

Police jury seeks loan for center

The Cameron Parish Police Jury is seeking a USDA Rural Development loan for the construction of a Cameron Parish Law Enforcement Center which would be located near the courthouse.

Parish Administrator Tina Horn said the jury is seeking a \$3.8 million loan to build a building to house sheriff's department and jail. If approved the loan would carry 5 percent interest charge.

Mrs. Horn said that no definite plans have been formulated for the proposed building at this time and should the loan be approved it would probably be several years before any construction was done.

Sheriff Sono Savoie has been urging the building of a new law enforcement building for some years. The prospects of securing a USDA loan at a low interest rate could make this a reality in several years.

Barbecue to benefit rodeo arena

By BRANDI HEBERT
The Cameron Parish Riders Club will hold a benefit barbecue Sunday, July 8 at the Creole KC Hall to raise funds for repairs and maintenance for the Cameron rodeo arena. Barbecue chicken or brisket plates will be sold for \$5 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

A variety of items will be available for a silent auction and a raffle will take place for a Registered AKC Black Lab or a TV/VCR combination. At 1 p.m. the silent auction will close and the winners of the raffle will be chosen as well. The winners of the raffle need not be present to win. For more information contact Brandon Hebert 538-2473.

Appointments made by jury

A number of appointments were made by the Cameron Parish Police Jurors at their monthly meeting as follows:

Geralyn Myers, Clifford Broussard, Eula Lee Monceaux, Greg Hornsby and Urein Miller, Sr. were reappointed to serve on the Fire District 16 board.

Pete Duhon, Calise Romero, Letha Savoie, and Laurie Broussard were reappointed to the communications board.

Thompson McCall and Melvin Theriot were reappointed to serve on the Waterworks District 9 board.

Jennifer Picou was reappointed to Beachfront Development District 2. Charles Seay was reappointed to the Ambulance District 2 Board.

Virgie Hebert was appointed to Water and Sewage District 1 following the resignation of Lloyd Carroll.

Ricky Pool was appointed to fill the slot of Sammy Faulk on the West Cameron Port board.

Degree awarded

Loyola University New Orleans awarded 762 degrees at its spring 2001 commencement ceremonies on Saturday, May 19.

Sharonda Williams of Cameron, was among those who got degrees.

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A NEW PARTNERSHIP between the Cameron Council on Aging, the Louisiana Council on Aging, and Acadian On Call provides an enhanced personal emergency response system for the senior citizens in the parish. Above, an Acadian On Call representative installs and explains the personal emergency response system.

Alert system offered to elderly of parish

Dinah Landry, director of the Cameron Council on Aging, said that a transition has been completed under which the agency's personal alert service will now be operated by Acadian On Call, the personal emergency response system of Acadian Ambulance & Air Med Services, Inc. "The service to our members will be greatly enhanced by the new partnership," Landry said.

The service involves providing council member-subscribers with a small pendant worn around the neck. "In the event of an emergency, Landry said, "a touch of a button on the pendant immediately alerts the Acadian Ambulance Communication Center. At Acadian, computerized records are called up automatically, providing the subscriber's address, medical history, and and instructions for dealing with specific medical conditions. Response is by a highly trained medical professional from Acadian Ambulance's nationally recognized staff."

Acadian On Call personnel will also install and provide full maintenance of the devices to assure that they operate at maximum efficiency in time of need,

Drivers license office hours

Beginning the week of July 9, the Cameron Office of Motor Vehicles will be open Wednesday and Thursday of each week. This is only temporary until an employee is hired and trained to work in the Motor Vehicle Office.

Office hours will be 8 a.m. - 12 and 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

according to Landry.

"Acadian On Call has replaced the units formerly provided by the local council with the new Lifeline Model 6200," Landry said, "which represents the state of the art in personal emergency response systems. Among its advanced features is voice capability, which allows clients to access help without having to use the telephone."

The partnership with Acadian On Call was initiated by the state organization, the Louisiana Association of Councils on Aging, and made available to all local councils. The transition to the new service is being implemented on a parish-by-parish basis, according to Acadian On Call Manager Don Elkins. When completed, it will make the service, which currently serves 4,000 members, a statewide provider of personal emergency response systems, Elkins said.

Fires are out on Refuge

Wildfires on Sabine National Wildlife Refuge that were ignited by lightning on Friday afternoon were 100% contained by Monday. Approximately 9000 acres burned west of Highway 27. Any remaining smoke columns are well within the black burned area and are burning themselves out.

Refuge public use areas and facilities that were closed over the weekend due to smoke hazards and wildfire response efforts have now reopened. Contact the Refuge at 337-762-3816 for more information.



SHOWN CUTTING a ribbon officially opening the new Jetty Fishing Pier and RV Park in Cameron last week were Senator Jerry Theunissen, Rep. Dan Flavin, Cameron Parish Police Jurors, Judge Ward Fontenot, Clerk of Court Carl Broussard, and other public officials.

(Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

Jetty Pier dedicated here

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

Cameron Parish's new Jetty Fishing Pier was formally dedicated last Thursday afternoon with most of the parish's public officials in attendance.

Both Senator Jerry Theunissen and State Representative Dan Flavin who helped secure funds for the facility were present. The Pier is located at the end of Davis Road which ends at the Jetties.

Election to be called at Johnson Bayou

The Cameron Parish School Board will consider calling a \$3.2 million election to make repairs and additions to the Johnson Bayou High School when the board holds its monthly meeting Monday, July 9 at 4 p.m.

Superintendent Judy Jones said the proposed bond issue would provide for reroofing the school, improving air conditioning, enlarging classrooms and improving the playground.

The board also will consider bids on a sprinkler system for the South Cameron football field.

The resignation of Byron Gibbs as Hackberry boys basketball coach will be received and the board will consider naming Terry Murphy to the position.

Jury awards high bidders

The Cameron Parish Police Jury accepted the high bids on several pieces of surplus equipment at the monthly meeting Monday.

Fountain Auto Sales was the high bidder on a 1991 Dodge pickup, three 1992 Ford pickups and a 1985 pickup for \$4,001.25.

Shelby Arbour was high bidder on a motor grader at \$250.95. Buddy Arbour was high bidder on a motor grader at \$350.75.

Dixie Surplus was high bidder on a 1997 Gooseneck trailer at \$2,268, Lee Parker on a Ford 515 Tractor at \$1,685, and Dixie Surplus at \$201 on a 471 diesel engine.

Jurors also accepted a bid from Moroney and Co. for \$61,576 for a new body on the bookmobile. It voted to advertise for bids on the library bookmobile chassis.

Audrey dead remembered

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic church in Cameron held a candlelight memorial service last week in memory of church members who lost their lives 44 years ago in Hurricane Audrey.

As church member Clifton Hebert read out the names, family members accepted lighted candles from Pastor Alfonse Volpe, who had accepted them from church acolyte Justin Theriot who handed them to Deacon Ed Lavine who placed them on the altar of the church.

Prior to the service a harp solo was given by Barbara Bellew, of McNeese University.

Mary Richard gave a Bible reading, followed by a sermon by Deacon Ed Lavine of Lake Charles.

Also taking part in the service was Rev. Joseph McGrath, and Rev. Roland Vaughn, acolyte Justin Theriot, and vocalist Candy Newcomer Fontenot, of Sulphur, and organist Rita Eve Bellomo of Lake Charles.

The \$850,000 project started out as the brainchild of the Cameron Lions Club, and the late Bill Turnbull and Ed Kelley. Their widows, Janie Turnbull and Ruby Kelley were present to receive bouquets of flowers from the Police Jury.

Senator Theunissen said "I think this is the greatest thing that has happened to tourism in Cameron Parish and I look forward to bringing my grandchildren out here and enjoy some fishing myself."

He and Flavin were presented with fishing poles by Jury Vice President Charles Precht.

Basketball camp to be held here

Tony Johnson, a 1982 graduate of South Cameron High School and head girl's Basketball Coach at St. Louis High School, will conduct a Basketball Camp for 2-8th grade boys and girls on July 10, 11 and 12 at the Cameron Recreation Center from 3:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. The fee for attending camp is \$40 per camper.

For ten years Tony Johnson has coached, seven of which he served as a head coach. He has taken his team to the playoffs each year of his tenure as head coach. One year his team went as far as the quarter finals. He has had numerous players to go on to play college ball, including Loyola, LSU, McNeese and Centenary.

