



Casino supporters to go to B. R. next week

The Cameron Parish Police Jury has chartered a bus and hopes to have at least 100 parish citizens to go to Baton Rouge on Wednesday, May 5 to support the passage of a bill that would bring a riverboat casino to the parish. House Bill 186 by Rep. Mickey Frith will be heard by the Criminal Justice Committee of the House of Representatives which must approve the bill before it can be presented to the full house. Approval by both the House and Senate would be needed for the bill to pass.

Rev. Frith's bill provides

that a portion of the Sabine River and Lake within Cameron Parish would be designated as a river or waterway for the purpose of conducting riverboat gaming.

The bill would authorize referendum elections in the parish to designate these sites and to authorize the holder of a riverboat gaming license to conduct gambling operations at specific docking facilities in the parish.

Parish Administrator Tina Horn said there will be no charge to anyone wishing to make the trip on May 5. Everyone attending will be asked to wear a T-shirt (pro-

vided free of charge) expressing their support of the bill.

No one will be required to speak before the committee as the parish's presentation will be made by Rep. Frith and Police Jury members and staff.

Persons interested in making the trip are asked to call Ms. Horn at 775-5718, Ext. 115 or Jennifer Jones at 775-5714.

Proceeds received by the parish by the gaming activities would be dedicated to health care, economic development, education and roads and infrastructure improvements.

Applicants sought

Persons wishing to turn in an application for the position of Cameron Parish Registrar of Voters have until 2 p.m., Friday, April 30 to do at the Cameron Parish Police Jury offices.

About ten applications have been received so far. A new registrar will be named in the near future as the present registrar, Ruby Kelley, is retiring July 1.

The annual salary reported last week in the Pilot's story was for take-home pay. The gross salary is in excess of \$45,000. There are also hospitalization and retirement benefits.

Port Board opposes casino in the parish

By **SONNY MARKS**
American Press

The Lake Charles Port Board said Monday while it wishes the best for Cameron Parish it won't support a riverboat casino in the parish of the Sabine River.

Board members voted unanimously to oppose House Bill 186 in the current session of the Louisiana Legislature.

State Rep. Mickey Frith, D-Abbeville, is the sponsor of the bill to allow an election in Cameron Parish to put a casino on the river separating Louisiana and Texas.

The House of Representatives Criminal Justice Committee is scheduled to consider the bill May 5.

Billy Rimes, a lobbyist for Pinnacle Entertainment, said a casino on the Sabine would hurt Pinnacle's casino resort set to open next year on Port of Lake Charles property.

Rimes said Las Vegas-based Pinnacle agreed to build the \$325 million resort

with the understanding that there would be no gaming on the Sabine.

Cameron Parish Assistant District Attorney Tom Barrett said a casino in Cameron Parish would bring needed money, particularly to cash-strapped South Cameron Memorial Hospital, the parish's only hospital.

"We want the opportunity for economic development in Cameron Parish," Barrett said. "We don't have a lot of commercial opportunities down there."

He said a casino would be 20 - 30 miles south of Interstate 10, the highway most gamblers will take to Pinnacle.

A casino in Cameron Parish, he said, would have "minimal impact on Calcasieu Parish."

If Cameron residents voted for a casino on the Sabine, there would be the opportunity for one of the state's existing riverboat casinos to move there.

Morris benefit told

A "Speck and Redfish Shootout" benefiting Clifton "Bo Bo" Morris of Johnson Bayou will be held Saturday, May 8 at the Crain Ranch at Johnson Bayou.

Morris, who is a school board member, has been diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's disease.

Events will include a skeet shoot, horseshoe tournament, children's games, dunking booth, fishing tournament, cow patty bingo, auction, etc.

Bands performing during the day will be Midnight Special, Ricky Dodd and Simply Cajun, Willie P and Tightrope, Carl Manchaca and Barry Badon and the Bayou Boys.

Boiled crawfish, hamburgers, hot dogs, and cold drinks will be served.

For entry forms and other information call Theresa Merritt at 569-2307 Ext. 221 or 226.

Guidry benefit is announced

A benefit for Marcia Nell Richard Guidry to help with medical bills from a brain tumor will be held Sunday, May 2 starting at 10 a.m. at Grand Chenier Park.

Music will be provided by Guy Theriot and Co. Plate lunches will be sold along with an auction, silent auction, cake sale and cake walk.

This event is sponsored by the Lady's Auxiliary.

Miller Livestock is honored

(EDITOR'S NOTE - Miller Livestock Barn and its owner, Jim Miller, will be honored as "Business of the Year" at the annual DeQuincy Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday night. Here is the story behind the business that has been a mainstay in DeQuincy's economy for many years.)

By **LOLA MITCHELL**

He took over a failing business on Dec. 15, 1962, turned it around and made it a successful venture that has been in the top 50 privately-held companies in Imperial Calcasieu, doing about \$27 million of business per year, for the past six years.

Jim Miller was only 21 when he took over the DeQuincy Livestock Barn which had not been successful for its investors since its beginning in 1953. "But I thought I probably could han-



Jim Miller

dle it, being familiar with the cattle business," Miller said. "I had three years of experience in the auction business and I knew I had the backing of the people here."

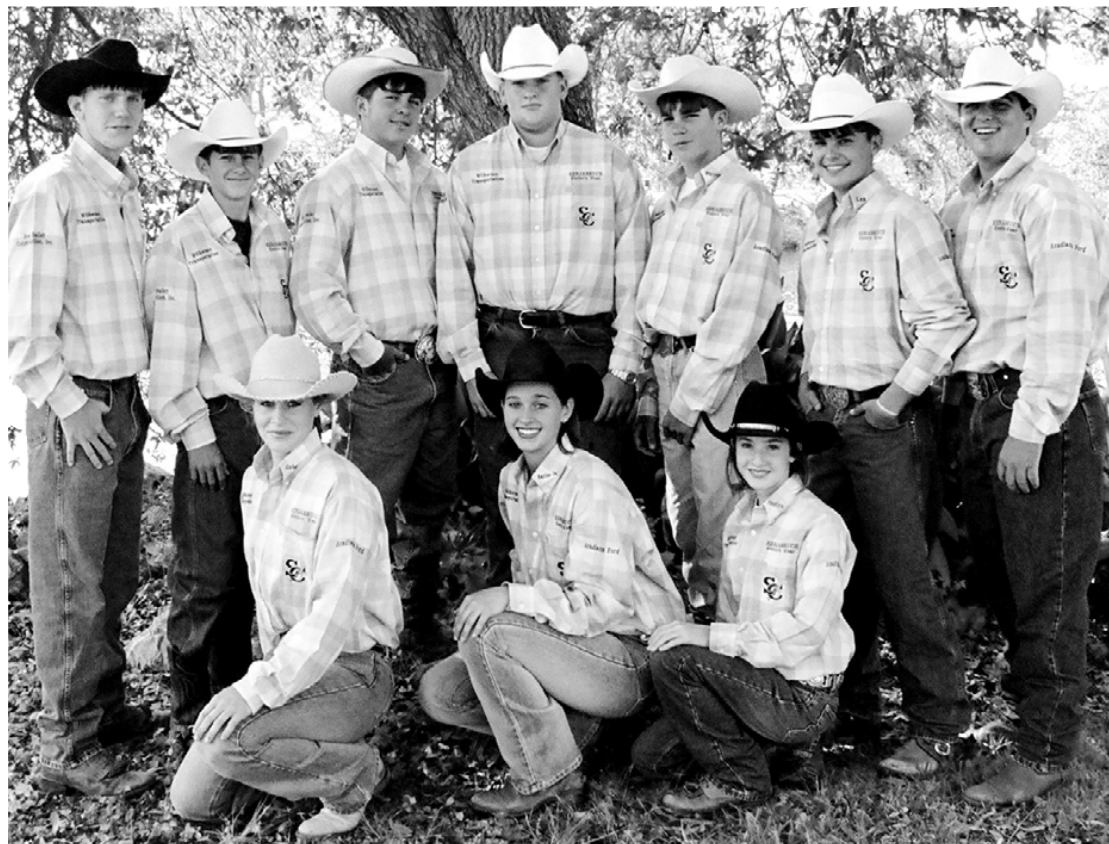
The late R. L. Richard approached the young Miller and asked him to come here and re-open the sale barn to

give local and area livestock men and buyers an outlet for their business. A group of local cattlemen and merchants formed a cooperative in 1953 and sold shares in DeQuincy Cattle Sales, Inc., with Mr. Richard as president.

Hodges and Company from Alexandria operated the business for a short period of time, then closed. Sometime later Frank Jackson opened the barn but closed it again after about six months. Still later it was re-opened and operated for six months by J. M. Muckleroy from Kirbyville, Tex. Three different people tried to operate the business from 1953 to 1958 without success.

Knowing the story behind the business did not discourage Miller. And the dilapidated condition of the barn and pens did not dampen his enthusiasm for making a suc-

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THE SOUTH CAMERON Rodeo Booster Club will sponsor the 20th annual South Cameron High School Qualifying Rodeo Friday and Saturday, April 30 and May 1 at the Cameron Riders Club arena. Cowboys and cowgirls from all over Louisiana will compete in order to qualify for the State High School Rodeo later this year. Pictured above are members of the South Cameron Rodeo team. They are (kneeling, from left) Amber Trahan, Kaylee Canik, Shylyn Nunez; (standing) John Richard, Kyle LeBoeuf, Garrett Richard, Thomas Hunt, Marcus Mudd, Lex Theriot, Scott Savoie.

Historical markers are dedicated here

(EDITOR'S NOTE - The following article on the dedication of two historical markers at Cameron was inadvertently replaced with another article in last week's Pilot although the pictures of the event were published.)

By **CYNDI SELLERS**

"It's about time to put up markers to celebrate our river's historic legacy," said Robert Benoit, president of the Southwest Louisiana Historical Association as two new historical markers were unveiled in Cameron Tuesday, April 20.

The Gulf Biologic Station, which conducted groundbreaking research documenting the land and sea life of coastal Cameron Parish from 1903-1910, and the Calcasieu Pass Lighthouse, which guided ships to the mouth of the river for over 60 years, were both commemorated.

Benoit recognized the work of Kathie Bordelon, McNeese State University Archivist, in researching the lighthouse and Michael Tritico of Lake Charles for rediscovering and collecting the records of the biologic station.

He also recognized Frankie Henry, whose great-grandfather House Speaker Samuel P. Henry was instrumental in establishing the station. The foundations of the station can still be seen on the site originally provided by the elder Henry. A trailer ride was made available to guests who wanted to see the old foundations.

Former State Represen-

tative Conway LeBleu helped the Historical Association pick out the location for the markers, along the Jetty road near the original sites of both structures. Benoit thanked Henry for providing the premises for marker parking and the Cameron Parish Police Jury for erecting the display.

Norma Jean Blake read the history of each structure, including additional local interest items such as the fact that when the station was dismantled in 1938 some of the lumber was used to build Buster Henry's house. The biologic station was run

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Sr. Citizen Day to be held May 6

On Thursday, May 6, beginning at 9:30 a.m. the Cameron Council on Aging will host Senior Citizens Day at the Cameron KC Hall. All seniors are invited to attend. Lunch will be served. Please reserve your space by calling 775-5668.

Door prizes will be given and a band will entertain.

All seniors are asked to bring a photo of themselves as children or younger adults. These photos will be displayed. You will get your photo back. If you need transportation please call 775-5668. Information booths will also be set up.



ALLIE BONSALE, 5-year-old daughter of Kris and Kenton Bonsall of Grand Chenier, was chosen as Petite Miss Contraband 2004.



KAMI SAVOIE, 14-year-old daughter of Daniel and Lisa Savoie of Cameron, was chosen as Junior Miss Contraband 2004.

Tree given to McNeese by the McCalls

A new twist to the McNeese Foundation's ongoing Endow an Oak Campaign took place Friday morning.

Mike McCall, owner of Louisiana Tree Transplanters of Lake Charles, donated a live oak tree to his cousin, Mike McCall of Covington, who, along with his siblings, has turned around and donated the tree to the McNeese campus in memory of his parents, Pete and Diana McCall of Grand Chenier.

Mike of Lake Charles brought his equipment out to the corner of Sale Road and Vernon Drive, dug the hole and planted the tree, while Mike of Covington looked on with several members of his family.

The McCall family has strong ties to McNeese, accord-

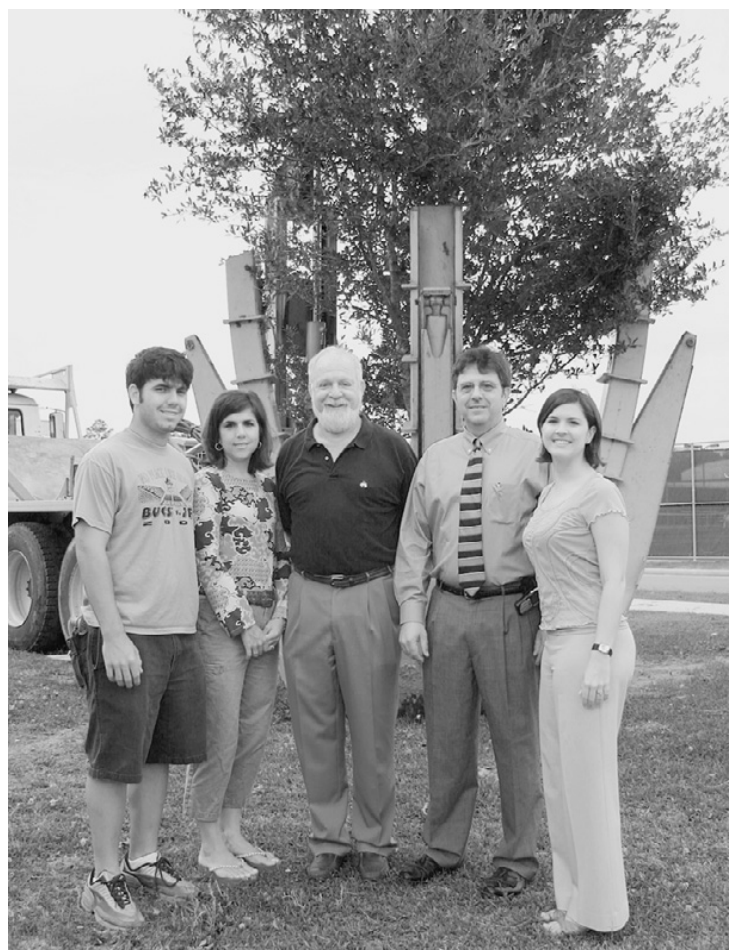
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Taxes listed

The final publication of a listing of parish property on which the 2003 taxes have not been paid can be found elsewhere in this issue of the Pilot.

