

CHENIERE LNG officials in attendance at the FERC meeting in Johnson's Bayou last week were pleased with the positive comments. Shown above, from left, are: Ed Lehotsky, Meg Gentle, Letreic Miller, V.P. LNG Technical E. Darron Granger, Randy Parr, and President Keith M. Meyer. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)

G. C. Elementary School building meeting held

(From the Lake Charles American Press)

Two Cameron Parish School Board members say it is time for the school board to do something with the former Grand Chenier Elementary school building.

The school was shut down three years ago, and those students now attend South Cameron Elementary.

Board members Loston McEvers and Dorothy Theriot say the board should use the building as a place of learning.

If not, then the school board "shouldn't pay another dime on it" and give it back to the original owners, McEvers said.

Right now, it is mainly used as a storage facility, but the Cameron School Board still must pay for insurance and maintenance.

The School Board at one time wanted to make it an alternate school where students with special needs could be taught. Those students included any from Grand Chenier, Cameron, Creole and Grand Lake who

were considered "problem children" or those who had been expelled from school.

That idea fell through because it would have been too expensive. Plus, the federal guidelines that set up an alternate school haven't been formalized yet.

"That's on hold for right now, so at this time it doesn't look like we are going to be reopening it," Theriot said.

"Hopefully we'll have something going on next year, but I don't know what it will be."

About 50 Grand Chenier residents attended a recent public meeting with McEvers, Theriot and Superintendent Doug Chance.

Ninety percent of those people want the school opened in some fashion, Theriot said. Others said it ought to be given back to the original owners.

Before it can be opened as a learning facility, renovations that could exceed \$300,000 most likely need to be done, McEvers said.

"We haven't really looked into the full expense of it, but at this time, being that it is not a necessity, it will just have to be put on hold," Theriot said.

She said all she wants is for the facility to be opened in some way to keep it from deteriorating.

"That's a 1.5 million dollar building that's just sitting there going to waste," Theriot said.

McEvers agrees, adding that if students aren't going to be in there learning, then it should be given to the heirs.

In order for it to be reopened, McEvers thinks the Grand Chenier residents will have to "push the envelope" and get the School Board to agree.

"They need to get together, discuss what they want done, then come to the School Board and lay it on the table," McEvers said.

"They're going to have to convince those other board members."

"Joyce McCall" christened in Cameron Wednesday

H'coming ads

It's time to get your homecoming congratulations ads to the Pilot in order to remember that someone special in the Homecoming Edition.

A deadline of 5 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 7, has been set to receive the ads. These must be in our office and paid for by that time. Ads start at \$40.50 and may be mailed, along with picture, information and payment, to P. O. Box 995, DeQuincy, LA 70633.

For further information, call 1-800-256-7323 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday or go by Clipper Office Supply in Cameron not later than Thursday, Oct. 7.

Mrs. Joyce McCall christened her namesake, the M/V Joyce McCall, Wednesday morning in Cameron. The vessel was built in Patterson, by Gulf Craft, Inc. for Seacor Marine, which merged with McCall Boat Rentals, Inc. in 1996. McCall Boat Rentals was created and owned by Norman and Joyce McCall from 1976 until that time. Before the merger, McCall operated 38 crew and utility vessels across the Gulf of Mexico and overseas.

The new M/V Joyce McCall, which replaces an earlier vessel by the same name, is a multi-use vessel which can carry 64 passen-

gers and/or 225 long tons of deck cargo to and from rigs and platforms offshore. The 175 ft. aluminum hulled craft can make speeds of 31 knots, propelled by 4 Hamilton 811 water jets instead of conventional propellers. Four Cummins KT50 engines develop the 7200 horsepower to drive the jets.

Equipped with Dynamic Positioning, remote control fire monitors, 200 horsepower drop down azimuthing bow thruster, and a computer controlled ride stability system, the vessel is said to be capable of servicing offshore facilities anywhere in the world.



NORMAN AND JOYCE McCall stand in front of the new Seacor M/V Joyce McCall following her christening. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)



THE NEWLY COMPLETED Hackberry Walking Trail is now open to the public. A grant from Louisiana Recreational Trails, which is under the Governor's Office of Rural Development, in the amount of \$46,110 paid for the walkway. Several pavilions along the path provide picnic and rest areas.



CAMI ELIZABETH RICHARD, ten-year-old daughter of Richard and Shantelle Richard of Creole, was crowned the 2004 La. Jr. Braford Queen at the La. Jr. Braford Summer Show in Ville Platte.

Tax Assessor's decision upheld

The Cameron Parish Police Jury, meeting as a board of review last Monday, upheld the Tax Assessor's determination of 2004 assessments for three sets of property owners. It also supported the Assessor in the case of a group protest by several oil and gas property owners.

Lester J. Morris and Max McCain, who own property at Hebert Summer Place in Big Lake, requested in writing a reduction of \$61,800 in their assessment. They did not attend the meeting or provide any supporting documentation for the request, and it was denied.

Tina and Tom Barrett III, of Grand Lake requested an adjustment of the \$74 per square foot assessment on their home, claiming that the home sale used to arrive at that dollar value was not actually comparable, since it was a smaller home. Tom Barrett, an Assistant District Attorney of the parish, claimed that the principle of diminishing returns means that larger homes do not bring a proportionally larger price if they are out of the ordinary for the area, and therefore his house should be assessed at more like \$60 per square foot.

The jury, after hearing the Assessor's side and asking many questions, decided to uphold the Assessor's decision. It was a split decision, however, with Darryl Farque and Sonny McGee voting against.

Louis and Wanda Heinrich, who own a camp on Lake Breeze Drive in Hackberry, protested the method of determining the value of unimproved lots in the subdivision. Since there have been only two sales of such property within the allotted time period, the amounts were averaged to arrive at a uniform assessment value for all the lots. One sale was for \$3.85 per square foot and the other was for \$6.52 per square foot, giving an average of \$5.18 per square foot.

The Heinrichs had their property re-surveyed and appraised, and asked that their property be assessed at the appraised value of \$3.64 per square foot. The Jury, however, agreed with the Assessor's method and denied the request.

All three decisions may be appealed to the State Tax Commission. And that is just what the clients of Affiliated Tax Consultants want to do. The company represents 15 owners of oil and gas property in Cameron Parish, and many others around the state, who "take issue with the rules and regulations of the Louisiana Tax Commission" and feel they have "no choice but to file with the Board of Review first" in order to appeal to the Commission. The jury accommodated them by denying their protest, as requested.

Registration to end for elections

Registration for the Tuesday, Nov. 2 national election will end Oct. 4, it is announced by Cameron Registrar of Voters Suzanne Sturlese. The election will include president, senator and congressman races as well as four constitutional amendments.

Registration can be done at the Registrars Office in the Cameron Courthouse bottom floor. The Registrar's office is open Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m. When registering you are required to prove your age, you must submit your current La. Drivers license, birth certificate or other documentation which establishes your identity, age and residency.

For more information please call the Registrars Office at 775-5493.

CCOA rep. to be at Hackberry

A representative from the Cameron Council on Aging will be at the Hackberry Senior Center, located in the multi-purpose building, from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. Oct. 12.

Those wanting to apply for any Council on Aging program should call 598-5158 and speak to Gail to set up an appointment and to see if they are eligible at this time.

Alligator Festival is Sunday, Oct. 3

The 19th annual Alligator Festival, sponsored by St. Eugene Catholic Church, will be held Sunday, Oct. 3 at the Grand Chenier State Park on the Mermentau River.

The festival begins at 10 a.m. with the crowning of Senior Citizen Queen and the Little Mr. and Miss Alligator Festival Pageant.

Food to be sold includes BBQ chicken and brisket lunches, hamburgers, fried alligator, boiled crabs and cakes. Other activities include cakewalks, T-shirt and cap sales, country store, auction, silent auction, raffle, space walk, children's games and live music from 1 p.m.

There is no admission charged and no alcohol will be sold or allowed on the grounds.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 10 a.m. - Crowning of senior citizen queen.
- 10:15 a.m. - Little Mr. and Miss pageant.
- 11 a.m. - Lunch begins.
- 11:15 - Presentation of Joseph Sturlese Family Memorial Plaque for the largest alligator.
- 1 p.m. - Auction and band, Little Chenier Playboyz.
- 2 p.m. - Silent auction deadline,
- 4 p.m. - Raffle drawing.



A SHRIMP BOAT is shown moving in to safety before Ivan made landfall last Thursday in Cameron Parish. Hurricane Ivan made landfall in Alabama on Sept. 16 and then had traveled the usual path up the eastern coastal states, before spinning an off-shoot back into the Gulf of Mexico. Tropical depression Ivan caused high tides and some flooding in Cameron Parish. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)

Funeral

BENITA CORRADINI MORGAN

Funeral services for Benita Corradini Morgan, 75, of Lake Charles were at 1 p.m. Monday, Sept. 27, from St. Margaret Catholic Church with the Rev. Bill Miller officiating.

Burial was in Consolata Cemetery under the direction of Johnson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Morgan died Thursday, Sept. 23, in a Lake Charles hospital.

A native of Rome, Italy, she moved to Lake Charles in 1946 and was a member of St. Margaret Catholic Church.

She is survived by two sons, Charles Morgan, Jr., of Grand Lake and Alan Morgan of Corpus Christi, Tex.; two daughters, Theresa Daigle of Grand Lake and Wanda DeMary of Lake Charles; 10 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Annual hayride to be held Sat., Oct. 16

The sixth annual Sabine Pass Lighthouse Hayride and Fun Day is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 16 starting with the hayride to Lighthouse Bayou at 9:30 a.m. Activities will continue at the Crain Bros. Ranch with live music by the Little Chenier Playboyz, food, trap shoot, cow patty bingo, live auction, and country store.

Items are being collected for the country store sale. To make a donation call Carolyn at 775-5046, Hilda at 538-2411 or Cindy at 569-2359.



**-The CAMERON PARISH PILOT-
USPS 086-980**

Telephones: (337)786-8004 or 1(800)256-7323

Jerry and Joy Wise, Editors & Publishers; Jeffra Wise DeVinney, Advertising Manager; Shirley Johnson, Production Manager; Wendi Burnett, Office Manager; Annette Brown, Julie Fletcher, and Dawn Spears, Staff Members

The Cameron Parish Pilot, P.O. Drawer 1486, Cameron, La. 70631-8998. Published Weekly. Entered as periodical mail at Cameron, La. and Lake Charles, La. Post Office, Periodical Postage paid.

POSTMASTER; Send address changes to: The Cameron Parish Pilot, P.O. Box 995, DeQuincy, La. 70633.

Subscription Rates: \$16.30 a year (tax included) in Cameron & Calcasieu Parishes; \$17.64 elsewhere in La.; \$26.00 elsewhere in USA.

Weight Wise
Minimize at Weight Wise

MEDICAL WEIGHT LOSS CLINIC

Kathy L. Tracy, MD

855-DIET (3438)

Locations In: • Moss Bluff • Lake Charles
• Kinder • DeRiver

- Counseling
- Medications
- Injections
- Supplements

WHIM event slated for Saturday, Oct. 2

A Women Helping in Mission (WHIM) event is set for Saturday, Oct. 2, at Sweet Lake United Methodist Church at the corner of Robinson and Helms Road in Sweet Lake.

Registration is at 9:30 a.m. and the program is 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Cost of the meeting is \$10 in advance or \$15 at the door. Focusing on serving the public and mission opportunities that benefit women and children, the event will have three guest speakers, a mission fair and attendees will make health kits for hurricane victims.

The event is open to women of all ages and denominations.

Sandra Hughes, an ordained minister who attends Lakewood Church in Houston and served as director of the Family Life Institute, will speak at 10:20 a.m. on "Living to Give".

Help Hope store needs volunteers

Help Hope is a non profit organization designed to help people in their time of need and is sponsored and supported by the churches of Cameron Parish and donations made by individuals to the thrift store.

The thrift store sells used clothing, toys, shoes, and household items at very low prices. The store is currently closed due to the shortage of volunteer workers.

If you or anyone you know would be interested in volunteering at the Help Hope Thrift Store, please contact Leslie Suratt or Stephanie Richard at -775-5485 or Jennifer Jones at 775-5714.

"Campaign for Children" is the topic at 11:20 a.m. to be discussed by Dr. Barbara Ferguson, member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in New Orleans and president of United Methodist Women and liaison for school affairs at University of New Orleans.

At 2 p.m. Senator Willie Mount will tell how religion and Christian values have influenced her life. A former small business owner, Mount served 6 1/2 years as Lake Charles' first woman mayor and was the first woman to be elected senator from Dist. 27. There will be exhibits of social service agencies which focus on providing services for women and children, including numerous mission and outreach efforts.

For additional information and to register, contact Cathy Denison-Wicke, PhD at 598-5872 or Rev. Wayne Taylor at 598-1000.

KC's of Creole hold meeting

The J. P. Boudoin Sr., Knights of Columbus 3014 of Creole held their September meeting with Deputy Grand Knight Gervis Conner announcing help would be needed for the Fourth Degree Supper and meeting to be held on Thursday, Oct. 28.

"Knight of the Month" for August was David Trahan and for the month of September, Father Joseph McGrath.

"Family of the Month" for August was Burton and Audrey Daigle and for the month of September was Jerome and Myra Rutherford.

The next regular meeting will be on Tuesday, Oct. 12 at 6:15 p.m. Rosary, 6:30 p.m. meal and meeting to follow.

Blood drive to be held

LifeShare Blood Centers and First Baptist Church of Cameron will conduct a blood drive from 3 to 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 3, at the church on School Street.

Anyone interested in donating blood is invited to go to the church during the scheduled hours.

All donors will receive a T-shirt, cap or the option of having a cholesterol screening. Refreshments will be served.



CLOUD BANDS just north of the eye wall of Ivan crossed Cameron Parish last Thursday evening. Fortunately, damage was minimal to the parish.

(Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)

Ivan visits Cameron Parish last week

The disturbance formerly known as Hurricane Ivan made a surprise visit to Cameron Parish last week, causing some excitement but little else. Having moved off the east coast after ravaging the Alabama Gulf coast and points north, Ivan's center of low pressure traveled quickly south, crossing Florida and entering the Gulf again, where it re-formed into a tropical storm, once again named Ivan, on Wednesday, Sept. 22.

Cameron Parish Office of Emergency Preparedness officials asked the Cameron Sheriff's Office to warn people in low lying coastal areas that two to four foot waves could be expected that night, but called no evacuations.

On Thursday, all Cameron Parish schools were closed and some main street businesses in Cameron took the precaution of sandbagging their doors in case of street flooding from high tides. Merchandise was moved on to higher shelves just in case.

The day remained sunny, however, until the afternoon. As Ivan moved slowly along the coast, it became clear that it would not be going into Texas as predicted, but would make landfall along the Cameron Parish coast.

A heavy squall line hit the Cameron area about 5:30 pm as the eye wall passed along the coast. Some tree limbs were broken, and a number of transformers blew, causing some power outages.

OEP Director Freddie Richard reported that the eye made landfall at about 8:15 between Holly Beach and Johnsons Bayou. The highest sustained winds were 46 mph and the highest gust recorded was 57 mph. Unusually, there was no back side to the storm.

Unclaimed funds information given in Pilot legals

Elsewhere in this issue of the Pilot is a list of persons in the Cameron area who are entitled to unclaimed funds in the custody of the Louisiana Department of the Treasury.

Information about these funds may be obtained by contacting the Unclaimed Property Division at 1-888-925-4127 or 225-219-9400, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or by writing to State Treasurer John Neely Kennedy, Louisiana Department of the Treasury, Unclaimed Property Division, P. O. Box 91010, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9010.

Proof of ownership must be submitted before the funds are released. A legible copy of driver's license and any other information that will positively identify one as the rightful owner of the property may be sent. There is no expiration date for making a claim.



Sales & Service — New & Used
We Service All Makes & Models
In Lake Charles
Shetler Lincoln Mercury

478-1720 Or 1-800-460-5461 3201 HWY. 14

TERMITE SWARMING SEASON IS HERE!
We Will Gladly Inspect Your Home or Business



Give Us A Call

478-7826

"Stan — Your Bug Man"

Senior Citizen Discount

McKENZIE PEST CONTROL, Inc.