Coach Johnson has indicated that a few of the camp's highlights are daily drills, individual offensive and defensive skills, mass fundamentals, team competition, and individual awards. Kids of all levels are encouraged to come out to camp. For additional information contact Coach Tony Johnson at 439-4981 ext. 247 or 436-5127 home.

As a student at South Cameron, Tony played football, basketball and ran track. He received a football scholarship to McNeese. Tony Johnson is married to Amanda Fontenot Johnson and they have a 5 year old daughter Morgan.

5th Sunday singing set

The Cameron Parish 5th Sunday Hymn Sing will be held at the Sweet Lake United Methodist Church at 6 p.m. on Sunday, July 29.

Precht announced that plans are underway to extend the Jetty Pier out another 1,000 feet and to add lights for night fishing. There are also plans to add a walkway to the beach so birdwatchers and fishermen can have better access to the beach.

There are also plans to build a rest room and pavilion in the area. The money for these will come from grants from the federal government.

Parish administrator Tina Horn said that about \$174,000 has been secured to begin the second phase part of the project.

Rodeo champs are honored

Four Cameron Parish high school students who won honors at the recent Louisiana State High School Championship Rodeo in Lake Charles were honored at the monthly meeting of the Cameron Parish Police Jury.

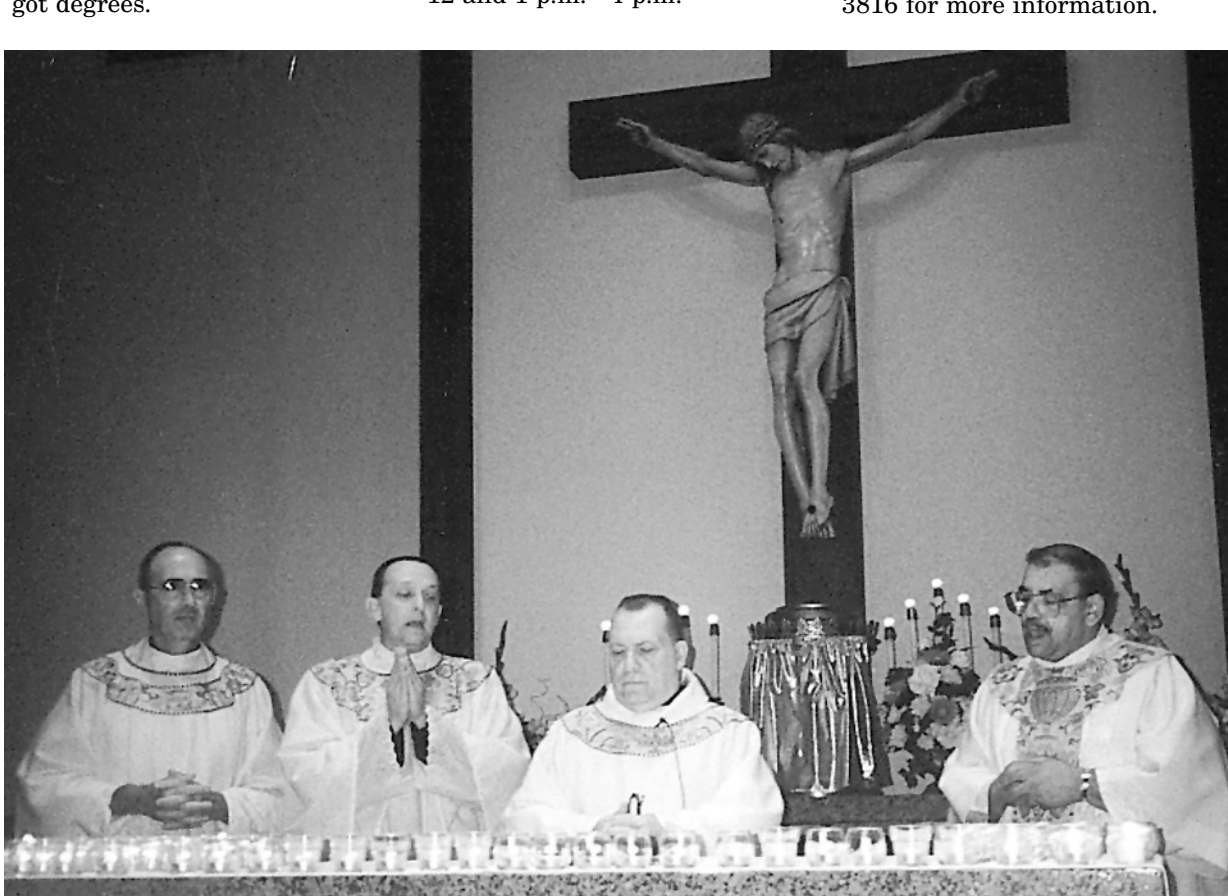
They were Jonathan Cogar, who took first place in steer wrestling and earned a trip to the National High School Rodeo; Matthew LaBauve, runner-up in saddle bronc; Meegan Norman, second place in goat tying; Kaylee Jo Canik, cowgirl rookie runnerup.

Police Jury members presenting the awards were Steve Trahan, Norma Jo Pinch, Scott Trahan, and Charles Precht III.

Commercial fishing for red snapper closes in La. waters

The spring commercial fishery for red snapper in Louisiana waters will close July 6, 2001 at 12 noon. All commercial harvest, purchase, barter, trade, sale or attempts to purchase, barter, trade or sell red snapper is prohibited until Oct. 1, 2001 at noon, the date set for the opening of the fall season.

The decision was made by Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Secretary James H. Jenkins Jr., as authorized by the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission. Jenkins acted following notification by the National Marine Fisheries Service that the Federal waters of the Gulf of Mexico will be closed for the commercial harvest of red snapper on July 6, when the commercial red snapper quota for the spring season is projected to be filled and that the season closure is necessary to prevent overfishing of the species.



SHOWN PRESIDING at a candlelight vigil at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Cameron on June 27 in memory of parish residents who lost their lives in Hurricane Audrey 44 years ago were, from left: Father Roland Vaughn, Father Joseph McGrath, Father Al Volpe, and Deacon Ed Lavine.

(Photo by Geneva Griffith.)



THE WIDOWS OF two Cameron Parish residents who were instrumental in getting the Jetty Fishing Pier built were honored at the grand opening of the facility last week. They were Ruby Kelley, left, widow of the late Ed Kelley, and Janie Turnbull, widow of the late Bill Turnbull.

(Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

Fishing pier regulations told

The Cameron Jetty Fishing Pier and RV Park is now open to fishermen and campers. A fee is charged for fishing and for

overnight camping. Some of the rules for the facility are as follows:

*Campers cannot stay in RV

McNeese classes offered

The McNeese Leisure Learning Program will offer 15 non-credit courses in July, which are designed for self-improvement and enjoyment. There are no exams or grades.

The following courses will be offered:

"Introduction to Windows 98," 5:30-8:30 p.m., July 9 & 16, Dr. Theresa Wilfert.

"Golf for Beginners," 9:30-10:30 a.m. or 5:30-6:30 p.m., Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays, July 9-19, Ernie Little.

"Basics of Investing," 6-8 p.m., Mondays, July 9-30, R.K. Levens.

Park over 14 days.

*Campers will receive 2 fishing pier passes with an overnight permit.

*Fines will be given for littering.

*Two poles per person is the limit.

*No cleaning fish on the premises.

*While on pier you must have the pass you receive at the gate.

*No swimming or diving from pier.

*No running on pier.

*No pets permitted on the pier.

"The Coward's Course in Public Speaking," 6:30-8:30 p.m., Mondays & Thursdays, July 9-26, Dennis Kelly.

"Country Western Cha Cha for Beginners," 7-8:30 p.m., Mondays, July 9-23, Steve LeBlanc.

"Paint Your Own Masterpiece: A Beginner's Oil Painting Course," 5:30-7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, July 10-Aug. 7, Dee Rundel.

"Medical Terminology," 6-9 p.m., Tuesdays, July 10-31, Ginger Brown-Basone.

"Paper Organization—How Not to Lose Your Paper or Your Mind," 6:30-8 p.m., July 11 or July 18, Rachel Claret.

"Getting Your Customers to Come Back More Often," 8-10 a.m., July 12, Scalisi, Myers & White.

"Microsoft Access 2000-Level III," noon-3 p.m., July 13, Mary Ann Long.

"Introduction to HTML and Web Publishing," 9 a.m.-noon, Saturdays, July 14-Aug. 4, Ken Quirk.

"Basketry: Single Wine Carrier or Desk Top Cozy," 6-9:30 p.m., July 16, Emma Hughes.