If the taxes are still unpaid, these properties will be sold by Sheriff James Savoie, parish tax collector, at 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 5 at the front door of the courthouse in Cameron.

Interest and the cost of advertising will be added to the tax bill.



A 20-FOOT TALL live oak tree has been donated to McNeese State University in memory of Pete and Diana McCall of Grand Chenier by members of their family. The tree was planted on the corner of Sale Street and Vernon Drive of the McNeese campus Friday morning as part of the McNeese Foundation's ongoing Endow an Oak Campaign. Standing, from left, in front of the tree are: grandson Alexander Armand, daughter Mary Diane McCall Armand, Richard Reid, executive vice president of the foundation, son Mike McCall and granddaughter Kelly McCall. Mike McCall, owner of Louisiana Tree Transplanters and a cousin of the McCall family, planted the tree on campus.

(McNeese Photo/Jenny VanNorman)

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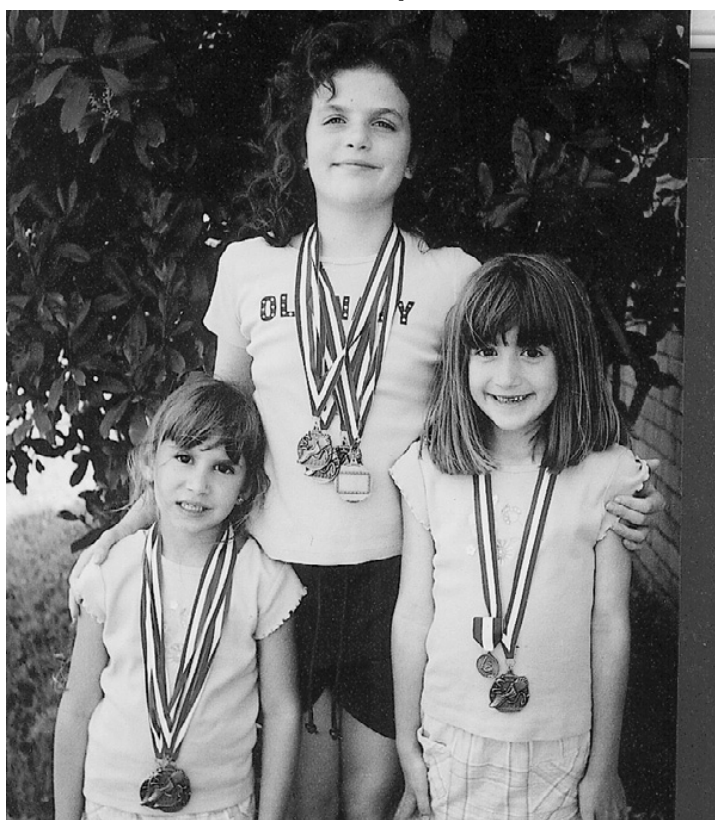
RAYMOND VINSON, SR.

Raymond Vinson, Sr., 73 of Creole died Tuesday, April 20, 2004, in a Texas hospital.

Mr. Vinson was a native of Mosshill, Tex., and had lived in Cameron since 1955. He graduated from Elazahar High School. He was a retired butcher.

Survivors include his wife, Grace Vinson of Cameron; three sons, R. J. Vinson, Jr. of Cameron, Kevin Vinson of Houston, Tex. and Troy Vinson of Lake Charles; two daughters, Becky Vinson of Iowa and Chasity Griffith of Carlyss; one brother, Fred Vinson of Natchez, Miss.; one sister, Marie Hill of Liberty, Tex. and 10 grandchildren.

His funeral was held Friday, April 23, in Wakefield Methodist Church. The Rev. Thomas Beeler officiated. Burial was in Our Lady Star of the Sea Cemetery of Cameron under the direction of Hixson Funeral Home of Creole.



THE SMITH GIRLS are shown wearing their first, second and third place medals that they won at the Barbe High School track and field events held in March. Each girl competed in her age group. Matti, center, is the 10-year-old daughter of Patrick and Phyllis Smith of Cameron. Sheridan, right, and Tori, left, are the daughters of Gerard and Lori Smith of Cameron.



DO YOU REMEMBER? The 1955 Creole High School Homecoming Queen and court are shown above, from left: Captain Doris Hebert, coach Mr. J. C. Reina, Willa Dean Theriot Morris, Jimmy Derouen, queen Edna Maroles Doxey, Dalton Richard, Norma Jean Rogers Blake, and Dallas Vincent. (Beverly Derouen and Debbie Broussard not shown in photo.) (Photo courtesy of Doris Hebert)

HACKBERRY NEWS

By GRACE WELCH

BABY SHOWER

Misty Fountain of Hackberry was given a baby shower Saturday, April 24, at the Hackberry Community Center. Misty is the wife of C. R. Fountain, Jr. Those in charge of the shower were Ellen Stoddard, mother of Misty; and Bobbie Fountain, mother of C. R., Jr.

CHURCH NEWS

Congratulations to students of St. Peter's Church of Hackberry who made their

confirmation Tuesday, April 27. They are:

Wiley Clement, Kyle Fontenot, Caleb Hicks, Hillary LaBove, Krista Nunez, Desiree Picou, Lance Pearson and Belinda Ann Abshire.

Students of Johnson Bayou making confirmation Tuesday, April 27 at Our Lady of Assumption were:

Kayla Barentine, Claire Carlson, Darrel Conner, Jr., Stephanie Cox, Cheyenne Young, Rusty Trahan, Timothy Trahan and Gregory Viator.

Skin cancer screening announced

Skin cancer is the most common form of cancer in the United States. Each year nearly one million Americans learn they have it. Fortunately, if caught early, it can be one of the most curable of all cancers.

The CHRISTUS St. Patrick Hospital Regional Cancer Center will be hosting a free skin cancer screening on Wednesday, May 5, from 6 - 8 p.m., at the Regional Cancer Center, located on the corners of Foster and Lillion Streets.

A team of area physicians will be conducting the screenings. Registration is necessary and appointments are limited. For more information or to register for this important screening, please call the Regional Cancer Center at 491-7569. Participants are asked to wear loose fitting clothes.

LANDRENEAUX BIRTH

Katrina Primeaux and Josh Landreneaux of Hackberry announced the birth of a daughter, Kylie Breanon, April 14, 2004 at Lake Charles Memorial hospital. She weighed 8 lbs., 6 ozs.

Grandparents are Robert and Sue Largent of Hackberry, Darryl Landreneaux and Susan Buckner of Cameron.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Benoit of Grand Chenier, Mrs. Hazel Racca of Cameron and the late Edward Racca and late Lorraine Benoit.



Conservation group opposed to redfish commercial use

The Coastal Conservation Association of Louisiana—the state's largest marine conservation organization—today called on lawmakers to reject a bill that would allow commercial harvest of red drum (redfish) for the first time since 1988.

"We are appalled that anyone would propose reversing 15 years of progress that has been made to bring back redfish stocks. Passage of this bill would be a giant step backward for conservation and a blow to recreational fishing, which represents one of the few economic bright spots for Louisiana," said Jeff Angers, executive director of CCA.

Senate Bill 206 by Sen. Butch Gautreaux, D-Morgan City, would repeal the gamefish status for red drum that the Louisiana Legislature established in 1988 in midst of severe commercial overfishing of that species.

Red drum stocks were endangered as a result of the international popularity of Cajun food, especially blackened redfish. Until the ban on commercial fishing of red drum, millions of pounds of the fish were being harvested in the Gulf of Mexico by large commercial operations who shipped much of their catch out of state.

The red drum crisis was so severe that the federal government banned all harvest of red drum by both commercial and recreational fishermen in federal waters. That ban continues today, redfish being classified by National Marine Fisheries Service as "overfished." Louisiana, Texas, Alabama and Florida all ban the commercial harvest of red drum in state waters.

If the Louisiana law that protects red drum were repealed, Louisiana and Mississippi would be the only states to permit such commercial fisheries.

"Game" status is provided to many fish, fowl and mammals that require protection from commercial fishing or hunting. Recreational hunters and fishermen are allowed to harvest limited numbers of animals protected with "game" status. For example, recreational fishermen are allowed to keep only five red drum per day and these must fall within certain size restrictions.

Nearly 70 percent of recreational fishermen, who spend hundreds of millions of dollars on the activity, have listed red drum as their preferred quarry. More than 500,000 anglers engaged in saltwater fishing in Louisiana in 2001, of which 398,000 were state residents and the others were tourists.

"We have no doubt that opening red drum to commercial harvest will reduce their numbers. We've seen entire fisheries on the west and east

coasts of the United States collapse because of commercial overfishing," said Angers. "Allowing that to happen in Louisiana would be environmentally unconscionable and a blow to our economy."

Angers said if red drum stocks are reduced to the point where recreational fishermen cannot catch them, then recreational fishing activities will be curtailed. This will lead to reduced revenue for the hundreds of businesses that depend on recreational fishermen, and in turn, will result in less tax revenues to state and local governments.

A public opinion poll conducted for CCA Louisiana in 1999 showed that voters supported retaining game status for red drum by a better than three-to-one margin.



4-H News

By SEAN HICKS

Hackberry 4-H Clubs hosted the 2004 Achievement Day recently. Representatives from all 10 parish clubs participated in contests.

The club has just concluded a month of strawberry sales. The sale was a parish-wide event with the Hackberry Jr. Club selling 332 flats of strawberries.

The award for selling the most strawberries went to Jonathan Nunez. Also selling more than 20 flats of berries were Rachel Wilkins, Loribeth Shove and Torri Stansel. The club had 21 record books entered in competition this year.

For the remainder of the year, the club members will be working in the new courtyard. Parents are invited to participate in this effort. Weather permitting, we will be working Tuesdays and Thursdays after school.

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CHARLIE AND MACILDA Theriot of Grand Chenier celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary Easter Sunday among family and friends. The couple was married on April 21, 1934 in Grand Chenier. The smaller photo shows them on their wedding day.



Lagniappe Two

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

This is my lucky week. It would be a good time for me to go to the casino. I went to the American Legion the other night and the \$35 lottery. I then went to play bingo at the clubhouse the other night and won the \$15 black-out.

I have a friendly little squirrel that races across my fence on the back patio and

comes to see me every morning while I am drinking my morning coffee.

I am keeping tabs on the magnolia tree, just off my patio, that is full of blooms. There are also little birds all over the woods hatching out and sending out a loud crescendo every morning.

I am also keeping tabs on the flower beds, which are full of tomatoes and baby blossoms.

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SPC TRISTA RACCA reported for active duty on Monday, April 26 to her home unit station in Colfax. She is with the Louisiana National Guard's 256th Infantry Brigade, Det. 1, Co A 199th Support Battalion. Her M.O.S. is Transportation. Trista was one of ten who left for Fort Hood, Tex., to receive training for several months. The deployment is part of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Trista is a 2002 honor graduate of South Cameron High School.

Memorial Books told

Memorial books recently donated to the Cameron Parish Library were as follows, with titles, honorees and donors listed in that order:

Working Americans, Jennings Jones by Cameron Parish Library;

Total Keyboard, Michael Solina by Cameron Parish Library;

Welding Basics, J. D. Miller by General Marine Services, Inc.;

Sporting Knives, Roland "T-Bolo" Trosclair by Ricky, Michelle and Lance Guidry;

Yard to Garden, Jennings B. Jones by Ricky, Michelle and Lance Guidry;

Military Firearms, Jennings Jones by Charlotte Trosclair;

Italian Cookbook, Dorothy Theriot by Charlotte Trosclair;

Cross Stitch Pictures, Geneva Conner by Charlotte Trosclair;

Antique Trader Tools Price Guide, Robert Manuel by Charlotte Trosclair family;

Big Book of Best-Loved Quilt Patterns, Geneva Conner by Charlotte Trosclair;

Strictly Shrimp, Roland "T-Bolo" Trosclair by Charlotte Trosclair.

I went out Tuesday night to a local restaurant with five of the girls, to eat boiled crawfish, hushpuppies and bread pudding. Large crawfish like that will be too tough soon.

Beau, my little dog, is barking for his afternoon walk around the compound where he knows every blade of grass and all the "critters". He has to carry his doggie bag which I attach to his leash (the plastic bag from my morning paper - makes an ideal bag).

Local girls crowned

Two area girls were crowned in the Contraband Days pageant held Saturday, April 17, in Lake Charles.

Jr. Miss 2004 is Kami Savoie, 14 year-old daughter of Daniel and Lisa Savoie of Cameron.

Petite Miss 2004 is Allie Bonsall, 5 year-old daughter of Kris and Kenton Bonsall of Grand Chenier.

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THE FOLLOWING Hackberry FCLA members attended the state Leadership Conference on March 21 in Alexandria. They are Cameron Beckman, Haley Wright, Colleen Doucette, Amanda Abshire, Carolyn Rose, Erica Austin, Sarah White, Ashley Austin, Mysti Kelly, Natasha Hicks, Darra East, Alana Beth Ducote, Amber Kelly, and Kayla Backlund.

MARKERS

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by Milledge McCall, and for 2-3 months between lighthouse keepers, the Calcasieu light was lit each night by Jesse Rogers of Cameron.

A large number of guests attended the unveiling including local officials and interested persons and many members of the SWLA Historical Association. A reception was held in the newly completed Jetty Park Pavilion following the unveiling.

The Southwest Louisiana Historical Association underwrote the cost of the bronze markers, and the historical research on the history of the two landmarks.