"Serving Southwest Louisiana For Over 52 Years"

Keith Dubrock
President-Owner

Sentricon
Colony Elimination System

Stan McKenzie
Entomologist

PROTECT YOUR LAND... PROTECT YOUR LEGACY.

JONATHAN FONTENOT

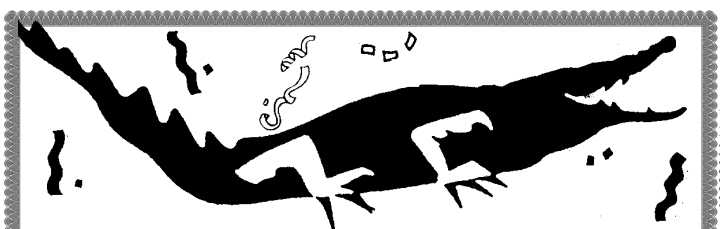
Attorney at Law with the law firm of

CAULEY BOWMAN CARNEY & WILLIAMS

Cameron, Louisiana

REPRESENTING LANDOWNERS WITH
PROPERTY DAMAGED BY OIL FIELD POLLUTION

Call Mr. Fontenot at 337-802-5374 for a free consultation on how you can clean up your land and protect yourself and your heirs from liability related to oil field pollution.



YOU'RE Invited

To The St. Eugene Catholic Church

ALLIGATOR FESTIVAL

Sunday, October 3, 2004

Grand Chenier Park, Grand Chenier, La.

— SCHEDULE —

- 10 a.m. -- Crowning of Senior Citizen Queen
- 10:15 a.m. -- Little Mr. & Miss Contest
- 11 a.m. -- Lunch Begins
- 11:15 a.m. -- Presentation of Joseph Sturlese Family Memorial Plaque for Largest Alligator Award
- 1 p.m. -- Auction Band (Little Chenier Playboyz)
- 1:30 p.m. - Alligator Skinning Demonstration
- 2 p.m. -- Silent Auction Deadline
- 4 p.m. -- Raffle Drawing

• Cake Walk & Childrens Games •

THE LOUISIANA LOTTERY IS A PROUD SPONSOR OF THE ALLIGATOR FESTIVAL

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED - NO ADMISSION

Featuring
FOOD - FUN - FAMILY



THE 2004-05 Cameron Elementary 4-H Officers shown above are: President Ross Rowland, Vice-president Kade Pierson, Secretary Shelby Willis, Treasurer Molly Alexander, Reporter Daryan Richard, Parliamentarians Kristin Broussard and Ethan Nunez, and CRDs Mikalee Mooney and Jadah Primeaux.

National 4-H week is to be commemorated

4-H'ers across the nation will celebrate the 4-H youth development movement's nearly seven million members and more than 600,000 volunteers and their commitment to a world in which youth and adults learn, grow, and work together as catalysts for positive change during National 4-H Week from Sunday, Oct. 3, to Saturday, Oct. 9.

"4-H Online" is the theme of the 2004 National 4-H Week. The 4-H youth development movement empowers youth to reach their full potential working and learning in partnership with caring adults.

Youth are powerful, energetic, committed members of society, whose strength as leaders is the core of the 4-H youth development movement. Youth have the power to contribute significantly to communities, to be equal and caring partners, to create positive change, and to imagine

new possibilities and directions. As young people learn, building their skills and knowledge, their power increases.

The 4-H youth development movement brings young people and their families together with volunteers, community members, and professionals in a powerful partnership through which all learn and grow.

400 4-H'ers, 30 4-H volunteer leaders, and 4-H staff from L.S.U. AgCenter's Cooperative Extension Service will commemorate National 4-H Week and celebrate the power of youth.

4-H youth development takes Land-Grant University knowledge and expertise to youth in urban, suburban, and rural communities across the nation. 4-H volunteer leaders and more than 3,500 professional educators encourage youth ages 9-19 to

Orientation set for Friday, Oct. 1

An orientation and registration for the Keep It Real after-school program is set for 5 - 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 1, at the Grand Lake Recreation Center.

Tiffany Barton, youth service director, said everyone needs to attend this meeting and that the registration fee is due on Oct. 1. Those who cannot attend should contact Ms. Barton at the Community Action office, 598-5158.

At the meeting, the curriculum will be discussed, as well as rules that parents and children need to sign, and questions will be answered.

Refreshments will be served.

Fall Festival to be held at Grand Lake

Grand Lake School announces its Fall Festival 2004 to be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 16, on the school grounds.

Activities will include cake walk, split-the-pot, a petting zoo and many games for small children. The back gym will be transformed into a New Orleans experience, including Jazz music, a French flea market and a French cafe with beignets and flavored coffees.

For sale will be sausage-on-a-stick, jambalaya, nachos, hamburgers and fries, and soft drinks.

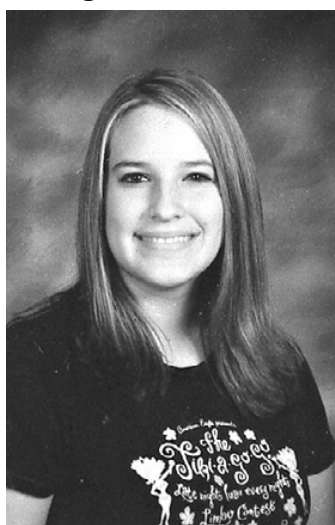
The festival is the school's annual fund raiser.

participate in a variety of activities from aerospace to zoology that emphasize 4-H's "learning by doing" philosophy. Hands-on projects range from citizenship to expressive arts, consumer science, environmental education, leadership, and technology as well as animal and plant sciences.

Keep the power of youth year round. Become a 4-H member or volunteer leader in Cameron Parish today. For more information, contact Penny Thibodeaux or Jake Fontenot, 4-H Agents with the LSU AgCenter at 775-5516.



4-H USA
Head. Heart. Hoops. Hustle.



Theresa L. Baccigalopi, a junior at South Cameron High School, was selected for membership in the National Society of High School Scholars. The Society selects students based on academic achievement. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Baccigalopi of Creole.

Lunch menus for week of September 30

Lunch menus for all Cameron Parish schools for the week beginning Sept. 30 are as follows:

Thursday, Sept. 30 - Oven fried chicken, seasoned rice, green beans, fruit cocktail, biscuits, milk.

Friday, Oct. 1 - Beef finger steaks, mashed potatoes, sweet peas, white sauce, orange wedges, sliced bread, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 5 - Pizza with ground beef, tossed salad, buttered corn, vanilla pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 6 - Beef vegetable soup, hash brown patty, chilled peach slices, brownies, crackers, catsup, milk.

Fur Festival accepting nominations

The Cameron Fur Festival is currently accepting Fur King Nominations. The Festival will be honoring the menhaden industry this year. All nominations from this industry will be greatly appreciated.

Please submit a short biography describing the nominees activities in the menhaden industry.

Mail all nominations to Fur King Nominations, P.O. Box 77, Creole, LA 70632.



CAMERON COMMUNICATIONS Representative Dennis Trahan is shown presenting a donation to Lori Broussard of the Cameron Council On Aging. This donation and others will help the Sr. Olympians team from Cameron Parish to be able to compete in the senior games in Baton Rouge state olympics.

Check Out What's New At Your Local Library!

CHECK IT OUT!

LOUISIANA'S LIBRARIES

have more than just books on shelves. The State Library of Louisiana and local public libraries now offer Internet access and FREE interlibrary loan service. Check out just about any book or find information about any topic through the library's special on-line access. Louisiana's libraries aren't like they used to be. If you want to learn more about the Internet, stop by or call your local public library.

OFFICE OF STATE LIBRARY
760 North Third St.
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

STEEL ROOFING & SIDING

GALVALUME - GALVANIZED - PAINTED

From **\$9⁹⁵** PER SQ.

MANUFACTURED TO DESIRED LENGTHS

GOLDIN INDUSTRIES, INC.

Since 1942

GULFPORT, MS 1-800-777-6216

ROLL UP & SLIDING DOOR SYSTEMS

CUSTOM DESIGNED TRIM • STEEL PURLINS

ACCESSORIES • INSULATION

30th Anniversary

1974 2004

the **King** and the **Queen**
invite you to join them at the

Texas Renaissance Festival

Saturdays and Sundays
October 2nd - November 14th

Adventure

Merriment

Romance

Discount Tickets Available by:

Phone 800-458-5455	Mail 21778 FM 1774 Plantersville, Texas 77563	Online www.texasrenfest.com
-----------------------	---	--------------------------------

FREE CHECKING FREE GIFT

Win this Harley®!

Polished Steel...Sparkling Chrome...Paint so deep you can get lost in it... Ever dream of owning a Harley? Now your dreams may come true. We're going hog wild at Cameron State Bank. **Don't wait! Come in, open a free checking account, get a free gift and register for this new 2004 Harley-Davidson® Heritage Softail Classic.**

CAMERON STATE BANK

MEMBER FDIC

Special thanks to Harley-Davidson of Lake Charles for all their assistance. Harley-Davidson Motor Company is not endorsing, sponsoring, or otherwise affiliated with this promotion.



THE 2004-05 Junior Class officers were recently elected at Grand Lake High. The following were elected President Ashley Hunter; Vice-president Samantha Poole; Secretary Brittany Houston; and Treasurer Paige Fontenot.



THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS at Grand Lake High were elected sophomore class officers for the 2004-2005 school year. President Ross Conner; Vice-president Justin Howerton; Secretary Jordan Precht; and Treasurer Trey Duhon.



NEW FELLOWSHIP of Christian Students club officers for 2004-05; from left: Shelly Granger, Vice Pres.; Sara Taylor, President; Kirstyn Vincent, Secretary/Treasurer.

SCHS News

HOMECOMING NEWS

Homecoming Alumni Reception will be held on Oct. 15 in Tarpon Hall. Alumni from the years 1995, 1980 and 1955 will be honored with a reception and introduced on the football field before the game. The reception begins at 5:30 with the introduction of court and the alumni at 6:25.

The Class of 1995: Obra Baccigalopi, Paul Batts, Earl

Booth IV, Chasity Boudreaux, Edna Boudreaux, John Bourgeois, Jennifer Broadus, Chantel Broussard, Christy Bychurch, Clyde Doxey, Christopher Eakin, Shawna Felton, Tina Fountain, Margarita Gonzalez, Angela Guidry, Brian Hardie, Clair Hebert, Brandon Hess, LaTosha January, Ashleigh Jinks, Tonya Jones, Christie LaBove, Tara Kay LaBove,

Tanya LeBlanc, Lauri LeCompte, Christina McClelland, Andrea Miller, Johnny Miller, Ronald Nunez, Tawanna Nunez, Torrey Olivier, Austin Pearce, Michael Reichard, Tanya Reynolds, Melissa Richard, Scott Rogers, Bonnie Savoie, Christopher Savoie, Jendi Savoie, Charles Smith, Steven Sorrells, Nicole Sturlese, Anthony Swire, Jan Theriot, Allen Thibodeaux, Melissa Thibodeaux, Michelle Troclair, Jeff Wainwright, Jason Williamson, Candace Willis.

The Class of 1980: Hubie Aucoin, Jr. Joyce Baccigalopi, Cynthia Bertrand, Charla Jo Blake, Kevin Boudreaux, Lana Boudreaux, Leona Broussard, Patrick Brown, Diana Sue Canik, Neil Carter, Mary Clark,

Annie Conner Coleman, Milton Collins, Denise Livingston Conner, Elizabeth Conner, Gary Conner, LaDonna Conner, Albert John Crain, Charlotte Crochet, Peter Dahlen, David Doland, Jr., Barbara Dupont, Debbie Erwin, Charles Paul, Gregory Fawvor, Archie Felio, Matthew Fontenot, Shenah Fountain, Cynthia Gauthier, Paul Hebert,

Ethel January, Franklin Jones, Patricia Kelley, Belinda LaBove, Claire LaLande, Lawrence Landry, Jacquetta LaSalle, Eric LeBoeuf, Mona LeBoeuf, Ricky LeBoeuf, Theresa Ledano, Vevia LeDoux, Susan Liptak, Brent Little, Jamie Long, Thompson McCall,

Thomas McCall, Darryl McNeely, Lawrence Mhire, Todd Miller, Lisa Murphy, David Nunez, Patrick Nunez, Randy Nunez, Shanna Nunez, Rosalie Primeaux, Janice Pugh,

Karen Quinn, Debbie Racca, Kelley Dee Roberts, Charles Savoie, Daniel Savoie, Shane Savoie, Robert Savoie, Gladys Savoy, Patrick Smith, John Stephenson, Jr., Lori Stewart, Bertha Sturlese,

Timothy Taylor, Alice Theriot, Ann Theriot, Lewis Theriot, Donald Theriot, Jennifer Theriot, Nancy Theriot, Shane Theriot, George Tinsley, Gary Toothman, Alfred Trahan, Lori Trahan, Raiechilla Trahan, Richard Tull, Darla Vincent, Denton Vincent, Kevin Vinson, Rebecca Vinson, Rachel Watkins, Pamela Williams.

HOMECOMING GUMBO

Beta Club will host a gumbo dinner in the school cafeteria beginning at 5 till 8:30 p.m.

JR 4-H NEWS

Members are reminded to pay club dues of \$5 before the October club meeting.

SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

There is a campaign for items to be sent to our troops in Iraq. A donation box is set up in the school lobby. Students making donation need to sign their name to be placed on the card that will be sent to the troops along with the items.

Food items needed are

chips, cookies, candy, mints, powdered drinks (with sugar) instant coffee, canned snack pack, sugar cubes, sugar packets, crackers, tuna in a bag, canned chicken, pecan, sunflower seed, beef jerky, gum.

Other items needed chap stick, visine, disposable razors, soap, bug repellent, toilet paper, unused greeting cards, CD's, puzzle books, batteries, hankies, books, games, new or used sports equipment, Kleenex, water cooled neck ties, tiny pillows, neck pillows, pencils, pencil sharpeners, toiletries, stationary, mini calendars. These items will try to be sent to Cameron Parish Troops.

SOPHOMORE NEWS

Sophomores interested in the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Seminar need to contact Mr. Broussard.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Sept. 30 - JV Football Westlake (home)
Oct. 1 - Football Westlake (away)
Oct. 4 - No School - Professional Development Day
Oct. 5 Plan and Explorer Test
Oct. 7 - JV Football Lake Arthur (away)
Oct. 8 - Football St Edmund (away)
Oct. 13 - Jr. 4-H meeting
Oct. 14 - JV Football Merryville (away)
Oct. 15 - Homecoming, Merryville



Fighting for your rights



Call W. Thomas Barrett, III, Attorney at Law if you have experienced any of the following:

PERSONAL INJURY CASES

- AUTO ACCIDENTS
- WRONGFUL DEATH ACTIONS
- ADMIRALTY & OFFSHORE ACCIDENTS
- EXPLOSION & BURN VICTIMS
- WORKERS COMPENSATION

W. Thomas Barrett, III
Attorney at Law

128 Smith Circle • Cameron 337-775-7311
713 Kirby Street • Lake Charles 337-474-7311

★ DANCE ★
Mac's Shack - Creole
Saturday, Oct. 2 --
9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
~ Featuring Music By ~
L'il Alfred I.D. Required
Cover Charge

Make your mark, Support Our Schools

It's easy as one-two-three

1. Open a new checking account at Cameron State Bank
2. You'll get free checking and a free welcome gift
3. We'll donate \$5 to the school* of your choice

So stop by any of our 25 banking centers and while you're there don't forget to register for our Harley® giveaway!



Personal Banking At Its Best!

*Funds given to private and public schools in Calcasieu, Cameron and Allen Parishes



THE GRAND LAKE High School Cross Country team, coached by Ancil Delaney, is shown at their first meet held by Bell City at Iowa recently.

Tarpons to tackle Rams this Friday

By Chris Mueller
The undefeated and 8th ranked Tarpons will have a tough task ahead of them Friday night when they travel to Westlake to take on the class 3A Rams. The Rams were 6-4 last year and made the playoffs, losing in the bi-district round. They return nine starters from that squad. The Rams are currently 0-4 and are struggling this year. The Rams lost last week 58-32 to Patterson.

Westlake's potent offense led by quarterback Channing Kile, who has completed 61 of 110 passes for 851 yards, will face a Tarpon defense that is ranked #1 in district 5-1A. The Tarpon defense is holding teams to only 15 points per game and 194 yards per game.



