When the earth seized up

Pearl Harbor: reliving the ‘Day of Infamy’

By Phil Murt

December 7, 1941, was a day that
nobody will ever forget. The attack
on Pearl Harbor was a turning point in
American history, and it changed the
course of the Second World War. The
attack was carried out by the Japanese
Navy, and it came as a complete surprise
to the American forces. The attack
brought the United States into the war,
and it was a catalyst for the entry of
every major power into the conflict.

Lynn pulled his stickarm, 46 automatic, and started
degree airmarks on the plane. That woke up the Marines who
all had weapons. Some of them came out and started
trying to fight... —James Roy Murphy

with Axis powers Germany and Italy
by signing the anti-Comintern Pact.

Though the 1940 president
the attack in Pearl Harbor. Roosevelt
and the Challengers, 1984, Simon
& Schuster. The book is a must-read for
any American patriot to relish
this moment.

—James Roy Murphy

Lum was preparing to meet the
265 Japanese that day, but he was
not to expect a surprise attack.

“Just before dawn, I heard a noise
outside the room where I was
sleeping,” he recalled. “It was the
sound of a motor, and when I
looked outside, I saw a Japanese
aircraft carrier. I knew it was a
raid, but I had no idea what it
was.”

The attack lasted for only two
hours, but it was devastating.

“THe damage was massive,”
Lum said. “The Japanese
bombers destroyed many of our
planes, and the battleships
were severely damaged.”

The Pearl Harbor attack
 Ramadan also entered corsairs into
the Atlantic Ocean sifting for
prized spoils. The war ended up being
the turning point for the Allies.

The first bomb fell on Pearl
Harbor, and the attack continued
in tempo.

A Question of When
For some Americans, Pearl
Harbor was not as much of a shock as
the loss of life and property. In fact,
many people in the United States were
unprepared for the war that was to
come. However, for others, it was
the moment they had been waiting for.

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American history.

Code broken in 1940

By Phil Martin

December 7, 1940, was a
historic day in the
United States. The
U.S. Army Signal
Corps, led by
Army Chief of
Staff George C.
Marshall,
broke through 150
Japanese
secret codes
that had
been
sealing
the
military
communications
of the
Japanese
forces in the
Pacific.

The
breakthrough
was a
military
intervention
that
influenced
the
outcome
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the
war.

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Honors copped by CJHS band in region meet

By Sheyda Gerby

The CJHS band members
represented at the Region Band
meet on Saturday were the
schools of Carthage, Sikeston,
and Union. The band members
dancing alone with positive
energy were the first to arrive.

Until Brooke Hansen, a
director of the band, arrived,
the students were the only
ones who could be seen. The
students were dancing alone
with positive energy.

The Region Band
meet was held in the
Carthage High School
auditorium, and
there were 100
students
in
different
grades
attending.

At the end of the
performance, the
students were
honored for their
efforts.

Beckville, DeSoto set to go

Parades roll all over county

Residents in Beckville and DeSoto
are getting ready for the Christmas
day parade. The two towns will
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Sara will continue to be at
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What will happen to the Democrats?

The Democratic Party can no longer afford to be a one-issue party. It needs to broaden its appeal and appeal to a wider range of voters. It is a party that was once known for its strong social and economic policies, but it has lost ground in recent years. The party needs to develop a new strategy that can attract voters from both the left and the right. It needs to be more responsive to the needs of the people and more in tune with the times.

Good news for legislators: state income up

Alaska legislators are expected to receive a $2.5 million bonus for their work during the current session. The bonus is being paid out under a new law passed last year that requires the state to pay its employees a bonus when the state's budget surplus exceeds $500 million. The bonus is based on the state's total budget surplus, which is estimated to be around $550 million.

At Panola College

Cheerleaders keep busy

The 15 Panola College Cheerleaders are keeping the school spirit alive. They have been busy preparing for the upcoming football season, which starts in September. The team is made up of both men and women, and they perform at all home games. They are also planning to compete in a national cheerleading competition later this year.

Producers warned frost can change forage situations

A light frost the week of Dec. 6 could hurt small grasses, but alfalfa and clover will not be adversely affected. Those crops are usually not sensitive to frost damage. A hard frost, however, could cause some problems. As the temperature drops, crops that have already grown will not freeze. However, crops that are still growing will be affected. The plants may not be able to recover from the cold.
Webelos earn Arrow of Light

Webelos Jenny Young and Davy Christy were two of the 300 Webelos who received the Arrow of Light award at the Marshall Center last month. The Arrow of Light is the highest award a Webelo can achieve and is presented at the conclusion of the Boy Scout program to Webelos who maintain good grades, help others, and give service to their community. In addition to Jenny and Davy, other Webelos who received the award include Ben O'Byrne, Austen Grover, and Besta Davis.

Eagle Scout ceremony

Grand Marshall Plus, Harbor Creek High School; Misty Wilcox, Cedar Park Jr. High; Patrick Johnson, Curtis School; and Kelly Zink, Foreman High School were among those who received the Eagle Scout award. The Eagle Scout award is given to Scouts who complete a project that benefits their community.

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Stave off Shreveport Woodlawn rally

CHS ladies win, 37-34

By TED LEACH

At times the Carthage Lady Longhorns had all the shots and not enough of the shots, and at other times they just didn’t get enough of the shots.

The Longhorns won on a last-ditch effort by Elizabeth Landrum in the second half.