BIOLOGICAL STATION

The Gulf Biological Station was the first marine research laboratory and teaching facility on the Gulf Coast. It was established by an act of the 1898 Louisiana Legislature, and Samuel P. Henry of Cameron, Speaker of the State House of Representatives, provided 10 acres of land for the station.

For eight years researchers at the station studied the shellfish, fish, animals, plants and insects of the area, in affiliation with the U.S. Commission of Fish and Fisheries, the Department of

Agriculture, and the Smithsonian Institution. The station was closed in 1910, and the land was returned to the Henry family.

CALCASIEU LIGHTHOUSE

The Calcasieu River Lighthouse was established by the U.S. Treasury Department in 1876, located on the west bank of the river. The 53-foot tower housed the Fresnel lens and copper mirror the rays of which could be seen for 13 miles into the Gulf of Mexico.

The lighthouse became obsolete after World War I, and during the dredging of a deep water channel from the Calcasieu Pass to Lake Charles in 1939 the tower was dismantled. The site is now approximately in the middle of the modern ship channel.



Senate oks Monkey Is. Ferry bill

By JEREMY HARPER
American Press

The Louisiana Senate last week voted 33 - 0 for a bill by Senator Jerry Theunissen to keep the Monkey Island Ferry at Cameron operating until July 1, 2008. The measure will cost \$2.1 million over the four-year period.

Monkey Island Ferry was scheduled to cease service July 1, 2005, but plans for a bridge there have been sidetracked.



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AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT AFFECTING ALL CITIZENS OF CAMERON PARISH

On Wednesday, May 5, 2004, Representative Mickey Frith will present House Bill 186 to the Criminal Justice Committee of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

This Bill would designate a portion of the lower Sabine River in Cameron parish as a location where gaming activities may occur. If reported favorably by the Committee, the Bill will still require approval of the full House and Senate before voters in Cameron Parish would be permitted to vote on whether a riverboat casino could be located in Cameron Parish. This is the first step.

The Cameron Parish Police Jury has resolved that proceeds of gaming activities received by the Parish will be dedicated to health care, economic development, education, roads and infrastructure improvements.

Representative Frith and the Cameron Parish Police Jury are asking for YOUR HELP in obtaining passage of this measure, which is critical to the economic future of this Parish.

The Police Jury has chartered an air-conditioned bus to transport interested citizens wishing to express their support for the Bill to Baton Rouge on May 5, 2004. We hope to have 100 citizens present to fill the committee room and let the Legislators know how important this bill is to Cameron Parish.

PLEASE JOIN US!

There is no charge for the trip. Everyone attending will be asked to wear a T-shirt (also provided fee of charge) expressing their support of the Bill. No one will be required to speak before the committee, as your presentation will be made by Representative Frith and Police Jury members and staff.

IF YOU ARE WILLING TO HELP YOUR PARISH, PLEASE CALL TINA HORN (337-775-5718, EXT. 115) OR JENNIFER JONES (337) 775-5714 TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE NOW!

RUN: April 29 (A-65)

Lady Tarpons are state softball playoff Friday

For the fourth consecutive year the South Cameron Lady Tarpons are making an appearance in the state softball tournament in Sulphur this weekend.

Last year the Lady Tarpons made it all the way to the championship game, before falling to Sterlington in the finals by a score of 6-2. Sterlington moved up to 2A in classification this year.

After shutting out Port Sulphur 4-0 last Monday, the Lady Tarpons hosted Catholic Pointe Coupee and once again held their opponents to no runs. This time South

Cameron came away with a 7-0 victory.

Laken Mock had a no hitter going into the seventh inning before giving up a pair of CPC base hits. Top hitters for the Lady Tarpons were Santana Conner, 1-4 with a triple and RBI; Lauren Roberts, 1-3; Laken Mock, 4-4 with 2 doubles and a RBI; Megan Trahan, 2-3 with a double and 2 RBIs; and Christian McCall, 1-3.

The 22-4-4 Lady Tarpons will face Ascension Catholic in the quarterfinals at 3 p.m. on Friday at Frasch Park on field 13.

Lady Tarpons winners are district track champions

The South Cameron Lady Tarpons scored 151 points to capture the District 5-1A championship at DeRidder last week. The boys squad finished third behind Elton and East Beauregard with 103 points.

Individual finishes were: Whitney Richard- 4th, shot put; Laken Mock, 2nd- discus, 2nd- javelin; Santana Conner,

3rd- javelin; Courtney Conner, 2nd- long jump, 3rd-100, 2nd- pole vault, 1st- 110 low hurdles; Christian McCall, 3rd- long jump, 2nd- triple jump; Kayla Rutherford, 3rd- triple jump, 4th- high jump; Rachel Fountain, 2nd- high jump, 1st- 400; Cassandra Trahan, 3rd- pole vault. Also, Erin Dinger, 3rd-400; Brittney LeBlanc, 4th- 800; Micah Benoit, 2nd- low hurdles. The 400 relay team finished 2nd with the 800 and 1600 relays placing 3rd.

Finishing in the top spots for the Tarpons were: Justin Theriot, 4th- shot put; Oliver Primeaux, 2nd- discus; John Henry, 3rd- long jump; Johnathon Rutherford, 3rd- high jump; Joe Treme, 1st- pole vault; Chase Horn, 2nd- pole vault; Kris Benoit, 3rd-100; Rafail Herd, 4th-400; Michael Bercier, 2nd- 800; Jacob Trahan, 3rd- 1600; Chance Savoie, 4th- 1600; Dane Dupont, 2nd- 3200; Wesley Treme, 1st- 110 high hurdles.

South Cameron's 400 relay team finished fourth.

Hackberry to play at Grand Isle

The District 9C champion Hackberry Mustangs drew a bye in the first round of the playoffs. They will travel to Grand Isle Friday, April 30, for a 3:30 p.m. game in the regionals.

In Class B, the Grand Lake Hornets will host Chataignier Thursday, April 29, at 4 p.m. Chataignier comes into the playoffs as a wild card.

Another wildcard entrant is the South Cameron Tarpons. The District 5-1A fourth place Tarpons will travel to Dunham, the District 6 champions, Thursday, April 29, for a 4 p.m. game.

S. Cameron High News

JR/SR PROM

Prom Kings were John Paul Troclair and Michael Bercier. Prom Queen was Kaylee Jo Canik. Prom Prince was John Paul Delauney and Prom Princess was Lexie LeBouef. The Junior class is selling JR/SR Prom t-shirts for \$10. Orders will be taken through Friday.

RODEO NEWS

The 26th Annual SCHS Qualifying Rodeo will be April 30 and May 1 at the Cameron Riders Club Arena. The Friday night performance will begin at 7 p.m. Saturday's performance begins at 9 a.m., cutting will be at 3 p.m. and the evening performance will be at 7 p.m.

CALENDAR

April 29 - May 7 - Book Fair SCHS Library

April 29 - JR/SR 4-H meeting; Baseball Bi-District Playoff - 4 p.m. - Dunham.

April 30 - State FFA contest; Softball Quarter Finals State Tournament - 3 p.m. - Frasch Park - School will be dismissed at noon.

May 4 - Short Course meeting - 6:30 p.m. - Tarpon Hall.

May 6 - State track meet - Baton Rouge.

May 10 - Athletic Banquet - 6 p.m.

May 11 - Senior exams - 6th and 7th period.

May 12 - Senior exams - 4th and 5th period.

May 13 - Senior exams - 2nd and 3rd period; Awards Night - 6 p.m.

May 14 - Senior exams - 1st period, Graduation practice, Ring Ceremony - 6 p.m.

Cameron Outdoors

By LOSTON MCEVERS



STORMY WEATHER

It seems our winter-spring type storms are still hanging around. This sure does throw a kink in our fishing plans. We've already had strong Southeast winds for a couple of weeks and that has really churned the water up. Tournament fishing is really tough.

FISH OF THE YEAR

Two record breaking fish from 2003 were recognized as this year's most-notable catches, by the Louisiana Outdoor Writer's Association (LOWA). The LOWA organization is responsible for maintaining Louisiana's fish records.

A 1,152 pound bluefin tuna caught out of Plano, Tex. by Ron Roland won the rod and reel division. It also qualifies as the largest fish ever caught in the Gulf of Mexico. It took five hours to land.

Robert T. "BoBo" Cunningham, Jr. of Mobile, Ala., landed the fly-fishing category's fish of the year. The 130 pound tarpon was the first known tarpon landed on a fly in Louisiana. Cunningham's name has appeared 56 times in the IGFA World Record book. The fight lasted two hours and 20 minutes.

A 121 pound 8 ounce blue cat caught on Lake Texoma, Tex., will probably shatter the world record for blue catfish. Cody Mullennix of Howe, Tex.'s bluecat was accepted by the IGFA. He was surf fishing and had just landed a 56 pound bluecat 20 minutes before. After a 20 minute battle, he got the fish close to the shore and wrestled it to the bank. The fish was donated to the Texas Freshwater Fisheries Center in Athens, Tex. After displaying the catch at the center, they plan on releasing the cat back into Lake Texoma.

GILL NETS

Will gill nets come back in our waters? There is fighting in Baton Rouge for gill netting of black drums. Where there's black drum, there's redfish and speckle trout; gill nets catch any fish. There is a bill to repeal "game fish status" for redfish, which would allow commercial fishermen to sell redfish between 18 inches long and 27 inches long. There would be a harvest quota to be taken commercially by any

means available. Although gill netting for reds and specks was banned in 1995, this could be repealed.

We've seen great fishing for redfish and speckle trout since the gill nets were banned. Now will we lose it all?

SENATE BILLS

These are a few other bills in Baton Rouge:

Increase the minimum age from 13 to 16 years old to operate personal watercraft (jet skis).

To require every motorboat/vessel registered in the name of a person to have proof of liability insurance coverage.

To create a "No Wake Zone" within 300 feet of public boat launches, public docking facilities next to boat launches and licensed commercial fisheries docking facilities. Boats would operate at a bare steerage speed, the slowest that the boat can travel while allowing the operator to steer.

There is also a bill to try and define what is public water and what is private water. It is said the Coastal Conservation Association (CCA), doesn't want any part in this argument whatsoever.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Every Monday evening - Gibbstown Dogfights - 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 5 - Lemesche Bass Club meets - Creole KC Hall - 6 p.m.

Saturday, May 8 - Dinegy's Specks & Reds Shootout - Clayton "BoBo" Morris Benefit - Crain Ranch.

LEMESCHE BASS CLUB

The Lemesche Bass Club held their second club tournament of 2004, fishing out of the Amoco-Miami Corp Marsh with these results:

Largest stringers - Richard Duhon and Todd Conner - 5 bass - 11.44 pounds; 1st place largest bass, 3.36.

2nd - Cory Broussard and Johnny LeDoux - 9.24 pounds; 4th largest bass, 2.12.

3rd - Darren Richard and Trey Wilkerson - 9.10 pounds; 3rd largest bass, 2.16

4th - George Melancon and J. M. Boudreaux - 9.06 pounds; 2nd largest bass, 2.38.

5th - Scootie Troclair and Chance Doxey - 7.72 pounds; 5th largest bass, 2.08.

6th - Ricky Canik and Tom

Baseball roundup

BASEBALL

Hackberry 22; Starks 1 - Brett Stansel pitched for the Mustangs. Top hitters were Brennon Duhon, 1-4 with a homerun; Stansel, 2-3 and 4 RBIs; Wade Labauve, 2-4 and 4 RBIs; Jay Sanner, 1-2 and 3 RBIs; Jody Savoie, 1-2 and 3 RBIs.

Hackberry 20; Starks 11 - Nick Moore, Jay Sanner, and Glen LeBlanc handled the pitching duties for the Mustangs. Top hitters were Brennon Duhon, 3-3 with a grand slam and 5 RBIs; Nick Moore, 1-2; Jay Sanner, 2-4 and 3 RBIs; Lance Pearson, 3-4 and 3 RBIs; and Dylan Thibodeaux, 1-2 and a RBI. The Mustangs finish District 9C as champions with a 6-0 record.

South Cameron 15; Merryville 13 - Brett Baccigalopi and Jordan Istre shared the mound for the Tarpons. Top hitters were John Troclair, 3-5; and Justin Trahan, 2-4. The Tarpons improve to 6-11 overall and 2-6 in district.

Grand Lake 13; Lacassine 0 - Dustin Leger recorded 13 strikeouts and no base hits as the Hornets improve to a perfect 10-0 in district. Top hitters were Curtis Manuel, 4-4 with a homerun; Jake Medlock, 2-3 with a homerun; Justin Girlinghouse, 2-3; and Levi Stephenson, 2-3.

Hess - 7.22 pounds; 6th largest bass, 1.96.

7th - Carl Broussard (odd man) - 6.92 pounds; 7th largest bass, 1.92.

8th - Allen Thibodeaux and Loston McEvers - 5.32; 8th largest bass, 1.30.

There was a little rain early Sunday morning, but the rest of the day was cloudy.

The next club meeting is Wednesday, May 5, at 6 p.m. in the Creole KC Hall. Supper before.

FISHING TIMES

Friday, April 30 - best, 8:30 a.m.; good, 2:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 1 - best, 9 a.m.; good, 3:15 p.m.

Sunday, May 2 - best, 10:30 a.m.; good, 4 p.m.

Monday, May 3 - best, 11:30 a.m.; good, 4:45 p.m.

Tuesday, May 4 - best 1:15 p.m.; good, 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 5 - best, 2:15 p.m.; good, 6:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 6 - best 3 p.m.; good, 7:15 a.m., 7:30 a.m.

Strawberry Milk Shake

1 pint fresh strawberries, washed and hulled
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2 Tablespoons honey
1 teaspoon lemon juice
Whole strawberry or mint leaf for garnish.

Using a blender, combine strawberries, milk, yogurt and honey. Blend until smooth. Add lemon juice and mix until well blended. To serve, pour into glasses half filled with ice. Garnish each glass with a whole strawberry or mint leaf.
Serves 4.

• JOB APPLICATION •

The Cameron Parish Recreation District No. 9 in Grand Chenier is accepting applications for lifeguards for summer employment. Those interested can contact the recreation center at 538-2457, Monday thru Thursday between the hours of 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The recreation district is an equal opportunity employer.