THE GRAND LAKE Jr. High Cross Country team is shown above, from left: Trevor Russell, Sam Richard, Will Precht, and Jed Williams.



Tarpons remain unbeaten

By Chris Mueller
The 8th ranked 4-0 South Cameron Tarpons beat district rival Basile 17-14 in double overtime Friday in Creole.

In an extremely exciting game, the Tarpons William Mallet kicked a 27 yard field goal in the second overtime and then the defense held strong forcing Basile to try a 25 yard attempt of their own to keep the game alive. The kick missed giving the Tarpons a big win over previously undefeated Basile.

The big Tarpon defense recovered four Bearcat fumbles and one interception from a team that had not had one turnover this year.

South Cameron turned the ball over five times themselves, but was able to overcome that. The Tarpons scored first when quarterback Andre Savoie hit Justin Landry for an 86 yard scoring strike.

The Bearcats tied the score with a 60 yard drive in four plays with LeJune scoring from 16 yards out.

South Cameron's other TD came on an 11 play 67 yard drive capped by Dominique LeBlanc's 15 yard run. The Bearcats answered in the 3rd quarter when Dusty Fontenot ran it in from 2 yards out.

Road closed due to sewer leak repair

Starting Tuesday, Oct. 5, Cameron Wastewater will begin repairing a sewer leak on Dewey Street starting at 8 a.m.

Due to construction, one lane of the road will be closed with a bypass for light traffic only.

Officials of Cameron Water and Wastewater Dist. No. 1 apologize for any inconvenience and hope to have the line repaired quickly.

Hackberry News

By GRACE WELCH

FOR THE RECORD
Carly Fountain's parents are Curtis and Carol (Bobbie) Fountain not Carol and Bobby Fountain as listed.

93RD BIRTHDAY
Mrs. Helen Colligan will celebrate her 93rd birthday Tuesday, Oct. 5.

MOVING
Kathy Woodard and children Josh and Christy are moving back to Oklahoma. Kathy is an employee of Brown's Food Store.

BIRTHDAY WISHES
Leatha (Tut) Duhon of Inwood, N. J. will celebrate a birthday Oct. 2. She is in a nursing home there.

ST. PETER CHURCH NEWS
A Rosary will be held Saturday, Oct. 2 after the 4 p.m. Mass.
An open house for parents will be held Sunday, Oct. 10 at 9 a.m. in the CCD Department at St. Peter's Catholic Hall.

4-H NEWS
2004-05 OFFICERS
President - Kyle Fontenot.
Vice-President - Jason Ducoate.
Secretary - Keven Oregon.
Reporter - Carly Fountain.
Treasurer - Logan Boudreaux.
Sentinal - Nick Moore.
Parliamentarian - Allen Domingue.
1st. Vice-President - Caleb Hicks.
2nd Vice-President - Amanda Miller.
3rd Vice-President - Annie Alexandrea.
4th Vice-President - Steven Miller.

2004-05 RODEO OFFICERS
President - Cade Brown.
Vice-President - Nick Moore.
Secretary & Reporter - Amanda Miller.
Treasurer - Justin Hayes.
Sgr.-At-Arms - C. J. Swire.



The Cameron Pilot

Customer Services

Complete the appropriate section(s) below and mail entire coupon to: THE CAMERON PILOT, P.O. Box 995, DeQuincy, La. 70633-0995 Allow Two Weeks For Processing.

Change of Address?

If You're Planning A Move, Please Attach Your Newspaper Label Here, Then Print Your Name and Address In The Box Below. Send Early To Ensure

Easy Renewal

To Renew Your Current Subscription, Please Check The Appropriate Box Below, Then Print Your Name and Address In The Box Below.

- Cameron & Calcasieu Parish.....\$16.30
- Elsewhere In Louisiana & Texas.....\$17.64
- Elsewhere In The United States.....\$26.00

Want Advertising Info?

Please Check The Box Below and Print Your Name and Address In The Section Below.

- Yes. Please Send Me Advertising Rate Information.

Name and Address

Be Sure To Complete This Section In Addition To Any of The Sections You've Filled In Above.

From:
Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Don't Forget To Include Your Payment For Your Subscription.

Gift Idea

The Cameron Pilot Makes a Welcome Gift. And It's So Easy To Give. Simply Fill Out The Recipient's Name and Address Below, Then Print Your Name and Address In The Box Above. Rates same as in Easy Renewal.

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
(For More Than One Gift, Please Attach A Separate Sheet.)

PLACE ORDER NOW!

Homecoming

Friday, October 15

It's time to celebrate and congratulations are in order...Reserve your space now for the special someone you want to remember in this year's Homecoming Edition. Ad costs start at \$40.00 (example shown below) and must be in our office and paid for not later than **Thursday, Oct. 7 at 5 p.m.**

Ad including picture, information and payment may be mailed to P. O. Box 995, DeQuincy, La. 70633. If you need further information call 1-800-256-7323 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday or go by Clipper Office Supply in Cameron not later than **Thursday, Oct. 11.**

Congratulations.

Melissa LaLande

Senior
Homecoming Maid

WE ARE PROUD OF YOU
& WE LOVE YOU!!
Your Family



LOOK

We're adding new channels!



What are you waiting for?

Get It All!

Telephone
• Unlimited Local Service
• 4 Calling Features

DSL Internet
• Superfast Reliable Internet (up to 512K)
• Always-On Connections

Digital Television
• Up to 164 All-Digital Channels Including Music & Pay-Per-Views
• Interactive Program Guide
• On-Screen Caller ID

And Get It All With FREE Installation!*

*For a limited time only. Some restrictions and additional wiring charges may apply. Not available in all areas.

And you thought we were just your local telephone company!

1-800-737-3900

Cameron Communications

CLASSIFIEDS

REAL ESTATE
ERA MOFFETT Realty, Inc. 436-6639 ext. 261. Ask or Grace or 598-2573 (h) or 490-5140 (p). •Grand Lake - Restricted subdivision, 2000 sq. ft. minimum \$17,500. 9/30tfc.

WORK WANTED
4T'S LAWN Service, LLC. Free Estimates! Mowing, weed eating, pruning, David Trahan, owner. 542-4605. 7/29-10/28p.

RV SALES
CLEARANCE SALE! Only a few 2003's left. Check out our sales on 2004 models. Largest selection ever of Travel Trailers and 5th Wheels on sale. Also check out our motor homes and mini homes. Kite Bros. RV, Hwy 171 N, DeRidder, La. 1-800-456-2724. www.kitebros.com 6/3tfc.

GARAGE SALE
ESTATE SALE: Friday, Oct. 1 and Saturday, Oct. 2, 7 a.m. Large amount good clothes, New Tupperware, bed-dresser, and chest. Pictures, bedspreads, pillows, blankets, angels, rod angels, Christmas stuff, towels, pots. Jackie Bertrand house, West Creole Hwy., 1 mile from Sacred Heart Church in Creole. 794-6406. 9/30p.

FOR SALE
METAL OUTLET Metal Roofing ~ Carports ~ Metal Buildings ~ Patio Cover Kits ~ C's & Z's ~ Custom Trim ~ RV & Equipment Covers ~ Metal Doors ~ Windows. 337-625-2778. 2241 E. Napoleon, Sulphur. Open Mon.-Fri. 7 am-5 pm, Sat. 7 am-12 noon. ttc.

BIG CLEARANCE Sale, Sat., Oct. 9th, 7 a.m. til noon. All clothes 25¢ each. Faith Share Outreach, 1827 Hwy. 384, Grand Lake. Building with the red doors, east of Grand Lake School, Rain or shine. 9/30-10/7p.

FOR RENT
HOUSE FOR Rent: Fully furnished, by day or weekend, 112 N. Mhire Road, Grand Chenier, 337-775-5119. 7/1-9/30p.

ALTERNATOR REPAIR
NIX ALTERNATORS & Starters - Repairs and Rebuilt. Foreign, domestic, boats, auto, truck, industrial, tractors, lawn mowers and outboard motors. 1723 N. Hwy. 171, Lake Charles, La. 433-2813. 3/27-12/26p.

HELP WANTED
OMEGA PROTEIN. Our Cameron Plant is accepting applications for Laborers and Some Skilled Positions. We offer competitive wages, excellent benefits and a stable work environment. Sober, drug free applicants should apply in person or call 800-503-3987. 9/30c.

NOTICES
WEB SPACE Builder, Hackberry, La. Computer Repairs and Upgrades. New Computers Built to Customer Specifications. We sell computer parts and accessories. Used computers \$200 and up. We Design and Host Web Sites. References available. (337)762-3162. www.webspacebuilder.com 9/2-9, 22-10/6p.10/13f.

JOB OPENING for the Cameron Community Action Agency Keep It Real Program in Grand Lake. It needs to be a Young adult able to work with children 8 years and older. The hours are from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Monday thru Friday at the Grand Lake Recreation Center. Anyone interested or have any questions please contact: Tiffany Barton at 598-5158. Applications can be picked up at the Community Action Office Monday thru Friday 8 - 4. Applications need to be turned in before October 4, 2004, program starts October 5, 2004. 9/30c.

FREE
FREE GOLDEN Retrievers: Good home for my 2 pets, 4 yrs. old, Names Rusty, Male and Jessie, Female. Female Spaded. They would make good pets and would be great with kids. Please call 337-538-2173 or cell 337-405-8749 Rachel. 9/30-10/21

USED AUTOS
'96 CHEVY, Black and Silver, great shape. Asking \$3000. Call 542-4413, leave message. 9/30p.

CARD OF THANKS
THANK YOU Jesus, Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, St. Jude and St. John the Evangelist for prayers answered. M.L.

Cameron Parish Crime Log

This week's Crime Log will try to catch up on arrests from the past month. Here is a breakdown by categories.

Cameron Sheriff's Deputies have made several drug arrests. Three persons were arrested for possession of crack cocaine and marijuana with intent to distribute on Sept. 26. They are: Marquette Nicholson, 25, 369 Marshall St., Cameron; Eddie Peterson, 29, 618 W. Ave. D, Crowley; and Antoinette Burch, 18, 369 Marshall St., Cameron.

Other drug arrests in the past month were:

Aug. 19: Charles T. Estes, 32, 390 Lane Rd., Winnfield - Possession of marijuana, DWI, forgery, misrepresentation during booking
Aug. 20: Trisha D. Broussard, 33, 212 Lilian St., Cameron - Possession of marijuana and CDS Sch. II

Aug. 21: David A Hebert, Sr., 38, 1411 Carla St., Sulphur - Possession of marijuana
DWI arrests made during the month were:
Aug. 19: Marshall Marceaux, 20, 2438 Teal St., Holly Beach
Aug. 23: Wade Ronsonet, 52, 15233 Leon Rd., Abbeville
Aug. 26: Lamar R. Bestram, 47, 162 Moore Rd., Beaumont, Tex.
Aug. 27: Marchelle Thibeaux, 31, 207 Hebert Trailer Park, Lake Charles
Sept. 5: Derek P. Tuzain, 26, 6009 Lee Station Rd., New Iberia; Gary P. Miller, 49, 1650 Daigle Rd., Sulphur
Sept. 6: Neal P. Chiasson, 42, 103 Bloomfield Dr., Carencro; Jarred R. Cooley, 23, 355 Mermentau River Rd., Grand Chenier
Sept. 9: An H. Ho, 32, 9110 Mahoning Dr., Haughton
Sept. 16: Charles R. Primeaux, Jr., 36, 144 Dan St., Cameron
Sept. 18: Jerome A. Picou, 42, 287 Gayle St., Cameron; Randall C. Harrsh, 40, 5108 Gaston Ave., Dallas, Tex.
Sept. 22: Christopher J. Boudreaux, 19, 257 Bobbie's Lane, Cameron
Sept. 23: Luis G. Martinez, 22, 153 Lloyd St., Cameron
Sept. 25: Frank Rangel, 29, 9902 Cardinal Rean, Richmond, TX
Six people have been arrested for writing worthless checks:
Aug. 26: Christopher Ducote, 965 Main St.,

Hackberry
Aug. 28: Darla K. Ali, 40, 108 Rosalie, Cameron
Sept. 2: Kathy M. Kibodeaux, 35, 450 Alex Nelson Rd., Sulphur
Sept. 8: Michael W. Smith, Jr., 26, PO Box 1182 Cameron
Sept. 9: John D. Clark, 55, 365A Trosclair Rd., Creole
Sept. 22: Christopher J. Boudreaux, 19, 257 Bobbie's Lane, Cameron
Fugitive Warrants have been served on three people:
Aug. 30: Evan D. Brown, 41, Hicks Lane, Hackberry - Calcasieu
Aug. 27: Tessa Hernandez, 36, 134C Ada St., Cameron - New Mexico
Sept. 25: Sean H. Downing, 33, 300 Simion Blvd., Ocean Springs, Miss. - Mississippi (also charged with aggravated assault)
Various assault and battery charges include:
Aug. 25: Harold J. Guilbeau, 35, 5384 W. Creole Hwy., Cameron - Battery
Sept. 2: Jennifer L. Armentor, 29, 525 Little Chenier Rd., Creole - Battery
Albert J. Armentor, 43, 525 Little Chenier Rd., Creole - Battery
Sept. 4: Bryan A. Bowers, 37, 2534 S. Richfield, Rayne - Battery, Simple property damage
Sept. 5: Jackie L. Freeman, Sr., 24, Heron St., Cameron - Battery
Sept. 7: Jeremy DeBarge, 19, 120 Iris St., Cameron - Simple Battery
Sept. 14: Thomas Goodwin, Jr., 51, 121 Alvin Guidry, Hackberry - Battery
Sept. 16: Mary Z. Vincent, 43, 491 Little Chenier Rd., Creole - Simple Battery
Sept. 23: Christopher R. McGee, 22, 121 Alvin Lane, Cameron - Simple Battery
Sept. 27: Larry G. Barnett, 44, 260 Marshall St., Cameron - Aggravated assault, simple assault
Other arrests include:
Aug. 30: Lisa M. Davis, 21, 525 Invader St., Sulphur - Contributing to the delinquency of a minor
Sept. 8: Douglas W. Spicer, 42, 185 Channel Dr., Hackberry - 2 counts Theft of crab traps
Sept. 23: Toni Lynn Mhire, 34, 1B Olive Ln., Grand Chenier - Telephone harassment
Sept. 27: Ray P. McDaniel, 38, 112 Susan Rd., Cameron - Theft of Utilities

