Murder sting: Texarkana

Theresa Downing

The 1976 CHS seniors celebrate graduation by throwing their caps after singing the school song.

To spur economic development

Carthage approved as TEXCEL

In a preliminary vote Monday night, theunits of the Carthage Economic Development Commission in Carthage, Chamber of Commerce executive vice president Tommie Gaind and the application submitted by Occidental, the chamber, the TEDC approved the terms of the economic development agreement.

The interest rate of 7 percent is another step toward the ultimate aim of community leaders in attracting being business and industry here, which growth will impact our community and the Texas Coastal Bend.

For jail electronic monitoring

Hawaii probe approved

County commissioners approved Monday evening a proposal by the Hawaii State Board of Education to move its electronic control system, which would allow the county to electronically monitor inmates in the county jail.

Hawaii is responsible for a large portion of the jail's automated control system at the security and temperature controls and the fire and security alarm systems.

Pete Wehn, a spokesman for the state, said the proposal will cost about $10 million.

Anderson to speak

Coming from the state budget deadlock in Austin, Texas, State Sen. Sean Anderson, R-Paris, is heading to a meeting with the Texas State University students to discuss the state's budget, as well as highlighting issues of the late passed during the 73rd session. The senator is also expected to visit the university.

Marshall reports largest bust

Lawrence Marshall, U.S. Attorney for the Southern District of Texas, announced the largest single drug bust in the history of the Southern District of Texas.

The bust, which involved 100 kilograms of cocaine, was made in Dallas, Texas, and resulted in the arrest of 15 people, including Marshall's federal grand jury.

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Austin highlights:
Special session to have one issue: the budget

[Editorial and news articles follow, discussing various topics including budget issues, commencement exercises, employment, and community events.]
**Business/Agriculture**

**Weekly ag update:**

**Ponds losing oxygen**

Increasing impoundment and decreased water movement can cause oxygen deficits in ponds,歆 said the extension agent. It is common to find up to 5 mg/L oxygen levels in water more than 6 ft deep on hot, sunny days. If ponds are over 3 ft deep with less than 4 mg/L oxygen, it is advisable to aerate the water to enhance oxygen levels. Although aeration can ensure adequate oxygen levels, it is expensive and not always necessary. However, Chapman said co-ops have some options to deal with oxygen deficits.

**Bank honors retiree**

The Farm Bureau honored retired county agent, Jimmie Bailey, at its annual meeting in Carthage last week. Bailey was a member of the Farm Bureau for 39 years and served as its president for two terms. He was also a member of the state board of directors for 15 years.

**Collision injures woman**

A two-vehicle collision on U.S. 59 near Carthage injured a woman, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety. The woman, identified as Diane Johnson, 55, of Carthage, was taken to a local hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. The other vehicle was a truck, and the driver was unharmed.
Kid fishing tournament at Lake Murvaul Saturday
Lions host fishing rodeo

The Homestead Lions Club will host an 11th Annual Kid Fishing Tournament at Lake Murvaul Saturday, June 9th. registration begins at 8:00 a.m. with fishing from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Trophies will be awarded for largest and best catch of fish. Divisions are set for ages 4-6 and ages 7-14. Trophies will be awarded for age and sex divisions as well as overall catch. The day will also feature games and lots of fish for kids ages 10-14. Food will be served at the park. For more information contact the Homestead Lions Club at 501-555-1212.

The Homestead Lions Club will also host a Fishing Rodeo on Saturday, June 9th at Lake Murvaul. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. with fishing from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Prizes will be awarded for largest and best catch of fish. Divisions are set for ages 4-6 and ages 7-14. Trophies will be awarded for age and sex divisions as well as overall catch. The day will also feature games and lots of fish for kids ages 10-14. Food will be served at the park. For more information contact the Homestead Lions Club at 501-555-1212.
Dixie 6 round-up

ARKLA wins

Joel Roof captured the bottom of the North and the August home 10-3 in two hits in the third round, making it the fourth home run in Dixie's 6 win in the third round. In total, the Dixie won a total of 10-3, led by the hometown Dixie's 6, with 10 hits, including four home runs. Joey Roof had a run each in the first and the second innings, while Mike O'Brien added two runs in the first inning, and Matt Thompson had two runs in the third inning. Mike O'Brien and Matt Thompson each had two runs, while Mike O'Brien had two runs and Matt Thompson had two runs.