"One-Stroke Painting on Glass/Ceramic," 6-9 p.m., July 16 & 23, Sue Fisher.

"Zydeco Dancing," 6-9 p.m., July 25, Alfred G. Mouton.

"Microsoft Access 2000-Level IV," noon-3 p.m., July 27, Mary Ann Long.

For more information or to register for courses, call the MSU Leisure Learning Office at (337) 475-5616 or toll free 1-800-622-3352.

G. Chenier indian survived storms

By W. T. Block

From the earliest days of Plymouth Rock in 1620, the Anglo-American and the Indian learned new customs from each other. Indians learned the superiority of the Pilgrims' weapons, whereas the latter learned from the Indian to bury a fish to fertilize kernels of corn.

Many things that the Indian learned from the white pioneers were to their own detriment - for instance whiskey, which for the Indian was worse than opium. Sadly Indians also learned that by accepting the white men's blankets, they might also be accepting small pox germs, which sometimes decimated the Indian populations rapidly.

An Indian trapper at Grand Chenier taught the coastal white man a neat trick for surviving a hurricane. In 1830 a John Phillips family were the first white settlers at Grand Chenier. When the hurricane of Aug. 28, 1831 approached, the Indian begged Phillips to tie himself and his family high in a live oak tree for their safety; but Phillips refused his advice and he and his family drowned. The Indian survived by tying himself in an oak tree, using grape and rattan vines that he wrapped around his body.

The next settler at Grand Chenier was Placide Labove,

who came in 1836, and the Indian taught Labove the same trick. In turn, Labove taught all the other early settlers on the chenier, namely, John Smith, William Doxey, Pierre V. Miller, John Armstrong, Milledge McCall, John Sweeney, and others.

The Indian had "storm trees" that he used, that is, big live oaks with all the upper foliage cut off to lessen resistance to the hurricane winds. During the hurricane at Leesburg (Cameron) on Sept. 13, 1865, many settlers tied themselves and families up in the oak trees and survived, whereas a Mrs. Thayer and her six children drowned.

Placide Labove taught all the Cameron Parish settlers his survival trick. He moved to Johnson's Bayou after 1865, and he was enumerated at age 80 in the 1870 census at the bayou. At age 96 during the storm of Oct. 12, 1886, Labove tied himself for the last time in an oak tree and survived, whereas 110 others at the bayou drowned.

In a letter of my Uncle John Smith (a Johnson Bayou school teacher), published in Galveston Daily News of June 1, 1894, Smith noted that Labove, a veteran of the Battle of New Orleans, died at Johnson's Bayou, age 102, in 1892, and that Labove claimed he had never been sick a day in his life.

During the 1886 storm Bill Stafford tied himself and 2 toddlers in his care in a live oak tree, and all 3 survived the storm, although 110 other persons died at the bayou. During the same storm at Sabine Pass, Jacob H. Garner tied himself and all his children up in a live oak, and all of them survived the storm, although 86 others drowned.

In 1894 Johnson's Bayou perhaps set a state or national record in one respect. Mrs. Joseph Berwick and Mrs. Dolcie Theriot were each the mother of 24 - repeat 24 - healthy children. Mrs. Berwick had never seen a doctor in her life, was 48 years old, "is of fine figure, weighs 148 pounds, and is the picture of good health..."

It might be interesting to know how many Cameron Parish lives during the past century have been saved during hurricanes by having been tied up in the live oak trees.

Commercial king mackerel fishing season opens

The commercial fishing season for king mackerel in Louisiana state waters will open at 12:01 a.m. on July 1, 2001 and will remain open until the 2001 commercial quota (1.05 million pounds) for the western Gulf of Mexico is harvested or projected to be harvested. For king mackerel taken by commercial harvesters, the minimum size limit is 24 inches fork length and the trip limit is 3,000 pounds.

The season opening was set by the commission at its meeting Jan. 4, 2001. Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Secretary James H. Jenkins Jr. is authorized to close the commercial king mackerel season in Louisiana waters and reopen the commercial season to coincide with season dates in federal waters. This ensures that regulations in Louisiana state waters will mirror regulations of federally managed waters. The National Marine Fisheries Service and the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council requested consistent regulations for Louisiana waters to enhance effectiveness and enforceability of regulations.



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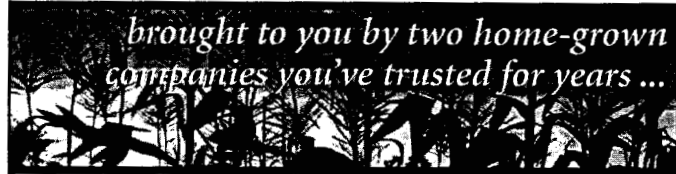
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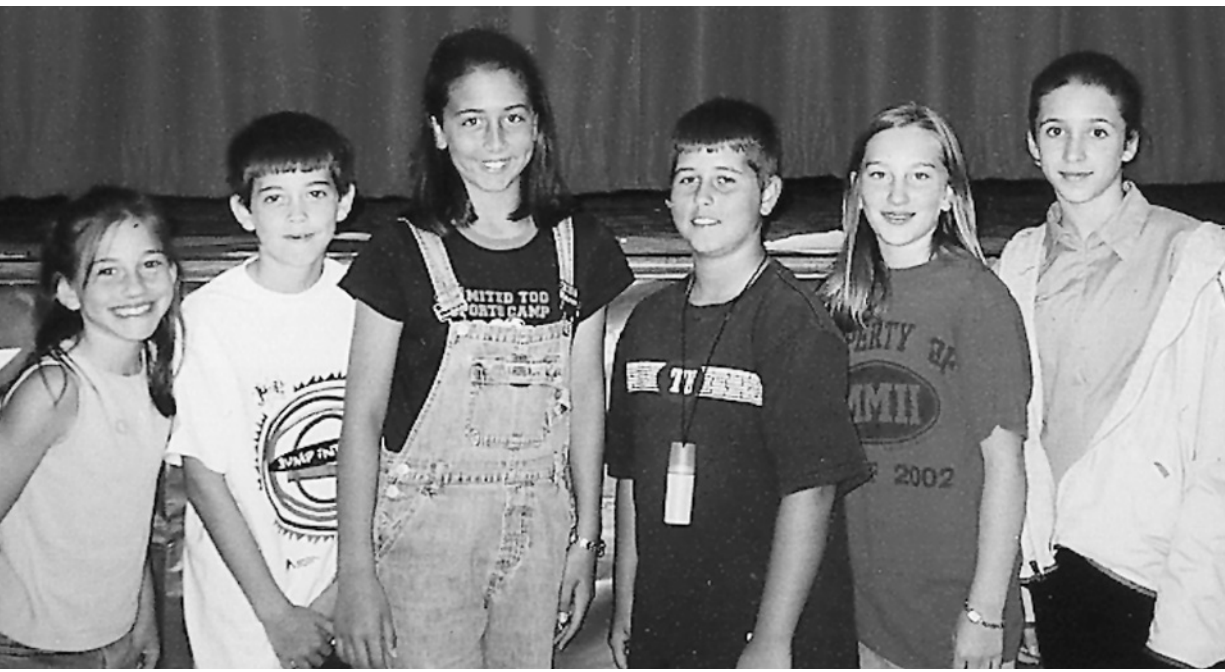
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SOUTH CAMERON ELEMENTARY 4-H members who received Outstanding 4-Her Awards at Achievement Day were, from left, Elementary Division: First Place, First Year Girl - Kathryn Reina; Second Place, First Year Boy - Cody Jouett; First Place, Second Year Girl - Kimily Bourriaque; Second Place, Second Year Boy - Justin Trahan; Junior Division: First Place, First Year Girl - Katelyn Reina; and Third Place, Third Year Girl - Sarah Boudreaux.



THESE ARE THE South Cameron Elementary winners of the cookie contest held at the St. Jude Bike-A-Thon on April 21. From left are: first - Katelyn Reina; second - Kathryn Reina; third - Dylan Jouett; and fourth - Cody Jouett.

CAMERON OUTDOORS Some fishing dates to remember

By LOSTON MCEVERS

JULY IS HERE

The month of July has crept up on us. This means that we're on the last half of the year. We see the July 4th celebration of Independence Day around the country and also the Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo's around our state.

In the middle of the month, the end of most wood duck nesting has been done and pre-season wood duck banding has begun. We'll see shorebirds begin southern migration through our state.

Commercial King Mackerel fishing opens around July 7 and we'll see blue crabs congregate along our barrier islands and beaches. Soft shell turtles finish laying their eggs towards the third week of July.

