**First Things First**

**By Tina Brack**

In the early morning sounds of the rooster crowing, the first light of day filled the sky. The sun was rising, and the birds were singing their morning serenade. It was a beautiful day to start the day. The first rays of sunlight touched the earth, and the world was bathed in light. It was a new day, and there was so much to do. The smell of fresh coffee filled the air, and the sound of children laughing could be heard. It was a perfect day to begin the day.

**Religion**

**At least 116 years old**

Shiloh Baptist to mark anniversary

Historic Shiloh Baptist Church of Carthage was founded in 1882 and has been in continuous operation since then. The church has a rich history and has been a beacon of religious and community life for generations. The church is located at 123 East Main Street in Carthage, Texas 75633.

**Strength For Living**

**By George C. Dean**

The morning sun streamed through the windows, casting a warm glow over the room. The fragrance of fresh baked bread filled the air, and the sound of laughter filled the room. It was a beautiful morning, and the day was off to a great start.

**Fairplay Baptist Church**

**Missionary to Zimbabwe to speak**

The missionary to Zimbabwe arrived at the church, and the congregation was gathered around to hear his words. He spoke of his journey, and the challenges he faced along the way. The crowd was inspired by his stories, and the message he shared.

**Southside Baptist plans seniors’ day**

Southside Baptist Church is planning a special day for their senior citizens. The church will host a luncheon, and a variety of activities will be offered to celebrate the seniors’ contributions to the community.

**Christian Women’s Club sets luncheon**

The Christian Women’s Club has set a luncheon for this upcoming Sunday. The event will be held at the church, and it promises to be a wonderful gathering of friends and family.

**Contemporary chapel constructed from white oak, natural timbers**

The new chapel at the church was constructed from white oak and natural timbers. It is a beautiful space, and it provides a peaceful and serene environment for worship.

**Unusual chapel is landmark**

Architecturally, one of the most interesting aspects of the church is the chapel. The chapel is constructed from unusual materials that create a unique visual effect.

**Plaque gives pertinent historical data**

The plaque in the church gives pertinent historical data about the church and its significance.

**Detail from intricately carved chapel door**

The intricate carvings on the door of the chapel add a touch of elegance and beauty to the space.

**Pony Express idea gets nod**

The idea to create a Pony Express theme was approved by the committee. The committee was pleased with the proposal, and they look forward to implementing it in the future.

**County commissioners approve new courthouse**

The county commissioners approved the new courthouse. The new courthouse will provide additional space and modern amenities to better serve the county.

**Rationing not needed**

Although April showers were predicted, the need for rationing was not thought to be necessary. According to the weather forecast, the rain was expected to be sufficient for the crops.

**Brandi comes home**

Brandi, who had been away for a while, returned home. Her presence was welcomed by all, and she was celebrated by her family and friends.

**Commissions hold court in new quarters**

The commissioners held court in their new quarters. The new quarters provided a more comfortable and efficient space for the commissioners to conduct their business.

**Color contest starts today**

The color contest starts today. The contest is open to all, and the winner will receive a prize.

**PJC to present Alice**

The PJC will present "Alice". The performance is set for this Saturday night. The cast and crew have been working hard to bring this production to life.

**April dry, but not driest on record**

Although April showers were predicted, the weather did not cooperate. However, the rain was sufficient to prevent the driest conditions.

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**Four performances already sold out**

Four performances of "Alice in Wonderland" have already sold out. The production is set for this Saturday night, and tickets are expected to sell out quickly.

**By Tom Bailey**

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**Calling all horse lovers**

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**DeBerry News**

Many families of Carthage City Police Department staff were present for the annual dinner at the Carthage Sons of the American Legion Post 142 located at 1001 S. Alabama St. on May 13. The dinner consisted of a delicious meal, live music by the Great American Legends, and a silent auction.

**4-H Shooting Club wins awards**

Panola County 4-H Shooting Sports entered four teams into the 4-H National Shooting Sports Championships held in June in Colorado. The Panola County 4-H Shooting Sports team placed first in the rankings.

**Ladies auxiliary to participate in Trades Day**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Panola County Sheriff's Office invited the Panola County Auxiliary to participate in the annual Trades Day event on May 15. The event is held to showcase different industries and services available in the county.

**Carthage City Police officer wins awards**

Carthage City Police officer Carl Mazzola was honored during a recent ceremony. Mazzola was awarded the Panola County Sheriff’s Department’s highest honor, the Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award. Mazzola was recognized for his dedication and service to the community.

