Building crunch not felt locally

While national news reports indicate a slow down in construction across the country, Carthage continues to enjoy a building boom that just seems to keep growing faster and faster.

During March, the City of Carthage issued permits for 166 building projects. This total is comprised of 122 residential, 40 non-residential, and four large-scale non-residential projects.

The March tally, according to officials from the Carthage Building Department, is the highest monthly permit issuance ever recorded for the city, breaking the previous record from April 2019, which saw a total of 105 permits issued.

In contrast to the national trend, Carthage saw a significant increase in building permits issued in March, with the residential sector leading the way.

Some of the notable projects include a new residential development on the city's west side, a major renovation of an existing commercial building on the downtown square, and the expansion of a local restaurant.

The Carthage Building Department has put in place a new online permitting system to streamline the process for both residents and businesses.

For last April weekend

Old South tour planned by PJC

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Participants will visit sites such as Oak Alley Plantation, Whitney Plantation, and the New Orleans Mint. The tour will conclude with a visit to the Mississippi Delta region, where participants will have the opportunity to experience the culture and lifestyle of the Old South.

For more information, contact the Panola County Junior College Department of History at (903) 693-1661.

Bancshares holds First National

Same officers, directors still in charge

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Nelson to present concert here

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The forest along its route are the scene for the passengers who ride the train. They see the "working landscapes" managed by thousands of individuals, landowners in East Texas.

It is to lands such as these the U.S. is learning, the man who is learning, the man who is teaching. The landowner assistance program designed to help landowners get the most out of a forest tree-stimulating trees in the face of new trees, growing communities, highways and other uses.

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Bowling news

Jaurez shackle Bobcat hitters

Jacket netters edge Bobcats
B'day party foes Graves

Sherry Graves was honored by several friends and Smithville residents as she hosted the ladies in the Matthews' residence. A photo and a video were presented to Sherry, as well as a card opened to her 50th birthday. A photo album was added to the display, and a cake was served to the guests. Sherry was also presented with a gift basket filled with a variety of items. In return, Sherry and her family provided refreshments for the guests. Sherry was happy to share stories about her past and future plans with the attendees.
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