

**Creole Nature Trail - All American Road** 

# Creole Nature Trail recognized nationally toric, natural, recreational and

scenic qualities.

A panel of experts considered

the roads nominated for desig-

nation this year. Panel members

were chosen based on, among

other things, their experience

with these six qualities expected

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Road designation, a road must

possess multiple intrinsic quali-

ties that are nationally signifi-cant and have one-of-a-kind fea-

tures that do not exist else-

where. The road or highway

must also be considered a "desti-

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nized by travelers that they

would make a drive along the

highway a primary reason for

Congress in 1991 and adminis-

tered by the U.S. Department of

Highway Administration was

created to preserve and protect

the nation's scenic byways and,

at the same time, promote

tourism and economic develop-

Henning is

nominated

William L. "Dub" Henning, chairman of US Unwired Inc. in

Lake Charles, has been named

among the 20 finalists for the

title of Entrepreneur Of The

Louisiana/Mississippi region. The winner will be announced

Cameron Telephone Company,

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tomers in 67 markets in

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Tennessee, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York,

Pennsylvania and Vermont. It is

headquartered in Lake Charles.

its seventh year as a regional

sponsor of the Entrepreneur of

the Year competition, which hon-

ors outstanding founders, own-

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their trip.

Transportation's

To receive an All-American

The Creole Nature Trail, which circle through a large portion of Cameron Parish, has been designated an All American Road, placing it in the same class as the Natchez Trace Parkway the Big Sur Coast Highway in California and the Pacific Coast Scenic Byway in Oregon, has been named as one of the All-American Roads.

The announcement was made by U. S. Secretary of Transportation Norman Mineta last week and was detailed at a press conference held in Lake Charles Friday by the Cameron Parish Tourism Commission, the Southwest La. Convention & Visitors Bureau and the Creole Nature Trail National Scenic Byway district.

"America's Byways are roads to the heart and soul of said Secretary Mineta. "Byways help create a sense of pride in America. They connect us to this country's beauty, history and culture."

Under the National Scenic Byways Program, the U. S. Secretary of Transportation recognizes certain roads as National Scenic Byways or Allamerican Roads based on their archaeological, cultural, his-

# 2nd ethics ruling made

By SHAWN MARTIN American Press

For a second straight month, the state ethics board dealt with a Cameron Parish School Boardrelated issue.

Last month the board ruled that Cameron board member Dorothy Theriot can vote on issues dealing with the reopening of Grand Chenier Elementary School if she files a disclosure statement and that she may not ask that the matter be placed on the agenda or otherwise participate in the trans-

Theriot's husband, Freddie Theriot, is an heir who is requesting the return of the property where the school is located. Cameron Parish Superintendent Judith Jones requested the opinion to determine whether Dorothy Theriot's participation in matters dealing with the reopening of the school violate the ethics code since her husband is an heir.

After the May ruling, it was decided to ask for a second ruling after Theriot's husband divested himself of his economic interest in the land and building involving the school to his uncle.

The board concluded that if Theriot's husband no longer has an ownership interest in the property, she is free to participate in matters involving the school, ethics staff attorney Maris McCrory said.

Cameron Parish Assistant District Attorney Cecil R. Sanner asked for both opinions.

# Holly Beach man indicted

By SCOTT ROGERS American Press

Calcasieu parish grand jurors on Thursday indicted the man accused of kidnapping a 14year-old boy in April and raping

Scott P. Mueschke, 40, of 2435 Heron Road, Holly Beach, was indicted on forcible rape and second-degree kidnapping

Mueschke remains in jail in Cameron Parish, where he was first arrested on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a iuvenile.

During a hearing weeks after the arrest, Calcasieu Andree Sheriff's Deputy Daugereaux testified that the 14-year-old boy escaped from a mini-storage facility in Sulphur and sought assistance from the Sheriff's Office.

The boy said Mueschke, who is a family friend, invited him to

eat and go to a movie.
When the boy and Mueschke left, the defendant told the youth he would have to go to his house in Holly Beach to change

The rape occurred when the two reached Mueschke's home, Daugereaux said.

Mueschke then drove the boy back to Sulphur and took him to the mini-warehouse, where he forced the youth to perform sex

Mueschke then left the boy in the warehouse. The boy waited until Mueschke was gone, then ran out and sought help.

The kidnapping and rape allegedly occurred on April 7. Mueschke was arrested by Calcasieu Parish authorities the following day. He was later taken to Cameron Parish and booked into jail there on an outstanding warrant.



**Sherry Norfolk** 

# Storyteller to entertain

The library's Silly Chilly Summer is going to captivate your children this week. Sherry Norfolk will be the entertainer at the Cameron Parish Library's June 26th Summer Reading Program at 10 a.m. in Cameron and 2 p.m. at the Johnson Bayou Recreation Center.

Sherry has been a professional storyteller since 1981 and has performed around the world to elevate the understanding and acceptance of other cultures, teach universal values, and promote environmental

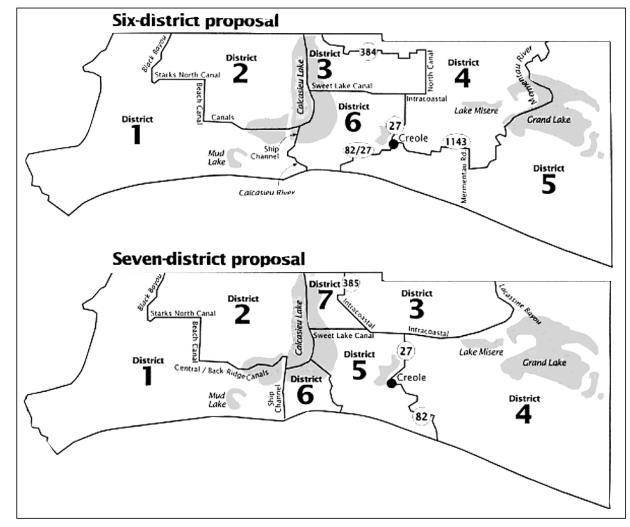
Cameron Parish Library's Summer Reading Program is supported by a grant from the Louisiana Division of the Arts, Office of Cultural Development, Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism in cooperation with the Louisiana State Arts Council as administered by the Arts & Humanities Council of SWLA.

#### FOR THE RECORD

In last week's issue of the Pilot, the information on the work at Constance Beach had the phases of work reversed.

Work on the rock barriers is nearly completed, which is the

The second phase is the pumping of sand onto the beach. Bids have been opened and a low bid noted but a contract has not as yet been let.



School Board redistricting plans

# School Board to hire expert

areas of the parish.

By GENEVA GRIFFITH

A special meeting of the Cameron Parish School Board was held Tuesday night before a packed audience of interested citizens to discuss the mandated reapportionment plan of the board which has been accepted by the Justice Department.

On hand for advice was Bob Hammond, a school board attorney and consultant who is an expert in policy and personnel, and Jennifer Jones, assistant district attorney for Cameron

At issue is the board's plan, which was in by the March 1 deadline and has the parish broken up into six areas.

Many said that it isn't a true voice for all the people, since those in one area do not know or

parish, the Grand Lake-Sweetlake area, is growing like

understand the needs of other

The northern part of the

wildfire, while the lower part of the parish, near the coast, is dwindling in population. The Johnson Bayou area is sparse in population but con-

tains 561 camps at Holly Beach, owned mostly by summer residents who pay utilities to the parish. The purpose of the meeting was to decide whether to keep

the present plan or to go with a plan that the police jury is looking at that has divided the parish into seven districts and adds another member.

Comments were heard from several local citizens, including

Dusty Sandifer, police juror, who

gave a synopsis of the plan the police jury has adopted, and Howard Romero, who urged the school board to have a plan that serves all the communities in Cameron, saying, "I would rather have a plan that works and have it challenged in court."

Pat Howerton, school board president, gave a history of the board's plan which was approved by the federal court but had additional wording that was not asked for.

After a lengthy discussion, the board voted 4 to 2 to rescind the plan and instructed Judy Jones, superintendent, to hire an expert to look at the plans, using federal and state guidelines, for a seven-member board and come up with a recommen-

## New terminal proposed for HB

Hackberry LNG The Terminal, L.L.C., has announced that it proposes to convert a liquefied petroleum gas terminal in Hackberry to an LNG import terminal which will include two unloading docks, three storage tanks, and equipment to vaporize the LNG to naturai gas.

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# Aging Council sets meeting

The Cameron Council on Aging will hold its annual meeting Tuesday, June 25 at 2 p.m. at the Cameron Senior Center, 723 Marshall street in Cameron. The meeting is open to the pub-

Anyone wishing to join the Council on Aging in the general membership, should contact the agency at 775-5668. Anyone wishing to be considered for board membership should also contact the Council at 775-5668.

Board membership consists of residents from all areas of the parish. Application forms are available at the Center. All applications must be submitted prior to June 10.

# Community meeting held Monday night

BY GENEVA GRIFFITH

Local citizens concerned over the reapportionment plan proposed for Creole, the plan that both the parish police jury and school board are mandated to put into place before their next elections, was discussed at a special meeting Monday night at the community center.

The two bodies have different plans, with the police jury deciding on a seventh juror and the school board proposing a sixth district plan.

The police jury will have to elect another board member, but they feel that this will give the areas better representation.

The new plan, adding one more member on the school board and police jury, calls for two representatives from Grand Lake and one each from Johnson Bayou, Creole-Oak Grove, Cameron, Chenier and Hackberry.

The police jury will have to elect another member, but this is necessary since the Sweet Lake - Grand Lake area, in the northern part of the parish, is growing so fast it was necessary.

Cameron Parish is unique in the state in that it is the largest in land area and the smallest in population, with only 991 people

registered to vote in the parish.

We do not want to lose our voice in the parish or community," Police Juror Dusty Sandifer said. "The people in the spread out communities do not know about the concerns in the other communities. We are willing to fight for our plan all the way to

the Supreme Court."
Howard Romero, a resident of Johnson Bayou, said, "Let's all stick together and back our school board in its decision and we must have a plan by the end of August.'

The added cost annually will be approximately \$7200 for another member.

Tina Horn, parish administrator, reminded the group that voting precincts can be split in the school board election, but the police jury has to use whole

Sandifer said that the police jury felt that with their plan every man will have an equal vote and be represented with the addition of one more man on

the police jury. He also said that the worst thing that could happen is if we are challenged to a court of law, but we are prepared because the police jury has been working on this plan for two years.

# JB grad is CenLa.'s Girls' Soccer Coach of Year



**Mendy Harrington** 



Mendy Harrington is a first year soccer coach at DeRidder High School in DeRidder and was voted Central Louisiana's Girls' Soccer Coach of the Year.

DeRidder High Girls' soccer team is only a third-year program and has never had a winning season. Their record for the 2001-02 year was 4-4-3 - 4 wins, 4 ties and 3 losses.

They won runner-up in Dist. 4-4A...second to Sam Houston... and made it to he first round of 4-A state playoffs for the first time in the school's history. There they played St. Thomas Moore, defending state

Mendy is a 1966 graduate of Johnson Bayou High School and is a 2001 graduate of McNeese University. She is the daughter of Jimmie and Judy Harrington, the granddaughter of Harry and Marie Harrington and Ruby Romero and the late Murphy Romero, all of Johnson

# Funerals

#### PERRIN J. ARCENEAUX

A memorial service for Perrin J. Arceneaux, 72, of Sweet Lake was held Friday, June 14, in Johnson Funeral Home. The Rev. Andrew Martin officiated. The body was cremated.

Mr. Arceneaux died Wednesday, June 12, 2002, in a Lake Charles hospital.

He was a native of Welsh and a longtime resident of Sweet Lake. He served in the Army in World War II and was a farmer and a cattleman.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Monceaux Arceneaux of Sweet Lake; two sons, Mark Arceneaux, Lake Charles and Tommy Arceneaux, Sweet Lake; one brother, James D. Arceneaux, San Antonio; four sisters, Louella Cox, Lafayette, Lydia Ardoin and Anna Whiddon, Welsh, and Alvina DeYeide, Houma; his mother, Ella Arceneaux, Welsh; and seven grandchildren.

#### FRANK DAVIS

Funeral services are pending for Frank Davis, 81, from St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in

Burial will be at St. Martin DePorres in Grand Chenier under direction of Combre Funeral Home of Lake Charles. He died June 14.

A native of Grand Chenier, Mr. Davis had lived in California 35 years.

He is survived by his wife, Loyce Davis of Lake Charles; two daughters, Lisa Davis Richard and Cathy Davis Pope of Los Angeles, Calif.; one son, Kenneth Gilbert Williams of Los Angeles; one brother, Vernon Davis of Pasadena, Calif.; and seven grandchildren.

#### JAMES E. FAWVOR

Funeral services for James E. "Jimbo" Fawvor, 66, of Grand Chenier were held Monday, June 17, from St. Eugene Catholic Church. The Rev. Joseph McGrath officiated. Burial was in St. Eugene Cemetery.

Mr. Fawvor died Saturday, June 15, 2002 in the local hospi-

He was a lifelong resident of Grand Chenier and he was an Army veteran. He worked as a diesel mechanic for Kerr-McGee. he was a member of St. Eugene Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Leola T. Fawvor of Grand Chenier; one son, Greg Fawvor, Grand Chenier; one daughter, Susie Wolf, Cameron; and one grandchild.

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# Do You Remember?

By Keith Hambrick

#### (Lake Charles American Press, June 21, 1939) CHANNEL DREDGING

Definite assurance that the direct channel allotment will be spent by the war department in a manner that will "provide the maximum benefits for the public" has been received by Rep. Rene L. DeRouen from Major General Julian L. Schley, chief of U. S. Army Engineers.

Cong. DeRouen, in a letter to Gen. Schley, pointed out that if the current appropriation, \$2,500,000 is applied on the dredging portion of the project, the channel can be opened to deep sea traffic at least a year earlier than under an alternative plan in which a major portion of the fund will be expended for the jetties.

