Ross named Fireman of the Year

By Randy Young

Carthage Firefighter Mike Ross was named Carthage Firefighter of the Year last year at the Carthage Volunteer Fire Department's Christmas banquet, Dec. 13.

"What else could you ask for?" said Ross, who accepted the honor from Carthage Fire Chief, Brenda Lott.

Ross, who has been a member of the department for four years, was honored for his service and dedication to the department.

"You get a lot of respect and recognition when you save lives," Ross said. "You get a lot of things done because of the respect you have for your job and your community."

 Ross received a standing ovation as he accepted his award.

Motion dies for lack of second

Gary council considers gas rate reduction

By Randy Young

A motion to reduce gas rates for customers using City Natural Gas died last week during a heated debate among council members.

In a nearly unanimous vote, the council voted to continue the current rates for the next fiscal year.

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For January changes
New Medicare policies not needed

Nancy's Christmas
Santa Claus visited the children at "Nancy's Christmas," a program for the elderly in need of cheer. He brought gifts and a singalong. Photo by Rosemary Sikes. Also, a special musical performance was held in the evening.

New arrival
"Santa Jan.," beneath the tree.
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The more things change...


"You already have enough, and even more than you can talk. You are giving the whole others to

Photograph your business. Take time for thought of

Holding the ball, remembering a shortstop

There’s a sports field’s rhythm in the air, the sound of

Case worker’s notebook

New environment worked magic in Susie

To the editor:

Trooper James Green remembered

To the editor:

Student needs must be focus of TSAP

Gary School District receives TEAMS results

There Oughta Be A Law Against Such Low Prices!
**Business/Agriculture**

**Kilpatrick Life Insurance opens local office**

Kilpatrick Life Insurance Company, a national insurance organization, recently opened a new office in Townsville. Located at 1234 Main Street, the office will serve residents in the area with comprehensive life insurance and investment needs.

*By John Doe*

**Music club members enjoy Christmas program**

“Music in the Round” club members united for their third annual Christmas performance at the Opera House on December 15. The event included a variety of holiday favorites performed by local musicians and the club’s choir.

*By Jane Smith*

**Santa Claus can be hard to find**

By Ron Brown

This Christmas, Santa Claus may be harder to find than usual. With a busy schedule and limited resources, the jolly old elf is struggling to deliver presents to everyone.

“Children are often disappointed when they don’t find Santa Claus,” said Mrs. Claus. “We’re doing our best to make sure everyone gets a gift, but it’s a challenging time.”

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Gary school lists 55 on honor roll

By far students were accorded to the Gary Junior High School of the 1985-1986 school year. The student body was divided into three sections: 11th, 12th, and 13th. The school year is divided into four semesters, each semester being six months long. The school has a total of 1200 students, 800 of whom are enrolled in the honors program. The honors program is designed to provide students with a challenging curriculum and to prepare them for college.

New Year's Celebration

Saturday, December 31st
8 p.m. Til 7

At the New Year's Eve celebration at The Plantation Steak & Seafood, 127 W. Seabrook, Cartage, Missouri, you will enjoy a special New Year's Eve menu featuring prime rib, seafood, and other delicious dishes. The event includes live entertainment, a dance floor, and a special New Year's Eve toast. Tickets are available for $35 per person. For more information, call (660) 487-1234.

County SFA students finish with honors

The students from the SFA County in the southeastern United States are setting a new standard for academic excellence. The SFA County is known for its strong agricultural and rural heritage, and its students have a strong work ethic. The SFA County is a leader in the production of agricultural products, and its students are well-prepared to enter the workforce.

Area deaths

A message of condolences is sent to the family and friends of Mrs. Smith, who passed away on December 23rd. Mrs. Smith was a beloved member of the community and will be missed by all.

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Look for more Christmas pictures in upcoming issues

YOUR NEW NEIGHBORS ARE YOUR OLD FRIENDS.
Good comes from hoax

Students send Christmas cards to Shriners hospital

By Donald Carrey

Area school and preschool students have sold Christmas cards to raise money for the Shriners Hospital.

The cards were designed and sold by students at the school and preschool.

The cards have been sold to raise money for the hospital, which is located in Shreveport, Louisiana.

The cards are on sale for $1 each.

Correction

As shown in the Dec. 11 edition of the Panola County Post, there were errors in the December events section.

The events section was correct in the Panola County Post, but there were errors in the December events section.

We apologize for any confusion caused by these errors.

Panola County Post
Sunday, December 11, 1988
Lady Dogs thump 16-4A favorite

By TED LEAVERS

HONDO — The Lady Dogs scored 54 points in the second half to rout Peaster, 80-52, Wednesday night for their first win of the season.

The Lady Dogs have played five games, but have been at the bottom of the league, and have been struggling with injuries and other issues. Their first win of the season was a 54-52 victory over Peaster.

"It’s been a tough season," said head coach Mike Henderson. "We’ve had some injuries and other problems, but we’ve been working hard to get better.

"We’re still learning and improving, but we’re making progress. We’re looking forward to the rest of the season and hope to continue improving and getting better each game."
Tinkle has 24
Bobcats rip Tatum

The Tulehon, usually one of our afternoon paper's second smallest paper, has the following headline: "Tinkle has 24."

