Woman charged with abandoning kids on roadside

By Sherry Koosce
THE PANOLA WATCHMAN

A couple from Houston were arrest
and charged with plying the drugs to
their children in a desire to keep
the children with them. The couple
was seen by two motorists on a
highway near the town.

The charges against the couple
were: possession of methamphetamine,
possession of marijuana, and several
counts of child abandonment.

The couple was taken into custody
and are currently in the Panola
County Jail.

Assault of elderly citizen investigated

Carthage Police officers are
investigating a assault of an 83-
year-old Carthage woman who was
assaulted Sunday night.

The woman, who was attacked
in the 400 block of Main Street,
was taken to the hospital for
medical treatment.

The investigation is ongoing,
and the Carthage Police
Department is asking for any
information that may aid in
identifying the suspect.

Emergency medical personnel attend to Prath Patel who was injured Thursday.

Two injured in Thursday wreck

Two people were transported to
the hospital after a two-car
wreck on Thursday.

The accident occurred on
Shirley Street near the
intersection with
North Main Street.

It is believed that several
people were involved in the
wreck, but the exact number
is unknown.

Further information will be
released as it becomes
available.

Founder of CHS choir to perform here Tuesday

It is feared that the new CHS choir
will not be able to perform
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It is believed that the new
CHS choir will not be able to
perform because of the maid.

Further information will be
released as it becomes
available.

Sheriff's office puts new spin on war against drugs

By Sherry Koosce
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A new approach to the
war on drugs has been
announced by the
Panola County Sheriff's
Office.

The sheriff's office has
adopted a policy that
will focus on the
prevention of drug
trafficking.

It is believed that this new
approach will be more
effective in reducing drug
trafficking.

Further information will be
released as it becomes
available.

Hundreds observe judge's retirement

By Daniel Humphreidel
THE PANOLA WATCHMAN

A celebration was held for
Judge Wallace Hastings
who is retiring after
35 years of service.

The event was held at
the Panola County Courthouse
and was attended by over
200 people.

Judge Hastings was
honored for his service
and dedication to the
community.

Further information will be
released as it becomes
available.

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CHS baseball team members disciplined after vandalizing hotel

Several members of the CHS baseball team were disciplined after vandalizing a hotel during Spring Break. The team was staying at the Holiday Inn Express in Corpus Christi when several players entered the hotel gift shop and took items without permission. The hotel staff reported the incident to the police, and the players were subsequently disciplined by the school. Three players were suspended for one game, and two others received warnings. The team manager stated that the players were not representing the school properly and that appropriate discipline was necessary.

Kiwanis Club sponsors tree dedication

The Kiwanis Club of Corpus Christi is hosting a tree dedication ceremony on March 15th at 10:00 AM. The ceremony will take place at the Kiwanis Park on Main Street, and the public is welcome to attend. The tree dedication is part of the Kiwanis Club's ongoing effort to beautify the city by planting trees throughout the area. The ceremony will feature speeches by members of the Kiwanis Club and local dignitaries, as well as music and refreshments.

Former Briarcliff aide indicted for abuse of elderly patient

A former aide at the Briarcliff Nursing Home has been indicted for abuse of an elderly patient. The aide, who was a resident at the home, was charged with neglecting and abusing an elderly patient. The home's director stated that the aide had been terminated from her position due to the charges. The investigation is ongoing, and more charges may be filed.

Former head of the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of Texas indicted for mail fraud

A former head of the ACLU of Texas has been indicted for mail fraud. The indictment alleges that the individual fraudulently obtained government funding for the organization. The organization stated that it would cooperate fully with the authorities and would take steps to ensure that similar incidents do not occur in the future.

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Fillies shoot poorly, end hopes of playoff

BRYAN — Paints outscored a quick-starting Temple team 19-7 in the second half of Tuesday's playoff game to knock the Fillies out of the playoffs and into the consolation. The Fillies' victory was an eight-point thriller, with Temple's Magee winning a close finish 41-35.

Dawgs lose 6-2 in tourney play

BECKVILLE — The Dawgs were up 19 points in the second half of their playoff game against Temple, but they couldn't hold onto the lead and lost 6-2. Temple's Magee hit a three-pointer with three seconds left to secure the win.

Temple extends CHS loss streak

BECKVILLE — The Vikings added to their season loss streak by losing to Temple 6-2. Temple's Magee hit a three-pointer with three seconds left to secure the win.

Bryan rally nips Carthage by 7-6

BRYAN — Carthage lost a match to Bryan 7-6 in their playoff game. Bryan's Smith won 6-0 in the first set, with Carthage's Miller winning 6-2 in the second set.

Bearcats lose, 8-7

BECKVILLE — The Bearcats lost to Temple 8-7 in their playoff game. Temple's Magee hit a three-pointer with three seconds left to secure the win.

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