Local port interests have long concentrated on completing the direct channel first and continuing with jetty construction later. It was explained that the channel, which has already been completed to Hackberry Point, can be dug to the mouth of the Calcasieu River for approximately \$1,500,000. The remainder can be used either to continue dredging into the Gulf to the 10-foot contour line or beyond, or could be used for jetty work.

#### CREOLE HD CLUB

Relishes and pickles were the subject of discussion and demonstration at the meeting of the Creole Home Demonstration

#### AUSTIN W. HEBERT

Funeral services for Austin W. "Foots" Hebert, 96, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 20, in Johnson Funeral Home in Lake Charles. The Rev. Charles Hebert will officiate.

Burial will be in Highland Memory Gardens.

Mr. Hebert died at 5:20 p.m. Monday, June 17, 2002, in a Lake Charles hospital.

He was a native of Sweetlake and had lived in Lake Charles for 84 years. He served in the National Guard for several years. He worked for Southern Bell Telephone for 46 years. He retired as a supervisor of vehicle maintenance.

He was a longtime harmonica player and entertainer at nursing homes and hospitals. He was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America and of First Baptist Church of Lake Charles.

Survivors include three sons, Richard A. Hebert and Robert C. Hebert, both of Westlake, and Donald D. Hebert of Lake Charles; two daughters, Joan Hebert of Lake Charles and Patricia Guillot of New Orleans; one brother, Charles Hebert of Jameron; iour sisters, winnie Moss of Lake Charles, Violet Mouton of Kinder, Genevieve Dade of Georgetown, Calif., and Bessie Mackey of Port Arthur, Texas; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchil-

#### RICHARD MILLS JR.

A private memorial service for Richard Mills Jr., 53, is to be held in South Carolina at a later date.

Mr. Mills died Wednesday, June 12, 2002, in the Cameron hospital.

Survivors include one son, Derek Mills of Colorado; one daughter, Shannon Shlagbaum, Lima, Ohio; one brother, Chris Mills, Florida; three sisters, Terri Carcelli, Las Vegas, Nancy Fullerton, Cincinnati and Liz Tatgenhorst, Columbia, S.C.; his companion, Sue Deshotels, Cameron; and three grandchildren.

club at the home of Mrs. Numa Broussard.

Miss Sophie Bernard, agent, was in charge of the demonstrations, which included sandwich spread, chili sauce, tomato catsup, sweet pickles, and chutney.

#### (Cameron Pilot, June 19, 1969) PARISH WINS SUIT

It's news when someone wins a suit against the federal government and that's just what Cameron Parish has done in winning a decision against the U. S. Dept. of Interior this past week

Federal Judge Edwin Hunter of Lake Charles ruled on June 13 that the Cameron Parish Police Jury was entitled to half of 25 percent of the net revenues from the Lacassine and Sabine National Wildlife Refuges in Cameron Parish to be used for road improvements in the parish.

The police jury expects to get a total of \$60,000 that has been held in escrow for the past two years while the matter was settled in court. The jury stands to receive about \$30,000 a year in the future.

In past years, the federal refuges have not paid parish taxes on income from oil and gas production and from trapping. In lieu of taxes, the Dept. of Interior has paid the parish 25 percent of the net revenues of the refuges to be used solely for "schools and roads."

# FIRE ANTS TO BE DISCUSSED

Imported fire ants, which have become a serious problem to Cameron Parish farmers and cattlemen in recent years, will be discussed at a public meeting at 1 p.m., Friday, June 20 at the Cameron Courthouse.

County Agent Clifford Myers said a representative of the fire ant division of the State Dept. of Agriculture will be here to outline a control program to interested persons.

He will discuss a proposed state-wide program that will be set up if an appropriation introduced in the current legislative session is approved. Rep. Conway LeBleu of Cameron introduced the measure.

In the meantime, Cameron Parish farmers are carrying out their own control program. Ant poison is available at cost from the State Dept. of Agriculture and may be ordered by farmers through Myers.

The county agent said a concerted effort is being made in the Grand Chenier area to con-



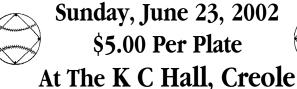
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#### ROUNDABOUT THE PARISH

Jim Young, Sweet Lake, grew an 11-pound, 12-ounce cabbage - after trimming - last March. He grew many this size.

Marie Johnson, Hackberry postmaster, was congratulated on her election as vice-president-at-large by Thomas Costlin, Jr., of Lynn, Mass., president of the National Association of Postmasters, and Homer Roak, West Monroe, president of the Louisiana chapter, at the state convention held in Baton Rouge.

in Baton Rouge.

New Bell--The Rev. F. J.

Hebert, pastor of the Sacred

Heart Catholic Church at

Creole, recently had a 70-yearold bell installed at the church.

Sally and Jenny Jones of Cameron, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jennings B. Jones, will leave New Orleans Saturday evening for a five-week tour of Europe.

Former students of Audrey Memorial School attending college summer school are: Misses Harriet and Theresa Washington, and Gilda Bargeman, Grambling College; and Misses Cherly LaSalle and Laura January and Mrs. Emily B. Frazier, McNeese.

### Benoit named All-American Scholar

The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Heather Benoit from Cameron has been named an All-American Scholar

All-American Scholar.

Heather, who attends
South Cameron High School,
will appear in the All-American
Scholar Yearbook, which is published nationally.

All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3 or higher GPA.

Heather is the daughter of George Benoit and Melissa Kiffe and granddaughter of George and Jackie LaBove and the late John Paul and Carman Benoit, all from Cameron.

A family barbecue was held Father's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Faulk. Those families attending the dinner included Mrs. Pennington, the Morgan Faulks, the John B. Demarests, the John Faulks, the Nelson Faulks, and Gibson "Punch" Faulk.





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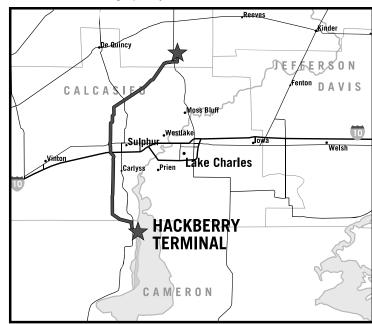
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Notice of proposed construction of liquefied natural gas (LNG) import terminal facilities near Hackberry, Louisiana and the

To help meet the growing demand for natural gas in the United States, Hackberry LNG Terminal, L.L.C, (Hackberry LNG) is proposing the conversion of a liquefied petroleum gas terminal in Hackberry, Louisiana, into an LNG import terminal. Once fully constructed, the new terminal will include two unloading docks, three storage tanks and associated equipment to vaporize the LNG to natural gas. The facility will be capable of delivering 1.5 billion cubic feet of natural gas per day.

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Should the route of the pipeline or any temporary work areas cross or need to be located on your property, a right-of-way agent acting on behalf of Hackberry LNG will contact you to negotiate and purchase the permanent and/or temporary easement rights on your property. Hackberry LNG desires to reach mutually acceptable terms relating to the acquisition of easement rights needed to install and operate the proposed pipeline. Landowners whose property may be directly affected by this pipeline have been identified by preliminary tax record research.

Landowners have certain legal rights under any eminent domain proceedings that effect property. Information entitled, "An Interstate Pipeline On My Land? What Do Need To Know?" is available on the FERC web site at www.ferc.fed us or you may direct questions relating to interstate pipeline facilities and FERC proceedings to FERC's Office of External Affairs at 202-208-1088 or by mail at 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426.

Hackberry LNG Terminal, L.L.C. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dynegy Midstream Services, L.P The principal office is located at 1000 Louisiana, Suite 5800, Houston, Texas 77002 On May 30, 2002, Hackberry LNG filed an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") under FERC Docket No. CP 02-374 for authorization to site, construct and operate LNG terminal facilities to be used for the importation of LNG and to construct and operate pipeline facilities to transport natural gas.

The Hackberry LNG Project is more fully described in Hackberry LNG's application to the FERC, which is available for review at the following locations: (1) Cameron Parish Library, 498 Marshall Street, Cameron, LA; (2) Calcasieu Parish Library, 301 West Claude, Lake Charles, LA; (3) Calcasieu Public Library (Sulphur Branch), 1160 Cypress Street, Sulphur, LA; and (4) Beauregard Parish Library, 205 South Washington Avenue, DeRidder, LA.

Hackberry LNG is committed to ensuring our neighbors are well informed about this project. A separate mailing describing the project will be made to affected landowners and governmental entities. To speak directly to a Hackberry LNG representative about landowner issues, please call Jane Ann Byroad at 1-877-439-6349, ext. 75049.



Mrs. Brent Saltzman

# Bellon - Saltzman were wed June 15 in Kinder

Loretta Anne Bellon and Brent Kevin Saltzman were married June 15, 2002 at 2 p.m. at the St. Philip Neri Catholic Church in Kinder. The Rev. Carlos Garcia officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bellon (Mary) of Kinder and Mr. and Mrs. Nolton Saltzman (Margaret) of Cameron.

Flower girl and ringbearer was Brittney LaPoint and Shaman Harris.

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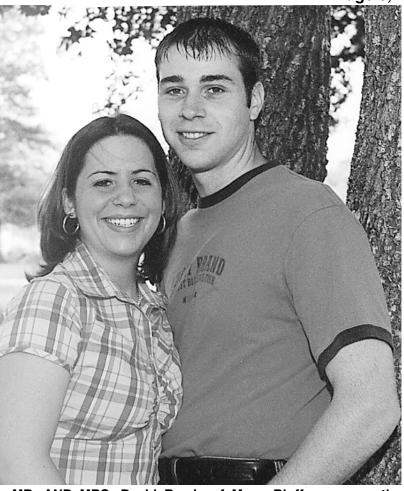
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MR. AND MRS. David Ramie of Moss Bluff announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sarah Leah, to Erik Keith Burleigh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burleigh of Cameron. The wedding is set for Saturday, July 13 at St. Theodore Catholic Church in Moss Bluff at 7 p.m. Through this means, friends and relatives are invited to attend.

# VBS at First

Children age 4 through just completed 6th grade will become Outfitters: "Amazon Expedition with the One True God" at the Vacation Bible School being held 6 - 8:30 p.m. June 24 - 28 at First Baptist Church of Cameron.

"Jammin' In the Jungle," a pre-registration and kickoff event, is set for Saturday, June 22, at 2 p.m.

Children will study the Bible, make crafts, play games, sing sons and learn about world missions, all in a setting resembling the Amazon rain forest.

On Friday night the children will present a program featuring music and authentic rain forest instruments.

For more information, contact Rev. Alton Hodnett at 775-

The bride is a graduate of Kinder High School. The groom attended South Cameron High School. The bride is employed by Xspedius and the groom is employed Refrigeration.

After a wedding trip to Mexico the couple is making their home in Kinder.



# **Bufford** named

Baptist Church Lindsey Diane Buttord of Hackberry was among 1,005 Lindsey Diane Bufford of students at Northwestern State University named to the Honor Roll for the spring 2002 semester. Students so named must have a grade point average between 3.0 and 3.49.

#### Bible School set at Oak Grove

Vacation Bible School will be held at the Oak Grove Baptist Church June 24-28 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. for youngsters 3-yearsold through the 6th grade.

Pre-registration will be held Saturday, June 22 from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

# Barbeque set

The Pecan Island Catholic Church is having a barbecue Sunday, July 7, and will be selling chicken and sausage barbecue plates.

Funds will be used for repairs on the church and hall.

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# Memorial books

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

The Carpenter's Cloth, Bryan Morales, by Hibernia Cameron Bank, National Branch employees

Home Medical Tests, Matilda Landry by Hibernia National, Cameron Branch employees

500 Terrific Ideas for Home Maintenance & Repairs, Joseph S. Theriot by Hibernia National Bank, Cameron Branch employ-

Ranchers, Homesteaders & Traders, James L. Derouen by

# Hackberry News

LEBLEU BABY

Ferral and Rachel LeBleu of Hackberry announce the birth of a daughter, Sadie Elizabeth, June 3, at Women's and Children's Hospital in Lake Charles.

She weighed 8 pounds 14 ounces.

Grandparents are Kenny and Lilly Mae Ducote of Geraldine Hackberry and LeBleu of Sulphur.

#### VENABLE BABY

Clyde Venable, Jr., and April Heiz announce the birth of a son, Joshua Allen, May 14 at Cal-Cam Hospital, Sulphur.

He weighed 8 pounds.

Mary Cockrell A Field Guide to Pigs, Bryan Morales by Gloria Kelley Labrador Retrievers for Dummies, Bryan Morales by

Peter Posada Green Places In Small Places, Jules Dronet by

American Legion Post #0176 The Official Government First Aid Manual, Jules Dronet by VFW Doxey-Vincent Post #10019

World Travel Guide, Albert

Guidry by Patty Cope The Joy of Ballooning, Bryan Morales by Patty Cope

Smart Guide to Sports Medicine, Bryan Morales by Cameron Elementary 4-H Club

# Nurses attend Calif. meeting

Several members of the Southwest Louisiana Chapter of the Assoc. of Peri-Operative Registered Nurses attended the group's national congress in Anaheim, Calif. recently. Included in the group was Jean Istre, daughter of Mrs. Grace Welch of Hackberry.

The local group was named Gold Chapter of the Year and presented several awards.

#### On Dean's List

Roxanne Nichole Trahan of Cameron has been named to the Dean's List for spring 2002 at Lamar University in Beaumont. She is a pre-nursing student.