LEGAL NOTICE

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY AGENDA OCTOBER 4, 2004
1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Reading of Minutes
4. Proclamation - 4-H Week
5. Honoring of State 4-H Winners
6. Annual 4-H Report
7. Drilling and Pipeline Permits:
a. Colonial Pipeline Company - NW Corner, Section 32, T11S & T12S, R3W, (proposed repair of 13 anomaly (pipeline) sites on line 2), Cameron Parish, LA. (041001)
b. Colonial Pipeline Company - NW Corner, Section 34, T11S, R12W and Section 5, T11S, R10W, (proposed repair of 2 anomaly (pipeline) sites on line 2), Cameron Parish, LA. (041006)
c. Bison Oil & Gas - Grand Chenier, Section 17, T15S, R5W, M.O. Miller No. 1 Well, (proposed drillsite refurbishment & structures), Cameron Parish, LA. (041009)
d. ExxonMobil Production Co. - Sweetlake, Section 11, T12S, R7W, (proposed structures & pilings to enhance the flow of production through the Chalkley Commingly Facility), Cameron Parish, LA (041014)
e. Cameron LNG, LLC - Hackberry, Various Sections, Townships and Ranges, (proposed amended LNG Terminal and 36-inch Natural Gas Pipeline), Cameron Parish, LA. (020701)
8. Others Permits:
a. John A. Collingwood - Hackberry, Sections 1, 2, 11, & 12, T12S, R12W, (proposed maintenance dredging of an existing boat trail to access a hunting/fishing lease), Cameron Parish, LA. (041002)
b. Jeff Poe - Sweetlake, Sections 32 & 33, T12S, R7W and Sections 4 & 5, T13S, R7W, (proposed trenass maintenance), Cameron Parish, LA. (041003)
c. North American Land Company - Sweetlake, Section 25, T12S, R8W and Section 1, T13S, R8W, (proposed Marsh Restoration Project - Sweetlake/Willow Lake Area), Cameron Parish, LA. (041004)
d. Dept. of Natural Resources - Various Sections, T13S, R9W & R4W, (proposed underwater obstruction removal), Cameron Parish, LA. (041005)
e. Sewer District No. 10 - Holly Beach, Sections 10, 11, & 12, T15S, R11W, (proposed sewage treatment facility)
f. Roger Vincent - Little Chenier, Section 8, T14S, R6W, (proposed access trenass, boat-

shed, and turn around), Cameron Parish, LA. (041010)
g. Gravity Drainage District No. 4 - Oak Grove, Sections 29 & 30, T14S, R7W, (proposed maintenance of Lateral G), Cameron Parish, LA. (041011)
h. William Dore - Johnson Bayou, Section 35, T14S, R13W, (proposed dredging and filling inside a ring levee to remove contaminated material), Cameron Parish, LA. (041012)
i. Sammie Faulk - Rabbit Island, Sections 10 & 15, T14S, R10W, (proposed 4 - elevated observation platforms for blinds for the photography of birds), Cameron Parish, LA. (041013)
Lonnie Paul Raymond - Hackberry, Section 34, T12S, R10W, (proposed excavation & fill), Cameron Parish, LA. (041016)
k. Kelly Vigo - Grand Lake, Section 6, T12S, R8W, (proposed excavation & fill), Cameron Parish, LA. (041017)
9. Seismic Permits:
a. Gulfport Energy Co. - Hackberry, Section 26, T12S, R10W and Section 28, T12S, R9W, (proposed 3-D seismic reflection survey in Calcasieu Lake), Cameron Parish, LA. (041015)
10. Liquor Permit:
a. Barbara Kibodeaux - The Speckled Trout - Hackberry
11. Appointments:
a. Gravity Drainage Dist. #9 - Jerry Paul Constance
b. Fire Dist. #7 - Kyle Theriot - resigned - Carol Baccigalopi
c. Ambulance Dist. #2 - Vicky Monceaux
12. Advertise for Bids:
a. Self-contained Breathing Apparatus - Hackberry Fire
b. Van - Library
13. Acceptance of Bids:
a. Road Project No. 2004-05 - Road Improvements in the Cameron Area
14. Grievance Procedure under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973
15. Acceptance of Project - Road Improvements to Parish Road #4124 and Parish Road #417
16. Intention to Enlarge - Lower Cameron Hospital Service District
17. Resolution - Off-System Bridge Replacement Program
18. NACo Dues
19. Set November Meeting Date
20. Pay September 2004 Bills
21. Staff Report:
RUN: Sept. 30 (S 72)

Practical tips for car owners

(NAPSA)-No matter how advanced our vehicles are, they can't take care of themselves. Even with today's newest technology, basic automobile maintenance can help ensure your vehicle a long, healthy life.
"Today's drivers have the latest automotive advances at their fingertips, but even the most advanced technologies don't reduce the need for basic maintenance on your vehicle," said Bill Maxwell, senior engineering advisor, ExxonMobil Research and Engineering Company. "Simple tasks such as routinely checking and changing the oil, checking tire pressure, and changing your air filter can keep your vehicle performing at its best, and help protect and prolong its life."
As part of its 30th anniversary, Mobil 1, the world's leading synthetic motor oil, is providing drivers with 30 helpful car maintenance and driving tips.
- 30 Tips for Car Owners -
1. Read the manual-Take time to read your driver's manual and become familiar with the manufacturer's recommendations.
2. Check the battery-If a battery is older than four years, it may only work well in warm weather.
3. Don't get stranded-Always keep your cell phone charged and carry a set of jumper cables or portable power pack in case you are lost or stranded; however, you should not use your cell phone while driving.
4. Check your antifreeze-Check the antifreeze levels on a weekly basis. If the level drops regularly and there are no signs of an external leak, your engine has an internal leak that must be fixed to prevent major engine damage.
5. Save fuel-Avoid unnecessary abrupt braking and speed-ups as they can increase fuel economy by up to two miles per gallon.
6. Switch to synthetic oil-If you currently use conventional oil, switching to a synthetic oil like Mobil 1 will help your car operate more efficiently, help your engine to run cleaner and prevent harmful sludge build-up and deposits.
7. Let it idle-Allow your engine to idle for a few seconds before driving in cold weather to ensure proper engine oil flow

and lubrication.
8. Check the air pressure-Check and fill tires to manufacturer recommended pressure; low tire pressure increases wear and fuel consumption. If a tire loses pressure regularly, it probably has a puncture or defective valve, which must be fixed.
9. Check the tread-When tires become too worn or unevenly worn, it can signal a wheel alignment problem or worn front-end parts.
10. Flush brake fluid-The fluid in your car's brakes attracts and absorbs moisture, which can lead to corrosion of your braking system. Anti-lock systems are particularly sensitive to corrosion. It is good practice to have your brake fluid flushed and changed every couple of years.
11. Tune it-Get a full engine tune up according to your owner's manual.
12. Check coolant color-Check the color of your coolant. Discoloration means the inhibitor in your coolant is depleted and your engine and radiator are being corroded.
13. Unblock hoses-An overheated engine may be the result of a blocked or pinched hose. Inspect them at every oil change.
14. See clearly-Check your windshield wipers for cracks and tears and get them replaced annually.
15. Clean air filters-Check your air filter system every other oil change to ensure there are no leaks or damage.
16. Inspect belts-Get it done with your oil change, because damaged belts can cause poor engine performance or failure.
17. Realign suspension-A suspension that is not aligned properly can wear out new tires after only a few thousand miles.
18. Look at lights-Make sure your lights are clean and working, and keep some spare bulbs and fuses in the glove compartment.
19. Maintain power steering-Check the fluid once a month and, if it's low, look for leaks in hoses.
20. Fix the brakes-Don't postpone needed brake work, it's dangerous and can end up costing more to overhaul the entire brake system.
21. Fix a flat-Always carry a

tire repair kit with you to temporarily seal a flat tire so you can get to the closest repair facility.
22. Test shock absorbers-Check for working shocks by bouncing the vehicle up and down and stepping away. If the vehicle doesn't stop bouncing your shocks could be worn or you may have a leak.
23. Lighten the load-Store only necessary items in the trunk to save on fuel.
24. Replace oil filter-Get it done every time you change your oil.
25. Wax it-Giving your vehicle a good wax job on a regular basis can protect your car's paint from pollution and rust.
26. Check spark plugs-Worn spark plugs waste fuel and increase exhaust emissions, so get them checked and replace them when needed.
27. Keep cool-Check your car's air conditioning system every spring.
28. Monitor the catalytic converter-If you hear a whistling sound or smell rotten eggs upon shutdown, your exhaust catalyst may be plugged. Driving with a plugged catalyst will hurt fuel economy, cause excessive oil consumption and harm the engine.
29. Check your transmission fluid-Check your transmission fluid monthly, following instructions in your owner's manual. Top-up as required.
30. Maintain the speed limit-Your life and the lives of others on the road are worth it.

CAMERON FOOD MART
Community Coffee.....Lb. \$3.59
Foremost Milk.....Gal. \$2.79
Grade A Large Eggs.....Doz. 79¢
Coke, Dr. Pepper, or Sprite
Reg. or Diet.....12/12 Oz. \$3.45
.....3 Liter Bottle \$1.69
Budweiser or Bud Light.....12/10 Oz. \$7.39
Miller Light.....12/10 Oz. \$7.39
Patio Burritos, All Flavors.....5 Oz. 3/\$1.00
Yoplait Yogurts All Flavors.....2/\$1.00
Kraft Sandwich Spread.....16 Oz. 99¢
Parade Tomato Sauce.....8 Oz. Can 5/\$1.00
Rotel Tomatoes w/Green Chilies
All Cuts.....10 Oz. 79¢
Ranch Style Beans.....15 Oz. 2/89¢
DelMonte Corn, Green Beans, Sweet Peas, Mix. Veg., Carrots, Spinach or Potatoes.....14 Oz. 2/\$1.00
Libbys Vienna Sausage.....5 Oz. 2/79¢
Parade L. G. Rice.....4 Lb. \$1.29
Cinnamon Toast Crunch
Cereal (Pp 2.49).....2/\$4.00
Crisco Vegetable or Puratin Oil.....48 Oz. \$1.99
Purex Liquid Detergent.....Gal. \$2.99
Sparkle Paper Towels.....Lg. Roll 69¢
Parade Charcoal.....10 Lb. Bag 2/\$5.00
Lean Ground Meat.....Lb. \$1.69
Oscar Mayer Bun Length
Franks.....Lb. 2/\$3.00
Hillshire Smoked Sausage.....Lb. \$1.99
Split Pigs Feet.....Lb. 69¢
HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL YOUR SALTWATER FISHING SUPPLIES
VISIT OUR DELI FOR SHAKES, PO-BOYS, HOT DOGS, ETC.
Specials Good Sept. 30 - Oct. 6, 2004
Open: Mon. - Sat. - 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.
We Accept Food Stamps & WIC
476 Marshall St., Cameron
- NOW ACCEPTING MAJOR CREDIT CARDS -
775-5217

- JOB AD -
The Cameron Parish School Board is accepting applications for a Food Service Technician (7 hrs./day) at Johnson Bayou School. High School diploma is preferred.
To make application contact: Gene Reynolds, Principal Johnson Bayou School Phone: 337-569-2138
The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, October 1, 2004 at 2:00 p.m.
Run: Sept. 16, 23, 30 (S-45)

- NOTICE -
Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. 1 has declared an emergency on Dewey Street in Cameron, due to a broken sewer line that could affect the road.
RUN: Sept. 30 (S 62)

Thank You
Voters of Cameron Parish!
On behalf of the deputies and myself, I would like to thank each of you who took the time to go out and vote to renew our Law Enforcement taxes. These funds are absolutely necessary for us to continue to provide 24-hour patrol to protect our parishioners, businesses and properties. I am committed to providing you with the protection and service that you deserve. We will strive to improve our department and work diligently to keep our children off drugs and alcohol. Again, thank you for your support. Please contact me if you have any questions or problems.
Sincerely,

THEOS DUHON
Cameron Parish Sheriff and Ex-Officio Tax Collector

- JOB AD -
The Cameron Parish School Board is accepting applications for a Food Service Technician (7 hrs./day) at Hackberry School. High School diploma is preferred.
To make application contact: Austin LaBove, Principal Hackberry High School Phone: 337-762-3305.
The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, October 1, 2004 at 2:00 p.m.
Run: Sept. 16, 23, 30 (S-44)

- JOB AD -
Cameron Parish School Board is accepting applications for: Licensed Practical Nurse with current licensure for child specific duties during school hours at Grand Lake School.
Contact: Ms. Willyne Kestel, 337-775-5784, Ext. 15; Ms. Laurie Jones, 337-775-5784, Ext. 20 or Mr. Uland Guidry, 337-775-5784 Ext. 29.
The deadline for submitting applications is October 1, 2004 at 2:00 p.m.
"Equal Opportunity Employer"
RUN: Sept. 23, 30 (S-52)

LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE
THIRTY-EIGHT JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF CAMERON
STATE OF LOUISIANA
VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND
FINANCE, INC
VS. NO. 10-16772
CHARLES RAY SORRELLS, JR.
By virtue of a writ of FIERI
FACIAS issued to me directed by
the Honorable Court aforesaid, I
have seized and will offer for sale
at public auction to the last and
highest bidder WITH the benefit of
appraisal, at the Court House
door of this Parish of Cameron, on
Wednesday, OCTOBER 06, 2004 at
10:00 a.m. the following described
property to-wit:

2002 CMH STONEBRIAR
MOBILE HOME BEARING SERIAL
NUMBER CSS003661TX AB
IMMOBILIZED ON THE FOL-
LOWING DESCRIBED IMMOV-
ABLE PROPERTY: LOT 4 OF
RATCLIFF SUBDIVISION NO 1
IN THE WEST HALF OF LOT 3
OF THE JOHN M PESHOFF
SUBDIVISION IN FRACTIONAL
SECTIONS 12 AND 13, TOWN-
SHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 9
WEST, CAMERON PARISH LA,
AS PER PLAT OF SURVEY PRE-
PARED BY LONNIE G HARPER,
CE, DATED OCTOBER 13, 1978,
AND RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK
5 UNDER NO 160626, RECORDS
OF CAMERON PARISH LA, SUB-
JECT TO THE FOLLOWING
RESTRICTIVE COVENANT; THE
PREMISES AND PROPERTY
CONVEYED HEREIN SHALL BE
USED STRICTLY OTHER BUSI-
NESS ENTERPRISES BUILT OR
OPERATED THEREON, AND
FURTHER, THERE SHALL
SPECIFICALLY BE NO SALES
OF WHISKEY, BEER OR ANY
OTHER ALCOHOLIC BEVER-
AGES ON THE PROPERTY CON-
VEYED HEREIN.

seized under said writ.
Terms: CASH DAY OF SALE.
/s/Theos Duhon
Theos Duhon, Sheriff
CAMERON PARISH, LA
Sheriff's Office, Cameron La.
August 27, 2004.

KAREN TREVATHAN
RICHARDS
Attorneys for VANDERBILT
MORTGAGE AND FINANCE,
INC.

RUNS: Sept. 2 & Sept. 30 - S 13

ADVERTISEMENTS FOR BIDS
Sealed proposals for the con-
struction of the following project
will be received by the CAMERON
PARISH POLICE JURY of
Cameron, Louisiana until 1:30
p.m. on 4 October 2004 at the
Cameron Parish Police Jury
Annex, 110 Smith Circle, Post
Office Box 366, Cameron,
Louisiana 70631 (337-775-5718)

Project Number: 2004-05
Road Improvements in the
Cameron Area: Base
Construction & Asphaltic
Overlay.

The rules and regulations for
the State Licensing Board for con-
tractors will apply; this project
being classified as:
II. Highway and Bridge
Construction

3. Permanent or paved high-
ways or streets (Asphalt Hot Mix)
5. Permanent or paved high-
ways or streets (Concrete)
6. Permanent or paved high-
ways or streets (Soil Cement)

Proposal forms will not be
issued later than 24 hours prior
to the hour and date set for receiving
proposals. Contractors may submit
proposals on any contract for which
they hold valid Louisiana
Contractors classification. Every
bid submitted shall be accompa-
nyed by a certified check or bid
bond in the amount of 5% of the
bid and shall be made payable to
the CAMERON PARISH POLICE
JURY.

Full information and proposal
forms are available at the office of
Lonnie G. Harper & Associates,
Inc., Post Office Box 229, Grand
Chenier, Louisiana 70643-0229,
(337)538-2574. Plans and specifica-
tions may be inspected upon
deposit of \$50.00 per set. Bids
must be submitted on proposal
forms provided by the engineer.
Official action will be taken at
the regularly scheduled Cameron
Parish Police Jury meeting. The
CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY
reserves the right to reject any
or all the proposals.

Cameron Parish Police Jury
/s/Steve Trahan, President
RUNS: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30 - S 19

LEGAL NOTICE
This is to advise that the
Cameron Parish Police Jury meet-
ing in regular session convened on
the 7th day of September, 2004
accepted as complete and satisfac-
tory the work performed under
Fire Protection System
Improvements: Contract I Site
Work pursuant to the certain con-
tract between Roy Bailey
Construction, Inc., and said
Cameron Parish Police Jury under
File No. 285645, in the Book of
Mortgages, Cameron Parish,
Louisiana.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that any person or persons having
claims arising out of the furnishing
of labor, supplies, material, etc., in
the construction of the said work
should file said claim with the
Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish,
Louisiana on or before forty-five
(45) days after the first publica-
tion hereof, all in the manner and
form as prescribed by law. After
the elapse of said time, the
Cameron Parish Police Jury will
pay all sums due in the absence
of any such claims or liens.

BY: Steve Trahan, President
RUN: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14,
21 (S 33)

LEGAL NOTICE
This is to advise that the
Cameron Parish Police Jury meet-
ing in regular session convened on
the 7th day of September, 2004
accepted as complete and satisfac-
tory the work performed under
Fire Protection System
Improvements: Contract IV

Elevated Storage Tank pursuant to
the certain contract between
Phoenix Fabricators and Erectors,
Inc., and said Cameron Parish
Police Jury under File No. 285380,
in the Book of Mortgages, Cameron
Parish, Louisiana.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that any person or persons having
claims arising out of the furnishing
of labor, supplies, material, etc., in
the construction of the said work
should file said claim with the
Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish,
Louisiana on or before forty-five
(45) days after the first publica-
tion hereof, all in the manner and
form as prescribed by law. After
the elapse of said time, the
Cameron Parish Police Jury will
pay all sums due in the absence
of any such claims or liens.