FISHING NEWS

I didn't get much on fishing reports, and I was having surgery in Houston. Hopefully I will have more next week, especially on the S. W. Fishing Club Rodeo.

If the weather hold out, we should see some nice catches of offshore fish, as well as some large speckle trout, redbfish and flounder in Calcasieu Lake.

GIBBSTOWN DOGFIGHTS RESULTS

The results of the June 25 dogfight went like this:
1st place team - Red West and Kenny LaRacca 6.02 lbs.

Absentee voting set

Absentee voting for two tax elections on the July 21 ballot will be done in the Cameron Parish Registrar of Voters office July 9-14 from 8:30 to 4:30, Monday - Friday and from 8:30 to noon on Saturday.

Two tax renewal elections for the Grand Lake-Sweet Lake - Big Lake Areas are on the ballot.

Shrimping to close in Zone 2

The spring inshore shrimp season will close in the remaining portion of Zone 2 extending from the eastern shore of Bayou Lafourche eastward to the eastern shore of South Pass of the Mississippi River and all of Zone 3 on Sunday, July 1, at 6 a.m. With this closure, all inshore waters from the eastern shore of South Pass of the Mississippi River westward to the Louisiana-Texas state line are closed to shrimping. The closure was announced Wednesday, June 28 by Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Secretary James H. Jenkins Jr. and was based on recommendations made by LDWF Marine Fisheries Division biologists.

The number, distribution and percentage of small white shrimp in these areas have increased substantially in the past week. This region is being closed to protect these small newly immigrating shrimp.

Zone 1, which extends from the Mississippi-Louisiana state line to the eastern shore of South Pass of the Mississippi River, will remain open to shrimping until further notice. State offshore territorial waters south of the Inside/Outside line, as described in Louisiana R.S. 56: 495 will also remain open for shrimping.

775-5518 from 8 a.m. - 12 noon, or Angie Weldon at 775-7142.

Each session can accommodate 20 students. Students will be accepted on a first come, first served basis.

Births

KALYN MARIE SAVOIE

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Lisa) Savoie announce the birth of their second child, Kalyn Marie, June 15, 2001 at Woman's Hospital in Baton Rouge.

She weighed 8 lbs. and 4 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Murphy Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Savoie. Great-grandparent is Guy Murphy Sr. The couple's other child is Kami Danielle Age 11.

Cameron Library News

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

The Healthy Heart Cookbook, Vivian LaBove; A Passion For Preserves, Gertrude Colligan; The World War II Warship Guide, Ray Dimas; Restoring & Repairing Furniture, Guidry Savoie; The World War II Tank Guide, Jimmy LaSalle; Fishing With Artificial Lures, Wade Dupont, all by Cameron Food Mart, Mr. and Mrs. Orson Billings; Endangered Wildlife & Plants, V. 13, Hazel Roper by Charles Roper, Betty Noble, Carolyn Iannone and Donald Roper; Police Cars, Donald January by Hibernia National Bank, Cameron Branch Employees; 1001 Bible Questions Answered, William (Bill) Turnbull by Bonnie Conner; Betty Crocker's Cookie Book, Dora Welch by John and Glynn Portie; Decoys, Ray Dimas by Veterans of Foreign Wars, post #10019.

NEW NOVELS

Seven-Up, Janet Evanovich; The Things I Know Best, J. Lynne Hinton; Die Upon A Kiss, Barbara Hambly; Brazen Virtue, Nora Roberts; Tell No One, Harlan Coben; Between Lovers, Eric Jerome Dickey; Cameo Lake, Susan Wilson; Dark Hollow, John Connolly; Sentimental Journey, Jill Barnett; Stranger In Paradise, Eileen Goudge.

Computer classes are offered here

The Cameron Parish School Board is sponsoring a kids computer camp for students in Cameron schools to be held in the computer lab at Cameron Elementary school on July 23, 24 and 25.

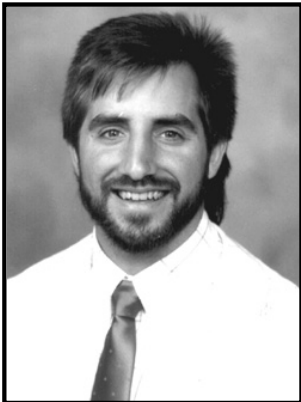
Students entering grades K-4 will meet from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. each day. Students entering grades 5-7 will meet from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. each day.

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2nd place team - Darren Richard and Quentin LeBouf 5.37 lbs. with the largest choupique 3.15 lbs.

3rd place team - Russell Pesson and Roy Pesson 5.26 lbs. John Guidry and Winn Theriot had a 2.22 pound bass that was good enough for second place-largest bass.

Team stringer consist of three bass and all bass are released alive.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Every Monday - Gibbstown Dog Fights. Register at 4:30 p.m. - blast off 5 p.m.

July 5 - Lemesche Bass Club meets KC Hall in Creole at 6 p.m. Names for draw tournament needs to be drawn at this meeting for July 15 tournament in Big Burns.

July 14 - CCA Trout Shootout - weigh-in at Burton Coliseum call Darren Sarver 478-4111.

July 26-28 - Grand Isle Tarpon Rodeo - 504-736-6400 Angela Williams.

Through Sept. 3 - CCA Statewide Tournament and anglers rodeo.

Through Sept. 3 - Lake Charles CCA Catch, Photo and Release tournament. Fred Bemerscheidt 477-8525.

FEEDING TIMES

Best, Fri., July 6 - 12:45 p.m.; good, 6:15 a.m. and 6:45 p.m.

Course to be offered at McNeese

The Louisiana Responsible Vendor/Server Training Course will be offered from 5:30-8:30 p.m. July 10 through the Division of Continuing Education at McNeese State University.

The state requires all persons who handle liquor in closed or open containers, any tobacco product or lottery tickets in any setting, including grocery stores, convenience stores, bars and restaurants, to complete a compliance a state-certified course and successfully pass a state authorized exam.

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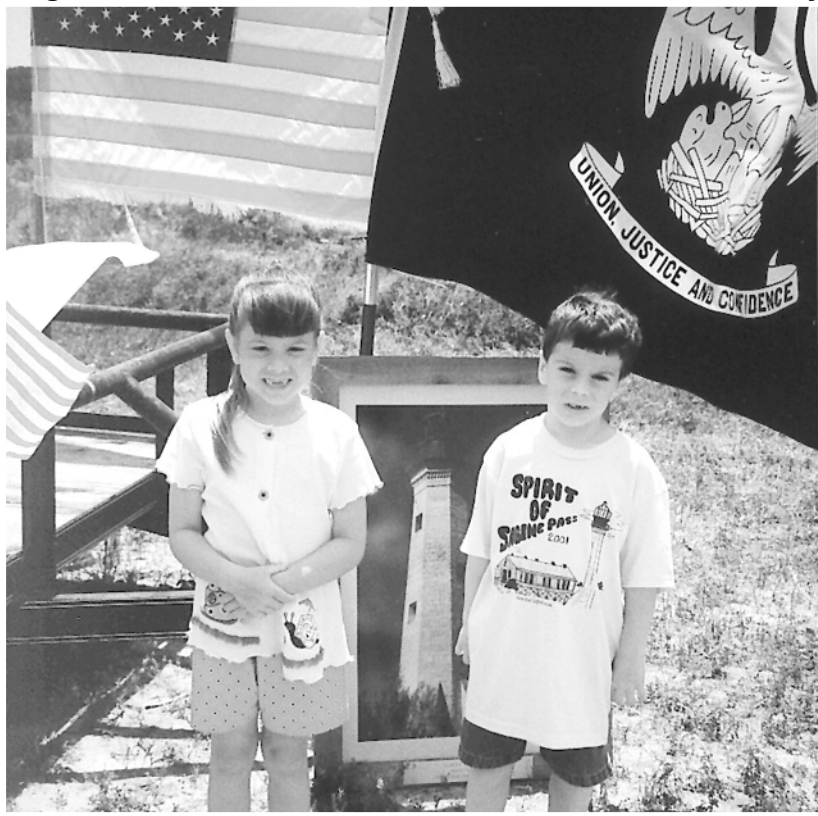
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TWO OF THE young attendees at last Saturday's ceremony transferring the ownership of the Sabine Pass Lighthouse were Allison Romero and Zackery Hebert, shown standing under the national and state flags. (Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

and explained how to build one.