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# LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No One, Cameron Parish, Louisiana. the governing authority of the District, on May 3, 2002, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held in Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. One, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, on Saturday, July 20, 2002, and that at said election there will be submitted to all registered voters of said Parish qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution and laws of the United States,  $_{
m the}$ following Proposition, to-wit: PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY FOR CAMERON PARISH WATER AND WASTEWATER DISTRICT NO. ONE, NEWLY CREATED BY COMBINING THE WATER AND SEWER DIS-TRICTS USING THE SAME BOUND-ARIES AS THE WATER DISTRICT, TO COLLECT, FOR 10 YEARS, A TAX OF NINE AND FORTY HUN-DREDTHS MILLS PER ANNUM FOR OPERATING AND MAINTAINING SAID DISTRICT'S WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEMS WITHIN AND FOR SAID DISTRICT. ALL CURRENT AND FUTURE FUNDS, REVENUE, AND AD VALOREM MAINTENANCE TAXES WILL BE COMBINED UNDER THE NEW NAME, CAMERON PARISH WATER AND WASTEWATER DISTRICT NO. ONE. ALL CURRENT AD VALOREM TAXES BEING COLLECTED WILL BE ABOLISHED.

Shall Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. One of the Parish of Cameron, newly created by combining the water and sewer districts using the same boundaries as the water districts, be authorized to levy a tax of nine and forty hundredths (9.40) mills on the dollar of assessed valuation on all property subject to taxation in said District, for a period of ten (10) years, commencing with the year 2002, for the purpose of operating and maintaining said District's water and wastewater systems within and for said District? All current and future funds, revenue, and ad valorem maintenance taxes will be combined under the new name, Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. One. All current ad valorem taxes being collected will be abolished.

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

ELECTION DISTRICT 1;
PRECINCT 2, CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY ALL; ANNEX
CAMERON, LOUISIANA
ELECTION DISTRICT 6;
PRECINCT 1 OUR LADY OF THE

PRECINCT 1, OUR LADY OF THE SEA ALL CATHOLIC CENTER CAMERON, LOUISIANA

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Commissioners of Cameron Parish Water and WastewaterDistrict No. One, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, the governingauthority of said District, will meet at its regular meeting place, the Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. One's Waterboard Cameron, office Louisiana, on Thursday the 25th day of July, 2002, at 6:00 PM, and will then and there, in open and public session, proceed to examine and canvassthe returns as certified by the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and declare the result of the said spe-

All registered voters of Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. One. Cameron Parish, Louisiana areentitled to vote at said special election and votingmachines will be used in the conduct of the election.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED on this, the 3rd day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/J. C. Murphy J. C. MURPHY, PRESIDĖNŤ CAMERON PARISH WATER AND WASTEWATER DISTRICT NO. ONE

ATTEST: /s/Lori LeBlanc LORI LEBLANC, SECRETARY RUN: May 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27, Jul 4, 11, 18 (M 58)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed proposals for the construction of the following project will be received by the Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1 (Division: Sewer)

on 26 June 2002 until 6:00 PM at the Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District Office, 126 Ann Street, Post Office Box 522, Cameron, Louisiana (337-775-5660).

Project Number: 2002-06 Restoration of Levee in the Cameron Area.

The rules and regulations for the State Licensing Board for contractors will apply; the contract being classified

as: II Highway Street and Bridge Construction,

9. Earthwork, drainage, and levees. 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 accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid and shall be made payable to the Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1.

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 specifications 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 Water and Sewer District 1 meeting. The Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1 reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals and to waive informali-

Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1

/s/J. C. Murphy, Chairman RUNS: May 30, June 6, 13, 20 - M 64

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed proposals for the construction of the following project will be received by the Cameron Parish Police Jury until 3:00 PM on 24 June 2002 at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex, 110 Smith Circle, Cameron, Louisiana 70631.

Project Number: 2002-04 Dock Improvements at Sabine

The rules and regulations for the State Licensing Board for contractors will apply; the project being classified

III. Heavy Construction Wharves, docks,

improvements, and terminals. Proposal forms will not be issued later than 24 hours prior to the hour and date set for receiving proposals. Every bid submitted shall be accompanied 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 specifications 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 and to waive informali-

Cameron Parish Police Jury /s/Charles Precht III RUNS: May 30, June 6, 13, 20 - M 65

NOTICE Anyone knowing the whereabouts of one certain promissory note dated October 5, 2000, in the principal amount of \$498,749.99, payable to the order of Associates Home Equity Services, Inc., payable monthly, executed by Troy Andrew Frick and Lisa Ann Bushnell Frick, please contact Charles K. Watts, Attorney at Law, Seale, Smith, Zuber, & Barnette, 8550 United Plaza Blvd., Ste. 200, Baton Rouge, LA 70809; phone (225) 924-

RUN: Jun. 6, 13, 20 (J 2)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for the construction of the following project will be received by the Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1 (Division: Sewer) on 26 June 2002 until 6:30 p.m. at the Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District Office, 126 Ann Street, Post Office Box 522, Cameron, LA (337) 775-5660.

Project Number: 2002-06A Proposed Fill in the Cameron Area Bids must be submitted on the prescribed form. All blank spaces for bid prices must be filled in, using ink, and in both words and figures, with the unit price for the item or the lump sum for which the bid is made. The bidder shall provide all information indicated on the attached forms. Failure to provide the information indicated constitutes an informality in the proposal, rendering it subject to rejection by the owner.

All bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes bearing on the outside the name of the project on which the proposal is submitted. If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the proposal and marked as directed above, must be enclosed in another envelope addressed as specified in the proposal form, and preferably sent by

For the purpose of the award, the product of the approximate quantities of each item shown in the proposal by their respective unit prices will be considered the amount of the bid on each item. The correct summation of these products will be the amount bid on the

entire work.

Proposal forms will not be issued later than 24 hours prior to the hour and date set for receiving proposals.

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. Bids must be submitted on proposal forms provided by the engineer. Official action will be taken at the regularly scheduled Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1 meeting. Cameron Parish Water and Sewer District 1 reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals and to waive any informalities.

Cameron Parish Water and Sewer

District 1

/s/J. C. Murphy J.C. MURPHY, CHAIRMAN RUN: Jun. 6, 13, 20 (J 10)

LEGAL NOTICE

This is to advise that the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 5 meeting in regular session convened on the 4th day of June 2002 accepted as substantially complete and satisfactory the work performed under Project 2001-04: Maintenance in the Grand Chenier Area pursuant to the certain contract between Crain Brothers, Inc. and said Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 5 under File No. 275065, 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 publication hereof, all in the manner and form as prescribed by law. After the elapse of said time, the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 5 will pay all sums due in the absence of any such claims or

BY: Darrell Williams, Secretary RUN: June 6, 13, 20, 27, July 4, 11, & 18 (J-16)

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Cameron Parish School Board will receive sealed bids until the hour of 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 3, 2002, at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, Cameron, LA for the purchase of bread items for the schools of Cameron Parish during the 2002-2003 session and any summer programs during the summer of 2003.

A detailed bid form and specifications may be obtained from the Cameron Parish School Board Office, P. O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631. All bids must be returned sealed,

indicating "Sealed Bread Bid" clearly on the outside of the envelope. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted.

CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

BY: /s/Judith Jones Judith Jones, Superintendent RUNS: June 13, 20 - J 28

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Cameron Parish School Board Food Service Office will receive sealed bids for food and supplies for use in the lunchrooms of Cameron Parish Schools during the 2002-2003 session, at 10:00 a.m. in the Food Service Office as per the attached bid schedule.

A bid form, general instructions, and specifications may be obtained from the School Food Service Office, P. O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631.

All bids must be submitted on or before the above date and time. Bids shall be sealed and clearly marked on the outside of the envelope "Lunchroom Food Bid" and/or "Lunchroom Supply Bid."

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted for food and supplies.

CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL

BOARD /s/Judith Jones JUDITH JONES, SUPERINTEN-

CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES SCHOOL YEAR 2002-2003 BID SCHEDULE

Bid Type; Bid Award (10:00 a.m.); Bid Period. Supplies; July 3, 2002; August 2002-May 30, 2003.

Meats; July 10, 2002; August-September, 2002. Canned Goods; July 10, 2002; August-December, 2002.

Support Foods; July 10, 2002; August-December, 2002. Meats; September 11, October-November, 2002. 2002;

Meats; November 6, 2002; Dec. 2002-Jan. 2003. Canned Goods; December 4, 2002;

January-May 30, 2003. Support Foods; December 4, 2002; January-May 30, 2003.

Meats; January 8, 2003; February-March, 2003. Meats; March 12, 2003; April-May 30, 2003.

RUN: Jun. 13, 20 (J 29)

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD will receive sealed bids until the hour of 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 3, 2002, for furnishing paper goods to the schools of CAMERON PARISH during the 2002-2003 school session and any summer program during the summer of 2003.

A bid form, list of specifications, and bid procedures may be obtained from the Purchasing Department of the CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE, P.O. Box 1548, 246 Dewey Street, Cameron, LA 70631.

All bids should be marked on envelope "BID ON PAPER GOODS, 2002-2003". Bid price must be delivery price to the CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL WAREHOUSE, CAMERON,

The Cameron Parish School Board reserves the right to refuse or cancel any price quotation based on the quality of goods, availability of products and/or services rendered

CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL

BOARD BY: /s/Judith Jones Judith Jones, Superintendent RUNS: June 13, 20 - J 31

BID NOTICE

The CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD will receive BIDS FOR JANI-TORIAL SUPPLIES for the use in schools in Cameron Parish during the 2002-2003 school session and any summer program during the summer of 2003 at 10:00 a.m. in the Cameron arish School Board Office on Wednesday, July 3, 2002.

A bid form, list of specifications, and bid procedures may be obtained from the Purchasing Department of the CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE, P.O. Box 1548, 246 Dewey Street, Cameron, LA 70631.

All bids must be submitted on or before the scheduled time and date. Envelopes should be clearly marked, "BID FOR JANITORIAL ŠUPPLIES 2002-2003". The Cameron Parish School Board

Judith Jones, Superintendent RUNS: June 13, 20 - J 32

the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3 held on Tuesday, reserves the right to refuse or cancel February 19, 2002, at 2:30 p.m. in the any price quotation based on the qual-Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex. ity of goods, availability of products and/or services rendered. CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL Members present: Scott Henry, Edward Racca, Jr., and E. J. Dronet. BOARD

BY: /s/Judith Jones

Others present: Lonnie Harper, les LeBoeuf, and Edward James Petersen. A motion was made by Edward

Racca, Jr., seconded by Scott Henry, and unanimously carried to approve regular meeting as written.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

BOARD will receive sealed bids until

the hour of 10:00 a.m., Wednesday,

July 3, 2002, for furnishing duplicating paper to the schools of CAMERON

PARISH during the 2002-2003 school

Detailed bid list and specification

Bid price on all items should be the

delivery price to the Cameron parish

School Board Office. all bids must be

submitted on or before the above date

and time. Envelopes should be marked

to reject any and all bids submitted. CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL

Judith Jones, Superintendent RUNS: June 13, 20 - J 33

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Cameron Parish School Board will receive sealed bids until the hour

of 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 3,

2002, at the Cameron Parish School

purchase of milk and milk products for

the schools of Cameron Parish during

2002-2003 session and any summer

programs during the summer of 2003.

tions may be obtained from the

Cameron Parish School Board Office,

Bid is to be on delivered price to all

The successful bidder will furnish

All bids must be returned sealed,

indicating "Sealed Milk Bid" clearly on

the outside of the envelope.

The Board reserves the right to

reject any and all bids submitted.
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL

Judith Jones, Superintendent RUNS: June 13, 20 - J 36

NOTICE

Alcohol and Tobacco Control of the

State of Louisiana for a permit to sell

beverages of High and Low alcoholic

content at retail in the Parish of Cameron at the following address: 620 Big Lake Rd., Lake Charles, LA

Petition of Opposition should be

made in writing in accordance with L.R.S. Title 26, Section 85 and 283.

PROCEEDINGS

Board of Commissioners of the

Hackberry Recreation District

May 14, 2002

of Commissioners of the Hackberry

Recreation District was held at the

Hackberry Recreation Center in

Louisiana, at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, May

Blane Buford, Kenny Welch and Michael Devall, Jr. Members absent: Clarence Silver.

by the vice-chairman, Blane Buford

and the following business was dis-

ing of April 8, 2002, were read and

motion was made by Kenny Welch,

seconded by Carrie Hewitt, and carried to accept the minutes as read.

Devall, Jr., seconded by Carrie Hewitt,

and carried to accept the financial

Motion was made by Carrie Hewitt, seconded by Michael Devall, Jr., and carried to nominate Blane

Buford as Chairman of the Board for

Devall, Jr., seconded by Carrie Hewitt,

and carried to nominate Kenny Welch

as Vice-Chairman of the Board for the

Welch, seconded by Michael Devall,

Jr., and carried to replace outfield

fence on the baseball field at the Recreation Center not to exceed

Motion was made by Carrie Hewitt, seconded by Kenny Welch,

and carried to adopt the millage of

11.37 for the Hackberry Recreation

Devall, Jr., seconded by Carrie Hewitt,

and carried to adopt the millage of 2.60 for the HRD/Multi-Purpose

Welch, seconded by Michael Devall,

Jr., and carried to raise the wages of

Martha Welch to \$10.00 per hour,

John Venable to \$8.00 per hour, and

all temporary employees of the Recreation Center and Multi-Purpose

Hewitt, seconded by Kenny Welch,

and carried to increase pay for the Director of the Recreation Center by

Devall, Jr., seconded by Carrie Hewitt,

and carried to increase pay for the Sect./Treas. and Bookkeeper of the HRD/Multi-Purpose Facility by \$50.00

per month. All raises will go into effect

ed, motion was made by Carrie Hewitt, seconded by Michael Devall,

Jr., and carried to adjourn the meet-

DWAYNE SANNER, SECT./TREAS. RUN: Jun. 20 (J 40)

**PROCEEDINGS** 

Minutes of the regular meeting of

Business of the meeting complet-

BLANE BUFORD, CHAIRMAN

APPROVED: /s/Blane Buford

Motion was made by Carrie

Motion was made by Michael

Motion was made by Michael

Motion was made by Kenny

Motion was made by Michael

Motion was made by Kenny

the remainder of the year 2002.

remainder of the year 2002.

