

Recall petitions being circulated

A group of citizens in the Grand Chenier area are circulating petitions asking for a recall election for Ward 4 School Board Member Bill Morris.

The recall petition was filed with the Secretary of State on April 23 and was signed by Dorothy Theriot, recall chairman, and Elougia Richard, vice-chairman.

Signers of the petition must be active voters as of April 23. There were 1103 such voters listed on the Registrar of Voters roll as of that date.

To secure a recall election, 33 1/3 percent of these voters must sign the petition, which would be 368 in number. Petition sponsors have 180 days in which to secure the required number in

order to have a recall election called.

Petition sponsors have called a public meeting for 7 p.m., Thursday, May 17 at the Grand Chenier Fire Station to discuss the progress of the recall efforts.

The sponsors are seeking Morris' recall for what they see as his failure to prevent the closing of the Grand Chenier elementary school next school year.

The Cameron Parish School Board recently voted 4-2 to close the school due to its declining enrollment and to transfer its students to the South Cameron Elementary School located at Oak Grove.

Morris was one of the two school board members to vote against the closing, but school supporters say he should have done more to try to keep the school open.

The recall group also plans to secure the service of an attorney and possibly file for an injunction to prevent the school's closing.

Morris, who is a former Cameron Parish teacher and principal, has been on the school board about ten years.

Post office facilities are opening

The new Hackberry Post Office building was recently opened for business and the new Grand Lake substation of the Lake Charles Post Office will go into operation on Thursday, May 17.

The new Hackberry facility was completed some months ago, but opening was delayed until final inspections could be made. An open house is planned later.

The new Grand Lake substation, located behind the Council on Aging office near the school, also was completed some months ago but opening was delayed until May 17 for final inspections.

This will be a substation of the Lake Charles Post Office and will offer post office boxes, window service, stamps, etc. An open house may be held later.

The substation will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and will be manned by one postal clerk.

Taxes approved

Cameron Parish voters on Saturday approved all three propositions on various ballots Saturday.

In Gravity Drainage District 7, which encompasses the Johnson Bayou area, a 5-mill tax for drainage work in the district was renewed by a vote of 46-37.

In the Hackberry area, voters approved by a 74-10 vote. The 10-year renewal of an 11.37-mill tax for recreation in the Hackberry Recreation District.

In Lowery's Fire Protection District 16, voters approved the continuation for 10 years of a millage for the operation of fire protection facilities and equipment. The vote was 19 for, 1 against.

S. Cameron Elementary banquet set

The South Cameron Elementary Athletic Banquet will be held Friday, May 11, in the school cafeteria. All athletes, cheerleaders and pep squad members will receive their awards during the banquet. A meal will be served.

Any athlete who did not turn in their football or wrestling uniforms need to do so before the banquet. If your uniform is not turned in you will not receive your award. You can bring them to school on Friday. If anyone has any questions please call Angelia Conner 542-4041 or Kristi Richard 542-4363.



OWNERS OF THE Sabine Pass Lighthouse are shown signing over their ownership to the Cameron Preservation Alliance which plans to restore the historic structure. Shown signing are Jonathan and David Grenader, Bill Pielop, and Miss Anderson. Looking on are Alliance officers, including Carolyn Thibodeaux, president; and Ernest Granger, vice-president.

(Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

Lighthouse transferred to preservation group here

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

The century-and-a-half-old Sabine Pass Lighthouse got some new owners and a new lease on life at a ceremony held Saturday, May 5 at site near Johnson Bayou.

The lighthouse owners from Houston turned over the ownership to the Cameron Preservation Alliance, which hopes to restore the structure and turn it into a tourist attraction and possibly a state or national park or monument.

At the ceremony owners

Jonathan A. and David A. Grenader and W. E. (Bill) Pielop III and Betty Lynn Pielop Anderson signed the transfer papers prepared by Robin Anderson, alliance attorney; Carolyn Thibodeaux, president; and Ernest Granger, vice president.

Dr. Sam Monroe, president of the Port Arthur Historical Society, gave the welcome. Lighthouse memories were shared by Howard Romero and Robin Anderson.

Romero, who has lived in Johnson Bayou all of his life,

recalled that he had made a trip by boat to the lighthouse in 1973, which was the only way to get there at the time. He and Geneva Griffith spent the day there taking pictures of the entire lighthouse complex which will be a big help in the reconstruction of the buildings and the lighthouse itself.