Homers pace win

Michael Snowing led the home run in the third inning. He hit a home run in the third inning to bring in three runs. Snowing hit a home run in the third inning to bring in two runs. Snowing hit a home run in the third inning to bring in one run. Snowing hit a home run in the third inning to bring in one run.

Lanoxus named to tour team

Lorain Lanoxus, pitcher of the week, was named to the tour team. Lanoxus has a 1.97 ERA in 19 innings, with 24 strikeouts and 12 walks. Lanoxus has a 1.97 ERA in 19 innings, with 24 strikeouts and 12 walks. Lanoxus has a 1.97 ERA in 19 innings, with 24 strikeouts and 12 walks. Lanoxus has a 1.97 ERA in 19 innings, with 24 strikeouts and 12 walks.

TC trips

Bowie Pizza photos

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Dixie 9-10 round-up

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Pirates 24, First National 20

Shane Ewing, Michael Snowing, Matt Thompson, and Mike O'Brien each hit a home run in the first inning. Shane Ewing had two runs, while Michael Snowing had one run, and Matt Thompson had one run. Mike O'Brien had two runs in the first inning.

Kiwans 6, Lions 5

Tom Flowers, Matt Thompson, and Mike O'Brien each had a home run in the first inning. Tom Flowers had two runs, while Matt Thompson had one run, and Mike O'Brien had one run. Matt Thompson had two runs in the first inning.

Lanoxus had a tie with eight runs each in the fifth inning. Lanoxus had two runs, while Lanoxus had two runs. Lanoxus had two runs, while Lanoxus had two runs.

PNB regains tie

Mason Allen scored two runs and two singles in his second at-bat in the seventh inning. Mason Allen scored two runs and two singles in his second at-bat in the seventh inning. Mason Allen scored two runs and two singles in his second at-bat in the seventh inning. Mason Allen scored two runs and two singles in his second at-bat in the seventh inning.

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May rainfall below average

According to records maintained by the National Weather Service in Duluth, May was the wettest month in more than 12 years. Precipitation for May was 1.94 inches, which is more than double the normal of 0.9 inches for the month.

Official rainfall chart for Carthage

January February March April May June July August September October November December
1.94 1.92 1.96 1.85 1.93 1.85 1.91 1.91 1.86 1.91 1.94 1.92

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FOR SALE

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New Ford, 1985 F-150, 5.0L, automatic, air Conditioning, power windows, power locks, cruise control, tilt wheel, excellent condition, $3,500. Contact 503-1212.

For Sale

1978 Chevrolet C10, 454, automatic, air Conditioning, power windows, power locks, tilt wheel, excellent condition, $4,500. Contact 503-1212.

Filling Sign

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1978 Chevrolet C10, 454, automatic, air Conditioning, power windows, power locks, tilt wheel, excellent condition, $4,500. Contact 503-1212.

Rodeo Saturday

The End Times High School Rodeo will be held this Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Carthage Rodeo Grounds. Don't miss the action!

Business Professional Review

An Advertising Program Planned To Inform Area Residents Of Services Rendered By Firms On This Page

Carhusie Drug

Carthage Drug, your nearby store, on the Carthage square, offers complete prescription drug services. Visit Carthage Drug, 813 Main, Carthage, and find out why it's called the Drugstore with a difference.
LIFESTYLE

Flukes’ pointed career direction that proved right

By Dorothy Morrisey

Flukes’ WASHINGTON (AP) - Flukes’ career was far from smooth. He floundered for years before finding his true calling. But now he’s a successful entrepreneur, and he acknowledges that it was a long and difficult road to get there.