District Maintenance.

Facility Maintenance.

Facility \$0.50 per hour.

\$150.00 per month.

on May 16, 2002.

/s/Dwavne Sanner

ATTEST:

M/P Advisors: None.

Guests: None.

The regular meeting of the Board

Cameron

Members present: Carrie Hewitt,

The meeting was called to order

The minutes of the regular meet-

Motion was made by Michael

RUNS: June 13, 20 - J 38

Hackberry,

statements.

14, 2002.

J. W. Delaney & Co. LLC

Hebert's Marina /s/John W. Delaney

Parish,

I am applying to the Office of

school lunchrooms of Cameron Parish.

bond in the amount of \$1,000.00 guar-

anteeing prompt and efficient delivery

to all schools in Cameron Parish.

P. O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631.

Bid price is not to include sales tax.

A detailed bid form and specifica-

Board Office, Cameron, LA for the

The School Board reserves the right

BOARD

BOARD

BY: /s/Judith Jones

BY: /s/Judith Jones

BID ON DUPLICATING PAPER".

sheet may be obtained from the Cameron Parish School Board,

Cameron, Louisiana.

The CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL

A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Scott Henry, and unanimously carried to approve the financial report for the month of January, 2002.

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

1. Barbara L. LeBlanc (49 signatures @ \$25/rights-of-way for Salvinia spraying); \$1,225.00

2. Barbara L. LeBlanc (18 signatures @ \$25/rights-of-way update on W-1 East); \$450.00 3. Cameron Parish Police Jury

limestone at Redman Supply); \$2,401.40 4. Cameron Parish Pilot; \$95.00 5. On-Target Surveying, Inc.;

\$8,093.55 Engineer Lonnie Harper reported that the State Highway Department got back with him about the letter we wrote regarding culverts under the Beach Road. The State Department said they would install the culverts if this Board agrees to purchase the culverts. A motion was made by E. J. Dronet, seconded by Edward Racca, Jr., and unanimously carried to authorize Lonnie Harper to write a letter on behalf of the Gravity Drainage District No. 3 accepting the offer of the State Highway Department, and to authorize purchase of three culverts to

replace the two culverts that are too high on Beach Road. Mr. Harper also reported that the contractor is doing surface work on the School Board Lateral crossings. He stated that once they are through with it, we will do a final inspection before

we accept the project.

Engineer Harper also said that the Parish did a good job in repairing the area at Wakefield Road. He suggested that perhaps we would do well to ask them to also address adding limestone and building the shoulder up on Jetty Road. A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by E. J. Dronet, and unanimously carried to authorize Scott Henry to contact Ellis Nunez to do embankment work on the Parish's Jetty Road at our expense. It was also noted that Haliburton wants to replace walkway with culverts.

It was agreed by consensus that Engineer Lonnie Harper will write a letter to the contractor to further notify them that the flapgate at the School Board Lateral is damaged and needs to be repaired.

It was reported that all water control structure gates are wide open. With no rain, Mr. Henry reported that he noticed the East wind brought the water levels way down.

Scott Henry reported that the

state is considering spraying Salvinia in the area with a helicopter.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Scott Henry, President E. J. Dronet, Secretary/Treasurer RUN: Jun. 20 (J 41)

PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3 held on Tuesday, March 19, 2002, at 2:30 p.m. in the Čameron Parish Police Jury Annex.

Members present: Scott Henry, E. J. Dronet, and Edward Racca, Jr. Members absent: Joe Dupont and Kathy Guthrie.

Others present: James LeBoeuf, Lonnie Harper, and Edward Petersen. A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Scott Henry, and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the February 19, 2002 regular meeting as written.

A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Scott Henry, and unanimously carried to approve the financial statement for the month of February, 2002 as presented.

A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Scott Henry, and unanimously carried to approve

the following bills for payment:

1. Paula Pool (reimbursement); \$15.17

2. Cameron Parish Clerk of Court; \$118.00 Rivers Fence Company; \$1,985.00

4. Roy Bailey Construction Company; \$630.00 5. Coastal Culvert and Supply, Inc.; \$1,625.72

6. Lonnie G. Harper & Associates, Inc.; \$4,843.66 7. M & M Electric; \$6,650.00

8. M & M Electric; \$3,500.00 Lonnie Harper Associates, Inc.; \$420.00

A motion was made to table an invoice from F. Miller & Sons in the amount of \$19,950.00 and one from Lonnie G. Harper & Associates, Inc., in the amount of \$1,260.00 until next month's meeting, pending further discussion with F. Miller & Sons regarding cattle crossings, flapgate and fenc-

President Scott Henry read a letter from David Richard with the Cameron Parish Wetlands Advisory Committee, acknowledging the problem with giant salvinia and encouraging the Drainage Board to take aggressive action and offering their assistance. It was agreed by consensus that we will acknowledge Mr. Richard's letter, stating to him that this Board is giving the salvinia prob-lem high priority and is taking appropriate action through state and federal agencies, and that we appreciate their concern. It was noted that we are just waiting for the salvinia control to be initiated. It is growing, and in and emergency situation Edward Petersen was authorized to call members of this Board. Down W-1 West at Earl Road and at the second bridge, water is not going under the bridge. The salvinia spraying is scheduled, but we may have to physically dip the vegetation out of the waterway in the meantime in problem areas. The Water Management Report

was read, and it was noted that boat bays and crest gates are all open in the Cameron-Creole Watershed at this

Regarding the School Board Lateral and Pump Project, it was discussed that Lonnie Harper has told the contractor that they didn't put matting down on cattle crossings as agreed, and where they drove their heavy equipment on the approaches to these crossings needs to be repaired, as requested by the landowners. These matters will be discussed further with the contractor before the project will be accepted.

Tax millage was discussed for

2002, and it was agreed that we will advertise as necessary for the tax millage to be voted on at the April, 2002

It was noted that we have a road wash-out at the School Board Lateral pump. An automatic pump cut-off has been installed to help the situation. It was acknowledged that we will have to address this problem further, and it will be discussed at the April meeting, with Engineer Lonnie Harper giving his suggestions.

Mr. Harper said that the Highway 1142 Project is wavering in efforts to get the State to install culverts if we purchase them. Apparently the State does not want to place those culverts under the road. It was agreed that we have Engineer Harper get an estimate on how much it would cost the Drainage Board to do such a project. We will have more information at the next meeting.

It was discussed that this Board may meed to do a 50-50% joint project with the Cameron Water Board to lower the 10" waterline extending to the North end of Wakefield Road.

Mr. James LeBoeuf stated that the shut-down on the School Board Lateral pump works so well, that he recommends having one installed on each of our other pumps to protect these pumps from running dry. He noted that he has ordered flow switches to help with this problem, and this was approved by consensus.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Scott Henry, President E. J. Dronet, Secretary/Treasurer RUN: Jun. 20 (J 42)

PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3 held on Tuesday, April 16, 2002, at 2:30 p.m. in the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex.

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

and Kathy Guthrie. Others present: Lonnie Harper, Petersen, and James Edward

LeBoeuf. A motion was made by Edward Racca, Jr., seconded by Joe Dupont, and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the March 19, 2002 reg-

ular meeting as written. A motion was made by Joe Dupont, seconded by Edward Racca, Jr., and unanimously carried to approve the financial report for the month of March, 2002.

James LeBoeuf stated that there have been some problems with water backing up through the discharge of the new School Board Lateral pump with high tides. He said that he thinks the problem is solved now. He also reported that low-water shut-downs have been installed on other pumps, and this will save the pumps. Mr. LeBoeuf said that we have had 5 1/2 inches of rain this month, so we have high water and no help from the tides. Mr. LeBoeuf also reported that there is still some trouble with the operation of the flapgate at Redman Supply.

Edward Petersen stated that it will run around \$30,000 (rough estimate) to run 10" PVC pipe inside a casing with a new bore to lower the waterline extending to the North end of Wakefield Road as previously discussed. He also reported that W-1 West is all packed up again with salvinia, and the bridge on Amoco Road is worse again, as well. The chemical spraying killed some of the salvinia on top, but it looks like the bottom is still growing. Scott Henry stated that if the salvinia isn't controlled east of the second bridge, we need to go in and remove that vegeta-

tion. Engineer Lonnie Harper reported that Tal McCain (M & M Electric) will be installing the culvert at A. J LaBove's next week, and also excavating around the corner at the School Board Lateral pump. He also stated that he has received no feedback on the State placing a culvert under Highway 1142. It was agreed that Mr. Harper will have a cost estimate for the May meeting on this Board placing one culvert there.

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

lowing millage is hereby levied on the 2002 tax roll on the property subject to taxation by the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. 3:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the fol-

District- Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District No. Maintenance; Millage - 6.50

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the property administrative officials of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for the year 2002, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the District, according to law, and that the tax herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on the property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and the collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the foregoing resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by the following votes: YEAS: 3; NAYS: 0; ABSTAINED:

0; ABSENT: 2 There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Scott Henry, President Edward Racca, Jr., Board Member

RUN: Jun. 20 (J 43) NOTICE SHERIFF'S SALE

Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc. et Vs. No. 10-16113

Dale A. Fruge and Belynda Bonner Thirty-Eighth Judicial District Court Parish of Cameron

State of Louisiana By virtue of a writ of executory process 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 without benefit of appraisement, at the Court House door of this Parish of Cameron, on Wednesday, July 24, 2002 at 10:00 a.m. the following

described property to-wit: Lots Thirteen (13) and Fifteen

cont. on pg. 5.

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of the subdivision of lots Five (5) and Eight (8) of Section Twenty-Five (25) in Township Twelve (12) South, Range Nine (9) West, Louisiana Meridian, as per plat of survey of Whitaker & Webb, civil engineers, dated September 29, 1972, a copy of which is attached to and made a part of the act of partition executed by Mrs. Rosie Daigle Corbello, et als, dated April 23, 1973, filed for record May 8, 1973, recorded in Book 304, of Conveyances at Page 354, bearing File No. 132935, records of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, together with all improvements thereon situat-

seized under said writ. Terms: Cash Day of Sale /s/James Ř. Savoie JAMES R. SAVOIE, SHERIFF CAMERON PARISH, LA. Sheriff's Office, Cameron, LA June 14,

HERSCHEL C. ADCOCK, JR. ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF RUN: Jun. 20, Jul. 18 (J 46)

SHERIFF'S SALE Hibernia National Bank Vs. No. 10-15919

Darrell Wayne Hebert & Mary E. Hebert Thirty-Eight Judicial District Court

State of Louisiana 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 appraisement, at the Court House door of this Parish of Cameron, on Wednesday, July 24, 2002 at 10:00 a.m.

Parish of Cameron

the following property to-wit:

A track of land commencing 575 feet north of the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter (NE/4 OF NE/4) of Section 18, Township 12 South, Range 8 West, thence 190 feet west; thence 75 feet south; thence 190 feet east; thence north 75 feet to point of commencement, together with all improvements

 $\frac{LESS\,AND\,EXCEPT}{LESS\,AND\,EXCEPT}\, the\, following$ described property situated in Cameron Parish, Louisiana, to-wit:

All that certain lot, block, tract or parcel of land containing 4.007 acres more or less and being situated in Lot 3 of the John D. Hebert Estate subdivision of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 18, Township 12 South, Range 8 West, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a found 1-1/4"

capped pipe monumenting the northwest corner of Lot 3 of the John D. Hebert Estate subdivision and run thence south 89 degrees 33 minutes 00 seconds east (record) along the north line of Lot 3 for a distance of 700.00 feet to a set 5/8" rod with cap stamped Collins 4390; thence leaving the north line of Lot 3 and run south 01 degree 09 minutes 10 seconds west for a distance of 249.39 feet to a set 5/8" rod with cap stamped Collins 4390 on the south line of Lot 3; thence north 89 degrees 33 minutes 00 seconds west (record) along the south line of Lot 3 for a distance of 700.00 feet to a found 1-1/4" capped pipe on the west line of Lot 3; thence leaving the south line of Lot 3 and run north 01 degrees 09 minutes 10 seconds east (record north01 degree 08 minutes west) along the west line of Lot 3 for a distance of 249.39 feet (record 249.5) feet to the point of beginning containing 174,558 square feet or 4.007 acres more or less, as per plat of survey of Virgil T. Collins, registered professional land surveyor dated March 13, 2000, together with all thereon.

seized under said writ.