After a news story came out the copper top of the lighthouse was stolen which left the top unprotected from the elements and helped cause the deterioration of the stairway.

Robin, who is the great granddaughter of Henry Hill, the lighthouse keeper, told stories she has heard all about the lighthouse.

The lighthouse is located across the river from Sabine Pass and the keeper's family did all of their business there, attending school, church, and other functions.

The present owners had inherited the lighthouse from their late fathers, W. E. Pielop, Jr. and P. G. Grenader.

They had gone to a government auction to buy some equipment for their company and got there late and found what they had come for had already been sold. They decided to hang around and see if there was something else they could bid on and bought the lighthouse, sight unseen and for \$55,000 including the 45 surrounding acres.

The July 3, 1986 article stated that auctioneer John J. Connelly said before the auction that he expected to get \$200,000 for the old station.

In 1984 he had auctioned a lighthouse in Cleveland, Ohio for \$400,000. "That one didn't even include the land" he said. "We hoped to get at least that much for this one."

Lake Charles Architect Randy Broussard has taken a special interest in the lighthouse. His daughter Lauren, who is majoring in Historic Preservation at Texas University, and is using the restoration of the lighthouse for her thesis. Broussard outlined what progress has been made and what has to be done to restore it to its original state.

He predicted that by 2004, with the necessary fund raising and grants the work will be started.

The third annual Sabine Pass Lighthouse Festival will be held on October 20.

Mrs. Thibodeaux said that it is time for the Alliance's membership dues to be collected. She said, "If you are not yet a member, join us and become active in this endeavor to preserve and protect this maritime historical site."

After the ceremony lemonade and old fashioned tea cakes were served.

Full Library tax to be collected

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

The Cameron Parish Library will continue to collect for another year the full 6-mill maintenance tax which was voted about a year ago as the result of a tie vote at the Cameron Parish Police Jury meeting Monday.

The jury last year agreed to allow the Library Board to collect the full 6 mills for the past year with the understanding that it might be rolled back to a lower millage if it was seen the full tax was not needed.

At Monday's meeting, Juror Charles Precht suggested that the tax be rolled back to 5 mills for the coming year if the library cannot justify the spending.

John Calzada, library board member from the Grand Lake - Sweet Lake area, spoke against rollback saying the library board is ordering a new bookmobile which is vital to the operation of the library to the outlying areas, and plans to set up satellite libraries in some of the other communities.

Jurors Scott Trahan and Steve Trahan sided with Precht, however Norma Jo Pinch and James Doxey were joined by Police Jury President Dusty Sandifer in opposing the rollback and the matter died due to the tie vote. The library will be given

Board to meet

The Cameron Parish School board will hold its monthly meeting at 4 p.m., Monday, May 14.

The board will consider calling a special election in School District 5 to provide funds for the renovation of the Johnson Bayou school and to build a new gym.

The board will also recognize a number of outstanding parish students for their accomplishments.



SHOWN ABOVE at a ceremony in which a wreath was placed at a memorial honoring Cameron Parish Sheriff Deputy Terry Lynn Cox, who was killed while on duty in 1999, were his wife, Valerie Cox, daughters Mindi and Sadie Cox, Rev. Al Hadnott, Baptist pastor; and Rev. Al Volpe, Catholic pastor. Standing at attention in the background were Cameron Parish deputies. (Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

Deputy Cox honored at ceremony

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

Cameron Parish sheriff Deputy Terry Lynn Cox was remembered at a memorial service held Saturday morning on the courthouse lawn. A wreath was placed at a memorial honoring Cox in front of the courthouse.

Cox, who was the first Cameron Parish deputy to lose his life while on duty, was killed when hit by a vehicle at Oak Grove on Dec. 30, 1999 while investigating an accident.

Father Al Volpe, Sheriff Dept. chaplain and pastor of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic church, and Sheriff James R. "Sono"

Savoie were in charge of the event.

The wreath was laid by his wife Valerie and daughters Mindi and Sadie, his mother Althia Meaux Cox, Father Volpe and Sheriff Savoie.

The Cox family plans to be in Washington, D. C. for the tribute to Cox at the National Wall of Remembrance, where his name has been etched.