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Friday, Apr. 30 - Luncheon meat sandwich, lettuce cup, Tator Tots, chocolate cookie, sliced bread, and catsup.

Monday, May 3 - Cheeseburger, oven fries, lettuce cup, lemon cookie, hamburger bun, and catsup.

Tuesday, May 4 - Taco salad, fixings cup, ranch beans, baked potato, yellow cake, chocolate cream frosting, and tortilla chips.

Wednesday, May 5 - Spaghetti and meat sauce, tossed salad, peach cobbler, buttered corn, and garlic toast.

All meals served with milk.

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RUN: April 28 & May 6



THE JOHNSON BAYOU High School attended the FCCLA state convention in Alexandria March 21-23. From left are Melissa McCrory, Sasson Brown, Claire Carlson, Kia Meaux, Sarah Tingler, Sabrina Sandifer, and Natasha Smith.



PICTURED ABOVE ARE members of the Cameron Elementary 4-H who planted flowers at the Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Cameron in March. They are Jadah Primeaux, Molly Alexander, Christopher Trahan, Mikalee Mooney, Jerrica Mock, Shawnie Mock, Daryan Richard, Tyler Richard, Taylor Rhodes, Kristin Broussard and Garret Mock.

World Day of Prayer to be observed here May 6

The annual World Day of Prayer will be observed at noon Thursday, May 6 on the Cameron courthouse lawn. Everyone is invited to participate.

The Rev. Wayne Morris, pastor of the Sixth Street

Baptist Church in Port Arthur, will be the guest speaker. He will be introduced by Louise Cole, Cameron NAACP president.

Charles Cole will be master of ceremony and Sheriff Elect Theos Duhon will give

the welcoming address.

Others on the program include:

Rev. Thomas Beeler, Wakefield United Methodist Church, and Rev. Lannis Joseph, Ebenezer Baptist Church, prayer.

Thomas Helms and Jerald Helms and Deacon Edgar Wise also will lead in prayers.

Parish Administrator Tina Horn will lead the Pledge to Allegiance and Mary Cockrell and Clerk of Court Carl Broussard will give scripture readings.

Charles Primeaux and Freddie Theriot will provide music for the program.

Closing remarks will be given by Sheriff James "Sono" Savoie.

Commodities to be given

The Cameron Community Action Agency will hold a second distribution for regular commodities, May 7, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Cameron Council on Aging office in Cameron.

All clients who have signed up for these commodities in the parish wide areas are urged to come. A limited amount of commodities are available.

If you have any questions contact Vernon at 775-5145 or Gail at 598-5158.

DONATION

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ing to Mike of Covington, because "just about everyone in our family attended McNeese."

"This includes my dad, his two sisters, my brothers and myself, and my sister," he said. "Also, my daughter, Kelly, works in the McNeese Athletic Foundation. McNeese has definitely been an important part of our lives."

And when his cousin, Mike, approached him about honoring his parents through the "Endow an Oak" campaign at McNeese with an actual tree, he said it seemed right.

"My cousin knew and respected my parents and he instigated this project by donating the tree," said Mike. Kelly checked with the McNeese Foundation to see if her family could plant a tree instead of adopting an existing tree on campus and the foundation gave it a green light. The 20-foot live oak was planted and a permanent bronze plaque has been installed near the base of the tree.

"McNeese is one of Southwest Louisiana's greatest resources," said Mike. "This tree will continue to promote the ties that bind the McCall family to this university."

The McNeese Foundation "Endow an Oak" campaign is an important way to preserve the heritage of the university, according to Richard Reid, vice president for development and public affairs and executive vice president of the foundation.

Reid said that currently 28 oaks have been endowed on campus through this campaign by corporations or individuals.

For more information about the campaign, contact the McNeese Foundation at (337) 475-5588 or by e-mail: mcneesefoundation@mail.mcn.ee.edu.

Police Jury to have short agenda Mon.

The Cameron Parish Police Jury has a very short agenda for its monthly meeting Monday, May 3. An agenda meeting is at 3 p.m. and the regular meeting is a 5 p.m.

The speed limit will be amended for the beaches between Holly Beach and Johnson Bayou.

Several appointments will be made and several permits will be considered.

World War II Recognition Day will be proclaimed.

Blood drives set in parish

Two blood drives have been announced for the parish:

A blood drive will be held Saturday, May 1 from 9 a.m. to noon at the Cameron Fire Station, according to Chief Ron Johnson. Donors will receive t-shirts.

A drive will be held Saturday, May 8 at the Hackberry Fire Station from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



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May 2, 2004 starting at 10 a.m.
at Grand Chenier Park. Music
will be provided by Guy Theriot
and Co. Plate lunches will be
sold. Auction, silent auction,
cake sale and cake walk. 4/29p.

NOTICES

Anyone knowing the where-
abouts of William Henry Baker, Jr.
or Jeanette Wagner Baker, please
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at Law, 427 Kirby Street, Lake
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RUNS: April 22 & 29 (A56)

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RUNS: April 29, May 6, 13 (A-
68)

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RUNS: April 29 & May 6 (A70)

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Police Jury to appeal grant of waste disposal permit

By **BRENDA MERCHANT**
American Press

A delegation of Cameron
Parish officials and environ-
mentalists Wilma Subra met
with State Sen. Jerry
Theunissen and Scott
Angelle, Secretary of the
Department of Natural
Resources, recently to discuss
the status of permitting for a
project planned at A.B. Dock
Services.

According to Parish
Administrator Tina Horn, they
were told by Angelle that his
office can't override any per-
mitting already approved by
the Office of Conservation.

District Attorney Cecil
Sanner will file an appeal on
behalf of the Cameron Parish
Police Jury, which unani-
mously opposed the project,
at a public hearing held Jan.
14. Subra is assisting him in
the process.

A.B. Dock Services and
Environmental Partners
received a coastal use permit
to construct an oilfield mud
and waste disposal facility
west of the ship channel.

Residents here are upset
at the recent decision of the
Office of Conservation to
approve construction and
operation of the project at the
local site.

In the report, issued by
Commissioner of
Conservation Jim Welsh, the
state believes the dock service
site is more acceptable than
any of the other possible
inland locations since it
would lessen the increased
risk of transportation inci-
dents, accidents and spillage.

Jury President Steve
Trahan said it was apparent
public input from more than
70 residents went unheeded.

Welsh said Environmental
Partner's permit application
was deemed complete and
specified that no incineration
would be carried out on site.
The permit is valid for 20
years.

The TDU project is geared
to the process of heating E&P
waste in an enclosed chamber
under either oxidizing or non-
oxidizing atmospheres at suf-
ficient temperature and time
to vaporized organic contami-
nants from contaminated sur-

faces.
The vaporized liquids then
flow into a condensation
recovery and hydrocarbon
water system.

Recovered hydrocarbons
would be returned to respec-
tive mud manufacturers for
reuse.

Welsh said Environmental
Partners would have to
obtain a Department of
Environmental Quality air
quality permit before begin-
ning operations.

He said the application
closure cost has been substi-
tuted, and with two LTTDU
processors designed to handle
132 tons per day there should
be no problems.

The application was found
to contain contingency plans
for operations during hurri-
cane season and meets the
FEMA 100-year flood eleva-
tion containment wall height
requirements.

The facility would operate
24 hours per day at a 65 - 75
percent rate and employ 12 -
18 people.

The plans for the proposed
200-by-70 foot building that
would house operations call
for four specially designed

boxes containing product that
is fed into an auger, where it's
heated and dried and the
water and diesel separated
from the mixture.

If constructed, the TDU
would be the first of its kind
in the states operated by a
Danish crew.



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- All Cuts.....10 Oz. 79c
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- Flakes (PP 2.49).....2/\$4.00
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located at 126 Ann Street in Cameron, La. Bids
must be received by 3 p.m. Thursday, May 20,
2004.

RUN: April 29 & May 6 & 13 (A-64)

• JOB AD •

The Cameron Parish School Board is accepting
applications for the position of Janitor at Cameron
Elementary School.

To make application contact: Carol Wainwright,
Principal, Cameron Elementary School. Phone:
337-775-5518.

The deadline for submitting applications is
Thursday, May 6, 2004 at 1:00 p.m.

RUN: April 29 & May 6 (A-61)

— JOB AD —

Grand Lake Recreation District No. 5 is
taking applications for summer help;
assistant pool director and lifeguards.

Pick up application from the recreation
center. Applica-tions are due at the recre-
ation center by May 20, 2004 at 6:30 p.m.

RUN: April 22, 29 & May 6 (A-50)

— JOB AD —

The Cameron Parish School Board is accepting
applications for bus drivers (persons wishing to
transfer or persons wishing to apply as new bus
drivers):

For information regarding qualifications and
application contact:

Mr. Ron Vining, Transportation Supervisor,
Cameron Parish School Board, P O. Box 1548,
Cameron, LA 70631. Phone: 337-775-5784, Ext.
14.

The deadline for submitting requests to transfer
and new applications is Friday, May 14, 2004 at
1:00 p.m.

RUN: April 29 & May 6 & 13 (A-62)

APPLICANTS FOR CAMERON PARISH REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

The Cameron Parish Police Jury
will accept applications for the
appointed position of Cameron
Parish Registrar of Voters.

Applicants must be residents and
qualified voters of the Parish.
Applications or resumes' are due
at the Cameron Parish Jury Annex,
110 Smith Circle, Cameron, LA
70631, 2:00 p.m. on Friday, April 30,
2004.

RUN: April 29 (A-57)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
SP#15923
Sealed bids will be opened and
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Section of the Division of
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2nd Floor, Suite 2-160, P. O. Box
94095, Baton Rouge, Louisiana
70804 at 10:00 A.M. for the follow-
ing:

File No. K25663D, Bid No.
2188689-Generators, May 26
(NOTE: A job site visit is
mandatory.)

Bid proposal forms, informa-
tion and specifications may be
obtained by accessing the bid
number in LaPac at
www.doa.Louisiana.gov/osp or
from the purchasing section listed
above. No bids will be received
after the date and hour specified.
The right is reserved to reject any
and all bids and to waive any
informalities.

DENISE LEA - DIRECTOR OF
STATE PURCHASING
FAX (225) 342-8688
RUN: April 29 (A 66)

— JOB AD —

The Cameron Parish School Board is accept-
ing applications for the following positions at
Johnson Bayou High School:

Food Service Technician - 7 hrs./day (high
school diploma or GED preferred).

Instructional Aide (applicant must be at least
21 years of age and meet the criteria of para-
professionals noted in "No Child Left Behind").

Contact: Doug Welch, Principal, Johnson
Bayou High School, Phone: 337-569-2138.

The deadline for submitting applications is
Thursday, May 6, 2004 at 1:00 p.m.

RUN: April 29 & May 6 (A-63)

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80.12 ACS M/L (#126171 279-711) (#137151 319-218). (SUCCAMANDA L LEBLEU #248279 848-549) (SUCC SIMEON LEBLEU JR #248280 848- 554) (SUCC SIMEON LEBLEU JR #252213 864-338) (TAX SALE FROM VICKI LEBLEU REDMON ET AL - 100% #264806 909-858) (#269893 928-194 REDEMPTION CERTIFICATE FROM HOWARD ROMERO) VICKI LEBLEU REDMON - UND 1/2 INT; SIMEON LEBLEU III - UND 1/2 INT (#278606 959-465; PLAT MAP FOR SEC 13 12-9) (#278607 959-467; PLAT MAP FOR SECS 11 & 12 12-9)

0401059600.00; Natali Charles, 3903 Natali St, Lake Charles, LA 70605. Certify No. 71788518801012908402
TAXES OWED ARE \$16.82 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.
* TOTAL ACRES: 1.0 ACS.
UND 1 AC INT IN E/2W/2NW/4 SEC 12 T15 R9W.

0401074000.00; Seymour George Frelsen, 50 Kerr Parkway #50, Lake Oswego, OR 97035. Certify No. 71788518801012908464
TAXES OWED ARE \$747.72 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.
**TOTAL ACRES: .18 ACS
BEG AT SW COR OF PUB RD KNOWN AS BEL RD AT GRAND LAKE, W 48 FT, ON N SIDE OF GRAND LAKE PUB RD TO E BDY OF TRACT OWNED BY P W LAFLAUR, N 165 FT, E 48 FT, TO W SIDE OF BEL RD, S ALONG W SIDE OF BEL RD TO PT OF BEG, BEING A LOT 165 FT, N & S BY 48 FT E & W IN SEC 9 T12S R9W W/IMPS. (#186845 552-443). (FROM LOLA C MARTIN #252861 866-855). IMPS.

0500028800.00; Sonnier Clarence S & Alicia, 2425 Brant St, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 71788518801012908785
TAXES OWED ARE \$418.24 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

LOTS 17, 18, 45 & 46 BLK 5 UNIT 2 HOLLY BEACH. A SUB IN SECS 10-12 T15S R11W WALL IMPS SIT THERON. (#254253 873-126 BEG AT PT WHICH IS 1260 FT N 89 DEG 58 MIN 15 SEC E & 540 FT S FROM NW COR OF BLK 2 UNIT 1 OF HOLLY BCH SUB IN SECS 10, 11 & 12 T15S R11W, SD PT OF BEG BEING THE NW COR OF LOT 19 BLK 5 UNIT 2 HOLLY BCH SUB, RUN S 100 FT; RUN N 89 DEG 58 MIN 15 SEC E 38 FT; RUN N 23 29 FT; TURN & RUN N 40 DEG 41 MIN 29 SEC W 36.74 FT RUN N 90 DEG 53 MIN 38 SEC W 4.27 FT; RUN N 01 DEG 21 MIN 39 SEC E 26.41 FT; TURN & RUN N 22.431 FT; RUN S 89 DEG 58 MIN 15 SEC W 10.40 FT TO PT OF BEG CONTG A CALCULATED AREA OF .0484 ACS (BEING A PART OF LOTS 19, 20, 43 & 44) (#185902 547-600) (#262213 901-850). IMPS.