Terms: Cash Day of Sale /s/James Ř. Savoie JAMES R. SAVOIE, SHERIFF CAMERON PARISH, LA Sheriff's Office, Cameron, LA June 14, 2002

STEPHEN C. POLITO ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF RUN: Jun. 20, Jul. 18 (J 47)

NOTICE SHERIFF'S SALE Hibernia National Bank

Vs. No. 10-15917 Darrell Wayne Hebert & Mary E.

property to-wit:

Thirty-Eight Judicial District Court Parish of Cameron

State of Louisiana By virtue of a writ of executory process 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 appraisement, at the Court House door of this Parish of Cameron, on Wednesday, July 24, 2002 at 10:00 a.m. the following described

Certain tract of land commencing 400 feet north of the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter (NE/4 OF NE/4) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Twelve (12) South, Range Eight (8) West, Louisiana Meridian, in Cameron Parish, Louisiana, thence north 250 feet, thence west 522.72 feet, thence south 250 feet, thence east 522.72 feet to point of commencement, containing three (3) acres, less .32 acre to Darrell Hebert. Lot Three (3) of the John D. Hebert Estate subdivision of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter (NE/4 OF NE/4) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Twelve (12) South, Range Eight (8) West, as per plat attached to act of partition dated October 24, 1960, filed October 25, 1960, in Book 162, Page 17, File No. 89831, records of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, containing 5.76 acres, less .58 acre to Darrell Hebert, together with all improvements situated thereon. Municipal address: 10260 Gulf

Highway, Lake Charles, LA 70607 and Beginning at a point 256.65 feet south of the northeast corner of the north half (N/2) of the south half (S/2)of the northwest quarter (NW/4) of the southwest quarter (SW/4) of Section 8, Township Twelve (12) South, Range Eight (8) West, thence west 1320 feet, thence south 73.35 feet, thence east 1320 feet, thence north 73.35 feet to point of beginning containing 2.21 acres more or less, together with all

improvements situated thereon. LESS AND EXCEPT the following described property situated in Cameron Parish, Louisiana,

All that certain lot, block, tract or parcel of land containing 4.007 acres more or less and being situated in Lot 3 of the John D. Hebert Estate subdivision of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 18, Township 12 South, Range 8 West, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a found 1-1/4"

capped pipe monumenting the northwest corner of Lot 3 of the John D. Hebert Estate subdivision and run thence south 89 degrees 33 minutes 00seconds east (record) along the north line of Lot 3 for a distance of 700.00 feet to a set 5/8" rod with cap stamped Collins 4390; thence leaving the north line of Lot 3 and run south 01 degree 09 minutes 10 seconds wet for a distance of 249.39 feet to a set 5/8" rod with cap stamped Collins 4390 on the south line of Lot 3; thence north 89 degrees 33 minutes 00 seconds west (record) along the south line of Lot 3 for a distance of 700.00 feet to a found 1-1/" capped pipe on the west line of Lot 3; thence leaving the south line of Lot 3 and run north 01 degrees 09 minutes 10 seconds east (record north01 degree 08 minutes west) along the west line of Lot 3 for a distance of 249.39 feet (record 249.5) feet to the point of beginning containing 174,558 square feet or 4.007 acres more or less, as per plat of survey of Virgil T. Collins, registered professional land surveyor dated March 13, 2000, together with all buildings and improvements situated thereon. seized under said writ.

Terms: Cash Day of Sale /s/James Ř. Savoie JAMES R. SAVOIE, SHERIFF CAMERON PARISH, LA Sheriff's Office, Cameron, LA June 14,

STEPHEN C. POLITO ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF RUN: Jun. 20, Jul. 18 (J48)

NOTICE

The following persons have been summoned to appear in Cameron District Court on July 25, 2002 to serve as jurors on the Grand Jury, according to Clerk of Court Carl Broussard:

Roger D. Baccigalopi, Creole, La.; Larry L. Bacque, Hackberry, La.; Karen A. Benoit, Lake Arthur, La.; Teresa Long R. Boudreaux, Lake Charles, La.; Greta J. Brown, Lake Charles, La.:

Christopher L. Busby, Hackberry, La.; John G. Carpenter, Lake Charles, La.; Shirley E. Chesson, Bell City, La.; Jean A. Clark, Creole, La.; Harold L.

Courmier, Hackberry, La.;
Dean R. Desonier, Cameron, La.;
Albert J. Drounett, Hackberry, La.; Phyllis C. Gaspard, Bell City, La.; Mary H. Granger, Bell City, La.; Hallie

W. Griffith, Lake Charles, La.; Quintin E. Guidry, Lake Charles, La.; Amy M. Haley, Hackberry, La.; Rachelle M. Hampton, Cameron, La.; Jessica Hantz, Hackberry, La.; Judy R.

Harrington, Cameron, La.;
Daniel J. Hebert, Lake Charles, La.; Brandi Leigh Jinks, Hackberry, La.: Charles R. LeBoeuf, Creole, La.; Annie P. Mayne, Cameron, La.; Edward T. McCain, Lake Charles, La.;

Brandie Jo McDaniel, Cameron, La.; Geraldine S. McDaniel, Lake Charles, La.; Daena D. McDaniels, Cameron, La.; Pelham E. Mills, Lake Charles, La.; Helen R. Nunez, Lake Charles, La.;

Medina M. Percle, Cameron, La.; Debra S. Ramey, Cameron, La.; Ryland E. Robinson, Lake Charles, La.; Jared Douglas Stanley, Kaplan, La.; Mary Nicole Sturlese, Grand Chenier, La.;

Anna T. Terro, Hackberry, La.; Larry J. Trahan, Cameron, La.; Gaylynn S. Varnes, Hackberry, La.; Travis J. Vincent, Hackberry, La.; Faye M. Watkins, Cameron, La. RUN: Jun. 20 (J 49)

#### PROCEEDINGS CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

The Cameron Parish Police Jury met in regular session on Monday, May 6, 2002, at the Police Jury Building in the Village of Cameron, Louisiana at 5:00 o'clock P. M. The following members were present: Mr. Dusty Sandifer, Mr. Charles Precht, III, Mr. Steve Trahan, Mrs. Norma Jo Pinch, Mr. Scott Trahan and Mr. James Doxey.

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

approved. It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and carried, that the following items shall be added

to the Agenda: 15. Other Permits:

p. Marian Miller Green 16. Seismic Permit:

a. Lake Ronel Oil Company 31. Amend Redistricting Ordinance

dated 4/1/02 Elementary level state wrestlers were honored.

Shelly Johnson, Monte Hurley, and Sammie Faulk made a presentation on behalf of the Creole Nature Trail National Scenic Byway Commission.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and declared duly adopted:

RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF CAMERON WHEREAS, The Louisiana Constitution requires that twenty per cent (20%) of all general severance taxes collected by Louisiana State Government be returned to the Parishes where the resource was pro-

duced, and WHEREAS, the drafters of our constitution put this provision into the law to insure that local government would receive at least some revenues raised as a result of mineral productions in their parishes to compensate them for the additional demands that natural resources industry activities place on local services and local infrastructures such as roads, bridges, drainage, and the like, and

WHEREAS, the Constitution further provides that local governments are prohibited from levying severance

WHEREAS, the Severance Tax distribution to the Parishes is further limited by an annual cap which was set at \$500,000.00 per year for over 25 years and was adjusted only once during this time which was then for less than 20%

of the corrosive effect of inflation, and WHEREAS, as a result of the combined efforts of these caps and the corrosive effect of inflation; the effective value of the parishes portion of this dedication has diminished and will continue to diminish until appropriate reforms are instituted.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury does hereby urge and request the Louisiana Legislature sponsor legislation amending the Louisiana Constitution to insure that parish governments receive a more equitable distribution of the taxes produced by the severance of minerals mined or produced from lands within their respective territorial jurisdic-

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that at a minimum, the Louisiana Constitution should be amended to provide that the annual cap or ceiling be raised to at least \$1,750,000.00 and that this cap be indexed to inflation so that as the cost of living increases and the value of the dollar decreases, the parishes funds would automatically increase to take into account such

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to Governor Mike Foster, Senator Gerald Theunissen, and Representative Dan Flavin.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

/s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY The following resolution was offered by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr.

Doxey and declared duly adopted: AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF CAMERON Resolution authorizing the filing of an application with the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for a grant under 49 CFR 5311, Non-Urbanized Area Formula Program and/or 49 CFR 5309, Discretionary Capital Program.

WHEREAS, the Secretary of

Transportation and Development is authorized to make grants for mass transportation projects;

WHEREAS, the contract for financial assistance will impose certain obligations upon the applicant, including the provisions by it of the local share of project costs;

WHEREAS, it is required by the Louisiana Department Transportation and Development in accord with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, that in connection with the filing of an application for assistance that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the U.S. Department of Transportation requirements thereun-

WHEREAS, it is the goal of the Applicant that minority business enterprise be utilized to the fullest extent possible in connection with this project, and that definitive procedures shall be established and administered to ensure that minority businesses shall have the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts when procuring construction contracts, supplies, equipment, or consultant and other services:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Cameron Parish Police Jury, that:

1. That the President is authorized to execute and file an application on behalf of the Cameron Parish Police Jury with the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, to aid in the financing of operating and/or capital assistance projects pursuant to the Rural Public Transit Program, 49 CFR 5311 and/or the discretionary Capital Program, 49 CFR 5309.

2. That the President is authorized to execute and file with such applications an assurance or any other document required by the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development effectuating the purposes of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of amended

3. That the President is authorized to furnish such additional information as the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development may require in connection with the application or the project.
4. That the President is authorized

to set forth and execute affirmative minority business policies in connection with the project's procurement

5. That the President is authorized to execute grant contract agreements on behalf of the Cameron Parish Police Jury with the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for aid in the financing of the operating or capital assistance projects.

6. This resolution is applicable for a period of one year unless revoked by the governing body and copy of such revocation shall be furnished to the Department of Transportation and

Development ADOPTED and APPROVED this 6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-

DENT CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

ATTEST: /s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY The following resolution was

offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by

Mr. Steve Trahan and declared duly

adopted: RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF CAMERON WHEREAS, Mr. Johnny Fruge departed this life on April 23, 2002;

whereas, this body and people of Cameron Parish shall be eternally indebted unto the late Mr. Johnny Fruge for his faithful and dedicated service to Cameron Parish while serving as an aide to Senator Gerald Theunissen.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Cameron Parish Police Jury of the Parish of Cameron, Louisiana, in regular session convened on this 6th day of May, 2002, that: SECTION I: The Secretary is here-

by directed to spread this resolution on the Minutes of this body and to forward certified copies thereof to the family of the deceased.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED, by the Cameron Parish Police Jury this 6th day of May, 2002. APPROVED:

/s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

/s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY The following resolution was offered by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and declared duly adopt-

RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF CAMERON

WHEREAS, Mr. Gordon Nunez departed this life on April 24, 2002;

and,
WHEREAS, this body and people of Cameron Parish shall be eternally indebted unto the late Mr. Gordon Nunez for his faithful and dedicated service as Creole Fire Chief. NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, by the Cameron Parish Police Jury of the Parish of Cameron, Louisiana, in regular session convened on this 6th day of May, 2002, that: SECTION I: The Secretary is here-

by directed to spread this resolution on the Minutes of this body and to forward certified copies thereof to the family of the deceased.
ADOPTED AND APPROVED, by

the Cameron Parish Police Jury this 6th day of May, 2002. APPROVED:

/s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-DENT CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY ATTEST:

/s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY The following resolution was offered by Mr. Doxey, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and declared duly adopt-

RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF CAMERON

WHEREAS, Cameron Parish has identified the giant salvinia, (Salvinia molesta), spreading in ponds and drainage laterals; and

WHEREAS, giant salvinia spreads rapidly and occurs when boaters do not remove plant fragments from their boat trailers, through movement of wildlife and waterfowl and by water

WHEREAS, giant salvinia does its damage by growing into dense mats that can eventually cover an entire waterbody with vegetation as thick as three feet. These mats smother native plants and phytoplankton by blocking the penetration of sunlight into the water. With no phytoplankton present and no water surface open to the air, available dissolved oxygen rapidly becomes depleted killing the fish in the waterbody. The loss of native aquatic plants and open water also destroys the value of an area as waterfowl habitat; and

WHEREAS, solid mats of giant salvinia may eliminate boating, fishing and waterfowl hunting opportunities simply because boats cannot penetrate the mats, fisheries will die off and waterfowl will not have water to swim and feed; and

WHÉREAS, salvinia infestations can devastate rice, crawfish and catfish farming operations and clog

drainage laterals; and NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury requests a meeting with the groups listed below to seek emergency monies to help eradicate this aquatic weed before further spreading of giant salvinia occurs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Cameron Parish Police Jury that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to forward this resolution to the Louisiana Giant Salvinia Task Force, Senator Gerald Theunissen, Representative Dan Flavin, Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Louisiana Department of Natural Resources, Louisiana Department of Agriculture, Louisiana Cooperative Extension

Service and Governor Mike Foster. ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY /s/Bonnie W. Conner

BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY The following resolution was offered by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mr. Doxey and declared duly adopt-

RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF CAMERON

WHEREAS, Highway 27 from the Gibbstown Bridge heading south to Creole is in need of safety pull off

areas; and
WHEREAS, Highway 82 from
Creole heading south to Oak Grove is in need of safety pull off areas.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury is requesting a Corridor Study conducted by the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development in these two areas; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to forward this resolution to Senator Gerald Theunissen and Representative Dan

ADOPTED AND APPROVED, this 6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-DENT

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY /s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and declared duly adopted: RESOLUTION STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF CAMERON

WHEREAS, the east bank of the Sabine River and Sabine Lake are areas that the State of Louisiana and Cameron Parish would like to develop;

WHEREAS, the Galveston District Corps of Engineers, and the Jefferson County Navigation District insists on using this property for spoil disposal;

WHEREAS, there are numerous beneficial use projects that the spoil could be used for; and

WHEREAS, the New Orleans District Corps of Engineers are praised for using spoil beneficially, thus, cooperating with the public and the environment; and WHEREAS, the Galveston District

Corps of Engineers and the Jefferson

County Navigation District will expro-

priate this property in the near future if nothing is done; and WHEREAS, landowners have expended monies on a road to the Sabine Lighthouse Historical Site and have been told that onc.e expropriation occurs no passage will be granted to

the Historical Site; and WHEREAS, landowners have

expended monies on bulkhead and property improvement for a dry dock/fuel dock facility and have been told that these properties will also be

expropriated.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Cameron Parish Police Jury that it is time for Cameron Parish and the State of Louisiana to stand up for their property rights, development rights and historical rights on the east bank of the Sabine River. It is not fair that all of the spoil from the Sabine River should be placed on the east bank. Louisiana has not stood in the way of Texas development on the west bank. Louisiana should be afforded economic development on the

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to forward this resolution to Senator Gerald Theunissen, Representative Dan Flavin, Senator John Breaux, Senator Mary Landrieu and Representative Chris John.
ADOPTED AND APPROVED this