**Nearly 400 pounds last weekend**

More drugs seized

Once again, Carthage police officers uncovered a large drug bust in the area. This time, officers seized over 400 pounds of marijuana. The bust was the result of a months-long investigation and is the largest drug bust in Carthage’s history.

**DeBerry News**

DeBerry News is a local newsletter that covers news and events in the DeBerry area. The newsletter is published by the DeBerry Chamber of Commerce. The newsletter covers a wide range of topics, including local politics, business news, and community events.

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Legislators have four weeks left
School fund ruling enters budget battle

By Donald Williams

Lawmakers want to know in the closing weeks of a new session with Gov. Jim Livingston and the state's public school funding system the state's public education secretary and several other state lawmakers are struggling to keep the budget for the next fiscal year.

"The current situation, which will be discussed at the April 11 legislative session, is being reviewed by the legislature's Committee on Education and Appropriations," said state Rep. Charles Davis, D-Demopolis, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee.

Davis said the legislature is looking at the issues of teacher pay and benefits, school funding and the budget for the next fiscal year.

The legislature is trying to balance the budget for the next fiscal year, which starts July 1, while also addressing the school funding crisis.

"The legislature has been working on the school funding plan for the past few months," Davis said. "We're trying to come up with a plan that will balance the budget and provide adequate funding for our schools."
MOTHER'S DAY
May 10th

Welcome ribbon cut at Church's Fried Chicken
Pender County Chamber of Commerce presented at Church's Fried Chicken a ribbon cutting ceremony Monday. Participating in the "Welcome to Carthage" event were members of the Pender County Chamber of Commerce, local business owners, and other attendees, as well as local civic leaders.

ALUMNI BASKETBALL GAME
The annual Alumni Basketball Game will be held this Saturday at 3 p.m. The game is open to the public and will be held at the Carthage High School gym.

TDA issues stop-sale orders for eggs
On May 4th, the TDA issued stop-sale orders for eggs produced by Chapman's, a major poultry producer. The TDA found that Chapman's eggs contained harmful levels of salmonella.

Chapman introduces oil import fee bill
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Market report
Cooperative Extension in Pender County, LC, has announced the following market report:

- Butter: $2.50 per pound
- Cheese: $1.50 per pound
- eggs: $1.25 per dozen

July 15th

MOTHERS' DAY
For that Special Mother, get her 
A Special Gift

We Have A Good Selection Of 
*Butter *Chocolates *Flowers *And Other Gift Ideas

Moer Day Report

SOUTH CAROLINA SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION

The monthly meeting of the South Carolina Sheriffs' Association was held on May 15th. The meeting was attended by sheriffs from all over the state. The main topic of discussion was the issue of budget cuts and how they will affect the sheriffs' departments. The sheriffs discussed ways to increase funding for their departments and to provide better services to the community.

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Employees honored at district banquet

Local state highway department award winners

Early drivers and service award winners were presented by local Department of Highway and Public works officials at the annual meeting of the Texas County ethereumers’ Association. Among the honorees were: Robert Jones, George Brown, Eugene Bonds, Edgar Jones, and Buckly Knight.

Carthage High School honor roll students listed

The excellence high school is proud to announce its honor roll students for the current semester. The following students have been recognized for their academic achievements:

- Female
  - Elizabeth Brown
  - Sarah Davis
  - Emily Evans
  - Laura Green
  - Olivia Johnson
  - Rachel King
  - Emily Miller
  - Ashley Thompson
  - Jennifer Price
  - Samantha Rodriguez

- Male
  - Jack Brown
  - Thomas Davis
  - Ethan Evans
  - Hunter Green
  - Ben Johnson
  - Jack King
  - Michael Miller
  - Andrew Thompson
  - Jordan Price
  - Ethan Rodriguez

These students have demonstrated exceptional dedication to their studies and are an inspiration to their peers.

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Seaman King completes recruitment training

The Seaman King, a veteran of World War II, has completed his recruitment training at the Navy’s Recruit Training Command in Great Lakes, Illinois. During his training, he participated in various physical training activities and received his Navy uniform. Seaman King will now serve as a Recruit Training Chief, instructing and mentoring new recruits into the military service.

Conference Champs

PJC’s Mark Heims and manager Kenny Houze coach Jackie Davis with ice water after her Ponies won another NECC championship Saturday.