During the game, Carthage led 17-6 in the second quarter, but fell behind 21-17 in the third.

At the end of the third quarter, Carthage led 24-21, but Woodlawn caught up in the fourth quarter, leading 32-30.

Landrum made the winning shot with 1.5 seconds left in the game, giving the Lady Longhorns a 37-34 win.

Dogs win Bears’ meet

By TED LEACH

Dogs’ Anthony Williams (34) battles for rebound

Eagles’ quarterback Philip Collingsworth held his own against the Bearcats’ defense.

Collingsworth completed 11 of 18 passes for 151 yards and two touchdowns, including a 54-yarder to Jaylon King for the game-winning score.

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Beat Pearl River in classic, 90-70

Fillies get ninth victory

By TED LEACH

Pearl River, Miss. -- A lot of people thought the game would be a little closer than it was. But it wasn't. And there were no problems on the way, either. Cushing's girls' basketball team is off to a 9-0 start and proved it again Saturday.

The Fillies defeated Pearl River, 90-70, in the final game of the Central District Tournament. The win was the Fillies' ninth of the year and they are 9-0 in the district.

The Fillies had 15 steals, 18 turnovers and 17 assists in the win. They also had 15 rebounds, 10 assists and 10 steals.

In the first game of the tournament, Cushing defeated Pearl River, 88-85, in overtime.

The Fillies will now move on to the state tournament, which begins next week.

Cushing -- "Ball wouldn't drop"

Odessa defeats Panola

By TED LEACH

Panola, Miss. -- Odessa defeated Panola, 63-57, in the final game of the Central District Tournament.

The game was close throughout, with the Fillies taking the lead for good with 1:18 left in the game. Odessa led by as much as 21 points in the second half.

The Fillies had 10 steals, 15 turnovers and 13 assists in the win. They also had 12 rebounds, 10 assists and 8 steals.

In the first game of the tournament, Odessa defeated Panola, 75-72, in overtime.

The Fillies will now move on to the state tournament, which begins next week.

Odessa -- "Ball wouldn't drop"

Pups cop tournament


The Lady Dogs scored 15 points in the first quarter, 20 in the second, 10 in the third and 11 in the fourth.

In the first game of the tournament, the Lady Dogs defeated the Lady Bulldogs, 59-55, in overtime.

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Jacksonville -- "Ball wouldn't drop"

Bulldogs third in frosh meet


The Lady Bulldogs scored 36 points in the first quarter, 35 in the second, 33 in the third and 34 in the fourth.

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Jacksonville -- "Ball wouldn't drop"
Police report

Carthage man arrested

A Carthage man was arrested Monday evening to police headquarters at 7:02 P.M. on a warrant from the Texas Department of Corrections for a charge of theft.

The warrant was issued by the department after the man was found in possession of property stolen from a local business.

Library Corner

Christmas gift toy will serve as ticket to Marshall concert

A popular Christmas toy will serve as a ticket to a Marshall concert this year. The toy, known as a "Holly Bear," has been chosen as the official Christmas toy for the Marshall Christmas tree in Carthage.

The Holly Bear will be sold at local merchants and businesses, and the proceeds will go towards the maintenance of the Christmas tree and other festive decorations in Carthage.

Panola County Roots

By ROSSIE GLADWELL

A new printed edition of the Panola County Roots, a genealogy book published by the Panola County Historical Society, has been released.

The new edition includes updated information on the history of the Panola County area, as well as new research on local families.

Christmas in Carthage sold out for Thursday

Carthage's annual Christmas in Carthage event sold out for Thursday's performances. The event, which features caroling, holiday lights, and a visit from Santa, is a popular annual tradition in Carthage.

Send us your Christmas church schedules.

For the Sunday Advent Christmas church schedules are available. Brings us the schedules of all the churches that we have in Carthage and around the Panola County area. If you have any of these schedules, email them to us at: churchschedules@carthage.com.
**Good Taste**

For seasoned (and seasoning) cooks...

**Superior chili is taste-as-you-go process**

![Image of chili recipe]

By Dorothy White

Chili is a food our family has a "signature" for. We make it every year, and I want you to know it is a "taste-as-you-go" process.

You start with a basic recipe, but it is really a "recipe" without a recipe, because a chili is made of what you have in the pantry, what is fresh, what needs to be used up. The trick is to make sure it is not overpowering, not too spicy, not too bland. It needs to be a balance of flavors, a blend of spices and seasonings.

Here is a basic recipe:

- 2 lbs ground beef
- 1 onion, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 can diced tomatoes
- 1 can kidney beans
- 1 can black beans
- 1 can red kidney beans
- 1 can green chilies
- 2 tbsp chili powder
- 1 tsp cumin
- 1 tsp cayenne pepper
- 1 tsp paprika
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 tsp black pepper

Preheat oven to 350°F. Brown the ground beef in a large pot. Add the onion and garlic and sauté until the onion is translucent. Add the remaining ingredients and stir to combine. Cover and simmer for 2 hours or until the flavors have melded and the beans are tender. Adjust seasonings to taste. Serve with your choice of toppings.

Chili is a comfort food and a staple of the holiday season. It is a dish that brings people together, and it is a dish that is always a hit. It is a dish that is easy to make and easy to enjoy. It is a dish that is a reminder of the simple pleasures of life.
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4. Entries will be judged on the basis of originality and neatness.
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7. All entries are to be colored in crayons!
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