Sheriff Savoie gave a tribute to Cox and all his officers who are dedicated to the protection of the citizens of the parish.

Rev. Al Hadnott, pastor of the First Baptist church in Cameron assisted in the service.

Father Volpe said that the

monument is a result of a cooperative effort involving the Cameron Parish Police Jury.

Calcasieu Parish Beth Lundy was the principal speaker at a National Police Appreciation Week program Saturday at the Star of the Sea church.

Rev. Volpe was the celebrant and homilist at the service which honored Law Enforcement law officers from Calcasieu and Cameron who lost their lives in the line of duty.

On Sunday at the 10 a.m. service a police appreciation program was held in First Baptist church in Cameron, with the Cameron Parish Ministerial co-sponsoring the observances.



SHOWN ABOVE on the Cameron Parish Courthouse steps were the participants in the World Day of Prayer annual observance held at noon, Thursday, May 3. The group included ministers, public officials, and members of the Cameron NAACP chapter, which sponsored the observance.

Funerals

MRS. ANNA F. BADON

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Frances "Frankie" Badon, 77, of Lake Charles were held Thursday, May 8, in Hixson Funeral Home.

The Rev. Scott Desormeaux officiated. Burial was in Consolata Cemetery.

She was a native of New Iberia and she was a real estate broker with Badon Real Estate. She was a member of the Catholic Daughters and of St. Margaret Catholic Church.

Survivors include her husband, Earl Badon of Lake Charles; two sons, Kenneth E. Badon of Grand Chenier and Michael Dale Badon of Lake Charles; one daughter, Jan Badon Gayle of Lake Charles; and six grandchildren.

under the direction of the Pat A. Riley Funeral Home.

Visitation is 5 p.m. till 9 p.m. Friday, May 11.

Mrs. Locke died Thursday, May 3 in her residence in Johnson Bayou.

She was a native of Shattuck, Okla. She moved to Johnson Bayou 1 1/2 years ago and was formerly a resident of Nederland, Tex. for 41 years. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include: three sons, Bill Locke and Jay Locke both of Nederland, Tex.; Brad Locke of Johnson Bayou; one daughter, Julie Snoek of Boerne, Tex.; one brother, Eddie Luallen of Shreveport, La.; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church of Nederland.



SOUTH CAMERON Elementary School students are pictured launching self-made rockets during their observance of National Space Day last week. (Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

S. Cameron Elementary celebrates "Space Day"

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

South Cameron Elementary school celebrated "National Space Day" with studies all week on the NASA Space Program.

The program was concluded with demonstrations of what they had learned on the athletic field at the school. Principal Barry Wayne Richard demonstrated a CO2 Gas Powered rocket sending his across the playing field into a broom, representing the enemy.

After studying Newton's Law

all week the students were well prepared to launch their rockets which they made from quart size drink bottles which were decorated with decals representing the space industry.

Each student was allowed to launch their rockets from a bottle rocket launcher which was powered by an air pump and was allowed to keep the rocket when it came back to earth.

Teachers who participated in the program, in addition to the principal, were: Wendy Wicke, Peggy Griffith, Katie Trahan, Jendi Trahan, Angela Ardoin, Missie Witherwax, and Tracy Carter.

Grand Lake High tells honor and banner rolls

The following is the fifth six weeks honor/banner roll for Grand Lake High School:

Grade 1 - Banner roll: Haley Davis, Nikki Stutes, Justin Conner, Wesley Aguilard, Rex Jones, Colleen Manuel, Emmeline Richard, Hanna Savoie, Halie Stevens, Shelby Thomas, Boyd Broussard, Kaitlyn Holmes, Julianne Lannin, Jacob Morgan, Jamie Overmyer, Tyler Rosfeld, Taylor Stutes, Paige Vedder, and Eden Young.

Honor roll: Channing Beard, Chanier Borel, Dylan Boudreaux, Devon Duhon, Kelsey Ellender, Chelsea Guidry, Kory Langley, Christine Schiele, Spencer Schiele, Grant Willson, Megan Aguilard, Jillian Derouen, Beth Anne Delaney, Emily Garcia, Jameson Picou, Ethan Precht, Mylon Richard, Nick Victorian, Chance Duhon, Angela Euliarte, and Michael Fahlenkamp.

