Carthage orders plans begun
on water, sewer bond projects

The City of Carthage has issued work orders to a consulting engineer, Mr. Jones, for the preparation of plans for the city's water treatment plant and sewer projects. The plans, which were prepared by Mr. Jones in Carthage, are expected to take 60 days and will cost $1,000.

Carthage orders plans begun on water, sewer bond projects was approved by city voters in November. Plans call for the expansion of the plant to a capacity of 10,000 gallons per day.

Currently, the plant has a capacity of 5,000 gallons per day.

The sewer project is being financed primarily by a bond issue from the federal government. The bond issue was for a total of $800,000.

The city council has allocated funds for the sewer project but not for the water treatment plant.

Carthage man's visit home was not so warm

If the phrase "home for the holidays" gives you a warm glow, you probably don't come from Carthage, according to Mrs. Myers. Mrs. Myers, who hails from Carthage, says the city is not as warm as it used to be.

Commodities as ordinary as toothpaste can be found in the country. And, there are public for sale. The price of toothpaste has been rising.

As a result, Carthage residents are looking for ways to save money. One idea is to buy toothpaste in bulk. This is where the "southern charm" comes in. People in Carthage are known for their hospitality, and they will often offer visitors a toothbrush and toothpaste if they are running out.

Mrs. Myers sees the future of Carthage in a more modern way. "It's not going to be the same," she says. "But we can still have a good time."
This Week

50 units scheduled for Christmas parade

Monday at 7 p.m.

The Caddo County Chamber of Commerce will host a 50 unit Christmas parade Monday night at 7 p.m. The parade will begin at the main downtown square, go south along Main Street, turning west on Fifth Street for two blocks and then north back to the starting point. The parade will feature floats, marching bands, and other community groups.

Beautification contest slated by Chamber

Tuesday, Dec. 1

The Caddo County Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a beautification contest on Fifth Street south of Main Street. The contest is open to all businesses along the street. First prize is $100, second prize is $75, and third prize is $50. Entries will be judged on the overall appearance and presentation of the business. The winners will be announced at the December Chamber meeting.

Tatum approves bids

Tuesday, Dec. 1

The Tatum City Council has approved the bids for the new city hall. The total cost of the project is $2.5 million. The construction will begin immediately and is expected to be completed by the end of December.

Monday at 7 p.m.

Caddo S&L gets okay for Beckville office

Monday at 7 p.m.

Caddo State & Savings Bank has been granted permission to open an office in Beckville. The office will be located at 500 Main Street. The bank hopes to open the office in early January.

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The First National Bank of Carthage

...a good bank, serving a good community!
**Editorial**

Here at home

The reason for farming the idea that Carthage is a small town is not far away.

With the recent economic downturn, the city has been struggling to maintain its economic stability.

The city council has been working hard to find ways to improve the city's economy and make it more attractive to businesses.

In this time of economic uncertainty, it is important for the city to continue to work on ways to improve the local economy and attract new businesses.

**No news is good news**

There have been no reports of economic downturn or any significant changes in the local economy.

The city continues to be a vibrant and growing community, and the future looks promising.

**Letters to the Editor**

Local officers lauded

Editor, Panola Watchman:

I would like to take this opportunity to commend the local officers of the Panola Watchman for their hard work and dedication.

Their efforts have been instrumental in keeping our community safe and secure, and their contributions are greatly appreciated.

**Holiday Themes**

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

**Best Wishes**

To our valued customers and friends:

We wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

May your holidays be filled with joy, love, and happiness.

**More... Watchman Opinion Forum**

A sport with a ‘twist’

By Vic Parker

An ‘enhancing’ idea

By Sabine

**The Violet Shop**

We will be open tonight at 8 p.m. Please come and see our selection of gifts, cards, greeting cards, candy, silk flowers, wreaths, pinecones.

**OECD**

It pays to shop in Carthage!

Look for the Christmas in Carthage ad in The Panola Watchman. It’s a great time to take advantage of the special deals and discounts.

**Rules**

1. Must be present to win.
2. No purchase necessary to enter.
3. One entry per person.
4. Void where prohibited by law.
5. Prize may be substituted for a similar value.

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- The Texas Way
- Art of the Wild
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3 Days-
Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.

Hey Kids!
Santa will be at Ben
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Merry Christmas

We'll make your gift certificate redeemable for any amount you wish and there is no extra charge. Just enter for the amount of the gift certificate you'd like to give.

This Year, a New Tradition: Give A Gift Certificate From Ben Franklin!
**Drug awareness**

Speaker says alcoholism number 1 problem

*THE AUDIENCE*: We need to address the issue of alcoholism.

*THE SPEAKER*: Alcoholism is the number one problem we face today. It affects individuals, families, and communities. We need to raise awareness and support those struggling with this issue.

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**Need for blood donors called urgent**

Depleted is where we are. People, please donate blood.

*THE BLOOD BANK*: Blood supplies are critically low. We need your help to save lives.

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Bowling News

Largest Turnout Ever

The largest turnout in recent years was at the opening of the new bowling lanes at the J & J Lanes on December 1st. Over 100 bowlers attended the opening, with many more showing up later to try their hand at the new lanes. The lanes are open daily from 9 am to 11 pm, and are available for open play or private parties.

SUNCOMBE NEWS

Attendance down

Attendance at the annual Christmas pageant at the Suncombe School was down this year, with only a few hundred parents and students in attendance. The school has been facing financial difficulties, and the attendance was expected to be lower than in previous years. However, the school and its students have been working hard to improve the situation and are hoping to see an increase in attendance next year.

IT'S ALMOST Christmas

Before Santa comes to your home, be sure you come to ours!

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- Monthly meeting

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**Dance VFW Club**

Bar-B-Que from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm Proceed go to the Building

Dance 2:00 pm to 12:30 am

**Bar-B-Que**

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planning on making a special trip to the
pharmacy for the medication.

"If you like fried chicken like I do,
welcome to the Farmers"

"Always rain something good."

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Patients

by MRS. JUANITA MCNUTT

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