Present were Mesdames Earl Toerner, Vileor Theriot, Whitney J. Theriot, Tom Morgan, Laurence Theriot, Rodolph Theriot, Vian Theriot, and Misses Amanda Theriot, Lorena Theriot, and Velma Desont.

**(Lake Charles American Press, July 2, 1938.)
CAMERON CLEANS UP CASES**

Nine cases were disposed of on clean-up day by the district attorney's office, in district court here Wednesday. Thursday, set aside for civil cases, found little to do as the officials and court, with all business before it attended to, adjourned until the November term.

With Judge John T. Hood on the bench and Assistant District Attorney John H. Martin representing the state, one man pled guilty to a charge of reckless driving and was given a sentence of 30 days in the parish jail, all of which was suspended.

Two other men were found guilty of disturbing the peace and were sentenced to 30 days each in the parish jail, all of which was suspended.

One man pled guilty to a charge of assault and was given a suspended 3-day sentence.

Three men were found guilty of disturbing the peace and each was given a 90-day jail sentence. In each case the sentence was suspended excepting 15 days.

One man was found guilty of wife desertion and was given a 30-day jail sentence, suspended providing he pay his wife \$20 a month and hospital and medical bills.

One man, charged with possessing a dangerous weapon, was found guilty and sentenced to 30 days, which was suspended.

(Cameron Pilot, July 4, 1968)

BEACH EROSION

Nearly a mile of the state highway west of Holly Beach is threatened by erosion of the beach, the Cameron Parish Police Jury was told Monday. The jury adopted a resolution asking the state highway department to take action to stop the threat to the road.

It was also noted that Congress has put \$30,000 in its budget for a study of beach erosion in the area.

TEENAGER MAKES RECORD

Jessye Roux, who has been singing since she was three, became a full-fledged professional singer recently when her first record was released.

The 45-rpm disc, "That Wonderful Someone" on one side and "Heartaches" on the other, was released by Ebb-Tide Co. of Denham Springs and can be heard on a number of jukeboxes in this area.

Jessye simplified the spelling of her name somewhat for the record label and is listed as "Jessie Rue."

Jessye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashburn Roux of Cameron, and is a student at South Cameron High School. She has sung at numerous local and area programs, including the La. Fur and Wildlife Festival and the Southwest La. Rodeo Assn. good-will caravan.

Jessye is planning to make another record this month when she and a group of entertainers go to the Georgia State Prison to put on a benefit for the prisoners.

EMPLOYEES ARE GIVEN RAISES

Across the board raises for employees other than teachers were approved Monday by the



THE SABINE PASS LIGHTHOUSE is pictured above as it looked in years ago before the keeper's house burned in a grass fire and vandals stole the copper roof. The lighthouse now has new owners, the Cameron Preservation Alliance, which hopes to restore it and possibly establish a state or national park at the site.

Cameron Parish School Board. School teachers had been voted a \$400 a year raise two months ago to make recruiting easier. Bus drivers and janitors were voted \$300 a year raises. Board office workers were also given raises of \$400 a year. Supt. J. W. Montie told the board the pay increases will cost about \$70,000 a year.

RETRIEVER TRIALS HELD

The second in series of four trials for retriever dogs were held Sunday in Cameron by the Cameron Retriever Dog Club, according to Pat Doland. There was a good crowd of spectators despite the rainy weather, which was ideal for the dogs.

In the 18-month and under class, three dogs were called back for final runs by Judges Lyle Crain, John Prescott, and Jimmy Baker. Each scored 19 out of 20 points. The tie was finally broken with Everett Burleigh's yellow labrador "Jude" of Cameron taking first. Dan Dupont's dog, of Cameron, was second and John Walther's dog, of Hack-berry, was third.

SCOUTS ATTEND CAMP

Attending scout camp at Camp Edgewood last weekend were these members of Creole Boy Scout Troop 202, sponsored by J. P. Boudoin KC Council. They were Tommy Takes, Vernon Primeaux, Tony Sturlese, Tony Johnson, Danny Nunez, and scoutmaster Gooch Baccagalopi.

Grand Chenier scouts also attended camp at Camp Edgewood with scoutmaster B. J. Howerton. The troop is sponsored by the Grand Chenier Elementary School.

BIDS ON NEW SCHOOL

Bids will be opened Aug. 21 on the new South Cameron Elementary School. The Cameron Parish School Board authorized architect U. E. (Sonny) Hackett, Jr., to proceed with the plans outlined.

The school will have 12 classrooms, including a library and a science room. It will have a kindergarten among the 12 classrooms.

Club to hold dance at H'berry

The Hackberry Family, Career and Community Leaders of America Organization will host a summer dance Friday, July 6, in the high school gym. Sixth through twelfth graders and their dates are invited to attend at a cost of \$3 per person. The dance will be held from 8 p.m. to midnight with refreshments to be sold. Bayou Rhythm

will D.J. This will be a school-sponsored event and school rules will apply for anyone attending the dance.

The FCCLA Officers are also hosting a pizza sale Friday, July 6.

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Lake Charles American Press, June 30, 1938)
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You can still do gardening in summer

By Dan Gill
LSU AgCenter Horticulturist

Have your tomatoes tumbled, your beans bombed and your cucumbers crashed? Don't despair. Despite the intense heat of July and August, there are delicious, heat-tolerant vegetables you can plant now to keep your garden productive through the summer.

Popular vegetables such as tomatoes, bell peppers, corn, beans, cucumbers and squash are planted in March and April to set abundant crops for harvest in May and June. But by now, many of these earlier planted crops have finished, and it's time to remove them from the garden.

As you remove vegetables that have finished their productive season, a wonderful selection of vegetables that thrive in mid-summer heat can be planted in the garden now. Many of these heat-tolerant vegetables, such as okra, sweet potatoes and purple hull peas, are near and dear to Louisianans, and they form an important part of our regional cuisine.

Before you plant your next crops, careful bed preparation is important. For your own comfort, the relatively cooler early morning is the best time to accomplish this.

First, do a thorough job of removing any weeds that may have grown up in the beds. Physically pulling or digging them out generally is effective. For the really tough weeds such as Bermuda grass, torpedo grass and nutsedge or coco grass, you have the option of spraying them with the systemic herbicide glyphosate (Roundup) to kill them prior to planting the next crop. Just remember Roundup is not labeled for use around growing vegetables, so be sure to observe the waiting period between application and planting listed on the label.

Once the weeds have been controlled, turn the soil to a depth of about 8 inches. Next, spread a 2-inch layer of aged manure or compost, leaves or grass clippings that are partially decomposed. Then add a sprinkling of general purpose granular fertilizer appropriate to your area and thoroughly incorporate everything into the bed. Now, you're ready to plant.

The LSU AgCenter recommends a wide variety of vegetables that can be planted now.

Okra: It never gets too hot for okra to thrive here, since it is native to tropical Africa. Direct seeded into the garden now, okra will come into production in early September and produce until the weather cools down in late October.

The All America Selection, "Cajun Delight," produces an

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A common mistake gardeners make is growing the plants too close together. Once the okra seedlings are a few inches tall, thin them to 12 inches between plants.

When the plants are about knee high to waist high, they begin to produce their pale yellow, hibiscus-like flowers. At that time, give the plants a side-dressing with a fertilizer that contains nitrogen.

Harvest okra pods frequently when they reach a length of about 3 inches for best quality - although some varieties stay tender if harvested larger.

The main pest of okra is the green stinkbug, and populations usually are high in late summer. Their feeding causes the okra pods to curl. If needed, control with the insecticide Sevin applied in the afternoon when bees are not as likely to be affected.

Eggplant: Unlike their relative, tomatoes, eggplants thrive in the heat of mid to late summer. Purchase eggplant transplants to put out in the garden now.

I generally have found the oriental types such as "Ichiban" or "Tycoon" - with long, narrow fruit - are especially productive in summer heat. Large-fruited varieties such as "Blackbell," "Classic," "Midnight" and "Florida Hi Bush," as well as green, white, lavender and pink varieties, also are recommended.

Plant eggplant transplants 18 to 24 inches apart in well-prepared beds.

Production should begin in early September and increase through late October or early November.

Legumes: Although it is too hot for reliable production from legumes like snap beans and lima beans, Southern peas such as purple hulls, crowders, cream peas and black-eyed peas produce abundant crops during the summer.

Direct seed these in rows, and thin young seedlings to stand 4 to 6 inches apart.

Most varieties produce short, somewhat bushy vines and do not require a trellis to grow on.