Grade 2 - Banner roll: Kimmie Babeneaux, Lex Conner, Cheriee Morein, Jordan Hebert, Cade Theriot, Jaide Landreneau, Taylor Smith, and Chiquita Johnson.

Honor roll: Kallan Mudd, Justin Sullivan, Robin Tolbert, Elyssa Constance, Blake Widcamp, Clark Bonin, Taylor Whittle, Julie Quinn, Christopher Watson, Tyler Tolbert, Trenton Dupuis, Timothy Skero, Katherine LeDoux.

Grade 3 - Banner roll: Halee Young, and Misty LeSuere.

Honor roll: Kirstyn Vincent, Micah Richard, Laken Miller, Hunter Leger, Laiken Conner, Kevin Delaney, Tasha Fontenot.

Grade 4 - Banner roll: Evan Guidry, Sydney Dunn, and Megan Poole.

Honor roll: Allison LaBove, Liz Kingham, Victoria Roach, Linsey LaGrange, Jayce Hebert, Katharine Kingham, and Samantha Williams.

Grade 5 - Honor roll: Ashley Toups, Jordan Poole, Rachel Jones, Renn Savoie, Cody Guidry, Lucas Hebert, Corey Broussard, and Garrett Billiot.

Grade 6 - Banner roll: Rachel

Fuerst, and Sara Taylor.

Honor roll: Anna Bonin, Stephanie Cheramie, Rosa Conner, Wesley Doxey, Justin Howerton, Elizabeth Reon, Meghan Richard, Hannah May, Haylee Theriot, Jordan Precht, and Miranda Ogea.

Grade 7 - Banner roll: Paige Fontenot, Ashley Hunter, Christopher Monceaux, Samantha Poole, and Adam Precht.

Honor roll: Aaron Meche, Danielle Ogea, and Derek Williams.

Grade 8 - Banner roll: Brandy Guidry, Charles Landry, and Alex Vinson.

Honor roll: Ashley Broussard, Leah Fuerst, Daniel Hebert, Heather LeBoeuf, Tabitha Nunez, David Reed, Mathew Reon, Alice Robicheaux and Chelsea Tausin.

Grade 9 - Banner roll: Morgan Abshire and Jenna Broussard.

Grade 10 - Banner roll: Neil Alvarado.

Honor roll: Justin Billiot, Sarah Brister, Michael Brown, Johanna McFarlain, Natalie Poole, Barry Reed, and Phillip Savoy.

Grade 11 - Banner roll: Tiffany Breaux, Crystal Ewing, Sheena LeBoeuf, and Natalie Precht.

Honor roll: Bradley Bertrand, Victoria Brittain, Charles Hunter, Marcus LeBoeuf, Candace Ogea, Dana Palozotto, and Brett Wicke.

Grade 12 - Banner roll: Stephanie Arceneaux, Cheri Babineaux, Erin Bordelon, Jada Darbonne, Kristen Howerton, Donald LeDoux, Johnathan Stoute, Jared Templeton, and Scotty Young.

Honor roll: Derek Brotherton, Lauren Gauthier, Matthew Griffith, Kris Howerton, Lauren Savoy, Jordan Thompson, and Courtney Menard.



Cameron Elem. 4-Hers win at Achievement Day

The Cameron elementary 4-H club meeting was held on May 2. 4-H members participating at Achievement Day were Melissa Nunez, Thomas Hunt, Thomas Lee Trosclair, and Ross Rowland.

D'Nae DeSomnier introduced the 2001-02 4-H officers. They are: President, Haley Willis; Vice President, Thomas Lee Trosclair; Secretary, Rachael Fountain; Treasurer, Kami Savoie; Reporter, Jody Trosclair; CRD, Ross Rowland, and

Parliamentarians, Shelby Willis and Erika Pickett.

A demonstration was presented by Thomas Lee Trosclair and Kami Savoie titled "Cloning African Violets". An illustrated talk was presented by Keyara Lassien and Erika Pickett on "How to care for a Wound."