0500029700.00; Taylor Betty M, 137 Pintail St, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 71788518801012908792
TAXES OWED ARE \$952.56 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

THAT CERT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LOC AND DES AS BEG AT A PT 170-1/2 FT S OF NW COR OF BLK 1 UNIT 1 OF HOLLY BEACH SUB IN SECS 10 & 11 T15S R11W, AS PER PLAT #25543 1-65, S ALONG W LINE OF BLK 1 UNIT 1 179-1/2 FT; E TO E LINE OF BLK 1 UNIT 1 150 FT; W TO A PT SUFFICIENT DIST FROM E LINE OF BLK 1 UNIT 1 THAT A LINE WHEN RUN N & S WILL BE 6 INCHES W OF A CERT WATER WELL; N 29-1/2 FT; W TO PT OF BEG, W/IMPS (#223254 731-695). IMPS. IMPS. IMPS.

0500031200.00; Trahan Eric Lee, 130 Uriah Lane, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 71788518801012908808
TAXES OWED ARE \$34.14 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: .25 AC.
AN UND 1/2 INT IN THE FOLL: BEG AT A PT 730.7 FT E OF SW COR OF SE 4SE/4 SEC 11 T15S R14W, E 104 FT, N 208.6 FT, W 104 FT, S 208.6 FT TO BEG W/IMPS (#263007 904-556)

0500031985.00; Trahan Helen, 6878 C Gulf Beach Hwy, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 71788518801012908822
TAXES OWED ARE \$42.68 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 4.997 ACS.
ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND SIT IN JOHNSON BAYOU TO WIT: BEG AT A PT 626.1 FT NORTH OF THE SW CORNER OF LOT 1 OF THE PLAT OF SURV OF THE PARTN OF THE A J BILLEAUD EST OF THE W/2SE/4 & E/2SW/4 SEC 11 T15S R14W, THEN E 104.3 FT, THEN N 208.7 FT, THEN W 104.3 FT, THEN S 208.7 FT TO THE PT OF BEG (THIS PROP IS NORTH OF PORTION OF LAND OF CHRIS & AMANDA LEGER PURCHASED #250962) (R/W GRANTED - SEE DEED) (#270542 930-304 FROM ROY BILLIEAUD)

0500035900.00; Wolhert Donald L & Priscilla, 2517 Brant Street, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 71788518801012908839
TAXES OWED ARE \$1.71 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

LOT UNDERWATER BEG AT A PT WHICH IS 1493.8 FT S & 20 FT W OF CENTER LINE OF JB HWY 292 IN CENTER OF LOT OR IRR SEC 40 T15S R13W, THEN FROM SD PT OF BEG W ON N LINE OF A R/W 100 FT, N 100 FT E PRL TO N LINE OF SD R/W 100 FT, S 100 FT TO PT OF BEG. (T/SALE #204536 645-710) (#234030 782-681).

0501008600.00; Blacksher David W & Laura, 144

Tanglewood, Bridge City, TX 77611. Certify No. 71788518801012908914
TAXES OWED ARE \$6.15 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 5.94 ACS.
UND 1/5 INT IN THE FOLL: UND 1/6 INT IN & TO: W/2SE/4 & THAT PART OF NE/4SW/4 LYING S & E OF SABINE RIVER; THAT PART OF SE/4NW/4 LYING S & E OF RIVER SEC 6; NW/4NE/4, E/2NE/4 SEC 7 T12S R13W, CONT 178.29 ACS (5.94 ACS). (#209350 668-150) (T/SALE #218165 708-198) (REDEMP #218907 710-441). (JUDICIAL BILL OF SALE TO AMOCO #237238 800-401)

0501055500.00; Fontenot Wardella M et al, %L J Deshotel, 14397 Arceneaux Rd, Welsh, LA 70591. Certify No. 71788518801012909201
TAXES OWED ARE \$35.84 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

LOTS 1, 2, 3, 30 & 31 OF BLK 5 OF UNIT "A" GULF TERRACE A SUB OF PORTION OF SEC 9 T15S R12W, N 100 FT OF LOT 1 BLK 14 PLEASANT BCH SUB OF PORTIONS OF SECS 11, 12, 13, & 14 T15S R12W. (#209035 666-722). WARDELLA M FONTENOT - 1/3 INT; CATHERINE O LANDRY - 1/3 INT; CAROL O SPILMAN - 1/3 INT.

0501082400.00; Lagneaux Aaron Paul, 2339 Gulf Beach Hwy, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 71788518801012909379
TAXES OWED ARE \$375.56 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

LOTS 8, 9, 54, & 55 OF BLK 1 UNIT 3 OF HOLLY BCH A SUB OF PART OF SECS 10, 11, & 12 T15S R11W (#146135 355-457). (TRL #1-1981 AMBRO 12X60 SER# 21G8797D) (TRL #2-1977 BUCCANEER 12X50 SER#27724459868) (#260382 896-140). MOBILE HOME. MOBILE HOME.

0501090600.00; Martens William A, P O Box 12038, Beaumont, TX 77726-2038. Certify No. 71788518801012909409
TAXES OWED ARE \$1.02 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 1.25 ACS.
UND 1/4 INT IN THE FOLL: AN UND 5 AC INT OUT OF UND 4/5 INT OF UND 1/5 INT IN S/2N/2, N/2NW/4, NW/4NE/4, N/2S/2 SEC 12; S/2S/2 SEC 2; N/2, N/2S/2 SEC 11 T15S R15W (#211285 679-197)

0501094400.00; McGill University, 688 Sherbrooke St West, Suite 1490, Montreal Quebec H3A 3R1. Certify No. 71788518801012909430
TAXES OWED ARE \$201.08 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 117.9 ACS.
AN UND 32-1/2% INT IN & TO THE FOLL DES PROP. TO WIT: AN UND 7/32 INT IN 320 ACS OF LAND BEING N/2S/2 OF SEC 1 & N/2SE/4 SEC 2 T15S R15W & N/2SW/4 SEC 6 T15S R14W LESS UND 4 ACS HERETOFORE SOLD LEAVING A BALANCE OF 66 ACS. THE W 3/4 OF LOT 8 OF PAVELL SUB IN SEC 6 T15S R14W & SEC 31 T14S R14W SD 3/4 OF SD LOT COMPRISING 93.75 ACS FROM WHICH 11 ACS HAVE BEEN SOLD LEAVING A NET BALANCE OF 82.75 ACS. ALL OF NE/4NE/4 SEC 8 T15S R15W CONTG 40 ACS. THE S/2 & W/2 N/2SE/4 SEC 15 T15S R15W CONTG 30 ACS. E/2NW/4SE/4 SEC 22 T15S R15W CONTG 20 ACS. AN UND 1/4 INT IN 120 ACS OF LAND BEING N/2NE/4 OF SEC 17 & SE/4SE/4 SEC 8 T15S R14W SD INT COMPRISING 30 ACS. AN UND 1/2 INT IN 200 ACS OF LAND CONSISTING OF S/2NE/4, N/2SE/4 & SW/4SE/4 OF SEC 7 T15S R14W. LESS 6 ACS HERETOFORE SOLD LEAVING A NET OF 94 ACS. (T/SALE #208822 665-583) (REDEMPTION #210590 674-392) (#264815 909-876 T/SALE TO LINDA PICKETT - 1%) (#270048 928-506 T/SALE OF 1/64 OF 1% TO GEORGE R PIAS) (#270850 931-558 REDEMPTION FROM LINDA PICKETT OF T/SALE #264815) (#270851 931-559 REDEMPTION FROM GEORGE PIAS OF T/SALE #270048) (#275703 949-55 TAX SALE FROM MCGILL UNIVERSITY) (#282430 971 - REDEMPTION FROM HOWARD ROMERO, LINDA PICKETT & J P CONSTANCE)

0501096475.00; Meaux Marie E, 7123 Gum Cove, Sulphur, LA 70665. Certify No. 71788518801012909461
TAXES OWED ARE \$430.18 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

LOTS 27, 36 37 & 38 BLK 3 UNIT 5 HOLLY BCH SUB IN PART OF SEC 10, 11 & 12 T15S R11W (#187126) (#211023 677-237) (#259287 893-123 EXCHANGE) (#270040 928-486 T/SALE - LESS 1% TO GEORGE R PIAS & ASS'D TO HIM) (#275693 949-35 T/SALE FROM MARIE E MEAUX) (#281463 967-758 REDEMPTION). IMPS. IMPS.

0501105600.01; Oberle Gaynelle, 3220 Bryan Ave, Groves, TX 77619. Certify No. 71788518801012909522
TAXES OWED ARE \$1.71 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

BEG AT PT 234 FT N OF SW COR OF SEC 40 WHICH SD PT OF BEG IS PT OF INTERSECTION OF W LINE OF SEC 40 T15S R13W WITH W LINE OF PUB ST SEC 8 T15S R12W & OF SECS 40, 41, 42, 43 & 44 T15S R13W. FROM SD PT OF BEG RUN E ALONG PUB ST, 75 FT, RUN N 75 FT, RUN W PRL WITH S LINE 75 FT, RUN S 75 FT TO PT OF BEG. (#160961 419- 547, #160107 420-358) (#261954 900-753)

0501113400.00; Primeaux Vernon, P O Box 8, Creole, LA 70632. Certify No. 71788518801012909591
TAXES OWED ARE \$172.42 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

W/2 OF THE FOLL: LOT 4 OF CHIASSON SUB #1 IN E/2 SEC

40 T15S R13W (#185709 546-596) (#254776 875-421) (#264807 909-860 FROM PAIGE BEHM). IMPS. 0501127901.00; Smith E C et al, 30704 Berry Creek Dr, Georgetown, TX 78628-1119. Certify No. 71788518801012909683
TAXES OWED ARE \$10.24 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 10 ACS.
AN UND 1/4 INT AND TO ALL THE FOLL ASST: UND 1/7 INT IN NW/4, N/2NE/4 & LOT 6 BEING SW/4SE/4 SEC 5 T12S R13W (#99507 #99508) (#191518 575-219) (#201904 631-563 #202138 634-27) (#202663 636-733) (#192565 581-210) (#278588 959-416 LAST WILL & TESTAMENT OF KATHERINE SMITH) (#278591 959-421 ORDER TO PROBATE WILL FOR THE ESTATE OF KATHERINE SMITH) OWNERSHIP: E C SMITH - 1/2 INTEREST JUDI KATHERINE PATTERSON - 1/2 INTEREST

0600036900.00; Leonards Ludwig J, 354 Meyers Rd, Hackberry, LA 70645. Certify No. 71788518801012909935
TAXES OWED ARE \$1,452.86 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 1.886 ACS
N 2 ACS OF S 5 ACS OF E 10 ACS OF E/2W/2 SEC 45 T12S R10W (#217967 707-1038) (#252271 864-570 L LEONARDS TO C DEVALD). IMPS.

0601022500.01; Crain Brothers Ranch Inc., P O Box 118, Grand Chenier, LA 70643. Certify No. 71788518801012918012
TAXES OWED ARE \$41.35 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 20.0 ACS.
W/2W/2E/2 FRL SEC 44 T12S R10W (#110958 223-744). (#230671 767-101) (#231730 772-181)

0601023950.00; Darnsteadt Jacob Allen, 4250 Glover Rd, Sulphur, LA 70665. Certify No. 71788518801012918029
TAXES OWED ARE \$10.35 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 4.98 ACS
AN UND 25% INT OF A .0536% INT OF AN UND 3/7 INT IN ALL THE BELOW LISTED PROP: I. SW/4NW/4 OR LOT 2, NW/4SW/4 OR LOT 3 SW/4SW/4 OR LOT 4 OF FRL SEC 44, NW/4NW/4 OF LOT 1 OF FRL SEC 45 T12S R9W.

II. S/2NE/4, SE/4, E/2W/2 OF SEC 12 T12S R10W.
III. NE/4, NE/4SW/4, N/2SE/4, E/2NW/4 SEC 13 T12S R10W.
IV. LOT 9 EDMOND DOIRON SUB OF SECS 36-39 LESS THAT LOT OF LAND COM 230 FT E OF THE SW COR OF LOT 9 OF E DOIRON SUB & BEING ON N SIDE OF SHELL HWY, THEN E ON THE N SIDE OF SD HWY 80 FT, THEN S 280 FT, THEN W 80 FT, THEN S 280 FT TO THE PT OF COM, LESS THE N 25 ACS SOLD OFF THE N SIDE & BEG 790 YRDS FROM THE NW COR OF RADIATING SEC 40, BEING THE N END OF LOT 1 ALL IN SEC 23 T12S R10W.

V. W/2E/2 & W/2 FRL SEC 2; & ALL OF SEC 36 ALSO KNOWN AS RADIATING LOT 17; ALL OF SEC 37 ALSO KNOWN AS RADIATING LOT 18, ALL OF SEC 38 ALSO KNOWN AS RADIATING LOT 19, LESS 7 ACS SOLD; ALL OF SEC 39 ALSO KNOWN AS RADIATING LOT 20 LESS PART SOLD ON E SIDE ALL LYING IN T13S R10W.
VI. SE/4SW/4 SEC 3; E/2NW/4 SEC 10 LYING IN T13S R10W.
VII. SW/4SE/4 SEC 14 T13S R10W.

VII. W 100 ACS OF FRL SEC 50 T12S R10W.
IX. AN UND INT IN A TRACT OF LAND CONTG 25 ACS, M/L, BEING THE N 25 ACS OF LOT 1 OF SEC 23 T12S R10W BD ON N BY KELSO BAYOU, E BY UNSURVEYED ISLAND, S BY MRS. MARY ELLENDER HEIRS OR SUCCESSOR & BY MRS. M E JONES & W BY KELSO BAYOU & STANOLIND OIL & GAS CO, AND BEING THE SAME TRACT OF LAND CONVEYED BY M A ELLENDER TO GEORGE LOCKE.