6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

ATTEST: /s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY The following proclamation was

offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and declared duly adopted: PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, emergency medical services is a vital public service; and

WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a WHEREAS, emergency medical

services teams consist of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, educators, administrators, and others; and

WHEREAS, approximately twothirds of all emergency medical services providers are volunteers; and WHEREAS, Americans benefit daily from the knowledge and skills of these highly trained individuals;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it proclaimed by the Cameron Parish Police Jury that the week of May 19-25, 2002 be designated as EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

in the Parish of Cameron, Louisiana and that citizens are encouraged to recognize the contributions of emergency personnel.
ADOPTED AND APPROVED this

6th day of May, 2002. APPROVED:

/s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESI-

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

/s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY It was moved by Mr. Doxey, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and carried, that the applications for the following permits be and the same are hereby approved with the stipulations

attached by the respective Gravity Drainage Districts: a. ExxonMobil Production - Grand Chenier, Section 34 & 35, T15S, R3W, and Section 3 & 4, T16S, R3W, (proposed 4, 6 and 8 inch pipelines to connect the proposed Miami E-1 Well to existing facilities in the Deep Lake Field), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020502)

Southwestern Production Company - Grand Chenier, Section 15, T14S, R4W, (proposed two 6 inch flowlines). Cameron Parish. Louisiana. (020503)

c. Rimco Production Company North Johnson Bayou, Section 17, T12S, R12W, (proposed shell pad & structures for drilling the Watkins 258 ST Well), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020504)d. Rimco Production Company

North Johnson Bayou, Section 17, T12S, R12W, (proposed shell pad & structures for drilling the Watkins 220 ST Well), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020505)e. Rimco Production Company North Johnson Bayou, Section 18,

structures for drilling the Watkins 228 ST Well), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020506)f. Castex Energy Inc. - North Holly Beach, Section 32, T14S, R11W, (install saltwater disposal flowline for the

T12S, R12W, (proposed shell pad &

Lutcher C-1 SWD Well), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020507) g. Castex Energy Inc. - North Holly Beach, Section 32, T14S, R11W, (install 4 flowlines for the LaTerre Co., Ltd. SB #1 Well), Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

(020508)h. Texaco E & P - North Holly Beach, Section 18, T14S, R11W, (replacement flowlines to serve saltwater disposal well No. 5 in the Second Bayou Field), Cameron Parish,

Louisiana. (020510) i. Hunt Oil Company - North Holly Beach, Sections 19 - 21, T13S, R10W and Sections 23 & 24, T13S, R11W, (proposed levee refurbishment, ring levee & location to drill the Texaco Exp. No. 1), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020514)

j. ExxonMobil Production - North Holly Beach, Section 14, T14S, R11W, (proposed drillsite & structures for drilling the Miami Fee #10), Cameron

Parish, Louisiana. (020515) k. ExxonMobil Production - North Holly Beach, Section 21, T14S, R11W, (proposed drillsite & structures for drilling the Lutcher C-14 & C-15),

Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020516) l. Setex Oil & Gas Co. - Lowry, Section 8, T12S, R5W, (proposed well location for drilling the Lacassane Co. "B" Well #12), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020527)

m. Dynegy Midstream Services Johnson Bayou, Section 31, T15S, R13W, (proposed installation of a 4inch flowline to replace an existing 3-inch flowline), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020528)

n. LLOG Exploration Company Sections 21, 22, 27 & 28, T13S, R5W, (three proposed 3 inch flowlines, a proposed 3 inch gas sales line, a tank battery barge and a shell pad for the Miami Corporation Well No. Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020529)

It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the applications for the following permits be and the same are hereby approved with the stipulations setforth y the respective Gravity Drainage Districts:

a. Arnold Jones, Jr. - Grand Chenier, Section 40, T15S, R6W, (proposed wharf & bulkhead), Cameron

Parish, Louisiana. (020501) b. Cameron Parish Gravity
Drainage Dist. 7 - Johnson Bayou, Section 5, T15S, R14W, (proposed lateral maintenance on Deep Bayou Road), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020509)

c. Robert W. Brown - Grand Lake, Section 6, T12S, R8W, (proposed excavation and fill on the west side of Gulf Hwy.), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020511)

d. Leo Reddoch - North Johnson Bayou, Section 21, T12S, R13W, (proposed trenass maintenance), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020512) e. Jim Robinson - North Johnson

Bayou, Section 14, T12S, R13W, (proposed trenass maintenance), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020513) f. Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates -West Johnson Bayou, Section 3, T14S,

R14W, (proposed terracing and planti-

ng as mitigation for the Pines Ridge NE Prospect No. 2 Well - P011789), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020517) g. Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates North Johnson Bayou, Section 8, 17 & 20, T12S, R13W, (proposed terracing and planting as mitigation for the Pines Ridge NE Prospect No. 2 Well -P011789), Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

(020518)h. Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates -North Johnson Bayou, Section 8, 17 & 20, T12S, R13W, (proposed terracing and planting as mitigation for the Matilda Gray No. 1 Well - P011697), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020519)

i. Connie Daigle - Big Lake, Section 13, T12S, R9W, (proposed excavation & fill), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020520)

j. Sabine National Wildlife Refuge -South Hackberry, Section 32, T13S, (proposed rehabilitate se and bulkhead wall), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020521) k. Mission Resource Corporation -

North Holly Beach, Sections 1 & 12, T14S, R14W and Section 6, T14S,

R13W, (proposed wave dampening terracing for mitigation on production activities by Newfield Exploration Company), Can Louisiana. (020522) Cameron l. Gordie Hicks - Holly Beach, Section 2, T15S, R11W, (proposed boat

shed and trenass maintenance),

Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020523)

m. Chad Deshotel - Grand Lake, Section 14, T12S, R8W, (proposed exca-vation and fill), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020524) n. Dorothy Boudreaux - Oak Grove, Section 1, T15S, R8W, (proposed boat

shed and enlarge boat slip), Cameron

o. Richard Harrington - Johnson Bayou, Section 8, T15S, R14W, (proposed excavation for a pond), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020526)

Parish, Louisiana. (020525)

p. Marian Miller Green - Section 41, T15S, R6W, (proposed 8' x 32' timber pier on the Mermentau River), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. (020530) It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that the application for the following permit be and the same is hereby approved with the stipulations setforth by the Cameron Parish Police Jury, as follows, a) a performance or surety bond in the amount of one hundred, fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) must be submitted to the police jury prior to any work commencing, (b) all buoys must be marked and easily identified, c) a clean up crew must pick up wires, charges, flagging, buoys, etc., after each two line segment is shot, d) local fishermen and local scout boats must be hired to monitor operations. and e) no seismic activity is allowed during hunting season in hunting

Lake Ronel Oil Company - West Johnson Bayou, Various section in T12S, R14W and T13S, R14W, (proposed 3-D seismic shoot of 37 receiving

lines), Cameron Parish, Louisiana. It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mr. Sandifer and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury shall accept the resignation of Cliff Cabell as a member of the Hackberry Recreation District Board and furthermore, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to write a letter to Mr. Cabell thanking

him for serving on the Board. It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mr. Sandifer and carried, that Michael Devall, Jr. is hereby appointed to serve as a member of the Hackberry Recreation District Board.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that Layne Boudreaux is hereby reappointed to serve as a member of the Johnson Bayou Recreation District Board.

It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury shall accept the resignation of Jeffery Alleman as a member of the Gravity Drainage District No. Nine Board and furthermore, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to write a letter to Mr. Alleman thanking him for serving on the Board.

It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that Rueben LaBauve is hereby appointed to serve as a member of the Gravity Drainage District No. Nine Board.

It was moved by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury shall accept the resignation of Gregory January as a member of the Recreation District No. Seven Board and furthermore, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to write a letter to Mr. January thanking him for serving on the Board.

It was moved by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that Greg Wicke is hereby appointed to serve as a member of the Recreation

District No. Seven Board. It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury shall accept the resignation of Gary Primeaux as a member of the Recreation District No. Nine Board and furthermore, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to write a letter to Mr. Primeaux thanking him for serving on the Board.

onded by Mr. Scott Trahan and carried, that James "Butch" Conner is hereby appointed to serve as a member of the Recreation District No. Nine Board.

It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, sec-

It was moved by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that Charles McDaniel, Jr. is cont. on pg. 6..

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by appointed to serve as a member of

the Industrial Development Board. It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury shall accept the resignation of John C. Duhon as a member of the Communications District Board and furthermore, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to write a letter to Mr. Duhon thanking him for serving on the Board.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that Todd Morrison is hereby appointed to serve as a member of the Ambulance District No. Two Board.

It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign an Interagency Agreement by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and the Cameron Parish Library concerning a satellite library to be located on the south portion of the Grand Chenier Park property.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign a lease by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and Bel Commercial, LLC, for the Big Lake wharf parking lot.

It was moved by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign a lease by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and Beaulah Mae Primeaux. The property will be used for a fire station in the Fire District No.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the President is hereby authorized. empowered and directed to sign a maintenance agreement by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for grass mowing and litter pickup.

It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign a lease by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church. This lease is for a polling place.

It was moved by Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign a lease by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and the American Legion Hall Post No. 364. This lease is for a

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign an agreement by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and the Louisiana Ornithological Society. This lease is for a lookout tower.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and carried, that the President is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to sign a Household Hazardous Waste grant application to the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for the purchase of road equipment, as follows: one (1) new Cab and Chassis and one (1) new Dump Truck.

In response to an advertisement of bids published in the Official Journal, the following bids were received for renovations to the Johnson Bayou

Branch Library: BIDDER; BASE BID; ALTER-

Ribbeck Construction; \$40,630; -0-

Triple A Construction; 31,500; +\$2,900.00 Considering the bid of Triple A Construction to be the lowest, responsible bid, it was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Steve Trahan and car-

same is hereby accepted. The following resolution was offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and declared duly adopted:

ried, that said base bid be and the

RESOLUTION BE IT RESOLVED, that the following millages are hereby levied on the 2002 tax roll on the property subject to taxation by the Cameron Parish Police

DISTRICT; MILLAGE PARISHWIDE TAX; 3.72 MILLS PARISHWIDE ROAD TAX; 6.61

COURTHOUSE MAINTENANCE

TAX; 2.64 MILLS

PARISHWIDE GARBAGE TAX; **7.86 MILLS** 

HEALTH UNIT; 0.50 MILLS LIBRARY; 6.00 MILLS

HACKBERRY FIRE DIST. NO. 1 MT.; 4.71 MILLS

CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 1 MT.: 0.00 MILLS CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 7

MT.; 4.22 MILLS CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 10

MT.; 2.00 MILLS CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 16

MT.; 11.32 MILLS CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 10 SK.; 2.20 MILLS

CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 9 SK.; .20 MILLS

CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 16 SK.; 0.00 MILLS

HACKBERRY FIRE DIST. NO. 1 SK.; 3.90 MILLS

CAMERON FIRE DIST. NO. 7 SK.; 12.90 MILLS

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the property administrative officials of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for the year 2002, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the District, according to law, and that the tax herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on the property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and the collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided

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

YEAS: Dusty Sandifer, Steve Trahan, Norma Pinch, Scott Trahan, Charles Precht, III., James Doxey NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None ABSENT: None

It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and carried, that a development permit variance be granted to Hebert's Restaurant & Marina to build a commercial building below the base flood elevation requirement. This variance was granted for economic development reasons and allowed the structure to be built 6.7 feet below the base flood elevation requirement.

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury does hereby hire Bill Heine, of Associated Benefit Consultants of LA, Inc., as an independent health insurance consultant to provide assistance with the

health insurance program.

It was moved by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the Secretary is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for Notice of Intention of the Police Jury to abandon the following described public Right-of-Way, the same being of no further public use, necessity or convenience and that a public hearing be held to receive comments concerning the proposed abandonment at the regular meeting at the Police Jury Annex Building on June 3, 2002 at 5:00 P.M.:

Beginning at a point which is 388.39 feet S 89∞38'00" E from the Southeast corner of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 32, Township 14 South, Range 7 West, Cameron Parish, Louisiana; thence running S 00×23'27" W a distance of 811.62 feet; thence turning and running N 84∞18'28" W a distance of 224.96 feet to a point on the East right-of-way line of an existing Parish Road; thence turning and running S 00∞23'27" W a distance of 52.22 feet along said right-of-way line; thence turning and running S 84∞18'28" E a distance of 356.67 feet; thence turning and running N 05∞41'32" E a distance of 52.00 feet; thence turning and running N 84×18'28" W a distance of 76.27 feet; thence turning and running N 00∞23'27 E a distance of 817.24 feet; thence turning and running N 89\sim 38'00" W a distance of 60.00 feet; to the point of beginning, said right-ofway containing 1.5505 acres. This road is located in the Warren Miller subdivi-

It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mr. Scott and carried, that the following Plan Change is hereby

PLAN CHANGE AND/OR SPECIAL AGREEMENT PROJECT NO.: 2002-02 PROJECT NAME: Road Improvements in Cameron Parish Asphalt Overlay and Base

Construction Base Bid Overrun: \$102,913.49

To adjust quantities of materials involved in deleting one-half mile overlay of Parish Road No. 201 (Little Chenier Road), add an additional twoinch lift to Parish Road No. 653 (Superior Road), and add Health Unit Road in Cameron and Baseball Park Road in Creole to project.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Doxey, seconded by Mr. Scott Trahan and declared duly adopt-

RESOLUTION A RESOLUTION RATIFYING AND APPROVING RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CAMERON PARISH WATER AND WASTEWATER DISTRICT NO. ONE OF CAMERON PARISH, LOUISIANA.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana, as follows:

SECTION I: Authority and approval of this Police Jury is hereby given in compliance with the constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana to the Board of Commissioners of Cameron Parish Water and Water Wastewater District No. One of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, to adopt a proposed resolution, the title of which provides as follows:

RESOLUTION Resolution ordering and calling a special election to be held in Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. One of the Parish of Cameron, Louisiana, newly created, by combining the water and sewer districts using the same boundaries as the water district, to authorize the levying of a tax of nine and forty hundredths (9.40) mills on the dollar of assessed valuation on all property subject to taxation in said District for a period of ten (10) years, commencing in the year 2002, for the purpose of operating and maintaining said District's water and wastewater systems within and for said District. All current and future funds, revenue, and ad valorem maintenance taxes will be combined under new name, Water Parish Wastewater District No. One. All current ad valorem taxes being collected will be abolished; and making application to the State Bond Commission and providing for other matters in connection therewith

The foregoing resolution was submitted to a vote and the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Charles Precht III, Steve Trahan, Scott Trahan, Norma Jo Pinch, James Doxey, Dusty Sandifer

NAYS: None ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: None ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRÉSI-

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

/s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY

It was moved by Mr. Scott Trahan, seconded by Mr. Sandifer and carried, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to appropriate five thousand dollars (\$5,000) from the General Fund to each of the following districts: Library, Gravity Drainage District No. Four, and Gravity Drainage District No.