Other legumes that could be planted now include yard-long beans, winged peas, peanuts and edible soybeans.

Peppers: Although bell peppers produce poorly during high temperatures, hot peppers and sweet peppers, such as banana, "Gypsy" and pimiento, produce very well despite the

heat. Plant pepper transplants now and space about 18 inches apart. Bell pepper seeds also can be planted now to grow transplants to be placed in the garden in August for production this fall.

Tomatoes: Spring-planted tomatoes are about finished with their main crop, and, if the plants are in poor condition, they should be removed to make way for heat-tolerant crops. On the other hand, cherry and roma types may still be producing well and could be left in place.

If you want to grow your own transplants for fall tomatoes, plant seeds now. Transplants for fall tomatoes will be available at area nurseries in late July and August and should be purchased and planted then.

Good varieties for fall pro-

duction include "Hawaiian Hybrid," "Solar Set," "Heatwave," "Bingo," "Celebrity" and "Sunmaster."

Other Vegetables: Other heat-tolerant vegetables that may be planted now include cantaloupe, pumpkin, watermelon (these three require room to spread), peanuts (easy to grow and a great crop for kids) and sweet potatoes (plant rooted cuttings or "slips" as soon as possible for harvest in November).

Seeds of cole crops such as broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage, Chinese cabbage and brussels sprouts may be planted in flats or pots now through September to produce transplants for planting in August through November.

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— PUBLIC NOTICE —

The Cameron Parish School Board Pupil Progression Plan committee will meet on Friday, July 6, 2001, at 10:00 a.m., at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, 246 Dewey Street, in Cameron, Louisiana for the purpose of reviewing and recommending the 2001-02 Cameron Parish Pupil Progression Plan for approval by the Cameron Parish School Board. The approval of the plan appears on the official agenda of the July 9, 2001, Cameron Parish School Board Meeting. Any questions concerning the Cameron Parish Pupil Progression Plan, 2001-02, should be directed to Stephanie Rodrigue, Supervisor of Curriculum and Instruction, at (337)775-5784, extension 30.

RUN: July 5 (JU-4)

— ABSENTEE VOTING —

Absentee voting for the July 21 election will be held July 9-14 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday and from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturday. Absentee voting will be done in the Registrar of Voters office in the Cameron Courthouse.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Waterworks District No. Eleven, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, the governing authority of the District, on April 3, 2001, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held in Waterworks District No. Eleven Cameron Parish, Louisiana, on Saturday, July 21, 2001, and that at said election there will be submitted to all registered voters of said Parish qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and laws of the state of Louisiana and the Constitution and laws of the United States, the following Proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY FOR WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. ELEVEN TO COLLECT, FOR 10 YEARS, A TAX OF FIVE AND SEVENTY HUNDREDDTHS MILLS PER ANNUM FOR OPERATING AND MAINTAINING WATER SYSTEMS WITHIN AND FOR SAID DISTRICT.

Shall Waterworks District No. Eleven of the Parish of Cameron, be authorized to levy a tax of five and seventy hundredths (5.70) mills on the dollar of assessed valuation on all property subject to taxation in said District, for a period of ten (10) years, commencing with the year 2002, for the purpose of operating and maintaining said District's Water systems within and for said district?

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that said special election will be held at the polling places set forth below, all situated within Waterworks District No. Eleven, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, which polls will open at six o'clock (6:00) a.m. and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in compliance with the provisions of Section 541 of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended (R.S. 18:541):

ELECTION DISTRICT 3; PRECINCT 1, ALL GRAND LAKE RECREATION CENTER GRAND LAKE, LOUISIANA

ELECTION DISTRICT 3; PRECINCT 2, ALL GRAND LAKE RECREATION CENTER GRAND LAKE, LOUISIANA

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the said special election will be held in accordance with the provisions of the Louisiana Election Code. (Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes), including Chapter 6-A thereof, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto. Such officers appointed to hold the said election, and such substitutes therefor as are selected and designated in compliance with law, will make due returns thereof to the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish and to the Board of Commissioners of Waterworks District No. Eleven, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, the governing authority of said District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the commissioners-in-charge duly certified by the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish and selected by the Parish Board of Election supervisors as provided for in R.S. 18:433, as amended, are hereby designated as the commissioners-in-charge to serve at the polling places designated in the charge to serve at the polling places designated in the election herein called. The commissioners of election and alternate commissioners of election shall be appointed by the Cameron Parish Clerk of Court, in accordance with R.S. 18:1286, as amended. In the event the election herein called is held at the same time as the election of public officials the commissioners and alternate commissioners selected for the election of public officials the commissioners shall be those commissioners and alternate commissioners selected for the election of public officials, in accordance with R.S. 18:1286, as amended.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Commissioners of Waterworks District No. Eleven, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, the governing authority of Said District, will meet at its regular meeting place, the Grand Lake Waterboard Office Cameron, Louisiana, on Tuesday the 7th day of August, 2001, at 6:00 p.m., and will then and there, in open and public session, proceed to examine and canvass the returns as certified by the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and declare the result of the said special election.

All registered voters of Waterworks District No. Eleven, Cameron Parish, Louisiana are entitled to vote at said special election and voting machines will be used in the conduct of the election.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED on this, the 3rd day of April, 2001.

APPROVED:
/s/Harold Savoie
HAROLD SAVOIE, PRESIDENT
WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. ELEVEN

ATTEST:
/s/Lori Nunez
LORI NUNEZ, SECRETARY
RUN: May 31, June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 5, 12, 19 - M62

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Cameron Parish Police Jury, the governing authority of Fire Protection District No. Fourteen, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, on May 7, 2001, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held in Fire Protection District No. Fourteen, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, on Saturday, July 21, 2001, and that at said election there will be submitted to all registered voters of said Parish qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution and laws of the United States, the following Proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY FOR FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. FOURTEEN TO COLLECT, FOR 10 YEARS, A TAX OF FIVE AND SEVENTY HUNDREDDTHS MILLS PER ANNUM FOR OPERATING AND MAINTAINING THE DISTRICT'S FIRE PROTECTION FACILITIES AND PAYING THE COST OF OBTAINING WATER FOR FIRE PROTECTION PURPOSES, INCLUDING CHARGES FOR FIRE HYDRANT RENTALS AND SERVICE IN SAID DISTRICT.

Shall Fire Protection District No. Fourteen of the Parish of Cameron, be authorized to levy a tax of five and sev-

enty hundredths (5.70) mills on the dollar of assessed valuation on all property subject to taxation in said District, for a period of ten (10) years, commencing with the year 2002, for the purpose of operating and maintaining the District's fire protection facilities and paying the cost of obtaining water for fire protection purposes, including charges for fire hydrant rentals and service in said District?

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that said special election will be held at the polling places set forth below, all situated within Fire Protection District No. Fourteen, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, which polls will open at six o'clock (6:00) a.m. and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in compliance with the provisions of Section 541 of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended (R. S. 18:541):

ELECTION DISTRICT 3; PRECINCT 1, ALL; GRAND LAKE RECREATION CENTER, GRAND LAKE, LOUISIANA.

ELECTION DISTRICT 3; PRECINCT 2, ALL; GRAND LAKE RECREATION CENTER, GRAND LAKE, LOUISIANA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the said special election will be held in accordance with the provisions of the Louisiana Election Code (Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes), including Chapter 6-A thereof, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto. Such officers appointed to hold the said election and such substitutes therefor as are selected and designated in compliance with law, will make due returns thereof to the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish and to the Cameron Parish Police Jury, the governing authority of said District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the commissioners-in-charge duly certified by the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish and selected by the Parish Board of Election Supervisors as provided for in R. S. 18:433, as amended, are hereby designated as the commissioners-in-charge to serve at the polling places designated in the election herein called. The commissioners of election and alternate commissioners of election shall be appointed by the Cameron Parish Clerk of Court, in accordance with R. S. 18:1286, as amended. In the event the election herein called held at the same time as the election of public officials the commissioners and alternate commissioners shall be those commissioners and alternate commissioners selected for the election of public officials, in accordance with R. S. 18:1286, as amended.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Police Jury, the governing authority of Fire Protection District No. Fourteen, will meet at its regular meeting place, the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex Building, Cameron, Louisiana, on Monday, the 6th day of August, 2001, at 5:00 p.m., and will then and there, in open and public session, proceed to examine and canvass the returns as certified by the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and declare the result of the said special election.