X. UND 2/10 INT IN W/2SW/4SE/4 OF SEC 20; LESS A 1.14 AC INT TO USA FOR SALT DOME, & AN UND 2/10 INT IN NW/4SE/4SW/4 SEC 20; W 39.91 ACS OF THE E 79.91 ACS OF SEC 40 LESS 30 ACS PREVIOUSLY SOLD TO OTHER PARTIES BEING ALL OF SD THOMPSON'S INT IN SD LAND, CONTG 9.91 ACS, M/L ALSO IN T12S R10W. (#273010 940-86 C/D ERWIN HEIRS INC TO J DARNSTEADT)

0601025400.01; Dean Fanny Elizabeth et al, 1305 LA Ave, Lake Charles, LA 70601. Certify No. 71788518801012918050
TAXES OWED ARE \$.94 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 1.67 ACS.
UND 1/3 INT IN E/2SE/4SW/4 SEC 20 T12S R10W. ROSAMOND E SLOAN, THOMPSON DIETZ, JR, CHARLEY DIETZ, GRACE DIETZ, EDNA HAYES, GUILD DIETZ, DOROTHY DORR, FANNY DEAN

0601037425.00; Franklin Credit Mgmt Corp, The Old Mercantile Exchange, 6 Harrison St, New York, NY 10013. Certify No. 71788518801012918142
TAXES OWED ARE \$248.09 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

**TOTAL ACRES: .16 ACS
COM AT A PT 128.5 FT W & 1458.4 FT N OF SE COR OF LOT 8 OF DOIRON SUB IN SEC 37, 38, & 39 T12S R10W & RUN N 87 DEG 4MIN E 100 FT THEN N 5DEG 42MIN 40 SEC W 70 FT, S 87DEG 4MIN W 100 FT, S 5DEG 42MIN 40SEC E 70 FT TO PT OF COM W/IMPS. (#168302) (#278605 959-464 JUDICIAL BILL OF SALE O JINKS TO FRANKLIN CREDIT). IMPS.

0601054600.00; Kitchen Marilyn Griffith, 12322 Andwood, Willis, TX 77378. Certify No. 71788518801012910467
TAXES OWED ARE \$20.68

WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 4.67 ACS.
UND 1/3 INT IN THE FOLL: UND 1/7 INT IN: W/2SW/4 SEC 27; E 10 ACS OFF LOT 6 SEC 22 SIT IN N END OF LOT 5 OF GRIFFITH SUB OF NE/4SW/4 SEC 27; S 3-2/7 ACS OF WM T GRIFFITH SUB OF NE/4 SW/4 SEC 27, LESS 11-1/7 ACS OFF N SIDE OR END OF NW/4SW/4 SEC 27; ALL OF LOT 6 OF WM T GRIFFITH SUB OF NE/4SW/4 & NW/4SE/4 SEC 27 T12S R10W (#216238 702-899) (#216274 703-78)

0601056700.00; Lambert Sybil, 4616 Lennox Pl, Pensacola, FL 32514. Certify No. 71788518801012910580
TAXES OWED ARE \$37.58 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 1.50 ACS.
UND 1 AC INT IN UND 1/12 INT IN LOT 8 DOIRON SUB OF SEC 36-39 T12S R10W. 1/2 AC SQ IN SE COR OF N 10 ACS OF S 25 ACS OF LOT 7 OF E DOIRON SUB OF SEC 36-39; T12S R10W (#124231 273-647) (#168550 460-437) (#178535 509-4) (#196032 599-521)

0601066200.00; Miller Damond Hrs, %Eva Mae Lane Cozart, P O Box 934, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 700305000000329532238
TAXES OWED ARE \$18.80 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

* TOTAL ACRES: 1.13 ACS.
UND 1-50/100 AC INT IN UND 4 AC INT OF AMELIA (DOIRON) GOODFRIEND, UND 29/56 INT IN E/2 FRL SEC 44 T12S R10W (INT OF JULES MILLER SOLD TO MARY RODRIGUES & ASS'D TO HER). (#267979 921-483 JUDG J MILLER LABOVE TO E COZART & INCL IN THIS ASS-MT).

1100008600.00; Setex Oil & Gas Company, %Kirkwood & Darby Inc., 307 W 7th St Ste 111, Fort Worth, TX 76102. Certify No. 70022030000223145184
TAXES OWED ARE \$87,690.50 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

PIPELINES 1230; O & G EQUIP 29050; WELLS 561330; PART HOSP/AMB 115100; PART GRV #5 490840; PART REC #9 490840; PART AMB #2 476510; PART SCH #10 488330; *2000 ASSMT #: 1100002747. OIL WELLS (37) - SER NOS:22104 22593 23139 23609 23799 23708 24022 24175 24377 24630 62761 64643 92004 92309 93009 93453 109993 119689 119844 120003 136382 149353 181048 185540 190165 190902 191023 196910 200714 212557 183822 185301 187565 200715 93597 136233 151023 GAS WELLS (4) - SER NOS: 184636 193854 152578 223913 SWD WELLS (3) - SER NOS: 970437 202933 23356 OIL WELLS (2) - SER NOS: 223391 923799. GAS WELLS (1) - SER NOS: 163642. SWD WELLS (1) - SER NOS: 211109

1200000270.00; Anderson Exploration Co Inc., P O Box 1411, 1632 Hodges St, Lake Charles, LA 70602-1411. Certify No. 70022030000223145191
TAXES OWED ARE \$8,316.34 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

PIPELINES 290; O & G EQUIP 5080; WELLS 48070. CRAB LAKE FIELD - SECTION 20 T15S R5W. M O MILLER MD #1 - #207080; M O MILLER MD #2 - #208011; M O MILLER MD #1D - #208598; M O MILLER MD #2D - #208599; M O MILLER MD #1 SWD - #972850

1200003420.00; Gulf Marine Operators Inc, 1201 Oakfield Dr, Suite 104, Brandon, FL 33511. Certify No. 70022030000223145221
TAXES OWED ARE \$4,167.50 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

WATERCRAFT 26780; M/V GULF MARINE I 1200004500.00; Jimmy Roberson Energy Corp, P O Box 729, Benton, LA 71006. Certify No. 70022030000223145238
TAXES OWED ARE \$15,596.35 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

PIPELINES 2040; O & G EQUIP 13380; WELLS 84820 *2000 ASSMT #: 1200004600 LITTLE CHENIER FIELD - SECTION 13 T14S R6W: NUNEZ #1 - #157782; REMENTAUA MINERAL LAND CO #1 - #215824; BOUDOIN #1 - #216843 MERMENTAU MINERAL LAND CO #2 - #197469

1200006150.00; M/V Louisiana LLC, 129 Hwy 89, Youngsville, LA 70508. Certify No. 70022030000223145245
TAXES OWED ARE \$5,952.48 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

1200008700.00; Stratco Operating Co Inc., Affiliated Tax Consultants, P O Box 1627, Henderson, TX 75653-1627. Certify No. 70022030000223145276
TAXES OWED ARE \$624.05 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

O & G EQUIP 80; WELLS 3930; KINGS BAYOU FIELD - S/L 10938 - SN#: 194527 1300003100.00; C & W Operating, 8410 US Hwy 90E, Hallettsville, TX 77964. Certify No. 70022030000223145351
TAXES OWED ARE \$1,568.13 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

O & G EQUIP 5290; WELLS 4430. GAS WELL (1) - SER NO: 199483 / J A DAVIS #1 SWD WELL (1) - SER NO: 972334 / J A DAVIS-SWD #1. LEASE: BACKRIDGE-ONSHORE SEC 23 T14S

R9W 1300003400.00; Callais & Daughters Inc, P O Box 598, Cut Off, LA 70345. Certify No. 70022030000223145368
TAXES OWED ARE \$6,170.88 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

WATERCRAFT 38250, M/V LADY DEB 1300007200.00; Daniels Welding, 5747 W Creole Hwy, Cameron, LA 70631. Certify No. 70022030000223145382
TAXES OWED ARE \$6,166.03 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

M & E 31860; F & F 3030; MISC PROPERTY 1830. *2000 ASSMT #: 1300007200. BUSI-NESST LOC @ 5747 W CREOLE HWY 1300015100.00; Gulf Marine Operators Inc, 1201 Oakfield Dr, Suite 104, Brandon, FL 33511. Certify No. 70022030000223145443
TAXES OWED ARE \$4,936.70 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

WATERCRAFT 30600; M/V GULF MARINE II 1300015101.00; Gulf Marine Operators Inc, 1201 Oakfield Dr, Suite 104, Brandon, FL 33511. Certify No. 70022030000223145450
TAXES OWED ARE \$5,554.60 WITH INTEREST AND COST TO BE ADDED.

WATERCRAFT 34430; M/V GULF MARINE III 1300020965.00; LRCI Inc., 1400 Smith Street, Houston, TX 77002. Certify No. 70

LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Bids are being solicited as follows and sealed bids will be opened and publicly read by the Purchasing Section of the Department of Natural Resources, Room 1263, 617 N. 3rd St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802 at 11:00 A.M. on May 12, 2004:

Bid Proposal Number 432-2214-UORP/04-007
Removal and Disposal of Underwater Obstructions, Grand Lake & Calcasieu Lake, Cameron Parish
Only those contractors on the list of contractors approved by the Underwater Obstruction Removal Program Office as of April 22, 2004 will be eligible for consideration. (Reference: Louisiana Underwater Obstruction Removal Program, ACT 666 of 1997).

Bid proposal form and specifications will be mailed to eligible contractors. Additional information may be obtained from the Department of Natural Resources, Office of Conservation, P.O. Box 94275 (617 N 3rd St-9th FL), Baton Rouge, LA 70804 - 9275, Attention: Underwater Obstruction Removal Program (or call Underwater Obstruction Removal Office at 225/342-6293).

Evidence of authority to submit the bid shall be required in accordance with R.S. 38:2212 (A)(1)(c) and/or R.S. 39:1594 (C)(2)(d).

This Notice published to comply with Public Bid Law.
RUNS: April 15, 22, & 29 (A 37)

**PROCEEDINGS
CAMERON PARISH WATER
AND WASTEWATER #1
MARCH 25, 2004**

The Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. 1 Board meet in regular session on Thursday, March 25, 2004 at 7:00 p.m. in the board room located at 126 Ann Street, in the village of Cameron, Louisiana.

Members present were: J. C. Murphy, Paul Duhon, Vergy Hebert, Bobby Doxey, Tammy Peshoff and Rick Merchant.

Absent: Chris Hebert.
Guests: Stephen Vincent, James Doxey, and Kimberly LeBlanc.

Board President Vergy Hebert called the meeting to order.

On a motion by Rick Merchant and seconded by Bobby Doxey and carried to make two additions to the agenda:

1. Vacation schedule - Vergy Hebert.
2. New water lines - Kimberly LeBlanc.

The minutes for the previous meeting were approved as read.

On a motion by Paul Duhon and seconded by Tammy Peshoff and carried that the financial statements by accepted as presented.

On a motion by J. C. Murphy and seconded by Rick Merchant and carried that the bills for the month be paid.

Stephen Vincent addressed the board about protective equipment needed to handle chlorine.

On a motion by J. C. Murphy and seconded by Paul Duhon and carried that a Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) be purchased for protection when changing chlorine bottles. Also, one man will be standing by at the site at all times when changing out chlorine bottles with the equipment on hand.

On a motion by Paul Duhon and seconded by J. C. Murphy and carried to hire Stephen Vincent to train personnel in the proper usage of the self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

On a motion by J. C. Murphy and seconded by Rick Merchant and carried that Edward update the chlorine policy and emergency chlorine procedures and present to the board at the next meeting for approval.

On a motion by J. C. Murphy and seconded by Rick Merchant and carried that the valve box policy be tabled until the next meeting.

On a motion by Paul Duhon and seconded by J. C. Murphy and carried that the Municipal Water Pollution Prevention (MWPP) Audit be approved.

On a motion by Tammy Peshoff and seconded by Rick Merchant and carried to let out bids for polyphosphate and chlorine.

On a motion by Paul Duhon and seconded by Rick Merchant and carried to close in the corner of the office to make Edward a private office.

On a motion by J. C. Murphy and seconded by Paul Duhon and carried that there being no further business that the meeting stand adjourned.

/s/ Vergy Hebert
**VERGY HEBERT, PRESIDENT
CAMERON PARISH WW#1
L/S/ Lori LeBlanc
LORI LEBLANC, SECRETARY**
RUN: April 29 (A 59)

**PUBLIC NOTICE
OPPORTUNITY FOR REQUEST-
ING
A PUBLIC HEARING**

All interested persons are hereby advised that the Cameron Parish Police Jury has applied to the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for project funding under Federal Transit Administration Section 5311 Rural Transportation Program/Section 5309 Discretionary Program for the following:

PROJECT: Cameron Parish Police Jury is preparing to add equipment to expand existing rural transportation services to the general public in Cameron Parish. Further details relative to the project are available from Dinah Landry at 337-775-5655.

Interested persons are advised that they may request that a public hearing be conducted to provide a means for the public to express their views relative to the proposed project on the probable social, economic and environmen-

tal effects involved. In lieu of requesting a public hearing, interested persons may submit their comments in writing.

Written requests for a public hearing and/or submittal of comments must be postmarked on or before May 14, 2004, and should be addressed to: P. O. Box 421, Cameron, Louisiana 70631.

Should a hearing be required, a public notice will be published stating the date, time and location of hearing.

/s/ Dinah Landry
**DINAH LANDRY,
DIRECTOR - CAMERON
COUNCIL ON AGING**
RUN: April 29 (A 60)

**CAMERON PARISH WATER
AND WASTEWATER
DISTRICT NO. 1
P.O. BOX 960
126 ANN STREET
CAMERON, LOUISIANA 70631**

Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. 1 will receive sealed bids prior to 3:00 P.M. on Thursday, May 28, 2004 with all items deliverable to Cameron, Louisiana for the following items.

Please provide prices as specified:

1. 150 lb. cylinder of chlorine gas (per pound).
2. Polyphosphate, condensed inorganic phosphate blend (per gallon).