Bobcats rip Tatum."

In John Tyler tourney
Freshmen girls win consolation

TEC Basketball

TEC Standings

Carthage vs. Slays Dragons

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Pups perfect 10
In Henderson boys meet
Freshmen secure consolation title

Henderson — Carthage won the title of the Henderson boys high school basketball tournament by defeating East Tatum, 63-41 Tuesday night. Wood tallyied 26. Cats post 63-41 win.

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The Cats used 18 points from the free throw line to take the lead in the first half, 32-16. The lead expanded to 50-21 in the third period. Woods led all scorers with 26. Cats post 63-41 win.
CLASSIFIEDS

DEADLINES:
A.M. On Thursday
For Wednesday's Paper
A.M. On Friday
For Sunday's Paper

Harris Chapel News

At 11:30 a.m. Thursday morning, November 23rd, Harris Chapel held its annual Thanksgiving Celebration. The children from the Harris Chapel Preschool and Kindergarten were seated on stage in the middle of the sanctuary, waiting for their turn to present their music and dance numbers. The children ranged in age from two to five years old and they were all dressed in colorful costumes.

The program began with a prayer led by the Rev. Dr. John Smith, pastor of Harris Chapel. He welcomed everyone to the service and thanked them for their generosity and support.

Next, the children presented a variety of musical numbers, including songs about Thanksgiving and fall leaves. The children were very excited to perform and they did a great job.

Following the music, the Rev. Dr. Smith gave a message about the importance of giving thanks and being grateful. He talked about how we should always be thankful for the blessings we have in our lives.

Finally, the Rev. Dr. Smith invited everyone to join him in prayer, asking for God's blessings on our Thanksgiving meal and for the many people who are hungry and homeless in our community.

The service ended with a closing prayer and the distribution of goodie bags to the children.

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Area Church Schedules

Assembly of God
- Sunday School: 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
- Church Service: 11:00 a.m.

Church of Christ
- Sunday School: 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
- Church Service: 11:00 a.m.

Episcopal Church
- Sunday School: 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
- Church Service: 11:00 a.m.

Grace Baptist Church
- Sunday School: 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
- Church Service: 11:00 a.m.

Methodist Church
- Sunday School: 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
- Church Service: 11:00 a.m.

Morning rite at St. John's

Elizabeth Anne Kimball marries Louis D. Deppe

Elizabeth Anne Kimball of New York, was married here to Louis D. Deppe, on Monday, November 26, in a ceremony at the United Methodist Church. The couple was married by Rev. Robert S. Thompson. The couple will reside in New York.

At Rolling Hills Ranch

Gail Turner marries Timothy J. Cureton

Gail Turner and Timothy J. Cureton were married here on October 11, in a ceremony at the Rolling Hills Ranch. The couple was married by Rev. Robert S. Thompson. The couple will reside in New York.

Know Your Heritage

BY LISA L. LAGNO

(Story about heritage)

Youngblood Free Will Baptist Church
Youngblood Free Will Baptist Church was established in 1958 at the site. Land was donated by the Youngblood family. The church is located on Route 91, in the area.

These Merchants Urge You To Attend The Church Of Your Choice Sunday!

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Barbara's Center
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(Story about making antique bride's quilt)

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Home-Owned & Operated by Paul Carter
118 S. Sabine Carthage
Leisure Lodge
Nursing Home
700 S. Sabine Carthage
Coast to coast, but not Panola County

Biggs to appear Christmas Eve on network TV

By Dorothy Biggs

The Rev. Maucon Biggs Jr., son of the late Bishop Maucon Biggs, Sr., and Mrs. Elizabeth Biggs, are scheduled to appear on the Comedy Christmas Eve special for the CBS network. The Rev. Biggs is the administrative assistant of the Warner Tangerine Church in Birmingham, Ala. The special will be televised nationwide from Warner Tangerine Church at 10:30 p.m.

Strength For Living

BY JERRY BURNHAM

The following church activities were held for the month of December:

Central Baptist Church

Christmas Eve service on Christmas Eve. The Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor, will be the speaker. Doors open at 7 p.m.

First Baptist Church, Clayton

Christmas Eve service on Christmas Eve. The Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor, will be the speaker. Doors open at 7 p.m.

Northside Baptist Church

Christmas Eve service on Christmas Eve. The Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor, will be the speaker. Doors open at 7 p.m.

Reformed United Methodist Church

Christmas Eve service on Christmas Eve. The Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor, will be the speaker. Doors open at 7 p.m.

St. John's Episcopal Church

Christmas Eve service on Christmas Eve. The Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor, will be the speaker. Doors open at 7 p.m.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church

Christmas Eve service on Christmas Eve. The Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor, will be the speaker. Doors open at 7 p.m.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

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Southside Baptist Church

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Grace Notes

St. William's is set to join the rich tradition of Christmas Eve services in Panola County. The Rev. Maucon Biggs Jr., son of the late Bishop Maucon Biggs, Sr., and Mrs. Elizabeth Biggs, are scheduled to appear on the Comedy Christmas Eve special for the CBS network. The Rev. Biggs is the administrative assistant of the Warner Tangerine Church in Birmingham, Ala. The special will be televised nationwide from Warner Tangerine Church at 10:30 p.m.

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