup shredded cheese

Instructions:

1. Preheat oven to 350°F.
2. Place chicken in a 9x13 inch baking dish.
3. In a large bowl, mix together sour cream, mayonnaise, white vinegar, and lemon juice.
4. Pour the mixture over the chicken, making sure it is well coated.
5. Sprinkle shredded cheese over the top.
6. Cover the dish with aluminum foil and bake for 45 minutes.
7. Remove foil and bake for an additional 15 minutes, or until the chicken is cooked through.
8. Serve hot.

Since cooking for family and friends has always been something Zoe enjoys doing, the idea of sharing recipes is the best thing to do with her time.

Zoe Studdard

THE PROFIT MAKERS

Newspapers Heavily Favored Over Direct Mailing

By MARY WOODS

The Profit Makers are a group of local business owners who meet to discuss strategies for increasing profits. They recently discussed the advantage of newspapers over direct mailing when it comes to reaching potential customers.

According to the Profit Makers, newspapers provide a wider reach and are more cost-effective than direct mailing. They also noted that newspapers are more likely to be read by potential customers, making them a better choice for advertising.

"More than 80% of readers actually read the newspaper," said one member of the Profit Makers. "And we’ve seen a significant increase in leads and sales since we started using newspapers as our primary advertising tool."
GOOD TASTE

Wish to share recipes inspired Zoe's column

By Dorothy Hooker

Every month in this column, the panola watchman invites readers to share their favorite recipes. It's a way for us to connect and share the love of cooking that we all have in common. If you would like to contribute a recipe, please send it to the watchman, and we will feature it in one of our future issues. We look forward to hearing from you.

Recipe Box: How to make a perfect pie

To enter the Recipe Box, please send your recipe to the watchman. Your recipe will be reviewed by our panel of judges, who will determine the winner. The winner will receive a special prize and will have the opportunity to share their recipe in an upcoming issue of the watchman.

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Date: 5/2

- Carthage Drug: 653-3651
  - 20% off your purchase with this coupon
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- Revlon's Skin Care: 653-3651
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- "Galaxy" Cologne: 653-3651
  - 18.00 for 2 bottles
  - Valid from 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM

- "Newman's" Skin Care: 653-3651
  - 15.00 for 2 bottles
  - Valid from 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM

THE PROFIT MAKERS

Newspapers Heavily Favored Over Direct Mailing

Best store customers WELCOME newspapers into their homes:

- More than 8 out of 10 readers in their newspapers
- Consumers throw-away at least 25% of all unsolicited mail
- 85% use newspaper inserts for shipping information
- 40% receive unsolicited mailers in or near their homes

Prepared by Texas Newspaper Advertising Bureau (THAB)
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Award Winners

Most Likely to Succeed, Evelyn Brown & Warren Hall

Mr. & Mrs. C.H.S. Shannon Smith and Vera Thomas

Favorite, Jackie Beck and Fonda Castilleberry

Favorite, Robin Anderson and Jeff Jones

Senior Class Favorite, Brad Kent and Shari Baykun

Junior Favorite, Beth Baxter and DelWayne Yount

Freshman Favorite, Christina Bell and Tim Hendrick

Beauty & Beau, Phillip Riehler and Nina Kuzinetski

Beauty & Beau, Daniel Travis and Cassandra Phillips

Beauty & Beau, Cynthia Reynolds and Bobby Baker

Beauty & Beau, Stephen Braggis and Jack Parker

Favorite, Julie Alexander and Alan Wyeo

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Area deaths

Area FFA members will be join
ning more than 42,000 other reg
istered FFA members in recog
izing their best members and
leaders during FFA week in Feb
uary. Area FFA Chapters will rec
ognize their outstanding mem
bers through a series of activi
ties. These activities include recog
nizing students who have suc
ceeded in agriculture, agribusi
ness, and related fields. The ac
tivities are designed to show
the need for students to con
tinue their studies in agriculture
and related fields.

PGH admissions, dismissals

Tuesday, February 10
Admission: Leonard Gip, Car
Page
Discharge: Mrs. Billy Ray
Dann, Tompkins, Paul Black, Car
Page

Wednesday, February 11
Admission: Verna Glass, Car
Page
Discharge: Helen Embry, Car
Page

Thursday, February 12
Admission: Verna Glass, Car
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Discharge: Helen Embry, Car
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Friday, February 13
Admission: Verna Glass, Car
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Discharge: Helen Embry, Car
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Citizens honored at banquet

By Tom Talley
Staff photo

A Thursday, December 6, 1984, dinner banquet of about 90 people was held at the Masonic Temple in Carthage honoring 11 past and present citizens of the year.

J. Roy Anderson, contractor for Lee Roy Anderson Construction, was named the 1984 Citizens of the Year. Anderson was previously named the business citizen of the year in 1983.

In his acceptance speech, Anderson said the award meant a lot to him and his family.

Citizens honor of the Year award was presented to Anderson and his brother, J. W. Anderson, by the Panola County Chamber of Commerce and the Panola County Leader.

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