BY: Steve Trahan, President
RUN: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14,
21 (S 34)

LEGAL NOTICE
This is to advise that the
Cameron Parish Police Jury meet-
ing in regular session convened on
the 7th day of September, 2004
accepted as complete and satisfac-
tory the work performed under
Fire Protection System
Improvements: Contract IV

Elevated Storage Tank pursuant to
the certain contract between
Phoenix Fabricators and Erectors,
Inc., and said Cameron Parish
Police Jury under File No. 285380,
in the Book of Mortgages, Cameron
Parish, Louisiana.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that any person or persons having
claims arising out of the furnishing
of labor, supplies, material, etc., in
the construction of the said work
should file said claim with the
Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish,
Louisiana on or before forty-five
(45) days after the first publica-
tion hereof, all in the manner and
form as prescribed by law. After
the elapse of said time, the
Cameron Parish Police Jury will
pay all sums due in the absence
of any such claims or liens.

BY: Steve Trahan, President
RUN: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14,
21 (S 33)

premise. Ingress and egress is the
sole responsibility of lessee.

Bids will be received until the
hour of 4 p.m., October 11, 2004,
at which time all bids received will
be opened and considered in public
session of the Cameron Parish
School Board in Cameron,
Louisiana.

The Board reserves the right to
reject any and all bids received.

By: /s/ Douglas L. Chance
DOUGLAS L. CHANCE,
SUPERINTENDENT
CAMERON PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD
Run: Sept. 23, 30, & Oct. 7 (S 47)

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
THE TREASURY AND
LOUISIANA STATE
LEGISLATURE
NOTICE OF NAMES OF
PERSONS APPEARING TO BE
OWNERS OF ABANDONED OR
UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
In Cameron Parish

The names listed below have
been reported to the Louisiana
Department of the Treasury as
being persons possibly entitled to
unclaimed funds subject to the pro-
visions of LRS 9:151-181, Uniform
Unclaimed Property Act. "Citizens
can file a claim for their funds
online at www.latreasury.com or
byphone at 1-888-925-4127 (tol-
free nationwide)."

Most of these funds are cur-
rently in the custody of the
Louisiana Department of the
Treasury and will remain until
such time as a valid claim is made.
There is no expiration date for
making a claim; however, proof of
ownership must be submitted
before the funds are released. You
may expedite your claim by send-
ing a legible copy of your driver's
license and any other information
that will positively identify you as
the rightful owner of the property.

Information concerning the
description of the funds or com-
pany that remitted the funds may
be obtained by contacting the
Unclaimed Property Division at
1-888-925-4127 or 225-219-9400,
Monday through Friday, from 8:00
a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or by writing to
State Treasurer John Neely
Kennedy, Louisiana Department of
the Treasury, Unclaimed Property
Division, P. O. Box 91010, Baton
Rouge, LA 70821-9010.

The names reported are:

Atwell Richard A, Po Box 61,
Hackberry
Broussard Lelia R, General
Delivery, Creole
Browns Grocery, 620 Main St,
Hackberry
Camelot Specialty Hospita, 110
Volunteer Ln, Hackberry
Cameron Masonic Lodge, P O
Box 94, Cameron
Chairez Felipe J & Bert, 1216
E Madison St Ste A, Brownsville
Choate Tammie, Po Box 856
For Use And Benefit Of Minor,
Cameron
Conner Myrtle V, General
Delivery, Grand Chenier
Conner Vanessa, Po Box 1063,
Cameron
Connor Linus W, P O Box 247,
Creole

Daigle Felix J, J B Route #12c,
Cameron

Dejohnette Lo, Po Box 180,
Cameron

Derouen James, P O Box 724,
Cameron

Duhon Charles Steven, P O
Box 1166, Cameron

Ervelding Dwight, Hc 69 Box
187, Cameron

F & M Devall Ltd, P O Box 128,
Hackberry

Frank Durnell S, 111 Leblanc
Rd, Cameron

Galls Incorporated, P O Box
54658, Lexington

Garcia O Jr, P O Box 726,
Cameron

Gray Douglas, 1140 Gray Rd,
Hackberry

Integrated Asset Services, 194
Gallegos Ln, Hackberry

Johnson Jimmy N, 320 Main
St B, Hackberry

Kelley William, Grand
Chenier

Kyle Ernest E, 121 Jim Gray
Rd, Hackberry

Lobove Maria, P O Box 592,
Cameron

Lagneaux Aaron P, 2339 Gulf
Beach Hwy Holly Beach, Cameron

Landry Todd, Po Box 258,
Creole

Ledoux Keith, 1025 Main St,
Hackberry

Marie B Estate Of, 650 W Main
St 1541 Evonne Rd, Hackberry

Mathison Alvis, 479 Old Town
Road, Hackberry

May Leilani J, 141 Linda St,
Cameron

Mccall Carolyn, 4041 Grand
Chenier Hwy, Grand Chenier

Merit Industrial Co Structures
I, 1450 Black Lake Rd, Hackberry

Mhire Frederick L, 5511 Grand
Chenier Hwy, Grand Chenier

Miller Sheila, 216 W Miller Rd,
Grand Chenier

Montagne Lorena T, General
Delivery, Creole

Mudd Michelle T, 573 Marshall
Street, Cameron

Neely Amanda, 8509
Grandview Dr, Hackberry

Ollie Bernice, Po Box 324,
Cameron

Pate James Wilburn, 1017 St
Agnes Dr, Grand Chenier

Perrodin Clarence W, 245
Tibbs Lane, Hackberry

Reyes Oscar II, P O Box 166,
Cameron

Richard James G, P O Box 312,
Grand Chenier

Richard Jarrett, Po Box 299,
Creole

Richard Lancy, Po Box 299,
Creole

River Valley Svc, 1450 Black
Lake Rd Sp 8, Hackberry

Rogers Wanda Jean V, 265
Lewis Street, Brownsville

Saunier John Estate Of, 566
Lake Breeze, Hackberry

Stoute Rachel Rebekah, Rt 1
Box 63, Cameron

Trahan Marsha L, 6598 Gulf
Beach Hwy, Cameron

Venable Terri, Po Box 66,
Hackberry

West M C, 3575 Trosclair Rd,
Creole

Wicke Mayola, 370 East Creole
Hwy, Creole

Wright James B, 180 Ben
Wright Rd, Hackberry

Yerby Irvin M Sr, 112 Peshoff
St, Cameron

RUN: Sept. 30 (S 50)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Cameron Parish Coastal Use
Permit Application

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

C.U.P.#
L.C.U.P. #041010
Name of Applicant: Roger
Vincent, 203 Acomb, Lafayette, LA
70508.

Location of permit: Little
Chenier, Section 8, T14S, R6W,
Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Mr. Vincent
proposes to excavate 980 cubic
yards of native material to con-
struct a tress, boats shed and
turn around. Fill material from the
tress will be spread adjacent 1'
unsettled height and 35' to 40'
wide to allow for regrowth of natural
vegetation. The fill material from
the boatshed and turnaround will
be used to level and landscape back
side of ridge behind the house in a
non wetland area.

The decision on whether to
issue a permit will be based on an
evaluation of the probable impacts
of the proposed activity in accor-
dance with the state policies out-
lined in R.S. 49:213.2. The decision
will reflect in the national concern
for both protection and utilization
of important resources. The deci-
sion must be consistent with the
state program and approved local
programs for affected parishes and
must represent an appropriate bal-
ancing of social, environmental and
economic factors. All factors
which may be relevant to the pro-
posal will be considered; among
these are flood and storm hazards,
water quality, water supply, feasi-
ble alternative sites, drainage pat-
terns, historical sites, economics,
public and private benefits, coastal
water dependency, impacts on natu-
ral features, compatibility with the
natural and cultural setting and
the extent of long term benefits
or adverse impacts.

Certification that the proposed
activity will not violate applicable
water and air quality, laws, stan-
dards and regulations will be
required before a permit is issued.
Any person may request, in
writing, within the comment peri-
od specified in this notice, that a
public hearing be held to consider
this application. Request for public
hearings shall state, with particu-
larity, the reasons for holding a
public hearing.

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

Sincerely,
/s/ Myles Hebert
MYLES HEBERT,
Coastal Zone Administrator
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Sept. 30 - S 60

PUBLIC NOTICE

Cameron Parish Coastal Use
Permit Application

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

C.U.P.#P20041372
L.C.U.P. #041008
Name of Applicant: Cameron
Parish Sewer District No. 10, 2436
Mallard Street, Cameron, LA
70631.

Location of permit: Holly
Beach, Sections 10, 11, & 12, T15S,
R11W, Cameron Parish,
Louisiana.

Character of Work: Cameron
Parish Sewer District No. 10 pro-
poses to install a Sewage
Treatment Facility in the Holly
Beach area.

The decision on whether to
issue a permit will be based on an
evaluation of the probable impacts
of the proposed activity in accor-
dance with the state policies out-
lined in R.S. 49:213.2. The decision
will reflect in the national concern
for both protection and utilization
of important resources. The deci-
sion must be consistent with the
state program and approved local
programs for affected parishes and
must represent an appropriate bal-
ancing of social, environmental and
economic factors. All factors
which may be relevant to the pro-
posal will be considered; among
these are flood and storm hazards,
water quality, water supply, feasi-
ble alternative sites, drainage pat-
terns, historical sites, economics,
public and private benefits, coastal
water dependency, impacts on natu-
ral features, compatibility with the
natural and cultural setting and
the extent of long term benefits
or adverse impacts.

Certification that the proposed
activity will not violate applicable
water and air quality, laws, stan-
dards and regulations will be
required before a permit is issued.
Any person may request, in
writing, within the comment peri-
od specified in this notice, that a
public hearing be held to consider
this application. Request for public
hearings shall state, with particu-
larity, the reasons for holding a
public hearing.

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

Sincerely,
/s/ Myles Hebert
MYLES HEBERT,
Coastal Zone Administrator
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Sept. 30 - S 61

7178. Written comments should be
mailed within 25 days from the
date of this public notice to
Cameron Parish Police Jury,
Coastal Management Division,
Post Office Box 1280, Cameron,
Louisiana 70631.

Sincerely,
/s/ Myles Hebert
MYLES HEBERT,
Coastal Zone Administrator
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Sept. 30 - S 61

Cameron, Louisiana
September 13, 2004

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

On motion of Mr. McEvers, se-
conded by Mrs. Theriot, the
Committee approved the agenda.
On motion of Mr. Howerton,
seconded by Mr. Sanner, the
Committee approved the minutes
from the August 9, 2004 meeting as
printed.

On motion of Mr. McEvers, se-
conded by Mr. Trahan, the
Committee received a report on
insurance coverage for 2004-2005
fiscal year.
On motion of Mr. Trahan, se-
conded by Mrs. Abadie, the
Committee received a report on
considering a resolution authoriz-
ing the superintendent to sign the
required Louisiana Uninsured/Underinsured
Motorist
Form reflecting a selection of rejec-
tion of Uninsured/underinsured
motorist coverage.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, se-
conded by Mr. Sanner, the
Committee received a report on the
budget for 2004-2005 from Ms.
Margaret Jones.

On motion of Mr. Howerton,
seconded by Ms. Abadie, the
Committee approved the monthly
financial report and payment of
bills.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, se-
conded by Mr. Sanner, the
Committee adjourned.

APPROVED:
/s/ Clifton Morris
CLIFTON MORRIS, PRESIDENT
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL
BOARD

ATTEST:
/s/ Douglas L. Chance
DOUGLAS L. CHANCE,
SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL
BOARD

/s/Loston McEvers
LOSTON MCEVERS,
VICE PRESIDENT
CAMERON PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD

Cameron, Louisiana
September 13, 2004

The Cameron Parish School
Board met in regular session on
this date with the following mem-
bers present: Clifton Morris -
President, Loston McEvers, Dot
Theriot, Dwayne Sanner, Pat
Howerton, and Rachel Abadie.

Absent: Marvin Trahan.

The Superintendent added two
items to the agenda:

Item 6.5 - 4-H Students recog-
nized

Item 7 (A) - Grand Lake School
Field Trips

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

On motion of Mr. Howerton,
seconded by Mr. McEvers, the
Board approved the minutes from
the August 9, 2004 meeting as
printed.

Cameron Parish 4-H students
were presented awards and medals
that were earned during 4-H
University (formerly Short Course)
and Summer State Records.

On motion of Mr. McEvers, se-
conded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board
accepted the bid on the following
surface lease (16-14-6) and will
re-advertise on surface lease (16-14-
12) which did not receive a bid.
(Bid Tabulations Attached)

Lease which expired 7-31-04
No bid was received for 16-14-

12 Re-advertisement for October
11, 2004

Lease (not paid) with renewal
due 7-31-04

16-14-6 Bid received from
Walter Davies

On motion of Mr. McEvers, se-
conded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board
received a report from Mr. Gene
Reynolds, Principal of Johnson
Bayou School on 2004-2005 goals,
objectives and an overview of ac-
tivities for Johnson Bayou School.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, se-
conded by Mr. Sanner, the Board
approved two out of state field trips
for Grand Lake School. The 6th
grade class will be traveling to
NASA on September 30, 2004 and
the English class of Mr. Pat
Fletcher will be traveling to
Luther Theatre On November 18,
2004.

On motion of Mr. Howerton,
seconded by Mr. McEvers, the
Board approved the school board
meeting dates as the second
Monday of each month for the cal-
endar year of 2005 and also a
special meeting date in June, 2005.
(Calendar Attached)

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, se-
conded by Mr. Sanner, the Board
approved the 2005-2006 school cal-
endar as recommended by the
superintendent. (Calendar
Attached)

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, se-
conded by Mr. McEvers, the Board
approved the insurance coverage
for 2004-2005.

On motion of Mrs. Abadie, se-
conded by Mr. Sanner, the Board
authorized the superintendent to
sign the required Louisiana
Uninsured/Under-insured Motorist
form reflecting a selection of lower
limits of uninsured/underinsured
Motorist coverage than liability
coverage. This selection is applica-
ble to commercial automobile
insurance coverage for the period
9-17-2004 to 10-1-2005, as present-
ed. Rejection of the terrorism cov-
erage was included in the motion.

On motion of Mr. Howerton,
seconded by Mrs. Abadie, the
Board approved the adoption of the
2004-2005 budget.

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

report and the payment of bills
(from Finance Committee).

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, se-
conded by Mr. McEvers, the Board
approved personnel items:

Appointments:
Tila Stansel - Hackberry
School - LPN

Jenny Logan - Grand Lake
School - Lunchroom Technician,
effective September 1, 2004

Extended Medical Sick Leave:
Aimee Young - Grand Lake
School - six weeks ending
September 21, 2004

Penny Champion- Grand Lake
School - until released by physician
Resignations:

LEGAL NOTICES
Cont. from Page 7

C.U.P.# P20041292
L.C.U.P.# 040916
Name of Applicant: Jerry Romero, P. O. Box 1139, Onalaska, TX 77360.
Location of permit: Johnson Bayou, Section 35, T15S, R13W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.
Character of Work: Mr. Romero proposes to excavate 10,000 cubic yards of native material in the Ocean View Subdivision. The excavated material will be sold for commercial, industrial and residential use.

The decision on whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts of the proposed activity in accordance with the state policies outlined in R. S. 49:213.2. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent with the state program and approved local programs for affected parishes and must represent an appropriate balancing of social, environmental and economic factors. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered; among these are flood and storm hazards, water quality, water supply, feasible alternative sites, drainage patterns, historical sites, economics, public and private benefits, coastal water dependency, impacts on natural features, compatibility with the natural and cultural setting and the extent of long term benefits or adverse impacts.

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

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

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

Sincerely,
/s/ Myles Hebert
MYLES HEBERT,
Coastal Zone Administrator
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Sept. 30 - S 67

NOTICE

Proposed Constitutional Amendments to be voted on at the General/Presidential/Congressional Election November 2, 2004
CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.