Eight. It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that Item No. 28, IMCAL dues, shall be tabled.

It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to pay the April, 2002 bills.

It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the agenda meeting shall be rescheduled for 5:00 P.M., Tuesday, May 28, 2002 due to the Memorial Day

The following amendment to the

Elections Ordinance was offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and

declared duly adopted: AN ORDINANCE PARISH OF CAMERON, LOUISIANA AMENDING ORDINANCE OF APRIL 2002 WHICH ESTABLISHED AND DEFINED THE TERRITORIAL LIM-ITS OF PRECINCTS WITHIN THE PARISH OF CAMERON, STATE OF LOUISIANA.

DELETE Section 1. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 2. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption

Section 1. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed upon adoption.
Section 2. This ordinance shall

ecome effective December 31, 2002. It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that the following items shall be added to the agenda:

33. Johnson Bayou Boat Launch 34. Purchase of Truck - Hackberry

35. Resolution - Oyster Bayou It was moved by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and carried, that Lonnie Harper, P.E. is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for the acceptance of bids for

dock improvements at Sabine Pass. It was moved by Mr. Steve Trahan, seconded by Mr. Doxey and carried, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to purchase a one-ton truck through state contract on behalf of the Hackberry Fire District.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Sandifer, seconded by Mrs. Pinch and declared duly adopted: RESOLUTION

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF CAMERON
WHEREAS, Cameron Parish is suffering a loss of marshland due to erosion caused by saltwater intrusion om the Calcasieu Ship Channel and;

WHEREAS, these same wetlands serve as nursery grounds for fisheries and are becoming open water areas,

WHEREAS, the Coastal Wetland Planning, Protection and Restoration Act and the State Wetland Trust Fund provide monies to restore wetlands and rotect against erosion.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cameron Parish Police Jury does hereby support and request that funds be provided for the Oyster Bayou Hydrologic Restoration Project and that this project be placed on the Coastal Wetland Planning, Protection and Restoration Act Project

ADOPTED AND APPROVED, this 6th day of May, 2002.

APPROVED: /s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRÉSI-

CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY ATTEST: s/Bonnie W. Conner

BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY There being no further business, on motion of Mrs. Pinch, seconded by Mr. Sandifer and carried, the meeting was declared adjourned. APPROVED:

/s/Charles Precht, III CHARLES PRECHT, III, PRESIDENT CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY ATTEST:

/s/Bonnie W. Conner BONNIE W. CONNER, SECRETARY RUN: Jun. 20 (J 51)

PROCEEDINGS

Cameron, Louisiana June 10, 2002 The Committee of the Whole met on this date at 3:00 p.m. with the following members present: Howerton - President, Glenda Abshire, Clifton Morris, Marvin Trahan, Tony Johnson, and Dot Theriot.

Absent: None. On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Committee approved the agenda

On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Committee approved the minutes from the May 13, 2002 meeting.

The Committee heard a report from M. B. Slocum regarding Excess Workman's Compensation.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs . Abshire, the Committee received the financial report.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, bills were reviewed for payment.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Committee adjourned.

APPROVED: Patrick Howerton, President CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

ATTEST: Judith Jones, Secretary CAMERON PARIŠH SCHOOL

Cameron, Louisiana

June 10, 2002 The Cameron Parish School Board met in regular session on this date with the following members present: -Pat Howerton - President, Glenda Abshire, Dot Theriot, Clifton Morris, Tony Johnson, and Marvin Trahan.

Absent: None. On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved the agenda with an addition.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board approved the minutes of the May 13, 2002 regular meeting.

Mr. Lee Nunez spoke prior to consideration of the next item.

On motion of Mrs. Theriot, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved a request by veterans and changed the 2002-2003 school calendar to include a school holiday for Memorial Day. The Board recognized Adam

Trahan as a state 4H Club winner (3rd Shotgun and 1st - Black Powder). He is eligible for national competition. On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board called a special meeting for June 28, 2002 at

9:00 a.m. to adopt final budget revisions for the 2001-2002 fiscal year. On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board received a report from M. B. Slocum on the

Excess Workman's Compensation pro-On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board received a revision to Policy IEC - Class Size, for approval at the July meeting:

"The School Board further directs that any class in grades K-3 that reaches twenty-five (25) students to be split into two separate classes only if the enrollment numbers are reached on or before the end of the first two

weeks of the fall or spring semester." On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board received a report from supervisors on 2002 test

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board authorized advertising for bids on the follow-

ing for the 2002-2003 school year:

a. Duplicating paper b. Paper goods

c. Janitorial supplies On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board authorized advertising for bids on the follow-

ing for the 2002-2003 school

a. Bread b. Milk

c. Food d. Non-food

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board named the Cameron Pilot as official journal

for 2002-2003. On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board received comments from Rick Merchant, CAE President.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved revisions to the Support ersonnel Evaluation Manual (Non- $Instructional\ Computer\ Assistant).$ 

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Morris, the Board approved personnel items as follows: Appointment:

Tonya Harrington - Sweeper (8 hrs./day) - Johnson Bayou High School Aimee Young - Teacher at Grand Lake High School - maternity leave (6-8 weeks at beginning of 2002-2003

school year) Retirement:

Judith Jones - Superintendent - December 31, 2002

Resignation: Jana Watson - Talented Teacher South Cameron Elementary School Angela Ardoin - Teacher - Grand Lake High School

On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board received proposed Policy IFD - Parental Involvement in Education, to be approved at the July meeting.

ed by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved paying accumulated sick leave (not to exceed 25 days) to Sandra Hession, Linda McKinney, and Glada Guidry. On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board tabled

purchasing storage buildings request-

On motion of Mr. Johnson, second-

ed by schools. On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board approved payment of application No. 15 (additions, renovations to Hackberry High School SD 15 bond issue) in the amount of \$129,643.91 to Alfred Palma, Incorporated.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved out-of-state travel for Ruby Dupuie for a technology conference in Florida (fully funded by Title I).

Mr. Teddy Broussard spoke prior to consideration of the next item. On motion of Mrs. Theriot, secondby Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved appointing a committee comprised of Board members to determine a time line and process for selecting a

new Superintendent. The committee

members will be Pat Howerton, Glenda Abshire, and Dot Theriot. Mr. Howard Romero spoke prior to consideration of the next item. A motion by Mr. Trahan to revise a resolution adopted February 18, 2002 to include "part" and "all" verbiage as

per the Department of Elections, died for lack of a second. On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board added an item to the agenda to call a special meeting to consider a plan of action as

to reapportionment. On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board set a special meeting for Tuesday, June 18, 2002 at 4 p.m. to consider a plan of action

regarding reapportionment. On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved Rick Merchant's request for payment of 25 days unused sick leave.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Morris, the Board accepted the resignation of Shantelle Richard, Lunchroom Technician at Cameron Elementary School.

On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved paying application No. 11 for reroofing and a/c at South Cameron High School, Cameron Elementary School, and South Cameron Elementary School in the amount of \$256,597.85, SD 10 bond

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board tabled a request from Vickie Little regarding a request for a baseball program at South Cameron High School. The vote

is recorded as follows: YEAS: Mrs. Abshire, Mr. Morris, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Trahan, Mr.

Howerton NAYS: Mrs. Theriot

ABSENT: None On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board received proposed changes to the Lice Control Policy (JGCC) and to the Student Code of Conduct (JCDA) policy to be

approved at the July meeting. On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Theriot, the Board adopted the following policy:
"While the operation of the

Cameron Parish School Board and its schools is governed by the provisions of this and all other policies, as well as the procedures of the individual schools, no policy manual can list each and every instance of misconduct that is precluded. Accordingly, employees are cautioned that the appropriateness of certain action or behavior must necessarily be dictated by the nature of the position held by the employee and common sense. By virtue of one's education and experience, an employee knows and understands that certain actions or conduct are unacceptable even in the absence of a formal policy. For instance without the need of a specific prohibition or warning, a classroom teacher should be aware of the impropriety of certain practices such as leaving students unattended, using profanity or sexually suggestive language or bringing a firearm onto campus. Such conduct constitutes both incompetency and willful neglect of duty and will result in the imposition of discipline up to and including termi-

On motion of Mr. Johnson, second-

ed by Mr. Trahan, the Board tabled approval of the District Technology Plan until the July meeting.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved moving to executive session regarding possible litigation.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board returned to regular session.

On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Board received the report regarding possible litigation. On motion of Mr. Johnson, second-

ed by Mrs. Theriot, the Board approved the financial report for May. On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board

approved payment of bills. On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board adjourned until the special meeting of June 18, 2002. Another special meeting is set for

June 28, 2002 and the next regular ses-

sion is July 8, 2002. APPROVED: Patrick Howerton, President CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL

BOARD ATTEST: Judith Jones, Secretary SCHOOL CAMERON PARISH BOARD RUN: Jun. 20 (J 52)

NOTICE

Public of Federal Notice Consistency Review of a Proposed Initial Joint Development Operations Coordination Document by the Coastal Management Division/Louisiana Department of Natural Resources for the plan's consistency with the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program.

Applicant: Transworld Exploration and Production, Inc., 910 Travis Street, Suite 800, Houston, Texas 77002. Surface Location: Vermilion Block

385 OCS-G-12880 Description: Proposed Initial Joint Development Operations Coordination Document for the above area provides for the completion of one, the possible drilling of a second well, the installation of a platform and the installation of a pipeline. Operations will require transport of personnel and equipment by helicopter and/or cargo vessel from an onshore base located at Cameron, Louisiana. All drill cuttings and drill fluids will be shunt to the bottom through a downpipe that terminates an appropriate distance but no more than 10 meters from the bottom.

A copy of the plan described above available for inspection at the Coastal Management Division Office located on the 10th floor of the State Land and Natural Resources Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge Louisiana, 70802. Office hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

The public is requested to submit comments to the Coastal Management Division, Attention: OCS Plans, P. O. Box 44487, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4487. Comments must be received within 15 days of this notice 15 days after the Coastal Management Section obtains a copy of the plan and it is available for public inspection. This public notice is provided to meet the regulations of the NOAA Regulations on Federal Consistency with approved Coastal Management Programs. RUN: June 20 (J-55)

NOTICE I AM APPLYING to the Office of Alcoholic Beverage and Tobacco Control of the State of Louisiana for a permit to sell beverages of high and low alcoholic content at retail in the Parish of Cameron at the following address:

450 Veterans Memorial Drive Gueydan, LA 70542 Klondike Country Mart /s/Debra Badon Monceaux, Owner Petition of Opposition should be made in writing in accordance with L.R.S. Title 26, Section 85 and 283.

RUN: June 20, 27 - J 56

NOTICE I AM APPLYING to the Office of Alcoholic and Tobacco Control of the State of Louisiana for a permit to sell beverages of high and low alcoholic content at retail in the Parish of Cameron at the following address:

607 Hwy. 384, Lake Charles, LA Snowmobiles & Muddboats

/s/Estella Marie Mudd Petition of Opposition should be made in writing in accordance with L.R.S. Title 26, Section 85 and 283.

RUN: June 20, 27 - J 57 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. L.C.U.P.# 020709. Name of Applicant: Joseph Neil Granger. 10263 Gulf Hwy. Grand Lake,

Location of permit: Grand Lake, Section 17, T12S, R8W, Cameron Parish. Louisiana.

Character of Work: Approximately 4,000 cubic yards of sand, clay and topsoil to be excavated and used as fill for a house pad, build a road, and fill for the property. The excavated area will be used for a fishpond. 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.

### Caladiums are made for shade

By Dan Gill LSU AgCenter Horticulturist

Caladiums are an indispensable part of shady summer gardens. They,re easy enough to grow that the casual gardener can expect routine success, but their elegant beauty also makes them a staple in the most accomplished gardener,s land-

Native to tropical South America, caladiums thrive in the heat and humidity of Louisiana,s long summers.

Caladiums are grown for their attractive foliage, which is produced from knobby brown tubers gardeners often call bulbs. The 6-inch to 12-inch heart-shaped leaves emerge from the ground on arching stems that are generally 1-2 feet

The foliage may be splashed with combinations of white, pink, rose, red, burgundy, chartreuse or green ^ often with several colors combined in wonderful patterns. These bright leaves embellish our shady gardens with their bold texture from May until October, when the tubers go dormant. Better yet, they are remarkably free from major insect or disease problems.

Caladiums grow best in shade to partial shade (two hours to four hours of direct sun, preferably morning). In these conditions, they produce lush growth with large, colorful leaves. Some cultivars are tolerant of sunnier conditions and are successful in beds receiving partial sun to full sun (six hours or more of direct sun), but you still must avoid hot, dry, sunny locations.

