### Subdivision law spurs debate; hearing slated

As the subdivision law spurs debate, a hearing is slated for March 10 at 10 a.m. in the Texas Legislature. According to the law, any subdivision proposed within one mile of a designated area is subject to the approval of the Texas legislature. The proposed law aims to prevent the development of subdivisions in areas that are prone to flooding or other natural disasters. The hearing will provide an opportunity for public comment on the law and its potential impact on the state's development policies.
No takers for $5,000 reward

Four accidents reported during weekend

Students cited in contest

Suspects returned to Louisiana

Kiwanians prepare for telethon

Banquet honors top FHA student

Woodland workshop announced

Trading-In Sale.... Bring Your Old Jeans To Us!
Prepare for fertilization

LONG BRANCH

Weed Killers

Tramp by suburban
paths, slither through
grass and over
weeds. These are
the sad sights of
weekend visits to
LONG BRANCH.

...and it's only
beginning. Summer
gets busy, too.

'Veed out'

The only way to
clearly see the
problem is to
look closely.

...and it's so
simple. Just
check the
weeds...

...and it's
desperate. The
tramp by a
weekend's
work in the
weeds.

...and it's
troubling. The
best way to
prevent
weeds is to
keep them
under control
now.

...and it's
dangerous. The
weeds are
running rampant,
and if you let them
get too far, it's
impossible to
control.

...and it's
diminishing.
The weeds are
continually
spreading, and
if you don't act
now, it will only
get worse.

...and it's
damaging.
The weeds are
destroying the
soil, and if you
let them
continue, it will
ruin your garden.

...and it's
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The weeds are
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and if you don't
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be impossible to
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control.

...and it's
disgusting.
The weeds are
ruining the
appearance of
your garden,
and if you don't
act now, it will
be impossible to
control.

...and it's
desolate.
The weeds are
destroying the
beauty of your
garden, and if
you don't act
now, it will
be impossible to
control.

...and it's
doomed.
The weeds are
spreading, and if
you don't act
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...and it's
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McKnight-Dulany say vows

Rusk poets review year book

Club plans for Easter

Wildflowers grace area

Quiche: hearty, colorful entree

Kappas conduct business

Leisure Lodge celebrates St. Pat's
THIS WEEK'S
Sunday School Lesson

Be prepared

Parable of the Talents

Matthew 25:14-30

Initials: T.T.

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Preparation:

1. Divide the class into small groups or pairs. Assign each group or pair a paragraph from the text.

2. Within their group, discuss the parable of the talents. What were the three servants tasked with? What did they do with the talents given to them? What was the outcome for each servant?

3. Encourage students to share their findings with the class.

Presentation:

1. Begin by introducing the parable of the talents. Explain the context and the characters involved.

2. Use visual aids or props to illustrate the parable, if possible.

3. Encourage students to share their thoughts and reflections on the parable.

4. Conclude by summarizing the key message of the parable and its relevance to our lives today.

Homework:

1. Read Matthew 25:14-30 again and reflect on how it applies to your life.

2. Share your insights with a family member or friend.

3. Prepare to discuss the parable in class the following week.

Review:

1. Ask students to explain the parable of the talents in their own words.

2. Discuss the implications of being fruitful and using our gifts.

3. Reflect on how we can be good stewards of our talents and resources.

Conclusion:

1. Summarize the key points of the lesson and the parable.

2. Encourage students to apply the lessons learned to their daily lives.

3. Pray for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as they continue their spiritual journey.

Questions:

1. What were the three servants tasked with in Jesus' parable of the talents?

2. What did each servant do with the talents given to them?

3. What was the outcome for each servant?

4. How can we apply the lessons of the parable to our own lives?

Thank you for your attention. May God bless you as you continue to grow in your faith.
Quarter horses kick up Carthage dust!

Ridin’ and ropin’...
Lady Bulldogs
win second meet

The Lady Bulldogs of Carthage were the only women's track and field team in the area to finish in the top three this season. They placed third in the District 11-5A meet and fourth in the Region 3-5A meet.

Bass fishermen
flock to East
Texas tourney

On Saturday, May 8, the Carthage Cistern hosted the annual East Texas Bass Federation tournament. The event attracted over 200 fishermen from across the state.

Ponies split twin bill in Carthage

The Lady Bulldogs and the Carthage High School girls' basketball team split their twin bill on Tuesday, December 14. Carthage won the first game, 52-49, and lost the second, 58-55.

Bearcat frosh
hurls no-hitter

The Lady Bulldogs' starting pitcher, junior Sarah Johnson, threw a no-hitter in their game against the Carthage High School girls' team on Thursday, March 17.

Thanks to Everyone!

For your support during Jimmie Nell's illness.
For the good wishes, prayers, flowers, cards—and for the concern and support of everyone, we say thanks!

We will never forget you and what you mean to us.

Jimmie Nell and J. D. Lynch
the Lynch Family
and Employees of J. D. Lynch Florist
Texas House approves measure raising minimum drinking age

Police Beat

Nursing program approved

ELECT
Roy
SMITH
PANOLA FIRE WATER
DISTRICT NUMBER ONE
Saturday, April 4th
EXPERIENCED SERVING ON BOARD
BEFORE, HAS THE TIME TO SPEND FULL
ATTENTION AT DISTRICT
RESIDENT SINCE 1968
Phone P.O. Box 260

Thanks,
Drew Woods, Inc.,
For Buying My Steer
Mike Anderson

FIREFIGHTER

VOTE FOR
and
ELECT
Steve KELLEY
Carthage City Commission Place One

When is your phone more than a phone?
When it's used to protect lives and property.
When it's used to reduce the million-acre fire loss in the rural South.
When it's used to call your local forestry agent before you burn anything outside.
Your telephone. The firefighter. Use it.

TURN OUT AND
VOTE APRIL 4TH-
ELECT STEVE KELLEY

BECKVILLE
NEWS BRIEFS

RV-cation show scheduled for Dallas

BUDDIES
Hardware and Wholesaler Center

Clip this Valuable Coupon:

Commercial Grade Oscillating Sprinkler
$2.99

BICYCLE TIRES
$3.29

RACING SADDLE
$3.99

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$8.75

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$19.95

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$197.50

ELECT THOMAS SCHMIDT
CANDIDATE FOR PANOLA COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 4

Buddies

Savings Spree...

Prices Good thru March 30th Wed. April 1, 1981

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### VISITING TOPICS

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### OLD CENTER

**VISITING NOTES**

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### Social Security Information

By Ray McManus, District Manager

**Social Security Administration**

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### Smithsonian facts

**History proves kites more than toys**

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### Cash Dividends

**WINN DIXIE**

AN EXCITING NEW WAY TO SAVE

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### WEEKEND ROUNDUP

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Elysian Fields bond issue squeaks by; voters angry

Legislative proposal could be expensive for Carthage

This Week

TUGCO mining operation puts Rock Hill water system in trouble

Lake Carthage possible by 1995