Proposed Amendment No. 1
Regular Session, 2004
ACT No. 927

SENATE BILL NO. 2
BY SENATORS MCPHERSON, CAIN, B. GAUTREAUX, N. GAUTREAUX, MALONE, MICHOT, ROMERO, ELLINGTON, HOLLIS, MARIONNEAUX AND SMITH AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BROOME, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CURTIS, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, FUTRELL, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEBERT, HILL, HOPKINS, HUNTER, HUTTER, JEFFERSON, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MORRELL, MORRIS, MURRAY, PIERRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SHEPHERD, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAINE, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WOOTON AND WRIGHT
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article I, Section 27 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the declaration of rights; to preserve the freedom to hunt, fish, and trap, subject to regulation, restriction, or prohibition imposed pursuant to law; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of Louisiana, two-thirds of the members elected to each house concurring, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the state, for their approval or rejection in the manner provided by law, a proposal to add Article I, Section 27 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to read as follows:

§27. Freedom to Hunt, Fish and Trap

Article I, Section 27 is all new law.

Section 27. The freedom to hunt, fish, and trap wildlife, including all aquatic life, traditionally taken by hunters, trappers and anglers, is a valued natural heritage that shall be forever preserved for the people. Hunting, fishing and trapping shall be managed by law and regulation consistent with Article IX, Section I of the Constitution of Louisiana to protect, conserve and replenish the natural resources of the state. The provisions of this Section shall not alter the burden of proof requirements otherwise established by law for any challenge to a law or regulation pertaining to hunting, fishing or trapping the wildlife of the state, including all aquatic life. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to authorize the use of private property to hunt, fish, or trap without the consent of the owner of the property.

Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the election to be held on November 2, 2004.

Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used at said election there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors of the state shall be permitted to vote FOR or AGAINST, to amend the Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall read as follows: To guarantee the right of every citizen to hunt, fish and trap, subject to regulation, restriction, or prohibition as provided by law. (Adds Article I, Section 27)

A true copy:
W. Fox McKeithen
Secretary of State
Proposed Amendment No. 2
Regular Session, 2004
ACT No. 929

SENATE BILL NO. 806
(Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158 by Senator Dupre)

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS MCPHERSON, ROMERO AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, BURRELL, R. CARTER, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, GALLOWAY, GRAY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KENNEY, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, ODINET, PITRE, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCHNEIDER, SHEPHERD, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALKER, WOOTON AND WRIGHT

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Section 20(A) of Article VII of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the homestead exemption from ad valorem property taxes; to provide persons eligible for the homestead exemption and for the valuation of land which is the homestead; to provide for the homestead exemption for homesteads owned in indivision and for fields in which there is timber; to provide for the application of the exemption to the surviving spouse, testamentary or irrevocable trusts, usufructuaries, and to property occupied by a buyer under a bond for deed contract under certain conditions; to prohibit more than one exemption for any person; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of Louisiana, two-thirds of the members elected to each house concurring, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the state, for their approval or rejection in the manner provided by law, a proposal to amend Article VII, 14 Section 20(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to read as follows:

§20. Homestead Exemption Section 20(A) Homeowners.

(1) The bona fide homestead, consisting of a tract of land or two or more tracts of land even if the land is classified and assessed at use value pursuant to Article VII, Section 18(C) of this constitution, with a residence on one tract and a field with or without timber on it, pasture, or garden on the other tract or tracts, not exceeding one hundred sixty acres, buildings and appurtenances, whether rural or urban, owned and occupied by any person or persons owning the property in indivision, shall be exempt from state, parish, and special ad valorem taxes to the extent of seven thousand five hundred dollars of the assessed valuation. The same homestead exemption shall also fully apply to the primary residence, including a mobile home, which serves as a bona fide home and which is owned and occupied by any person or persons owning the property in indivision, regardless of whether the homeowner owns the land upon which the home or mobile home is sited; however, this homestead exemption shall not apply to the land upon which such primary residence is sited if the homeowner does not own the land.

(2) The homestead exemption shall extend and apply fully to the surviving spouse or a former spouse or minor children of a deceased owner and shall apply when the homestead is occupied ~~as such~~ by the surviving spouse or a former spouse and title to it is in either the husband or wife the name of (a) the surviving spouse as owner of any interest or either or both of the former spouses, (b) the surviving spouse as usufructuary, or (c) a testamentary trust established for the benefit of the surviving spouse and the descendants of the deceased spouse or surviving spouse, but not to more than one homestead owned by either the husband or wife, or both.

(3) The homestead exemption shall extend to property owned by an irrevocable trust when the principal beneficiary or beneficiaries of the trust are the settlor or settlors of the trust and were the immediate prior owners of the homestead, and the homestead is occupied as such by a principal beneficiary. The provisions of this Subparagraph shall apply only to property which qualified for the homestead exemption immediately prior to transfer, conveyance, or donation in trust, or which would have qualified for the homestead exemption if such property were not owned in trust.

(4) The homestead exemption shall extend to property where the usufruct of the property has been granted to no more than two usufructuaries who were the immediate prior owners of the homestead and the homestead is occupied as such by a usufructu-

ary. The provisions of this Subparagraph shall apply only to property which qualified for the homestead exemption immediately prior to the granting of such usufruct, or which would have qualified for the homestead exemption if such usufruct had not been granted.

(5) The homestead exemption shall extend only to a natural person or persons and to an irrevocable trust created by a natural person or persons, in which the beneficiaries of the trust are a natural person or persons provided that the provisions of this Paragraph are otherwise satisfied.

(6) Except as otherwise provided for in this Paragraph, the homestead exemption shall apply to property owned in indivision, but shall be limited to the pro rata ownership interest of that person or persons occupying the homestead.

(7) No homestead exemption shall be granted on bond for deed property. However, any homestead exemption granted prior to June 20, 2003 on any property occupied upon the effective date of this Paragraph by a buyer under a bond for deed contract shall remain valid as long as the circumstances giving rise to the exemption at the time the exemption was granted remain applicable.

(8) Notwithstanding any provision of this Paragraph to the contrary, in no event shall more than one homestead exemption extend or apply to any person in this state.

(9) This exemption shall not extend to municipal taxes. However, the exemptions shall apply (a) in Orleans Parish, to state, general city, school, levee, and levee district taxes and (b) to any municipal taxes levied for school purposes.

Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state at an election to be held on November 2, 2004.

Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used at the election there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors of the state shall be permitted to vote FOR or AGAINST, to amend the Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall read as follows: To provide that homestead exempt property is limited to property owned and occupied by the owners; to provide for land classified and assessed at use value; to provide that a field which qualifies for a homestead exemption may have timber on it; to prohibit granting the homestead exemption to bond for deed property unless granted before June 20, 2003; to explicitly prohibit more than one homestead exemption applying to any person; and to require the homestead exemption to extend to the following:

(1) The surviving spouse when the homestead is occupied by the surviving spouse and title to it is in the surviving spouse's name as owner of any interest or as usufructuary, or in the name of a testamentary trust established for the benefit of the surviving spouse or the descendants, or to the former spouse when the homestead is occupied by the former spouse and title to it is in the name of either or both of the former spouses.

(2) Property owned by an irrevocable trust when the principal beneficiary or beneficiaries are the settlor or settlors of the trust and were the immediate prior owners of the homestead, and the homestead is occupied as such by a principal beneficiary.

(3) Property where the usufruct has been granted to no more than two usufructuaries who occupy the homestead and who were the immediate prior owners of the homestead.

(4) A natural person or persons and to an irrevocable trust created by a natural person or persons in which the beneficiaries of the trust are a natural person or persons if the criteria above is otherwise satisfied.

(5) Property owned, limited to the pro rata ownership interest of the person occupying the homestead unless provided otherwise above. (Amends Article VII, Section 20(A))

A true copy:
W. Fox McKeithen
Secretary of State
Proposed Amendment No. 3
Regular Session, 2004
ACT No. 930

HOUSE BILL NO. 261
BY REPRESENTATIVES FUTRELL, ARNOLD, BRUNEAU, GALLOWAY, JEFFERSON, LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, PITRE, AND SMILEY AND SENATOR DARDENNE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article X, Sections 10(A)(2) and 48(A)(2) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the eligibility for preference points for veterans for civil service and state police service; to provide eligibility for veterans who served for a certain period of continuous service on active duty after a certain date and have served honorably in the armed forces of the United States; to provide for eligibility for preference points in the state police service for service during wars declared by congress; to provide that certain war periods and armed conflicts for eligibility for preference points for veterans for state police service shall be as provided by law; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of Louisiana, two-thirds of the members elected to each house concurring, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Louisiana, for their approval or rejection in the manner provided by law, a proposal to amend Article X, Sections 10(A)(2) and 48(A)(2) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to read as follows:

§10. Rules; Investigations; Wages and Hours Section 10(A) Rules

(2) Veterans. The state and city civil service departments shall accord a five-point preference in original appointment to each person who served honorably in the

armed forces of the United States during a war declared by the United States Congress; or in a peacetime campaign or expedition for which campaign badges are authorized; or for at least ninety days after September 11, 2001, for reasons other than training; or during war period dates or dates of armed conflicts as provided by state law enacted by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature. The state and city civil service departments shall accord a ten-point preference in original appointment to each honorably discharged veteran who served either in peace or in war and who has one or more disabilities recognized as service-connected by the Veterans Administration; to the spouse of each veteran whose physical condition precludes his or her appointment to a civil service job in his or her usual line of work; to the unmarried widow of each deceased veteran who served in a war period, as defined above, or in a peacetime campaign or expedition; or to the unmarried widowed parent of any person who died in active wartime or peacetime service or who suffered total and permanent disability in active wartime or peacetime service; or the divorced or separated parents of any person who died in wartime or peacetime service or who became totally and permanently disabled in wartime or peacetime service. However, only one ten-point preference shall be allowed in the original appointment to any person enumerated above. If the ten-point preference is not used by the veteran, either because of the veteran's physical or mental incapacity which precludes his appointment to a civil service job in his usual line of work or because of his death, the preference shall be available to his spouse, unmarried widow, or eligible parents as defined above, in the order specified. However, any such preference may be given only to a person who has attained at least the minimum score required on each test and who has received at least the minimum rating required for eligibility.

§48. Rules; Investigations; Wages and Hours Section 48(A) Rules.

(2) Veterans. The director shall accord a five-point preference in original appointment to each person honorably discharged, or discharged under honorable conditions from the armed forces of the United States who served in the Vietnam Era from July 1, 1958 through May 7, 1975, except the period of July 1, 1958 through August 4, 1964, shall apply only to those who served within the area known as the Vietnam Theater; or during a war declared by the United States Congress; or in a peacetime campaign or expedition for which campaign badges are authorized; or for at least ninety days after September 11, 2001, for reasons other than training; or during war period dates or dates of armed conflicts as provided by state law enacted by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature. The director shall accord a ten-point preference in original appointment to each honorably discharged veteran who served either in peace or in war and who has one or more disabilities recognized as service-connected by the Veterans Administration; to the spouse of each veteran whose physical condition precludes his or her appointment to the state police service; to the unmarried widow of each deceased veteran who served in a war period, as defined above, or in a peacetime campaign or expedition; or to the unmarried widowed parent of any person who died in active wartime or peacetime service or who suffered total and permanent disability in active wartime or peacetime service; or the divorced or separated parents of any person who died in wartime or peacetime service or who became totally and permanently disabled in wartime or peacetime service. However, only one ten-point preference shall be allowed in the original appointment to any person enumerated above. If the ten-point preference is not used by the veteran, either because of the veteran's physical or mental incapacity which precludes his appointment to the classified state police service or because of his death, the preference shall be available to his spouse, unmarried widow, or eligible parents as defined above, in the order specified. However, any such preference may be given only to a person who has attained at least the minimum score required on each test and who has received at least the minimum rating required for eligibility.

(2) The monies in the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund may be appropriated solely for the programs and purposes as required by the Department of Economic Development for assistance to Louisiana farmers and fishermen with support and expansion of their industries.

C. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to or affect funds allocated by Article VII, Section 4, Paragraphs (D) and (E).

Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state at the statewide election to be held on November 2, 2004.

Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used at the election there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors of the state shall be permitted to vote FOR or AGAINST, to amend the Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall read as follows: To authorize the legislature to provide by law for programs to assist Louisiana farmers and fishermen with support and expansion of their industries; to establish the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the sources of monies in the fund to be from the licensing of trademarks or labels for use in promoting Louisiana agricultural and seafood products, grants, gifts, and donations received by the state, any other revenues as provided for by law, and monies appropriated by the legislature to the fund; and to provide for sources of monies in the fund and use of monies appropriated from the fund for assistance to Louisiana farmers and fishermen. (Adds Article VII, Section 10.12)

A true copy:
W. Fox McKeithen
Secretary of State
RUN: Sept. 30 (68)

W. Fox McKeithen
Secretary of State
Proposed Amendment No. 4
Regular Session, 2004
ACT No. 928

SENATE BILL NO. 44
BY SENATORS NEVERS AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN AND MORRELL
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.12 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to providing funds for the support of Louisiana farmers and fishermen; to establish the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for sources of revenue, and for deposit and uses of monies in the fund; to authorize the legislature by law to provide for programs of assistance to Louisiana farmers and fishermen; to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition; and to provide for related matters.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of Louisiana, two-thirds of the members elected to each house concurring, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the state, for their approval or rejection in the manner provided by law, a proposal to add Article VII, Section 10.12 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to read as follows:

§10.12. Farmers and fishermen assistance programs; Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund

Article VII, Section 10.12 is all new law.

A. The legislature is authorized to provide by law for programs to assist Louisiana farmers and fishermen with support and expansion of their industries.

B. (1) The Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund is hereby established in the state treasury as a special fund, hereinafter referred to as the "fund". The source of monies in this fund shall be any monies received by the state from the licensing of trademarks or labels for use in promoting Louisiana agricultural and seafood products; grants, gifts, and donations received by the state for the purposes of this Section; any other revenues as may be provided by law; and other monies which may be appropriated by the legislature to the fund. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of this constitution relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited into the state treasury from the foregoing sources shall be deposited in and credited to the fund. Monies in the fund shall be subject to appropriation in accordance with Paragraph (2) of this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies remaining in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund.

(2) The monies in the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund may be appropriated solely for the programs and purposes as required by the Department of Economic Development for assistance to Louisiana farmers and fishermen with support and expansion of their industries.

C. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to or affect funds allocated by Article VII, Section 4, Paragraphs (D) and (E).

Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state at the statewide election to be held on November 2, 2004.

Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used at the election there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors of the state shall be permitted to vote FOR or AGAINST, to amend the Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall read as follows: To authorize the legislature to provide by law for programs to assist Louisiana farmers and fishermen with support and expansion of their industries; to establish the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the sources of monies in the fund to be from the licensing of trademarks or labels for use in promoting Louisiana agricultural and seafood products, grants, gifts, and donations received by the state, any other revenues as provided for by law, and monies appropriated by the legislature to the fund; and to provide for sources of monies in the fund and use of monies appropriated from the fund for assistance to Louisiana farmers and fishermen. (Adds Article VII, Section 10.12)

A true copy:
W. Fox McKeithen
Secretary of State
RUN: Sept. 30 (68)

Proposed Amendment No. 5
Regular Session, 2004
ACT No. 929

SENATE BILL NO. 806
(Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158 by Senator Dupre)

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE DOERGE AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS MCPHERSON, ROMERO AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BROOME, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, BURRELL, R. CARTER, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FLAVIN, FRITH, GALLOWAY, GRAY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KENNEY, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MONTGOMERY, MURRAY, ODINET, PITRE, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCHNEIDER, SHEPHERD, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALKER, WOOTON AND WRIGHT

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing to amend Section 20(A) of Article VII of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the homestead exemption from ad valorem property taxes; to provide persons eligible for the homestead exemption and for the valuation of land which is the homestead; to provide for the homestead exemption for homesteads owned in indivision and for fields in which there is timber; to provide for the application of the exemption to the surviving spouse, testamentary or irrevocable trusts, usufructuaries, and to property occupied by a buyer under a bond for deed contract under certain conditions; to prohibit more than one exemption for any person; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of Louisiana, two-thirds of the members elected to each house concurring, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the state, for their approval or rejection in the manner provided by law, a proposal to amend Article VII, 14 Section 20(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to read as follows:

§27. Freedom to Hunt, Fish and Trap

Article I, Section 27 is all new law.