Bids are based on a 2 year contract period with an option to renew for an additional 2 year period. Bids sheets can be obtained by calling (337) 775-5660 Monday thru Thursday from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. and on Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
RUNS: April 29, May 6, 13 (A 69)

**CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
AGENDA
MAY 3, 2004**

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Reading of Minutes
4. Proclamation - WWII Veterans Recognition Day
5. Drilling and Pipeline Permits:
 - a. St. Mary Energy Company - Creole, Section 33, T13S, R7W, Miami Corp. Well No. 3, (proposed well location on existing pad), Cameron Parish, LA. (040501)
 - b. Hilcorp Energy Company - Grand Chenier, Offshore, Block 1, State Lease 1170 Well No. A-24, (proposed installation of jack-up rig), Cameron Parish, LA. (040504)
 - c. Manti Operating Company - Cameron, Sections 22, 27 & 28, T14S, R9W, Henry No. 1 Well, (proposed installation of a 4" & 6" pipeline), Cameron Parish, LA. (040502)
 - d. Hilcorp Energy Company - Grand Chenier, Offshore, Block 1, State Lease 1170, Well No. A-25, (proposed installation of a 4" & 6" pipeline), Cameron Parish, LA. (040503)

6. Other Permits:
a. Jeff Poe - Big Lake, Section 41, T12S, R9W, (excavation for recreational fish pond/house and barn pads), Cameron Parish, LA (040412)

b. Cameron Communications - Johnson Bayou, various sections, townships & ranges, (proposed modifications to LCUP#021010 to include a section of cable to be placed from Johnson Bayou School west approximately 3 miles to the point where the Deep Bayou Road intersects LA 82), Cameron Parish, LA (021010)

7. Appointments:
 - a. Fire Dist. #10 - John Walters - resigned - Tim Dean
 - b. Industrial Development Board - Charles McDaniel - term expired
 - c. Library Board - Madeline Solina - term expired
 - d. Mosquito Control - Greg Gray - term expired
 - e. Gravity Drainage Dist #5 - Ted Joanel
 - f. Gravity Drainage Dist. #3 - Mike Johnson
8. Acceptance of Bids:
 - a. Sale of Surplus Equipment
 - b. Project 2004-01 - Rd Improvements in Cameron Parish (Hackberry)
9. Culverts
10. Rescue Vehicle
11. Vinyl Fencing
12. Advertise for Bids:
 - a. Official Journal
 10. Amend Speed Limits on Beaches at Johnson Bayou/Holly Beach

11. Financial Reports
12. Pay April 2004 Bills
13. Staff Report:
RUN: April 29 (A 71)

NOTICE
Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the original Promissory Note dated December 8, 2000 in the amount of \$41,412.08 executed by WILLARD RAY DOMINGUE and SHARON ODEGAR DOMINGUE, please contact Ashley S. Burch, Attorney at Law at P. O. Box 3008, Monroe, LA 71210-3004, 318/388-4400.
RUN: April 29 (A 72)

**CAMERON PARISH
WATERWORKS
DISTRICT NO. 11
PROCEEDINGS
FEBRUARY 10, 2004**

There was a meeting of the Board of Waterworks District 11 at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 10, 2004, at the Grand Lake Waterworks Office.
PRESENT: Jeffrey Jouett, Andre Abadie, Gerald Richard, Grace Robideaux, Billy Johnston
ABSENT: None
OTHER ATTENDEES: Charles Precht, District 3 Police Juror, Cecil Sanner, District Attorney
The meeting was called to order by Board President Jeffrey Jouett.

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Billy Johnston, and carried, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Andre Abadie and carried, the minutes from the January 13, 2004, regular meeting were approved as previously

mailed out.

Mr. Robert Crador addressed the board to discuss concerns with meter readings and the way his apartments are billed. Mr. Crador has four apartments, but they are not all occupied. There is only one meter for this property and it is being billed as a four party meter. Mr. Crador requested that he only be billed for the apartments that are occupied.

Mr. Cecil Sanner, District Attorney addressed the issue of inaccessible meters. When a meter is purposely made inaccessible by a customer (i.e. tying a dog to a meter) a picture will be taken of the meter, sent to the D.A.'s office and the D.A. will send a letter to the customer.

Mr. Ray Mayberry addressed the board to ask the board to accept the waterline at Harbor View Subdivision. It has been one year since the line was installed.

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Andre Abadie and carried, the board will accept the waterline at Harbor View Subdivision subject to approval of the subdivision by the Cameron Parish Police Jury and completion of the punch list.

A letter was received from Mrs. W. E. Shaddock requesting an upgrade of their existing waterline. This line is on private property. The board discussed options to handle this and will revisit the issue upon further investigation.

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Billy Johnston and carried, the compliance questionnaire for the year ending December 31, 2003 was adopted.

On motion of Billy Johnston, seconded by Grace Robideaux and carried, Mr. Robert Crador will be charged for a 4-party hookup at his apartment complex.

On motion of Andre Abadie, seconded by Grace Robideaux and carried, the issue of usage of the waterworks building was added to the agenda.

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Andre Abadie and carried, the waterworks building will only be used by Waterworks District #11 unless otherwise voted on by the board. The building will be re-keyed and the only keys given out will be to the individuals bonded by the waterworks.

The tower rental contract has been bought out by Cingular Wireless. All correspondence regarding this matter will be forwarded to the District Attorney.

The Bazile Daigle Road project has been postponed due to weather. The target date for this project will now be March 1, 2004.

A draft of the O&M Manual was given to the board members for review. This will be addressed at the next meeting.

The board reviewed the projects priority list.

The purchase of new equipment was discussed. The new truck has been ordered, and a new 24' trailer has been purchased.

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Andre Abadie and carried, the 16' trailer that we currently own will be put up for public bid.

The board discussed the possibility of installing electronic meters in select areas. We will invite some vendors to come to the next meeting to discuss their systems.

A financial report was given for the month ending January 31, 2004.

The Superintendent's monthly report was given by James Cox. His report included the following items:

- Overtime report
- Vulnerability Assessment Report
- Fire hydrant locks
- Tower maintenance
- Usage report
- Production costs
- Delinquency Report

On motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Andre Abadie and carried, all bills were approved for payment.

There being no further business, on motion of Andre Abadie, seconded by Billy Johnston and carried, the meeting was declared adjourned.

APPROVED:
/s/ Jeffrey Jouett
**JEFFREY JOUETT
PRESIDENT**

ATTEST:
/s/ Helen Williams
HELEN WILLIAMS
RUN: April 29 (A 73)

**CAMERON PARISH
WATERWORKS
DISTRICT NO.11
PROCEEDINGS
MARCH 8, 2004**

There was a special meeting of the Board of Waterworks District 11 at 5:30 p.m., Monday, March 8, 2004, at the Grand Lake Waterworks Office.

PRESENT: Jeffrey Jouett, Andre Abadie, Gerald Richard, Grace Robideaux

ABSENT: Billy Johnston
OTHER ATTENDEES: Tom Barrett, Assistant District Attorney; Lonnie Harper, Lonnie Harper & Associates.

The meeting was called to order by Board President Jeffrey Jouett.

Tim Pontiff and Josh Zerangue of Louisiana Utilities gave a presentation of Neptune electronic meters.

Neal Farmer of Master Meter gave a presentation of his company's electronic meters.

There being no further business, on motion of Grace Robideaux, seconded by Andre Abadie and carried, the meeting was declared adjourned.

APPROVED:
/s/ Jeffrey Jouett
**JEFFREY JOUETT
PRESIDENT**

ATTEST:
/s/ Helen Williams
HELEN WILLIAMS
RUN: April 29 (A 74)

**PROCEEDINGS
CAMERON PARISH
PUBLIC LIBRARY
BOARD OF CONTROL
MARCH 30, 2004**

President Cyndi Sellers called the Cameron Parish Public

Library Board of Control meeting to order on Thursday, March 30, 2004 at the Cameron Library at 4:00 P.M. The following were present: Members: Wanita Harrison, Kenny Trahan, John Calzada, Cyndi Sellers and Charlotte, Troclair, secretary. Absent were: Madeline Solina, Stephanie Rogers and James Doxey Police Jury ex-officio member.

Guests in attendance were Tom Barrett, Cameron Parish Assistant District Attorney, George LeBoeuf, Vergy Hebert, Darrell Williams, Charlie Mae Brasseaux, Susie Calzada, Linda Ballard and Lee Harrison.

Wanita Harrison led the prayer and Kenny Trahan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

On the motion of John Calzada, seconded by Wanita Harrison and carried the board unanimously accepted the minutes for February 19, 2004.

Darrell Williams presented the monthly financial report. On the motion of Mr. Calzada, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the board unanimously voted to accept the financial report.

On the motion of Mr. Calzada, seconded by Mrs. Harrison, the board unanimously voted to accept the deletions.

The board briefly discussed a "Friends of the Library" Group.

Mrs. Troclair briefly explained upcoming programs to be held at the library.

The next meeting was set for April 27, 2004 at 4:00 P.M.

There being no further business and upon motion of Mr. Calzada and seconded by Mrs. Harrison the meeting was adjourned.

APPROVED:
/s/ Cyndi Sellers
**CYNDI SELLERS
BOARD PRESIDENT**

ATTEST:
/s/ Charlotte Troclair
**CHARLOTTE TROCLAIR
SECRETARY**
RUN: April 29 (A 75)

**PUBLIC NOTICE
CAMERON PARISH COASTAL
USE PERMIT APPLICATION**

Interested parties are hereby notified that the Coastal Management Section of the Cameron Parish Police Jury has received the following apparently complete application for a Coastal Use Permit in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program and R.S. 49, 213.1, the State and Local Coastal Resources Management Act of 1978, as amended.

C.U.P.# _____
L.C.U.P.# 040418
Name of Applicant: Dupont Building, Inc., P.O. Box 1400, Cameron, LA 70631.

Location of permit: Sweet Lake - Section 21, T12S - R7W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of work: Dupont Building, Inc. proposes to excavate and fill for development of future commercial property.

The decision on whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts of the proposed activity in accordance with Police Jury Ordinance. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent and must represent an appropriate balancing of social, environmental and economic factors. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered; among these are flood and storm hazards, water quality, water supply, feasible alternative sites, drainage patterns, historical sites, economics, public and private benefits, coastal water dependency, impacts on natural features, compatibility with the natural and cultural setting and the extent of long term benefits or adverse impacts.

Certification that the proposed activity will not violate applicable water and air quality, laws, standards and regulations will be required before a permit is issued.

Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Request for public hearings shall state, with particularity, the reasons for holding a public hearing.

Plans for the proposed work may be inspected at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex Building, P. O. Box 1280, Cameron, Louisiana, (337) 775-5718. Written comments should be mailed within 25 days from the date of this public notice to Cameron Parish Police Jury, Post Office Box 1280, Cameron, Louisiana 70631.

Sincerely
/s/ Myles Hebert
**MYLES HEBERT
COASTAL ZONE ADMINISTRATOR
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY**
RUN: April 29 (A 76)

**PROCEEDINGS
Cameron, Louisiana
April 5, 2004**

The Committee of the Whole met on this date at 3:00 p.m. with the following members present: Loston McEvers - Vice-President, Dot Theriot, Dwayne Sanner, Pat Howerton, and Rachel Abadie. Absent: Clifton Morris and Marvin Trahan. Mr. McEvers presided.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the Committee approved the agenda.

On motion of Mr. Sanner, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Committee approved the minutes from the March 8, 2004 meeting as printed.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Committee received the financial report.

On motion of Mr. Sanner, seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the Committee approved the 2003-2004 budget report.

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Committee reviewed bills for payment.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Committee received the bus main-

tenance contract report.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the Committee approved renewal of the contract for Norris Insurance Consultants, Inc.

On motion of Mr. Theriot, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Committee adjourned.

APPROVED:
Loston McEvers, Vice-President
**CAMERON PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD**

ATTEST:
Douglas L. Chance, Secretary
**CAMERON PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD**

Cameron, Louisiana
April 5, 2004

The Cameron Parish School Board met in regular session on this date with the following members present: Loston McEvers - Vice-President, Dot Theriot, Dwayne Sanner, Pat Howerton, and Rachel Abadie. Absent: Clifton Morris and Marvin Trahan. Mr. McEvers presided.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the Board approved the agenda.

On motion of Mr. Sanner, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved the minutes from the March 8, 2004 regular meeting as printed.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board accepted the bid of Pelts and Skins, LLC in the amount of \$12.25/egg for the whole of the advertised tracts. The vote is recorded as follows:

YEAS: Mr. Howerton, Mrs. Abadie, Mrs. Theriot, Mr. McEvers
NAYS: Mr. Sanner

ABSENT: Mr. Morris, Mr. Trahan

The Board recognized the Sign Language Club from Grand Lake High School.

The Board recognized students from Cameron Elementary School, Johnson Bayou High School, and South Cameron Elementary School.

Comments were received from Rick Merchant, CAE President.

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the Board approved a request from the Cameron Parish Police Jury to enter into a new 25 year lease for property, approximately 4 acres in Section 18-12-9, on which the Big Lake Fire Station is located (the property is currently being leased by the Jury).

On motion of Mr. Sanner, seconded by Mr. Howerton, the Board tabled a request from Cameron Telephone Company for a Servitude Agreement to erect a remote site video over copper distribution center in Section 16-15-14.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, seconded by Mr. Howerton, the Board approved a request from White Oak Energy L.L.C. for assignments of interest in lease, CPSB #2, on Section 16-15-4, Little Pecan Lake, to White Oak Energy L.L.C. from the following leasehold working interest owners:
Castle Peak Resources, L.L.C
JCT9901 L.L.C.
Delmar Holdings L.P.
Michael W. Englert
Eland Energy Inc.
Ridge Exploration Inc.
Minor Resources Inc.

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Board approved a request from White Oak Energy L.L.C. for assignment of its interest in CPSB#2 Well in Section 16-15-4 as follows:

- (1) An undivided twenty-eight percent (28%) of the interest obtained from Wagner and other parties to Shasta Cornerstone Partners, Ltd.
- (2) All remaining interest in the lease to Red Oak Oil, L.P.