All registered voters of Fire Protection District No. Fourteen, Cameron Parish, Louisiana are entitled to vote at said special election and voting machines will be used in the conduct of the election.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED on this, the 7th day of May, 2001.

APPROVED:
/s/Dusty Sandifer
DUSTY SANDIFER, PRESIDENT
CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY ATTEST:
/s/Bonnie W. Conner
BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY
RUN: May 31, Jun. 7, 14, 21, 28, Jul. 5, 12, 19 (M-63)

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

By virtue of and in conformity with the procedures of Section 151 through 158 of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, sealed bids will be received at the office of the Cameron Parish School Board in Cameron, Louisiana, on or before the 9th day of July, 2001 at 4:00 p.m., at which time all bids received will be opened by the Cameron Parish School Board for a lease covering the oil, gas, sulphur, potash, and/or other liquid gaseous hydrocarbon mineral rights in, to and under the following described property:

All of the rights, titles and interest in any properties owned by and not presently under mineral lease from the Cameron Parish School Board in Cameron Parish, Louisiana situated within the following described area:

Being all of Section 16, Township 14 South, Range 5 West, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, containing 640 acres, more or less, LESS AND EXCEPT that certain tract or parcel of land containing 240.00 acres, more or less, being the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) and the West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W/2 of SE/4) of Section 16, Township 14 South, Range 5 West, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and being the same property described on that certain Lease for Oil, Gas and Other Liquid or Gaseous Minerals, dated September 1, 2000, by and between the Cameron Parish School Board and Victor P. Smith Oil Company, LLC, as recorded under Entry No. 267874 of the Conveyance Records of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, leaving a balance of 400.00 acres, more or less, described herein.

Bids may be for the whole or any particularly described portions of the tract advertised herein.

All bids are to offer a CASH PAYMENT, one-half (1/2) of which is to be bonus as full and adequate consideration for every right granted by the lease and one-half (1/2) of which is to be rental for the first year of the lease, for a lease having a primary term which shall not exceed three years. ANNUAL RENTAL for the second and third years shall not be less than the aforesaid cash payment. The lease is to be granted without any warranty or recourse against lessor whatsoever, either expressed or implied, not even for return by lessor of any payments received under the lease or being otherwise responsible to lessee. Minimum royalties shall be one-fourth (1/4) of all oil and gas produced and saved or utilized; one-eighth (1/8) of the value per long ton of sulphur produced and saved d which shall yield not less than \$2.00 per long ton; one-eighth (1/8) of the

value per ton for all potash produced and saved; which shall yield not less than ten cents (\$.10) per ton; and one-fourth (1/4) of all other minerals produced and saved.

All leases awarded shall be executed upon terms and conditions provided in the current Cameron Parish School Board lease form with all applicable riders appended thereto, including Approved Rider for Attachment to State Agency Lease Forms, and including, but not limited to, provisions as follows: Should lessee fail to begin the actual drilling (spudding in) of a well on the lease premises within one year from the date of the lease, the lease shall terminate as to both parties to the lease, unless on or before such anniversary date, lessee shall pay a delay rental [which shall in no event be less than the aforesaid cash payment offered for the lease], which shall cover the privilege of deferred drilling operations for a period of one year. Upon like payments annually, drilling operations may be further deferred for successive periods of one year each during the primary term of three years. The lease shall provide for drilling of offset wells where necessary to protect the Board's interest and shall contain the provisions against the assignment of sub-lease of the lease unless approved by the School Board. The lessee shall have the right to enter into pooling or unitization agreements with respect to development of the leased premises subject to the approval of the School Board. The Lessee shall not have the right to conduct geophysical or seismic activities or exploration on the leased premises under this lease. Such activities may be conducted only if a separate written contract or permit is granted to Lessee by the Cameron Parish School Board for which additional rights separate and additional consideration shall be paid.

Any lease granted hereunder shall be on the regular current Cameron Parish School Board lease form with Approved Rider for Attachment to State Agency Lease Forms and shall be subject to the approval of the State Mineral Board. A copy of the said lease form and rider are available for inspection at the office of the Cameron Parish School Board in Cameron, Louisiana. Certified check, bank money order, or cashier's check, payable to the Cameron Parish School Board for the full amount of the bonus, shall accompany and be submitted with each bid; and no bid thus submitted may be thereafter withdrawn or canceled; and the cash bonus accompanying the bid of the successful bidder shall be forfeited to the Cameron Parish School Board should he not return the written lease, duly executed, within twenty (20) days after his receipt of the same.

The Cameron Parish School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to grant a lease on any portion of the tract advertised for a price not less than proportionate to the best bid offered for the lease on the entire tract.

CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
By: /s/Judith Jones
JUDITH JONES, SUPERINTENDENT
CAMERON PILOT ADVOCATE
RUN: June 21, 28, July 5, 2001 (J32)

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Cameron Parish School Board will receive bids until the hour of 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 6, 2001, for an irrigation system at South Cameron High School.

Specifications and bid sheet may be obtained from Ron Vining at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, 246 Dewey Street Cameron, La. 70631, Phone: 775-5934 ext. 14.

The Cameron Parish School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted.

CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
By: /s/Judith Jones
RUN: June 21, 28, July 5 - J33

NOTICE OF POLLING PLACES

According to Carl Broussard, Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish in accordance with Title 18:535B of the Louisiana Election Code, the following is the official listing of the Polling Places for the upcoming Proposition Election to be held on Saturday, July 21, 2001.

POLLING PLACES
District 3 Precinct 1:
District 3 Precinct 2:
Location: Grand Lake Recreation Center, 108 Recreation Lane, Grand Lake, LA.
RUN: June 28 to July 5 - J43

LEGAL NOTICE

The Cameron Parish Clerk of Court held a public hearing on the amended budget for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2001 and the proposed budget for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2002. Said hearing was held at the office of the Clerk of Court, Courthouse, Cameron, Louisiana, at 10:00 a.m., Friday, June 29, 2001. The budget is always available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Office of the Clerk of Court.

	June 30, 2001	June 30, 2002
	Amended	Proposed
Revenues		
Licenses and Fees	\$2,000	\$2,000
Charges for Services	558,000	560,000
Use of Money	22,000	22,000
Clerk's Supplement	12,000	12,000
Total Revenues	594,000	596,000
Expenditures		
Salaries and Benefits	420,000	440,000
Supplies	14,000	15,000
Operating Expenses	108,000	100,000
Capital Outlay	2,700	3,000
Total Expenditures	547,700	558,000
Excess Revenues	49,300	38,000

RUN: July 5 (JU-1)

PROCEEDINGS CAMERON PARISH WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 9

MAY 31, 2001
The Cameron Parish Waterworks District No. 9 met in regular session on Thursday, May 31, 2001, at 6:30 p.m., at Waterworks Office, Muria, Creole, Louisiana.

The following members were present: Melvin Theriot, John Allen Conner, Wendell Rutherford, Catherine Miller and Thompson McCall. Members absent: None.

Also in attendance, Mrs. Norma Pinch.

It was moved by Mr. McCall, seconded by Mr. Rutherford and carried, that meeting be called to order.

It was moved by Mr. Conner, seconded by Mr. McCall and carried, that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with.

It was moved by Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mrs. Miller and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury be

notified this board does desire to apply for a grant for roofing and renovations to the offices of the district.

It was moved by Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. McCall and carried, that request from consumer for a report of water sales at a specified location, be and the same is hereby approved.

It was moved by Mr. McCall, seconded by Mr. Conner and carried, that fiscal agent contract by and between Hibernia National Bank and Waterworks District No. 9, dated June 1, 2001 to May 31, 2001, be and the same is hereby accepted.

It was moved by Mr. Conner, seconded by Mr. Rutherford and carried, that contract, for communication services (antenna), by and between Utility Service Company and Waterworks District No. 9, be and the same is hereby accepted.

It was moved by Mr. McCall, seconded by Mr. Rutherford and carried, that the financial statement dated May 31, 2001, be and the same is hereby approved.

It was moved by Mrs. Miller, seconded by Mr. McCall and carried, that the following bills be paid.

Jeff Davis Electric Coop., Inc. - Cameron, La.; Boudoin Bros., Inc. - Creole, La.; Cintas - Lake Charles, La.; Cameron Parish Police Jury - Cameron, La.

Cameron Telephone Co. - Sulphur, La.; Reliant Energy - Lake Charles, La.; Fina Oil & Chemical Co. - Amarillo, Tx.; Reliable Corp. - Chicago, IL.