Section 27. The freedom to hunt, fish, and trap wildlife, including all aquatic life, traditionally taken by hunters, trappers and anglers, is a valued natural heritage that shall be forever preserved for the people. Hunting, fishing and trapping shall be managed by law and regulation consistent with Article IX, Section I of the Constitution of Louisiana to protect, conserve and replenish the natural resources of the state. The provisions of this Section shall not alter the burden of proof requirements otherwise established by law for any challenge to a law or regulation pertaining to hunting, fishing or trapping the wildlife of the state, including all aquatic life. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to authorize the use of private property to hunt, fish, or trap without the consent of the owner of the property.

evaluation of the probable impacts of the proposed activity in accordance with the state policies outlined in R.S. 49:213.2. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent with the state program and approved local programs for affected parishes and must represent an appropriate balancing of social, environmental and economic factors. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered; among these are flood and storm hazards, water quality, water supply, feasible alternative sites, drainage patterns, historical sites, economics, public and private benefits, coastal water dependency, impacts on natural features, compatibility with the natural and cultural setting and the extent of long term benefits or adverse impacts.

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

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

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

Sincerely,
/s/ Myles Hebert
MYLES HEBERT,
Coastal Zone Administrator
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Sept. 30 - S 69

PUBLIC NOTICE

CAMERON PARISH COASTAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION

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

C.U.P.# L.C.U.P.# 041017
Name of Applicant: Kelly Vigo, 9501 Gulf Hwy. Lake Charles, LA 70607.

Location of permit: Gulf Hwy, Grand Lake, Section 6, T12S, R8W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Mr. Vigo proposes to excavate 22,000 cubic yards of native material. The excavated material will be used to construct a driveway to the back of this property and provide fill to the low lying areas at the front of his property.

The decision on whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts of the proposed activity in accordance with the state policies outlined in R.S. 49:213.2. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent with the state program and approved local programs for affected parishes and must represent an appropriate balancing of social, environmental and economic factors. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered; among these are flood and storm hazards, water quality, water supply, feasible alternative sites, drainage patterns, historical sites, economics, public and private benefits, coastal water dependency, impacts on natural features, compatibility with the natural and cultural setting and the extent of long term benefits or adverse impacts.

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

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

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

Sincerely,
/s/ Tammy Trahan
TAMMY TRAHAN,
Coastal Zone Secretary
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Sept. 30 - S 70

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

DATE OF NOTICE
SEPTEMBER 30, 2004

A public hearing will be held as follows:

Date: November 9th, 2004-- Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place of meeting: Grand Lake Recreation-108 Recreation Lane, Lake Charles, La. 70607.

This is to notify all interested parties that a public hearing will be held in order to

*Adopt the adjusted millage rate for the tax year 2004 and to:

*Adopt the adjusted millage rate after Reassessment and roll forward the millage to a rate not to exceed the prior year's maximum millage for the tax year 2004.

Questions concerning this matter may be addressed in writing to Kim Nunez 108 Recreation Ln. Lake Charles, La.

Attested by:
Lori Broussard,
Secretary-Treasurer
RUNS: Sept. 30 & Oct. 6 - S71



MEMBERS OF the FERC committee heard comments at Johnson's Bayou meeting last week about the proposed LNG plant. Most of the comments were favorable. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)

Authoress has family in J. Bayou

(From The Lake Charles American Press)

Every now and then you have to go home - find your family roots and take stock of your life and the direction it has taken.

Author Sarah Hanberry Baker is in town (Vinton) this week to do just that.

Baker grew up in New Orleans but was familiar with Vinton because her mother's family lived here. She also has family in Sulphur and Johnson Bayou.

After a year at Emory University in Atlanta, she dropped out and moved to Alaska where she enjoyed a taste of the state's pipeline days.

After a three-year hiatus she returned to the Lower 48 and earned a master's degree in civil engineering from the University of Texas.

That job meant traveling all over the United States, but she considers Alaska and Louisiana her home.

Baker has written numerous books, but two are flavored with the small-town Southern way of life.

Her book "Murder in Marshall's Bayou" is centered around life in Johnson Bayou. Its main character, Dassas Cormier, goes home to solve a murder.

She said her book "Emily, Again" is a love story loosely based on the feel of life in a small Southern town like Vinton.

A third book, "Just Kiss Me," transports the reader to the bayou to bask in tales of love in days gone by.

"Wild Montana Hearts" is a simple love story set against the backdrop of the magnificent mountains of Montana.

Baker's family home is on La. 3063 and up until several years ago it was occupied by her uncle, Bruce Broussard.

She remembers the oak trees and riding horses and coming into town to Lane's Drug Store to enjoy the ice cream and soda fountain.

Her work may be viewed at www.sarahstorme.com.

Her mother, Lydia Broussard, and stepfather, Leonard Koel, accompanied her to town from their home in Santa Fe, N. M., to take part in celebrating Lydia's 50th class reunion.

She was one of 28 graduates of the class of 1954.

Koel, also an author, has written three best-selling books on carpentry.



A BENEFIT was held Saturday, Sept. 11 for Cameron Parish Sheriff's Deputy Robert "Boogie" LaBove, who was seriously injured in a car accident while on duty last month. A large group of friends, assisted by the Ilders Show Cars and Trucks group, raised money to cover expenses while he recovers. Pictured are some of the organizers of the event:(front row, from left) Cherie Hardie, Kim Meaux, Deputy LaBove, Linda Conner; (back row) Kendra Gray, Karen Nunez, Virginia Benoit, Jimmy Rayburn, Ruth McDaniel, Carolyn Kiffe, Regina LaBove, Sabrina Conner, Trudy Broussard, Dawanna Nunez, Judy Trahan, and Brandie McDaniel. Not shown: cooks John Conner, Kenny McDaniel, Johnny McDaniel, and Charles McDaniel. Wesley Blanchard, Sr., President of the Ilders club, was the auctioneer. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)

It Seems Just Like Yesterday

By Keith Hambrick



(Lake Charles American Press, Sept. 30, 1930.)

HACKBERRY PARTY

A party was given Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanner in honor of Gladys Vincent's birthday. Dancing was enjoyed by the following guests: Evelyn Sanner, Ruby Landry, Aleen Portie, Catherine Vincent, Veria Fontenot, Leora Vincent, Doris Cobb, Gladys Vincent, Susie Laurie Duhon, Mary Duhon, Neva Sanner, Hursel Sanner, Clarence Duhon, Arnold Reyon, Harry Fontenot, Elmo Duhon, Eual Darbonne, Archie Hollister, Zephire Little, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ducote, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Sanner, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Duhon, Mrs. R. T. Sanner, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sanner and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sanner.

(DeQuincy News, Sept. 30, 1955.)

HACKBERRY ROAD JOB TO BE LET SOON

Bids will be received by the State Department of Highways at its Baton Rouge headquarters Oct. 12 for paving of State Route 27 from Hackberry to Holly Beach in Cameron Parish, board member Grant Hayes reported.

Plans for this project provide for 20-foot bituminous surface treatment on 17 miles of Route 27 to junction with the Hug-the-Coast Highway at Holly Beach. Included in the project are several concrete slab span bridges.

(Cameron Pilot, Sept. 30, 1971.)

HURRICANE DAMAGE TO CAMERON PARISH

Damages to Cameron Parish roads, channels and personal property from Hurricane Edith probably exceeded \$1 1/2 million, it was estimated this week by the parish police jury.

A federal disaster team was in the parish this week surveying the damage done by the storm and also inspected the area by air.

Three jury officials, W. F. Henry, Jr., president; Jerry Jones, secretary and Jennings Jones, legal advisor, met with Gov. John McKeithan Monday to discuss federal assistance for the parish and also to see if the flood insurance program can be modified so that it will not cost coastal residents so much.

Most of the damage in the parish from the storm was to roofs, trees and utility lines, although there were several trailer homes and businesses damaged.

EDITH CAUSES POOR TEAL SEASON HERE

By Elora Montie

Teal season ended Sunday, Sept. 26, and for many sportsmen it was one of the poorest in the past few years.

With all the water in the marshes left by Hurricane Edith, sportsmen found that the ducks had left for higher ground. Most of the hunters were local folks, with very few out of parish hunters.

The water is receding very slowly and some leases in the front marshes have water approximately three to four feet deep.

They hope by the time of the second hunting season, Nov. 11, that the water will have gone down some.

One reason for so much water in the front marsh was not only from rain but from the Gulf's high tides. This did damage not only to the hunting grounds but to fur bearing land also.

EMERGENCY FUNDS ASKED FOR FARMS

A decision to recommend that Cameron Parish be declared a disaster area and a request that emergency funds be made available through the REAP program for emer-

gency reconstruction of cattle walkways was made by the Cameron Parish Disaster Committee which met last week in the Cameron Courthouse.

Francis Klein, chairman, reported that the crop damage in the Klondike area was limited due to the fact that all of the rice in the community was harvested prior to Hurricane Edith. He stated that soy beans and grain sorghum will be damaged, but to what extent it is still unknown.

Charles Hackett, ASCS County Executive Director, reported that there are several fields of rice in the Sweetlake community that have not been harvested and are down on the ground. He also stated that with the continuous rainy weather that has followed Hurricane Edith, the farmers are experiencing difficulties in harvesting the remaining rice. It can be expected that the grade will be reduced by the weather damage. Also, some soybean and sorghum damage has been done in the Sweetlake area.

Clifford Myers, County Agent, and Terry Clement, Soil Conservation Service representative, both reported that severe damage had been done to the cattle walkways in lower Cameron Parish. The damage was done by the excessive rain, measuring around 12 inches, driven by the winds of 90 miles per hour and possibly higher.

STATE KC WINNERS

Larry Conner and Warren LaFleur, members of Creole K. of C. Council 3014, display their trophies won in the State K.C. Tennis and Golf tournament in Lafayette, Sept. 11-12.

Conner won 1st place in the tennis consolation bracket. LaFleur placed 3rd in the 8th flight of the golf tournament.

Others participating were Lester Richard, Jr., Tommy Theriot and Orrie Canik, who placed 3rd in the 15th flight.

ASCS COMMUNITIES COMBINED

A decision was made last week at a meeting of the Cameron ASCS County Committee to reduce the number of communities in the ASCS operation from five to three.

Francis Klein, chairman of the local agricultural agency, said this was done after the committee discussed the situation with T. H. McClelland, ASCS district director, who met with the committee.

The new communities will be:

No. 1 composed of Sweetlake and the Klondike-Lowery areas, composed of 150 farms. This includes the area north of the intercoastal canal and bordered on the west by the Calcasieu River.

No. 2 composed of the Cameron, Creole, Oak Grove and Grand Chenier areas, has 322 farms. The community includes all of the area south of the intercoastal canal and bordered on the west by the Calcasieu River.

No. 3 is composed of the Johnson Bayou and Hackberry areas with 100 farms, which is the whole western end of the parish west of the Calcasieu River.

Three community committeemen will be selected from each of these communities in the committee election. There will now be nine committeemen instead of the 15 as in the past.

Attending the meeting in addition to Klein were county committee members Joe G. Boudoin from Creole, Herman Precht from Sweetlake, McClelland from Crowley and Charles S. Hackett, Cameron-Calcasieu county executive director.

Lagniappe Two Retirement Home Living Notes



By GENEVA GRIFFITH

Poor Florida - I know those people there are wondering what they have done to deserve what all has happened to them this past month, to have four hurricanes to hit them in the past month, Charley, Francis, Ivan, and Jeanne. I can feel for them as hurricane season approaches each year, I get set to start worrying about what is to be, even though I feel safe here, one half of my family is still in Cameron Parish.

Since I have heard from many of you who tell me that they are interested in what we do here, I will tell you that I again won the "Blackout" game this week at bingo. I am now \$11.25 richer since I went Thursday night.

We had a spaghetti supper last night, cooked by one of our famous cooks who lives here at "Village Woods". Of course we had a full house there because cooking is not the main pastime for most of us.

We got bad news this week at our Bible Study class when we got the news that our leader, Kathryn Carpenter, has been declared legally blind. However she has accepted it and said that she

will be able to be eligible for many extra things from the government now.

I got a letter this week from Donna Labove with a box full of jewelry put out by the "Red Hatters" society. I can't wait to wear the pieces to our next outing. I have belonged to our group here at the village ever since I have been here. The purpose of the group is to just have fun and eat. That is all we do. We meet once a month and go out to eat somewhere that they are willing to give us separate checks. Of course most of us ask for "doggie bags" for what we have left on our plates, to enjoy at another time, such as supper. We also take trips and always wear our red hats which distinguishes us from everyone else. The society was started in 1997 on a lark by a woman in Houston, Tex. and now has over 22,000 chapters. All we do is have fun and wear our red hats to our outings. We all wear purple clothing and have to be over 50 years old. Our favorite poem goes like this:

When I am an old woman I shall wear purple with a red hat which doesn't suit me, and I shall spend my pension on brandy and summer gloves...etc.

Memorial books at library

New memorial books at the Cameron Parish Library are as follows:

South Living 2004 Garden Annual, Billie Mock by Shawnie, Jerrica and Garrett Mock;

The Complete Guide To Flooring, Robert Doxey by Wayne and Suzanne Sturlese; Woodworking Techniques & Projects, Robert Doxey by Joey and Belinda Dockins and family;

Field Guide To Seashore Creatures, Roland "T-Bolo" Trosclair by George and Willa Dean LeBoeuf;

Building Fine Furniture, Robert Doxey by Virginia Dupont;

Wood Finishing Fixes, Robert Doxey by George and Willa Dean LeBoeuf;

Saints & Angels, Robert Doxey by Gloria Kelley;

Last Juror, J. B. Jones, Jr. by Lee and Wanita Harrison, Dr. Gregory Harrison;

Welder's Handbook, J. D. Miller by Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Brasseaux;

Gifts Of Jimmy V, Robert Manuel by Bernice and Bobby LaLande.



Driving habits affect a vehicle's fuel consumption.

Memorial Mass to be held Oct. 3

Msgr. Cramers Assembly, Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, will sponsor a Memorial Mass Sunday, Oct. 3, for all United States Armed Forces personnel who have died in Afghanistan and Iraq.

The Mass will be celebrated in Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church in Lake Charles at 9 a.m.. The assembly's Color Corps will mount a guard of honor for members of the clergy and other dignitaries attending.

"Objective of the Fourth Degree is patriotism," said Faithful Navigator Jack White.

The Mass will also mark the assembly's observance of Columbus Day, the faithful navigator said, and a tribute will be paid to the courage and vision of the great Discoverer.

Members of Our Lady Queen of Heaven Council 4562 will also attend the Mass in conjunction with its Quarterly Communion.

Following the Mass the council will serve breakfast to both council and assembly members in the council home at 3828 Ernest Street.

Msgr. Cramers Assembly was organized in 1945 and is the largest Fourth Degree assembly in the Deep South with more than 300 members, including some in Cameron, Grand Chenier, Creole, Hackberry and Grand Lake.

West Nile virus still a danger

Two more chickens have tested positive for West Nile Virus in Cameron Parish. Mosquito Control was informed Sept. 29, that sentinel chickens on Little Chenier and Constance Beach had tested positive on Sept. 8 and Sept. 15, respectively.

West Nile Virus has previously been detected in birds and chickens in several other areas of the Parish this summer, so people need to take precautions.

Wear light colored clothing and avoid fragrant smelling colognes and perfumes. The type of mosquito most likely to transmit diseases is normally active after dark, so use repellents & space sprays if necessary. Empty all water holding containers around your property and try to keep low areas of yards and pastures drained so that mosquitoes cannot breed.

Mosquito Control will continue to spray all areas of the Parish on a rotating basis, at least once a week and more often in areas with either disease activity or higher numbers of mosquitoes. All roadside septic ditches are also being larvicided on a regular basis to try to prevent production of mosquitoes.

Hopefully cold weather will arrive soon to bring a halt to mosquito and mosquito borne virus activity.

Cameron Parish Mosquito Abatement District No. 1 was also one of the districts in the Parish that rolled back their taxes. Taxes were rolled back to 9.59 mills to obtain a revenue neutral position.

Give the Gift With a Future

Creating a New Century of Savings

U.S. SAVINGS BONDS

For complete information about U.S. Savings Bonds, visit our Web site at www.savingsbonds.gov.

A public service of this newspaper

Cameron Outdoors

By LOSTON MCEVERS



2004 COMING TO AN END

The 2004 year is slowly coming to an end with the last three months bringing lots of activity, both in hunting and fishing.