Distinguished awards at Achievement Day were presented to Melissa Nunez for Junior Award of Excellence, Thomas Lee Trosclair, 2nd place small animal livestock award and 1st place high point boy Junior Division, and to Ross Rowland for 2nd place Achievement Award Elementary, 3rd place for Channing Conner Large Anima Showmanship award, 2nd place high point boy elementary and Cameron Parish outstanding Elementary 1st year 4-H boy.

Kami Savoie was presented 3rd place Cameron Parish Outstanding Girl. The educational program presented by Mr. Mike and Mrs. Penni was on Summer Safety.

Hackberry 4-Hers go to shelter

Members of the Hackberry Jr. 4-H Club visited Bel's Animal Shelter Friday, April 20 in Lake Charles. They were shown day to day operations of the shelter, feeding and care of the animals, and witnessed adoptions.

The Hackberry Club had adopted the shelter as one of their community service projects this year. They conducted a bake sale and donated newspapers for bedding at the shelter.

Two kittens were adopted by members. There is a small fee for adopting an animal. The fee covers all immunizations and spaying or neutering of the animal.

Members visiting the shelter were: Jacob Poole, Lori Beth Shove, Taylor Simon, Amber Kelly, and Kayla Backlund. They were accompanied by Gayla Shove, Kathy Backlund, Madison Shove and Jeb Backlund.



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MR. AND MRS. Tommy Arceneaux of Grand Lake announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dolores, to Adam Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martial Young of Grand Lake. The wedding is set for Saturday, May 26 at 6:30 p.m. at Grand Lake Faith Temple.

Trahan-Berry wedding set

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Trahan of Murfreesboro, Tenn., and Mr. Zachary Barry of Christiana, Tenn., announce the engagement of Dorothy Ann Trahan to Mr. James R. Barry.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Manuel, Sr., of Milton, Tenn. Formerly of Creole and Mrs. Hazel Trahan of Baldwin.

Mr. Barry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bessy Duhon of Woodbury, Tenn.

The wedding is planned for June 9, in Christiana, Tenn.

Hackberry News

By GRACE WELCH

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

"Go Fly a Kite Day" will be held by the First Baptist Church of Hackberry Saturday, May 19 at 10 a.m. The youth and all interested adults will go to Holly Beach. Prizes will be given and lunch served.

The church will honor seniors on Sunday, May 20 at 9 a.m. with a breakfast.

CATHOLIC NEWS

The students who made their confirmation will crown the Blessed Mother Sunday, May 6 at 9 a.m. mass. They are Micheal Silver, Keith Welch, Curtis Welch, Jake Buford, Sirena Duhon, Jennifer Gallegos, Stephanie Richard and Chrystal Gray.

The second grade students will make their first communion Sunday, May 13 at 9 a.m. mass.

June 2 is the date for a rummage sale at the Catholic Hall. Merchandise is needed and can be left at the hall May 20.

Do You Remember?

(Lake Charles American Press, May 10, 1938.)
4-H ACHIEVEMENT DAY

C. J. Tassin, Jr., Cameron agricultural agent, today announced members of the parish 4-H clubs who will represent their parish at the annual short course to be held in Baton Rouge July 25-29.

The various representatives were selected as the result of competition in the yearly Achievement Day contests staged at Creole High School last Saturday with 100 4-H club members participating and 50 adults present.

The day's program opened with an address of welcome by Supt. of Schools Thomas W. McCall. Medals, donated by the police jury, were awarded to winners in each of the contests.

Judges in the various contests were Margaret Firnberg, district agent, F. A. Swann, district agents, and R. e. Welborn, Beauregard agent.

The Grand Chenier Club team composed of June Crain and Marie Nunez won the demonstration contest on the topic, "Setting a Table and Serving a Breakfast."

Other winners follow: Party dress, Vivian LeBoeuf, Big Lake; school dress, Oma McCall, Grand Chenier; healthiest girl, Kathleen Doxey, Grand Chenier; bread making, Ina Theriot, Creole; meat identification, Wallace Savoie.

Poultry judging, Stephen Carter, Grand Chenier; boys' demonstration team, Lee Boudoin and Lee Conner of Creole Club on the topic, "Prevention of Chicken Pox by Vaccination."

Livestock judging, Claude Broussard, Creole; crop judging, Jennings Jones, Grand Chenier; healthiest boy, Clement Cox, Sweetlake.