Ready Rentals - Cameron, La.; State Department of Revenue & Taxation - Baton Rouge, La.; Canik's Hardware - Creole, La.; Orkin Pest Control - Lake Charles, La.

Savoie Lumber Co. - Creole, La.; Curtis Insurance Agency - Sulphur, La.; Griner Drilling Service, Inc. - Rayne, La.; KMI Printing - Lake Charles, La. Creole Auto Repair - Creole, La.; Mike Elliott, C.P.A. - Leesville, La.; Community Coffee - Lake Charles, La.; BMC - Lake Charles, La.; U.S. Unwired - Lake Charles, La.

There being no further business and upon motion of Mrs. Miller, seconded by Mr. McCall, the meeting was declared adjourned.

/s/ Melvin Theriot
Melvin Theriot, President
Waterworks District No. 9

Attest:
/s/ John Allen Conner
John Allen Conner, Secretary
RUN: July 5 (JU-2)

PROCEEDINGS CAMERON PARISH WATER AND SEWER #1

MAY 25, 2001
The Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District No. 1 Board met in regular session on Friday, May 25, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. in the board room located at 126 Ann Street, in the village of Cameron, Louisiana.

Members present were: Bobby Doxey, Ron Johnson, Tammy Peshoff, J. C. Murphy, and Chris Hebert.

Members absent were: Jimmy Kelley and Lloyd Carroll.

Board president J. C. Murphy called the meeting to order.

The minutes for the previous months meeting were approved as read.

On a motion by Ron Johnson and seconded by Bobby Doxey and carried that the financial statements by accepted as presented.

On a motion by Chris Hebert and seconded by Tammy Peshoff and carried that the bills for the month be paid.

On a motion by Bobby Doxey and seconded by Ron Johnson and carried that the highest bid be accepted for the Dodge truck from Richard Mills for \$300.00. There was only one other bidder, Francis Guileau for \$157.75.

On a motion by Ron Johnson and seconded by Tammy Peshoff and carried that the excess equipment be donated to the Cameron Parish Library, since there were no bids received.

On a motion by Ron Johnson and seconded by Tammy Peshoff and carried that the board hire Randall Cormier as a summer hand.

On a motion by Ron Johnson and seconded by Bobby Doxey and carried that the board extend the advertisement for summer hands, eliminating the deadline date until further notice.

On a motion by Ron Johnson and seconded by Chris Hebert and carried that the board accept the contract letter from C & L Aqua Pro. for the next two years on chlorine and phosphate.

On a motion by J. C. Murphy and seconded by Chris Hebert and carried that the board send Edward to Alexandria for the LRWA annual meeting and school.

On a motion by Ron Johnson and seconded by Tammy Peshoff and carried that the being no further business that the meeting stand adjourned.

/s/Lori LeBlanc /s/J. C. Murphy
Lori LeBlanc, Sec. J.C. Murphy, President
Cameron Water & Sewer #1

RUN: July 5 (JU-3)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Cameron Parish School Board Pupil Progression Plan committee will meet on Friday, July 6, 2001, at 10:00 a.m., at the Cameron Parish School board Office, 246 Dewey Street, in Cameron, Louisiana for the purpose of reviewing and recommending the 2001-02 Cameron Parish Pupil Progression Plan for approval by the Cameron Parish School Board. The approval of the plan appears of the official agenda of the July 9, 2001, Cameron Parish School board Meeting. Any questions concerning the Cameron Parish Pupil Progression Plan, 2001-02, should be directed to Stephanie Rodrigue, Supervisor of Curriculum and Instruction, at (337)775-5784, extension 30.
RUN: July 5 (JU-4)

NOTICE

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3 held on Tuesday, May 15, 2001, at 2:30 p.m. at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex.

Members Present: Scott Henry, E. J. Dronet, Edward Racca, Jr., and Joe Dupont.

Members Absent: Kathy Guthrie. Others Present: Glenn Harris, Edward Petersen, Lonnie Harper and James LeBoeuf.

A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Joe Dupont, and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the April 17, 2001, regular meeting as written.

A motion was made by Joe Dupont,

seconded by Edward Racca, Jr., and unanimously carried to approve the Financial Statement for the month of April, 2001.

A motion was made by Joe Dupont, seconded by Edward Racca, Jr., and unanimously carried to approve the following bills for payment:

1. Cameron Parish Pilot - \$267.00. 2. Gulf Coast Supply - \$56.08. 3. Lake Charles Diesel, Inc. - \$55.74. 4. Cameron Parish Police Jury \$492.57.

A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Joe Dupont, and unanimously carried to approve renewal of the Fiscal Agency Contract with Cameron State Bank as presented. (Mr. E. J. Dronet abstained from voting on this motion due to his affiliation as a Director of Cameron State Bank.)

A motion was made by E. J. Dronet, seconded by Edward Racca, Jr., and unanimously carried to adopt the following resolution with regard to tax millage:

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following millage is hereby levied on the 2001 tax roll on the property subject to taxation by the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3:

DISTRICT : Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3 - Maintenance. MILLAGE: 6.50.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the property administrative officials of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said parish for the year 2001, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the District, according to law, and that the tax herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on the property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and the collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the foregoing resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by the following votes:

YEAS: 4. NAYS: 0. ABSTAINED: 0. ABSENT: 1.

It was agreed that we will try to get a newspaper article placed in the Cameron Pilot noting the tax roll-back from 7.00 to 6.50 mills for Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3.

Scott Henry reported that we received a letter from the Police Jury asking us to advise Tina Horn of any mitigation projects we feel are necessary. It was agreed that when a project comes up requiring mitigation, we can support Cameron Prairie.

Glenn Harris reported that last March we had substantial amounts of rain, and at that time the gates on Water Control Structures were opened and left open. This year, however, up until last week, the water levels stayed at 1.1 or 1.2. The gates were closed to respond to a big south wind predicted, and salinities are down to 3.2. He presented the complete Cameron-Creole Watershed Management Report for the previous month. It was noted that we are beginning to see a marked improvement in the marsh in general.

With regard to the complaint of high water at Savoie Road, James LeBoeuf reported that the water level was at .9 at Savoie Road when pumping began. After pumping for a full week, he got it down to 5.5. Then it rained, and the level went right back up. He then pumped until May 1, when the water level had gone down to 0.5. Since then water has evaporated a little, but it took two weeks of continuous pumping to get it down.

Scott Henry reported that we are

trying to work with the Police Jury, with Edward Petersen's assistance, to represent the Drainage Board in resolving drainage problems on Jetty Road at the Asco base. We have found that when we come in with our system, it will help alleviate their problem. It is not a Drainage Board project at this time, but it is causing some problems with the road base.

Lonnie Harper reported that he has extended the bid opening again in the interest of having at least three or four bids for the School Board Lateral & Pump project. He stated that he felt we perhaps need to remain patient and wait until everyone has looked at the project thoroughly. He stated that we plan to have the bid opening at the June meeting.

Mr. Harper further reported that the Courthouse Lateral permit is being processed. The permit for clean-out of the lateral, at Joey Dockins' request from Cameron Elementary School along Highway 82 to School Board Road has been approved.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

E. J. Dronet, Secretary-Treas.
Scott Henry, President
RUN: July 5 - Ju 6

PUBLIC NOTICE

A Public Notice of a Federal Consistency Review of a Development Operations Coordination Document Plan by the Coastal Management Division/Louisiana Department of Natural Resources for the Plan's Consistency with the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program.

Applicant: W&T Offshore, Inc. 3900 North Causeway Boulevard, Suite 1200, Lakeway I. Metairie, Louisiana 70002.

Location: Lease OCS-G 15156, East Cameron, Block 345 & Lease OCS-G 22602, East Cameron, Block 361.

Description: Proposed Development Operations Coordination Document for the above area provides for the exploration for oil and gas. Development activities shall include drilling with a jack-up rig and transport of drilling crews and equipment by helicopter and or cargo vessel from an onshore base located in Cameron, Louisiana. No ecologically sensitive species or habitats are expected to be located near or affected by these activities.

A copy of the plan described above is available for inspection at the Coastal Management Section Office located on the 10th Floor of the State Lands and Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Office hours: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday. The public is requested to submit comments to the Department of Natural Resources Coastal Management Section, Attention: OCS Plans, Post Office Box 44487, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4487. Comments must be received within 15 days of the date of this notice or 15 days after the Coastal Management Section obtains a copy of the plan and it is available for public inspection. This public notice is provided to meet the requirements of the NOAA Regulations on Federal Consistency with approved Coastal Management Programs.
RUN: July 5 - Ju7

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