Anglers will see good speckle trout and redbellied fish during October, if we can dodge this active hurricane season. Gulf sturgeon migrate out of the rivers into the Gulf, speckle trout and redbellied fish move to upper estuaries, oysters begin to store glycogen and fatten as water temperatures become cooler, however, we'll see the red snapper recreational fishing come to an end Sunday, Oct. 24.

The hunters will also see a change, as white-fronted geese (speckle belly) begin to arrive in southwest Louisiana rice fields. Yellow rails arrive this month in southwestern fields and marshes, as well as woodcocks. There will be more flooding of rice fields, preparing for duck and goose season.

Neotropical birds move throughout the state and at this time, many of us are enjoying the humming bird stay. I have four feeders and there are humming birds all day feeding and in the evening we have as many as 30 or more feeding right on the patio next to our sitting area.

There's one red breasted that I call "Ivan" the irritator. He guards one of the feeders all for himself, but cheats and eats out of the other feeders. A sight to watch and enjoy!

There will be a number of hunting seasons opening during October, but the first split of dove, teal, gallinules, and marsh hen are over with, as well as alligator season. The Area 3 deer archery season is open, muzzleloaders will open Oct. 9-15, still hunt (guns) season opens Oct. 16. Cameron Parish will have 21 days of either-sex (doe) hunting, Oct. 16, 17, 23, 24, 30, 31, plus 13 days in November and two days in December. Rabbit and squirrel season opens Oct. 2 and the second split of dove season opens Oct. 9 statewide.

The National Wildlife Refuges in our area, Lacassine, Sabine and Cameron Prairie, will close to fishing on Oct. 15. We'll also see our time change this month, as Daylight Savings Time starts on Sunday, Oct. 31, which is also Halloween.

LEMESCHE BASS CLUB

The Lemesche Bass club will hold their final meeting for 2004 Wednesday, Oct. 6 at the K. C. Hall in Creole at 6 p.m. The official winners for the year will be announced.

HUNTING NEWS

The first weekend of teal season was very good for most hunters, but in lots of marshes, things slowed down quite a bit. We did have some of our area marshes with lots of teal, and they stayed until the end, but over all, there were many blinds after opening weekend that didn't see limits.

DUCK POINTS

Ducks Unlimited (DU) say duck numbers are down from last year, but populations of most species remain near or

Fresh Apple Pockets

(NAPSA)-It's a handheld world -handheld food processors, handheld TV sets and handheld digital organizers-so now may be the right time to create a handheld version of the classic American apple pie.

Known as Fresh Apple Pockets, this handheld version can be served warm or cool, on a crystal platter or even in a lunchbox. It's a fabulous way to offer the always-popular apple pie in a tasty, tidy square.

This treat has a tender, buttery crust and an aromatic apple-cinnamon filling. Top it with an egg wash and sugar-or invent your own variations with nuts in the filling or drizzled icing on top. The pockets are also delicious a la mode.

Baking tips and recipes for both the beginner and experienced baker are found at www.breadworld.com.

For information about apples, visit www.usapple.org.



Millers in the Civil War

(EDITOR'S NOTE--This is the final in a series of articles on the Miller family in Louisiana and tells of their service in the civil war. The material is from the book: "Jacob and Annie Marie Theigen Louisiana Families" to be released soon by Murphy Miller. Pre-publication orders for the 632 page two volume book may be sent to Murphy Miller, Jr. 10108 NW 171 Terrace, Alachua FL 32615. The price is \$65. Visit www.murphymllegalealogy.com for more details.

Civil War Veterans

Bonsall, Issac, father of Issac Bonsall, Jr., who married Uranie Miller. He was killed in action on April 8, 1864 at the Battle of Mansfield.

Boudin, Pierre Beloni, Co. E, Ragsdale's Battn., Tex. Cav. He is the fraternal grandfather of Clodia Boudoin who married Drozan Joseph Miller.

Broussard, Emile, Co. A, 8th La. Inf. Enlisted in La. He is the maternal grandfather of Clodia Boudoin who married Drozan Joseph Miller.

Broussard, Jr., Nicholas. He was the father of Nicholas Broussard, III who married Ursulia Miller in 1887, the last child born to Euphrosin Miller and Mary Celoma Bertrand.

Cormier, Joseph, Sr., Willers' Tex. Battn. He was the father-in-law of Victoria Miller, the fifth child of Euphrosin Miller and Mary Celoma Bertrand.

McCall, William Harrison. A Confederate soldier in Gen. Richard Taylor's army facing a Union invasion up the Red River, died of pneumonia somewhere near Mansfield, LA. Buried at Confederate Cemetery, Mansfield, LA. He is the great granduncle of Norman, Claude, Oma Roberta, Emma Armata and Henry Albert McCall, Jr., all children of Henry A. McCall and Mary Gladys Miller. Mary G. Miller is the daughter of Alcide Miller and Emma Nunez.

Marcantel, Dupre. Son of Antoine Marcantel and Marie Celeste Miller (Celestine), daughter of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Marcantel, Joseph. Son of Antoine Marcantel and Marie Celeste Miller (Celestine), daughter of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Marcantel, Maxile. Son of Antoine Marcantel and Marie Celeste Miller (Celestine), daughter of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Marcantel, Sr., Rosemond. Son of Zenon Marcantel, Sr. and Cidalise (Sidalise) Miller. She is the daughter of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer.

McCall, John Martin. He is the great granduncle of Oma Roberta McCall. She married Lee John Miller in 1946. Lee J. Miller served in the U.S. Navy during WWII.

Miller, Adolphe. Son of Jean Louis Miller and Marie Louise (Elise) Teller: grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Miller, Ageren. Pvt. Co. G, 1st La. Hvy. Arty. Killed at the Battle of Vicksburg, Mississippi. Probably brother of Edmond.

Miller, Andeol. He is the son of Jean Baptiste Miller and Celistine Roy and the grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Magdelaine Boutin.

Miller, Damon, Co. C. Ragsdale Bttn; 1st Texas Cavalry. He is the son of Jean Baptiste & Celeste Roy and the grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Magdelaine Boutin.

Miller, Dennis, Co. D; 7th La. Cavalry. He is son of Luffroy & Rebecca Hall and grandson of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer.

Miller, Duvrine, Co. G; 28th Infantry. He is the son of Jean Louis Miller, Jr. and Julie Bello and grandson of Jean Louis Miller and Marie Louise (Elise) Teller.

Miller, Edmond. Killed at the Battle of Vicksburg, Mississippi in November

and elastic, about 8 to 10 minutes. Cover; let rest 10 minutes.

Divide dough in half. Roll each to 10-inch square; cut into 4 (5-inch) squares. Place about 1/4 cup Apple Filling onto center of each. Bring corners up over filling; pinch together to seal. Place on greased large baking sheet. Cover; let rise in warm, draft-free place until doubled in size, about 1 hour.

Brush tops with Egg Glaze; sprinkle with sugar. Bake at

1862. Probably brother of Ageren.

Miller, Emile. Killed at the Battle of Vicksburg, Mississippi. Probably not the brother of Ageren and Edmond even though they had a bother named Emile.

Miller, Euphrosin. Son of Michel Miller and Hiacinthe LeJeune, grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer. Miller, Jacob. Pvt., Co. A, Miles Legion (32nd La. Infantry). He is the son of Jean Frederic Miller and Catherine Reed and the grandson of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer.

Miller, Gustave. He may be the son of Luffroy & Rebecca Hall and grandson of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer. Since he was born in 1851 he would have served at a very young age as this Gustave enlisted in October 1862. He went to Jackson, La. hospital 5-11-1863 and at a parole camp in Mississippi on 1-2-1864.

Miller, Jean Baptiste. Son of Jean Frederic Miller and Louise Fruge. Grandson of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer.

Miller, Jean Ursin. Co B, 17 La Inf, C.S.A. He is the son of Baptiste Ursin Miller and Louise Fruge and the grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Miller, Joseph Ozincoutt. Port Hudson Hospital Ledger reports leg amputated. Presumed he died near Port Hudson as he never returned home. Some believe he fought and died at Battle of Mansfield. He is the son of Jean Miller and Mary Magdelaine Boutin.

Miller, Leufroy, Co. B, 7th La. Cavalry. He is the son of Jean Frederic Miller and Louise Fruge and grandson of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer.

Miller, Jr., Michel. He died in 1864 on Bayou Bouef (near Morgan City) on his way home to Grand Chenier after serving in the Civil War. He is the son of Michel Miller and Hiacinthe LeJeune and the grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Miller, Philomen. He enlisted on October 27, 1861, New Orleans, La. in Co. B, 18 Louisiana Infantry Regiment. He is the son of Joachim Miller and Modesta Leger and the grandson of Frederic Miller and Victoria Mayer.

Miller, Pierre Valcour. Pvt. Co. G, 1st La. Hvy. Arty. (Regulars). Twin brother of Joseph Ozincoutt Miller. He is the son of Jean Miller and Marie Magdelaine Boutin.

Miller, Ursin. Served with Fournet's Battn. La. Inf. Enlisted in LA. Son of Michel Miller and Hiacinthe LeJeune, grandson of Jean Miller and Marie Francoise Mayer.

Miller, Valery. Co. D, Weatherly Battalion. Surrendered and discharged at Mansfield. He is the son of Jean Louis Miller, Jr. and Julie Bello and grandson of Jean Louis Miller and Marie Louise (Elise) Teller.

Montie, Valsaint. He served with Crescent Regt., La. Inf. He is the husband of Eugenie Miller, daughter of Michel Miller and Hiacinthe LeJeune.

Sturlese, Joseph Andre. The ancestor of many Miller's as his children were married to Ursele Miller, Eugene Miller, Mary Victoria Miller, Pierre, Valcour Miller, Jr., and Filona Miller.

Theriot, Jean Baptiste Villor. Pvt., La. Art. And Crescent Regt., La. Inf. He married Cleonise Richard. They are the parents of Albert Theriot who married Annociade Miller. Annociade Miller is the daughter of Civil War Veteran Pierre Valcour Miller and Emelia Broussard.

* The veteran information was obtained from The Civil War Veterans of Old Imperial Calcasieu Parish Louisiana, Compiled by Betty Tyler Rosteet & Sandra Fisher Miguez, Southwest Louisiana Genealogical Society, Inc., Library of Congress: 94-1245, 1994 and from personal research performed by Malcolm L. Miller, Murphy Miller, Jr. and others.

375° F for 20 to 25 minutes or until golden. Remove from pan; serve warm.

Apple Filling: In medium bowl, combine apples, sugar, flour and cinnamon. Toss to coat evenly. Set aside.

Egg Glaze: In a small bowl, combine egg and water. Stir to blend.

Nutrition Information Per Serving: Serving Size: one pocket; Serving Weight: 4.2 ounces (118 grams); Calories: 280; Total Fat: 8 g; Saturated Fat: 5 g; Cholesterol: 20 mg;

Don't let the flu sneak on you!

(NAPSA)-The Visiting Nurse Associations of America (VNAA), the nation's largest community providers of influenza vaccine, has joined leading health officials in urging all Americans aged 50 and older to get influenza vaccinations. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), adults 50 and older are at increased risk for developing influenza and related complications, including pneumonia. Nearly 90 percent of all influenza-related deaths occur among adults 50 and older.

Influenza, also known as "the flu," is responsible for more than 114,000 hospitalizations and 36,000 deaths annually in the U.S. Among people aged 65 and older, influenza is especially serious; the illness and its complications are ranked among the 10 leading causes of death for this population.

"If you are among the 47 million Americans aged 50 and older or suffer from an underlying medical condition, such as asthma or diabetes, protect yourself and get an influenza vaccination this year," says Carolyn Markey, R.N., VNAA president and chief executive officer. "So often, adults over 50 do not consider influenza a serious illness that can lead to hospitalization or even death."

In addition, it is common for adults aged 50 and older to help care for their young grandchildren who are at serious risk for contracting influenza. Recently, the CDC issued a new recommendation to vaccinate all household contacts and out-of-home caregivers of children less than 2 years of age, which can include grandparents and other family members who also may be at high risk for complications from influenza.

"Adults 50 and older may not realize the dual benefit of vaccination, which helps protect them from serious influenza-related illness and stops the spread of infection to others at high risk, such as infants and young children," says Markey. "It is important for those 50 and older to understand that an annual influenza vaccination is the best way to protect themselves and their family from this very serious disease."

Who is at High Risk?

The CDC recommends the following high-risk groups receive an annual influenza vaccination:

- Persons aged 50 years and older
- Residents of nursing homes and other long-term care facilities
- Persons with chronic medical conditions (e.g., asthma or diabetes)

Raisins add sweet nutrition

by Elizabeth Pivonka, Ph.D., R.D.,

(NAPSA)-When the kids come home from school, the first thing you hear is, "What's to eat?" You want to offer a snack that's quick and easy; one you and the kids will enjoy and one that's on the A-list for good nutrition. They're always available, great right out of the container and a wonderful sweet addition to a wide variety of recipes. Raisin-Apple Tortilla Roll-Ups are easy for kids to make and use ingredients you are likely to have on hand.

Raisins also have a healthful combination of nutrients like iron and potassium, along with fiber and antioxidants, making them a real winner for healthy snacking. Eating 5 to 9 servings of fruits and vegetables every day is good advice for people of all ages. With raisins it's easy, since just one-fourth cup equals one full serving of fruit. Just ...

R-reach for raisins as an afternoon energy boost,

A-add raisins to yogurt for a morning break,

I-include homemade oatmeal raisin cookies for lunch, S-stir raisins into tuna and chicken salad,

I-increase your fruit servings with a handful of raisins, and

N-never leave home without a handy box of raisins.

Sodium: 230 mg; Carbohydrates: 49 g; Dietary Fiber: 2 g; Sugars: 19 g; Protein: 4 g



The CDC recommends all Americans aged 50 and older receive an influenza vaccination this season.

- Children and adolescents receiving long-term aspirin therapy
- Women pregnant during influenza season
- Children aged 6 through 23 months
- All household contacts and out-of-home caregivers of children younger than 24 months (e.g., parents, grandparents, etc.)

Anyone who wishes to decrease his or her risk of influenza infection is also encouraged to seek annual vaccination.

What are Symptoms of Influenza?

Many people mistake a cold for influenza; however, influenza symptoms are more severe and last several days to weeks. Common symptoms include high fever, chills, dry cough, headache, runny nose, sore throat, extreme fatigue and muscle and joint pain.

About Influenza Vaccination

The injectable influenza vaccine is safe and effective. The most common side effect is soreness at the vaccination site that can last up to two days. Some people may have mild fever or feel tired for a day or two after being immunized. The injectable vaccine is made from killed strains of the viruses predicted to be the main causes of influenza in the coming season. Because the viruses are dead, it's impossible to get influenza from the injectable vaccine.

The nasal vaccine is a safe and effective alternative made from a live, "attenuated" influenza virus, and is only available for healthy children and adults 5 to 49 years of age. Ask your health care provider if this vaccine is appropriate for you and your family.

When Should You Get Vaccinated?

The best time to schedule an influenza immunization is in October or November to ensure protection before the season begins. However, it is not too late to be vaccinated in December or beyond because the influenza season often does not peak until January or later.



Raisin-Apple Tortilla Roll-Ups

4 6-inch flour or whole wheat tortillas

2 tablespoons low fat cream cheese

2 teaspoons honey

1/2 cup natural raisins

1 cup finely chopped or coarsely grated apple (about 1 medium apple)

1 teaspoon cinnamon sugar (1 teaspoon sugar with a pinch of cinnamon)

Combine cream cheese and honey in small bowl. Stir in raisins and apples. Divide raisin-apple mixture between 4 tortillas. Sprinkle with cinnamon sugar. Roll and place seam side down on microwave-safe plate. Heat each roll on half power for 1 minute or until warmed through. Makes 4 servings.

Nutritional information per serving: calories: 195, total fat: 4.5g, saturated fat: 0.9g, % calories from fat: 20%, % calories from saturated fat: 4%, protein: 4g, carbohydrates: 37g, cholesterol: 4mg, dietary fiber: 2g, sodium: 249mg.

For more recipes featuring natural California raisins and information to 5 A Day, go to www.sunmaid.com, www.5aday.org and www.aboutproduce.com