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Board received a report on a request from Azimuth Energy, L.L.C. relative to a road use agreement on Section 16-15-14.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the Board approved the Superintendent's recommendation to approve a one year contract for Norris Insurance Consultants, Inc.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved the following personnel items:
Resignations
Ms. Frances Ballard, Bus Driver, Grand Lake High School
Ms. Julie Carlson, Lunchroom Technician, Johnson Bayou High School
Ms. Marylyn LeJeune, Teacher, Johnson Bayou High School

Mr. James Murphy, Custodian/Bus Driver, Cameron Elementary School
Ms. Harriet Savoy, Teacher, Hackberry High School
Leaves without Pay
Ms. Merle Trares, Itinerant Teacher, Multiple Assignments - leave without pay for the period May 12, 2004 - May 25, 2004

Advertise
Authorize the superintendent to advertise for personnel for the positions herein noted as well as others available due to retirements.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, seconded by Mr. Howerton, the Board returned to regular session.

On motion of Mr. Howerton, the Board received a report from the executive session.

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Board received the Superintendent's Reports as follows:
Management of New Revenue
Review of Teacher and Administrator Salaries in Southwest Louisiana
Review of Facility Needs, Guidelines for New Athletic Programs, Instructional Needs, Compensation for Supplementary Assignments,
Mileage Reimbursement,
Behavioral Management, Adjustments of Central Office Duties, and Easter Holiday Calendar

On motion of Mr. Howerton, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Board adjourned until the next regular session on May 10, 2004.

APPROVED:
Loston McEvers, Vice-President
**CAMERON PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD**

ATTEST:
Douglas L. Chance, Secretary
**CAMERON PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD**
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seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved a request from Ms. Bobby Delaney and five 8th grade science students from Grand Lake High School to attend the World Space Week Educational Awards Event on April 13, 2004 in Los Angeles as a result of the students winning 3rd place in the national competition for their work on the International Space Station.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, seconded by Mr. Sanner, the Board approved a request from Grand Lake High School to permit the science students of Ms. Jill Manuel and Ms. Aimee Young to attend Physics Day at Astroworld, Houston, Texas, on April 23, 2004.

On motion of Mr. Sanner, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved a request from Ms. Ruby Dupuie from South Cameron Elementary to travel to California using professional development funds June 8-12



MILLER LIVESTOCK Barn, which is one of the largest livestock auction businesses in Louisiana and one of DeQuincy's oldest businesses, will be honored as the "Business of the Year" by the DeQuincy Chamber of Commerce at its annual banquet Friday evening at the Methodist Church annex.

MILLER

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cess out of a less than successful operation. The facility had last been used as a hog-feeding place by the late Glynn Blackburn.

At the time Miller was a cattle broker and auctioneer and was shipping cattle all over the country. He worked as auctioneer for R. L. Barnes at Gillis on Fridays, for Eunice Livestock Exchange on Tuesdays and at Welsh on Saturdays. Mr. Richard convinced him that there was a need for the re-opening of the market in this area.

The Cooperative gave Miller a one-year lease and he had to make all improvements to put the barn into operable condition. He sold animals on Saturdays and worked on the facility during the week, and was also busy during the week securing animals for the Saturday sales.

After the first year he went into a 10-year lease, during which time he bought out the shareholders. One of the largest shareholders was the late James Kent who put up 10 acres of land as his share in the venture. At the end of 20 years he had bought the land from Mr. Kent. By 1973 he owned both the barn and land eventually bought additionally property in Pine Acres, giving him about 40 acres. The business has never closed since Miller took over operation in 1962.

ONE OF TOP MARKETS

At a special sale there were 4,675 head of cattle sold

at DeQuincy Livestock Barn, making in the largest sale in Louisiana. Today the DeQuincy business is one of the top two markets in the state. It has the largest hog, sheep, goat and horse markets and the second largest cattle markets in the state; it is also the oldest in Louisiana.

DeQuincy Livestock Co. has 30 employees, 10 of these are full time, and an annual payroll of \$350,000 to \$400,000. Cattle are received from seven Louisiana parishes and three Texas counties. Sales every Saturday include sheep and goats at 10 a.m. and cattle at 1 p.m. Horse sales are at 5 p.m. the first and third Mondays of each month. This is the only market in Louisiana that furnishes hay and water free of charge for consigned livestock.

Most of the stock purchased here goes to feed lots in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Nebraska and Colorado. Cows go to slaughter houses in Florida, New Jersey and Texas. Sheep and goats go to Houston and San Antonio areas as well as Florida and New Jersey areas for slaughter. Hogs are marketed locally.

BECOME AUCTIONEER

When Jim Miller was only 17 years of age he attended and graduated from Reisch American School of Auctioneering in Mason City, Iowa, while in the 10th grade of school. During his junior and senior years he was auctioneer in Eunice. He still does some of his sales here

and has other auctioneers who help.

He attended McNeese in 1957, '58 and '59, studying agri-business and continued conducting livestock sales. He was on the rodeo team at McNeese and about three years ago was inducted into the MSU Rodeo Hall of Fame. He is president of the Rodeo Historical Society of Oklahoma City at the Cowboy Hall of Fame and also president of the Golden Saddle Club at McNeese.

Miller was active in 4-H and FFA in school and graduated from St. Edmunds in Eunice in 1956. Remembering his 4-H and FFA days prompts him to conduct the Calcasieu and Cameron Livestock Sales for these clubs, which he has done for the past 26 years. He also supports the members by purchasing their animals, sometimes giving the animals back to the sellers and sometimes donating them to charitable organizations. He estimates he has bought about \$150,000 worth of animals for the five-parish area over the last 25 years.

Miller is the father of three daughters, Bridget, Shirley and Cindy, and one son, Clay, who is involved in the day-to-day business as manager in charge of consignment and trucking. Two sons were killed some years ago in separate accidents. At the time of his death, son Jay was overseeing Miller's Lake Charles livestock operation. He closed the facility after Jay's death. He is married to the former Nettie Fruge Guillott.

Do You Remember?

(Lake Charles American Press, April 29, 1941)

OPENING OF CHANNEL

United State engineers announced today that tentative opening of the Calcasieu River deep channel at Lake Charles had been set for July 15.

The project will cost several million dollars and will provide a deep water channel for ocean-going vessels into the port of Lake Charles from the Gulf.

The project is about 40 miles in length. Specifications called for a 32-foot channel in the outer Gulf end and 30 feet depth into Lake Charles.

A jetty project in connection with the channel is expected to require a year for completion.

(Cameron Pilot, April 29, 1971)

BEACH PROJECT IS NOT RECOMMENDED

The U.S. Corps of Engineers has reported that a beach-erosion control and hurricane project in the Holly Beach area would cost \$2,770,000, but said the project was not justified at this time.

A survey of the proposed project was authorized by Congress in 1964 and hearings on the matter were held here in 1966 and 1970 by the Corps of Engineers.

The Engineers found that the most practical plan of improvement for the beach area would be a stone break-water and sandfill. The highway could be protected by a heavy stone revetment.

ROUNDABOUT THE PARISH

Mary Katherine Humphries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy J. Humphries, has been named valedictorian of the 1971 graduating class of Grand Lake High School. Roberta Lee Hebert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hebert, is the class salutatorian. Other honor graduates announced by Principal Weldon A. Vincent are Charles Faulk, Dean LaVergne, and Janet Guillory.

Cameron Blue Birds were organized at a meeting held March 24 to register girls into the program. Mrs. Weldon Authement, leader, reports that ten girls registered: Robynn Authement, Stacy Clay, Claudette Cormier, Georgette Cormier, Debbie Kelly, Wilda Mason, Florette Miller, Bernadette Miller, Lillian Moore, and Caroline Wilkerson. Mrs. Louise Stoute, Jr., was named assistant leader.

A 73-year-old steeplejack from Lake Charles painted the Cameron Courthouse flagpole Monday. Frank B. Johnston said he has been painting flagpoles for 63 years, ever since he ran away from home in South Bend, Indiana, at the age of 10.

NEVER GAVE UP

Jim Miller says he has never had any doubts about making a success of his business and never wanted to give up. At times there were minor financial difficulties trying to collect on bad checks or buyers going bankrupt, but he was determined to make a go of it.

"The people have been good to me and the business and continue to do so," he said in reminiscing over the past 41 plus years. "I have made friends that I met through the livestock sales that continue to be friends today."

Two such friends are Elmo Davis and Danny Allen. Davis came with Miller to the DeQuincy facility and is the main auctioneer. Allen came on a few years later and is manager of the DeRidder area where livestock is received and brought for sale here. "Both are still with me," he said, which speaks well of both employer and employee.

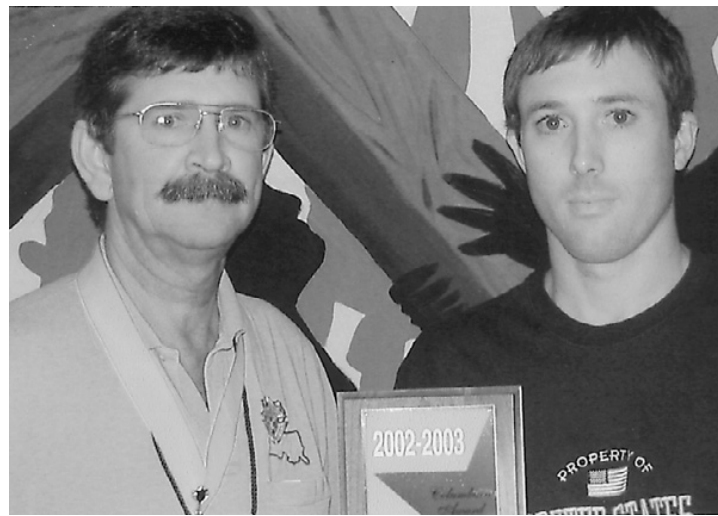
"I still enjoy going to work each day as much today as I did when I started in this business in 1962," Miller reflected. And for a man who could be thinking of retirement, this is pretty good summation of his love for his business.



GERALD TOUCHET, right, was selected Knight of the Year for Knights of Columbus Council 8323 of Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach at the annual KC-CDA banquet on April 18. Last year's winner, Tommy Pease, made the presentation.



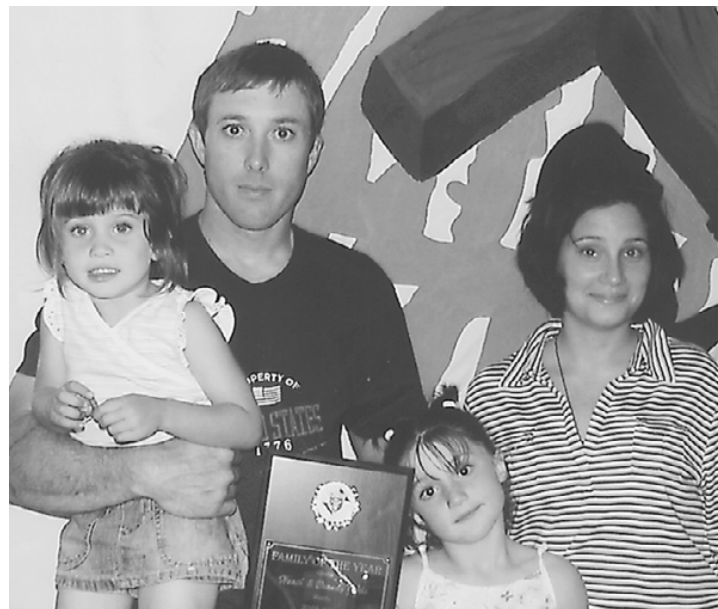
SHERYL BADON, center, was selected as Catholic Daughter of the Year for CDA Court 2265 of Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach at the annual banquet held on April 18. She was presented the award by Lynn Griffith, left, last year's Daughter of the Year. Regent of the Court Marsha Trahan is on the right.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 8323 of Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach is a Columbian Award winner for the 2002-2003 fraternal year. The award is presented for excellence in the programs that serve families, Church, youth, and community, as well as council members. District Deputy Jeff Hanchey, left, presented the plaque to Grand Knight Heath Jinks at the annual K. C. banquet held on April 18.



LAUREN GRIFFITH and Beau Rodrigue, graduating seniors from Johnson Bayou High School, led the Parade of Allegiance at the annual Knights of Columbus-Catholic Daughters banquet on April 18. They received the Catholic Youth Leadership Award from K. C. Council 8323.



HEATH AND BRANDY Jinks and their family were selected as Family of the Year by Knights of Columbus Council 8323 of Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach at the banquet held April 18.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF POTENTIAL CONVERSION OF FLOODPLAINS AND NOTICE OF THE AVAILABILITY OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

The USDA Rural Utilities Service has received a request for financial assistance from Cameron Parish Water Works District No. 7, 132 Raymond Richard Road, Creole, LA 70632 in Cameron Parish, Louisiana. The purpose of this request is to use remaining funds to assist in a project funded through the LDA Community Block Grant program. As required by the National Environmental Policy Act, the Rural Utilities Service has prepared an Environmental Assessment to evaluate the potential environmental effect and consequences of the proposed project.

The proposed project will provide improved water and fire protection services to customers of Cameron Parish Water Works District No. 7 located in Cameron Parish, Louisiana. Specific proposed project components include the installation of a new 500 gallon per minute (gpm) water well and the construction of a 100,000 gallon elevated water storage tank. The proposed well and elevated storage tank are located on the same site that is located at the east end of Parish Road 365 approximately 1.25 miles east of the intersection of LA 27/82 and Parish Road 357. If implemented the proposed project will convert less approximately one acre of the FEMA designated 100-year floodplain at the sites identified above.

The purpose of this Notice is three-fold: (1) to announce the availability of the Environmental Assessment for public review and comment; (2) To inform the public of this proposed impact or conversion of the 100-year floodplain and request comments concerning the proposed project, alternative sites or actions that would avoid these impacts, and methods that could be utilized to minimize these impacts; and (3) to seek the public's opinion on the presence of any historic property or archaeological sites that might be adversely affected by this proposed action, and on ways to avoid or resolve such effects.

The environmental documentation regarding this proposed project is available for review at the Rural Utilities Service located in the USDA Service Center, 905 Jefferson Street, Suite 320, Lafayette, LA 70501-7913. For further information interested parties may contact Mr. Gerard Labat, Rural Development Specialist, Rural Utilities Service by telephone at (337) 262-6610.

Any person interested in commenting on this proposed project should submit comments to the address listed above by May 24, 2004.

A general location map of the proposed water system service area is available for review at the Rural Utilities Service office depicted above.

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