"I couldn’t make it on my own," Flukes said. "So I went to work for a big company and learned the ropes. Once I knew what I was doing, I went out on my own and started my own business. It’s been a rollercoaster, but I wouldn’t have it any other way."

Flukes’ parents were both in the music business, and Flukes always knew he wanted to be a musician. But he struggled to find his niche in the industry. He tried songwriting, but his songs never caught on. He tried recording, but he couldn’t sell enough records to make a living. He tried touring, but the road life wasn’t for him.

"I never thought I’d make it as a musician," Flukes said. "But I just kept plugging away. I met some great people along the way, and they helped me find my voice."

Eventually, Flukes found success as an independent artist. He released a few albums, and his music started to catch on. He started getting some radio play, and his fan base grew. Today, Flukes is a successful musician, and he’s grateful for the journey it took to get there.

"I’m so glad I stuck with it," Flukes said. "I wouldn’t have been able to achieve what I have if I’d given up."

Flukes’ story is a testament to perseverance. He faced many challenges, but he never gave up on his dreams. And in the end, he proved that hard work and determination can pay off.

Miss Yarborough receives gift from daughter

Ann Morris'

Days Gone By

Ann Morris is the leader of the Church of God and Church of God in Christ, a denomination that traces its roots back to the 19th century. The church has a strong emphasis on social justice and community service, and Morris has been a vocal advocate for these causes.

"We believe in the power of community," Morris said. "That’s why we work so hard to build strong relationships with our members and the community at large. It’s about making a difference in the world."

Morris’ leadership style is characterized by a focus on inclusivity and accessibility. She has worked to make the church welcoming to all, regardless of background or belief.

"Our church is for everyone," Morris said. "We welcome people from all walks of life, and we strive to make sure everyone feels valued and respected."

Morris’ message is one of hope and empowerment. She encourages her followers to find their own paths, and to use their unique talents and perspectives to make a positive impact on the world.

"We believe that everyone has something valuable to offer," Morris said. "And we encourage our members to discover and share that with the world."

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GOOD TASTE

Readers' Swap

Houston lawyer sends favorite tamale recipe

A reader sent the following recipe for a tamale recipe that she got from a Houston lawyer. The recipe is for a tamale mixture that is a bit different from the usual masa-based tamale filling. It calls for ground beef and is made with cornmeal for the masa. The reader has had great success with this recipe and finds it to be a great way to use up ground beef.

Ingredients:
- 1 lb ground beef
- 1 cup cornmeal
- 2 cups water
- 1/2 cup chopped onions
- 1/2 cup chopped green peppers
- 1/2 cup chopped tomatoes
- 1/2 cup chopped celery
- 1/2 cup chopped mushrooms
- 1/2 cup chopped green chilies
- 1/2 cup chopped green onions
- 1/2 cup chopped cilantro
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tsp ground cumin
- 1 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp black pepper
- 1/2 tsp cumin
- 1/4 tsp paprika
- 1/4 tsp dried oregano
- 2 cups corn masa
- 4 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/2 cup butter
- 2 cups chicken broth

Instructions:
1. In a large pot, cook the ground beef over medium heat until browned. Drain excess fat.
2. Add the cornmeal and water. Stir well and cook until thickened.
3. Add the chopped onions, green peppers, tomatoes, celery, mushrooms, green chilies, green onions, cilantro, garlic, cumin, salt, black pepper, cumin, paprika, and oregano. Stir well and cook for 10 minutes.
4. Add the masa and cook for an additional 10 minutes.
5. In a small pot, melt the butter and add the chicken broth. Stir well.
6. Add the chicken broth mixture to the tamale mixture and stir well.
7. Place the tamale mixture in a tamale pan or in corn husks and wrap tightly.
8. Place the tamales in a steamer and cook over low heat for 1 hour.
9. Serve hot with your favorite toppings.

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