Mr. Tassin announced the following members to represent the parish 4-H at Baton Rouge:

Girls' demonstration team, June Crain and Marie Nunez of Grand Chenier; party dress, Vivian LeBoeuf, Big Lake; school dress, Audrey Savoie, Creole; healthiest girl, Kathleen Doxey, Grand Chenier; meat identification team, Wallace Savoie, Creole, Pauline Canik, of Grand

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peloquin

Miss Abshire is wed to Mr. Peloquin in Sulphur

Jerry Wayne "J. W." Peloquin and Sheree Rachelle Abshire were married at 7 p.m. Friday, March 30, in Henning Memorial United Methodist Church of Sulphur. Officiant of the double-ring candlelight ceremony was the Rev. Richard Hoffpauir.

Parents of the bride are Glenda Abshire of Hackberry, and the late Richard Abshire, and parents of the groom are Jerry Wayne Peloquin of Lake Charles, and Henrietta Akers of Sulphur. The bride was given in marriage by her brothers, Richard and Brady Abshire.

Maid of honor was Carissa Devall, and bridesmaids were Tiffany Seay, Julia Sanders, Lori Sanders, Paige Sanders, and Mandy Schexnider.

Flower girls were Chloe' and Lauren Abshire.

Best man was Justin Peloquin, and groomsmen were Glenn Duplechan, Ryan Navarre, Terry Saucier, Gary Gremillion, and Darrell "D.J." Schexnider. Ushers were Dana Dickerson, Darrell Schexnider, Asa Broussard and Dr. Kent Seal. Candlelighters were Jennifer Duplechan and Jammie Gremillion.

The bride, a graduate of Hackberry High School and Louisiana Institute of Massage Therapy, is an employee of Total Look Salon, and the groom, a graduate of Sulphur High School, McNeese State University and Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, is an employee of West Calcasieu Cameron Hospital.

After honeymooning in Beaver Creek, Colo., the newlyweds reside in Lake Charles.



MARGARET THERIOT will be presented with the Outstanding Youth Minister award at the graduates' Mass to be held at 9:30 a.m., May 20 at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Cameron. Mrs. Theriot and her husband, Albert, have served as youth ministers and moderators of the CYO for four years. They have led trips to the annual youth conferences in Beaumont and have led CYO community and church projects.

School lunch menus told

Lunch menus for the week for all Cameron parish schools is as follows:

Thurs, May 10 - baked ham, lettuce cup, cheese potato casserole, yellow cake, cherry topping, sliced bread.

Fri., May 11 - fish strips, macaroni and cheese, oven fries, chilled pear halves, cornbread, catsup.

Mon., May 14 - cheeseburger, oven fries, lettuce cup, apple-sauce crunch, hamburger bun, catsup.

Tues., May 15 - taco salad, fixings cup, ranch beans, baked potato, yellow cake, chocolate glaze.

Wed., May 16 - spaghetti and meat sauce, tossed salad, peach cobbler, buttered corn, garlic toast.

All meals are served with milk.

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May 3, 2001
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THE REV. Al Volpe, pastor of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Cameron, blesses the Easter candle. The blessing took place during the observance of Divine Mercy Sunday because the pastor was hospitalized during Easter. He was assisted by acolytes Justin Picou, John Paul Trosclair, and David Lodrigue.

Chenier, Lorena Miller, of Creole; poultry judging team, Douglas Wilhite and Kenneth Nunez, Grand Chenier, and Wilvern McFarlin, Big Lake; boys' demonstration, Lee Boudoin and Lee Conner, both of Creole; livestock judging team, Claude Broussard, and Alton Savoie of Creole, Harry Reon of Big Lake; crop judging team, James Holland and Charlie Faulk, Big Lake, Lee Boudoin, Creole; healthiest boy, Wallace Savoie, Creole.

(Cameron Pilot, May 9, 1968.) KINDERGARTEN CLASS

A kindergarten class for preschool children five years of age will be conducted in the town of Cameron during the 1968-69 school term, it was announced at the Cameron Parish School Board meeting Monday.

Supt. W. J. Montie said that the Cameron class was being conducted as an experiment by the board and if it proves successful kindergarten classes will be conducted in other parish communities at a later date.

Library News

Memorial Books

Memorial books in the Cameron Parish Library are listed as follows: with the names of the one in memory, donors, respectively:

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