Wednesday, May 8, 1987

Section B

SPORTS MIDWEEK

Hall stops Angelina, 9-2

Ponies cop NET title

By TED LEACH

Gross 9-2 title hat is a lot different from previous NET Championship games. This year’s Ponies have had to work for their title and prove their worth to the nation, especially after last year’s disappointing finish.

Dr. K misses record

Castleberry fans 17 as Dogs whip Tribe

By TED LEACH

When Dr. K stepped down, the Tribe finally realized what was missing in their team—Dr. K’s record-breaking ability. Now that he’s gone, the Tribe is struggling to keep up.

Dr. K would draw on another record, but it’s not the one he’s been chasing. Instead, he’s been chasing after something else.

Monday - Friday, We Are Now OPEN TILL 5:30 P.M.
Close At Noon
Saturday
**Carthage baseball**

**Batting-fielding**

**Second in discus**

Osborn gets state berth

**Pitching**

DEVINOS: "The Osborn track team is well ahead of where we were last year. We have a good group of seniors with great experience. They have set the tone for the rest of the team."

Osborn placed fifth in the regional meet and qualified three for state. The discus is a strength for the team.

Julie Osborn threw the discus and finished second in the state meet. She won the regional meet and qualified for state. She has set a new school record and is close to state qualifying.

Osborn's record in the discus was 120-6, which is the 10th best in the state. She also qualified for state in the javelin and the shot put.

**At region**

**Hollie fails**

CHS girls third

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DENISON - Carthage's young girls golf team earned third place at the Region 12-4A meet held at the Denison Country Club. The Lady Carthage senior is the only returning member of the team. The Lady Carthage junior placed second in the regional meet.

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Jeryl Dobson Jr. will present piano recital

Jeryl Dobson Jr. of Carthage will present a piano recital on May 10th at 7:30 pm in the Carthage Community Center. The program will include works by Chopin and Schumann. Dobson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeryl Dobson Sr. of Carthage, who are both musicians and avid supporters of the arts. This event is free and open to the public.

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Cantaloupe among nature's great inspirations

Cantaloupes are a delicious and refreshing summer fruit that are often enjoyed as a cool and sweet treat. They are also rich in vitamins and minerals, making them a healthy and nutritious option. Cantaloupes have a sweet and juicy flavor that is perfect for snacking or adding to salads and desserts.

In addition to their delicious taste, cantaloupes are also known for their bright orange color, which is visually appealing and adds to their appeal. They are a popular choice for many people who enjoy incorporating fruits into their diets, and they are often enjoyed as a refreshing summer treat.

Another reason to enjoy cantaloupes is their nutritional value. They are a good source of vitamins A and C, as well as potassium and fiber, which are important for maintaining good health. Cantaloupes are also a good source of lutein, which is thought to promote eye health.

Enjoying cantaloupes in moderation can be a healthy and delicious way to incorporate fruit into your diet. Whether you enjoy them as a snack or as an ingredient in a salad or dessert, cantaloupes are a tasty and nutritious addition to any summer meal.

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Good Taste

Readers' swap

Basic cheesecake plus pair of variations given

Cheesecake is a classic dessert that is enjoyed by many people around the world. The basic cheesecake recipe is simple and easy to make, and it can be customized to suit individual tastes and preferences.

Cheesecake is typically made with a base of graham crackers or another type of crust, a creamy cheese mixture, and a topping or topping that is added to the top of the cake. The cheesecake can be served plain or with a variety of toppings, such as fruit, chocolate, or whipped cream.

Cheesecake is a versatile dessert that can be made with a variety of ingredients, making it a popular choice for many people who enjoy incorporating fruits and other desserts into their diets.

Homemakers' hotline

Diet best used as roadmap

Dieting is a common goal for many people who want to lose weight or improve their overall health. It is important to approach dieting in a healthy and sustainable way, rather than trying to make radical changes to your diet or lifestyle.

It is important to remember that dieting is not a magic solution, but rather a roadmap or a framework that can help you make better choices and develop healthy habits over time. It is important to maintain a healthy and balanced diet that includes a variety of foods from all food groups, and to make sure to include plenty of fruits and vegetables in your diet.

It is also important to remember that dieting is not a one-size-fits-all approach, and what works for one person may not work for another. It is important to consult with a healthcare provider or a registered dietitian before making significant changes to your diet, and to be patient and persistent in your efforts to develop a healthy and sustainable diet.
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