Caladiums you purchase at nurseries usually have been grown in shady greenhouses, and the foliage will often scorch or burn if you plant them into beds that receive too much direct sun. This results in brown areas and holes literally burned into the leaves. If the cultivar is sun tolerant, new foliage will emerge adapted to the sunnier conditions, but I still think caladiums planted in full sun always seem to look stressed.

tubers now and plant them directly into well-prepared beds. Some nurseries have caladium tubers on special sales now, and since our growing season is so long, it is not too late to plant Caladium plants also are available in 4-inch to 6-inch

pots. They will provide immedi-

You can buy caladium

ate color in the landscape when planted 8-12 inches apart, and they will grow larger and more beautiful through the summer. Careful bed preparation will ensure healthy, robust plants. Turn the soil in the area to be planted and then incorporate a 4-inch layer of organic matter such as compost, rotted manure or peat moss. Next, lightly sprinkle the area with an all-purpose fertilizer according to the package directions and

little slow-release fertilizer can be placed around each tuber as it is planted into the bed. Caladium plants should be planted with the top of the root ball level with the soil of the bed. Once they are planted, mulch the bed with 2 inches of

your favorite mulch and then

rake it into the upper few inches

of the soil. As an alternative, a

water them in. Plant unsprouted tubers about 1 inch to  $1 \square$  inches below the soil surface. You should see growing points or even pinkishwhite sprouts on the knobby side of the tuber. That side is planted up. The smoother, rounded side is the bottom of the tuber. When you plant unsprouted tubers, wait until shoots from tubers have grown several inches tall before

mulching them. Always keep beds of caladiums well watered during the summer, especially those receiving lots of sun.

The colorful, tropical foliage of caladiums combines beautifully with impatiens, begonias, torenias, liriope, ferns, achimenes, gingers and other shade-loving plants.

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 366, 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 366, Cameron, Louisiana 70631. Sincerely,

/s/ Earnestine T. Horn, Coastal Zone Administrator CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY RUN: June 20 - J 59

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FOR SALE: Formal Dress (Size 8) Burgundy with beads. Bissell shampooer (New), used once. Ab doer (New). Best offer. Call 775-7361 Home or 540-0203.

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TUPPERWARE CONSUL-TANT, Sharon Furs. Give Sharon a call at 775-5778 if you would like to see the new Tupperware Book.

T & G Gifts, The Best Store on the Web. Novelties, flowers, jewelry, wallets, collectibles, toys, Divine Inspiration, children's books, dollhouse furniture, musicals, retail, fundraisers, free shipping. Glyn and Tammy Taylor, 337-588-4768. www.tnggifts.com. 5/30-6/20p.

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> FORGET SOMEONE'S Birthday? Let them remember you all year long with a subscription to The Cameron Parish Pilot. Call (337)786-8004 or 1-800-256-7323 for rate information. With advance payment, we will be happy to send a card announcing your gift.

### - NOTICE -

The Cameron Parish School Board will meet in special session on Friday, June 28, 2002, at 9:00 a.m. to adopt final budget revisions for fiscal year 2001-2002.

**RUN: JUNE 20 (J-60)** 

### — PUBLIC NOTICE —

The regular meeting of Cameron Parish Waterworks District No. 9 will be changed to Tuesday, June 25, 2002, at 6:30 p.m., Grand Chenier Office of Waterworks District, Grand Chenier, LA. This is due to holiday June 27, 2002. **RUN: June 20 (J-58)** 

#### - NOTICE -

The Cameron Police Jury is accepting resumes/applications for a clerical position. Must have a high school diploma, experience with computers and office equipment and ability to work well with the public. Starting salary is \$9.45 per hour plus benefits. Deadline for submission of resumes/applications is Friday, June 21, 2002.

The Cameron Parish Police Jury does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, age, sex, handicap, national origin or political or religious opinions.

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# ATTENTION

**Customers of Cameron Parish Waterworks** No. 11 (Grand Lake-Sweet Lake)

Waterworks District No. 11 is currently experiencing problems with its billing system which may have resulted in discrepancies in some customers' accounts. We are currently undergoing an audit in an effort to identify and correct these problems. We ask for your patience.

> **Charles Precht. III. President Cameron Parish Police Jury**

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### — PUBLIC NOTICE —

TO ALL OCCUPANTS AND RESIDENTS OF CAMERON PARISH WATER AND WASTEWATER **DISTRICT NO. 1:** 

The City will be conducting leak tests in the Sanitary Sewer System by blowing smoke into these pipes. This smoke will reveal sources of sewer odors in your neighborhood as well as places where storm and other surface waters are entering the Sanitary System. A special nontoxic smoke will be used in this test.

All residents are advised that if traces of this smoke or its odor enter your house or building, it is an indication that gases and odors from the sewer also may enter.

**Prior to testing we will notify the Cameron Parish** Sheriff's Department and Cameron Parish Fire Department.

If you have any questions or desire more information, please telephone the Cameron Parish Water and Wastewater District No. 1.

**RUN: June 20 (J-44)** 

# Hackberry Ramblers receive Nat'l Heritage Fellowship award

**CAROLYN MCMANUS** Southwest Daily News

Luderin Darbone and Edwin Duhon, co-founders of the worldrenowned Hackberry Ramblers, were honored this month by the National Endowment of the Arts

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 2 year old Murray 14.5 Hp, 40" cut Lawn Mower with 2 - 33 gallon grass baggers. \$700. Call 775-5929. 6/13-7/4p.

FOR SALE: House to be moved. Call 337-775-5820 or 775-5961 after 5 p.m. 6/6-20p.

#### GARAGE SALES

HUGE 5 Family Garage Sale, Saturday, June 22, 7 a.m. until. 5080 West Creole Hwy. 1st house west of Hixson Funeral Home. Cheap prices. 6/20p.

HAVE OLD or unusual items that are still in good condition and you would hate to throw them away. Have a Garage Sale! Put a classified ad in our paper to announce your Garage Sale! Cost: \$4 for 25 words or less and just 10¢ a word after that. Prepaid please! Remember to put the location, date, times, address, and any unique item in your ad. Due by 10 a.m. Tuesday. Mail to: Ad and payment to P. O. Box 995, DeQuincy, La 70633 or stop by Clipper Office Supply, 128 School St. in Cameron. (337)786-8004.

#### **RV SALES**

2002 CLEARANCE Sale on all new and used units. Kite Bros RV, Hwy 171 N DeRidder. Mon-Sat 8-5, 1-800-456-2724. www.kitebros.com 5/23tfc.

#### NOTICES

MATTHEW CH. 7 vs. 17: Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit. Vs. 20: Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them. 6/19p.

HAPPY ADS are here again!!! Place a happy ad for as little as \$20.50. Price includes photo and art work. Bring your request along with photo and payment to Clipper Office Supply by 4 p.m. Monday or mail to P. O. Box 995, DeQuincy, LA 70633. Ads must be signed.

#### DIRT & GRAVEL

DIXIE DIRT and Sand serving Cameron Parish with top soil, sand, clay, building house pads, driveways clearing land, delivery of limestone, road base, bottom ash rock. Local owners are Butch and Jackie Bertrand, 24 hour answering service 598-2485, Office 542-4693. 5/16-8/1p.

#### WORK WANTED

ROOFING, CARPENTRY and Vinyl siding. Call 542-4021. 5/23-6/20p.

as recipients of the 2002 National Heritage Fellowship. This award is the nation's highest honor in folk and traditional

The legendary band has loyal fans all over the United States as well as many other countries throughout the world. Although they have had faithful fans in Europe for many years, the Hackberry Ramblers returned this week from their very first performance in Europe. They played to an appreciative crowd at the Cajun and Zydeco Festival Raamsdonksveer, Holland.

Edwin Duhon said," We played to people of all ages at the festival. When we finished playing many of the women started crying. Luderin and I were concerned at first. Then one of the women told us that they were crying with joy and that they were overwhelmed by our music. They were so appreciative that we had visited their country.

Luderin Darbone said, "We had a wonderful time in Europe. Many of the people there spoke English and they made us feel right at home. They served us Cajun food and coffee that tasted just like good Louisiana cooking. One of the chefs at the festival had received some of his training here.

"There was only one other band from Louisiana there; all of the other 'Cajun' bands there were from Belgium, France, Germany or Holland. Cajun music is very popular in Europe.

"One of the German men who came to the festival brought me a copy of the June issue of the Dutch "Country Gazette", it had a wonderful article about the Hackberry Ramblers complete with individual pictures of the band members.

"I can honestly say that our only problem, and it was a minor one, occurred before we even left the country. When we applied for our passports, we

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE IS GIVEN pursuant to Section 21(D) of Article IV of the Louisiana Constitution for 1974 that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. has filed tariffs with the Louisiana Public Service Commission on June 5, 2002. These filings increase the monthly rates for certain BellSouth® MemoryCall® services, as well as the monthly rates for certain residential BellSouth® Voice Mail services. The new rates are scheduled to become effective beginning August 4, 2002. If you wish additional information regarding these tariff filings, you may contact your BellSouth Representa-

(a) **BELLSOUTH** 

# Thank You,

On behalf of myself and the employees of the Cameron Parish Sheriff's Department, I would like to thank the Cameron Ministerial Alliance for honoring us during National Police Week with a delicious lunch. This department has always strived to provide the community with effective law enforcement and it is nice to know that our efforts have not gone unnoticed. We thank you for your support.

**RUN: June 20 (J-45)** 

James R. "Sono" Savoie Sheriff, Cameron Parish

# - PUBLIC NOTICE -

The Cameron Parish School Board Pupil Progression Plan Committee will meet on Wednesday, June 26, 2002, at 1:00 p.m., at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, 246 Dewey St., in Cameron, Louisiana, for the purpose of reviewing and recommending the 2002-03 Cameron Parish Pupil Progression Plan for approval by the Cameron Parish School Board. The approval of the plan appears on the official agenda of the July 8, 2002, Cameron Parish School Board Meeting. Any questions concerning the Cameron Parish Pupil Progression Plan, 2002-03, should be directed to Stephanie Rodrigue, **Supervisor of Curriculum and Instruction, at (337)** 775-5784. ext. 30.

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had to come up with some inventive ways of proving who we were and our ages.

"I am 89 and Edwin is 92 so when we were born they didn't register births like they do now. We both had baptismal certificates and I had my drivers license from the 1940s. "Edwin had to have one of his children go with him to fill out age verification papers. You know, Edwin and Cecile had 12 children. Mary Lue and I just had the one boy, Eddie, Darbone said.

Because their love for life and their desire to please audiences came through in their music, the Hackberry Ramblers enjoyed success almost immedi-

By the end of the 1930s, the band not only played for audiences in both Louisiana and Texas, but they were appearing on live radio broadcasts and were recording on RCA's Blue Bird label, cutting over 100 titles by the end of the 1940s.

In 1992 they were inducted into the Louisiana Hall of Fame. In 1993 they released their album "Cajun Boogie," and in 1996 they received the Governor's Arts Award. in 1997

#### Miller Livestock Markets Inc. **DeQuincy, LA** Sat. June 15, 2002

Livestock receipts cattle 629, horses 7, hogs 32 sheep 80, and goats 116. BABY CALVES: Dairy  $30^{\omega} \cdot 50^{\omega}$  per HD, beef  $75^{\omega} \cdot 140^{\omega}$  per HD, Roping Calves 1.10-1.65 per Ib. STEER & HEIFER CALVES: 200-300 lb. Steers 100-1.25 per lbs, Heifers 90-1.10 per lb, 300-400 lbs. Steers 85-1.05 per lb, Heifers 65-90 per lb, 400-500 lbs. Steers: 75-1.00 per lb, Heifers 70-90 per lb, 500-600 lbs steers: <u>.65-.72,</u> Heifers: <u>.60-.68</u> per lb, 600 700 lbs steers: <u>.62-.70</u> per lb, Heifers: <u>.60-.65</u> pe b. **COWS:** Cutter & Utility: .40-.43 per lb. Canners 36-39 per lb. Fat Cows: 37-40 per lb. Thin Cows: 29-32 per lb. Slaughter Bulls: .45-56 per lb. Feeder Bulls: .55-62 per lb. COW/CALF PAIRS: 600<sup>∞</sup> 850<sup>∞</sup> per pair. **PREGNANCY TESTED** COWS: 450 650 per head. HOGS: Choice bar row and gilts .<u>33-.40</u>, medium barrow and gilts 30-33, butcher pigs NONE per lb, feeder pigs NONE, Sows 300-500 lbs 30-34, boars 8-10 per lb. HORSES: 32 - 52 per lb, GOATS & SHEEP:

#### **FOURTH OF JULY CLOSURE MILLER LIVESTOCK** MARKETS, INC.

WILL BE CLOSED THE WEEK OF **JULY FOURTH IN DEQUINCY** <u>THERE WILL BE **NO** SALES:</u> MONDAY JULY 1ST HORSE SALE OR SATURDAY JULY 6TH DEQUINCY SALE

WE WILL RE-OPEN: SATURDAY, JULY 13TH IN DEQUINCY **WE WISH YOU AND YOURS A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY!!** 

the Ramblers received a Grammy nomination for their recording of "Deep Water." In 1999, they played at the Grand Ole Opry and they have an exhibit in the Nashville Hall of

Fame. Ramblers, careers started in an era when they had to amplify their instruments off the engine of a running car, have won several Big Easy awards and have played 15 times at the New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival.



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.12/12 Oz. \$3.39 Reg. or Diet.. ..3 Liter Bottle \$1.69 .. 12/10 Oz. \$6.99 Budweiser or Bud Light.. Miller Light... .. 12/10 Oz. \$6.99

Pepperidge Farms Garlic Bread All Flavors. Inland Valley French Fries (All Cuts)......2/\$3.00 Kraft American Cheese Singles 12 Oz. Pkg. \$1.99 (Reg. \$3.47) . Heinz Squeeze Catsup... Vlasic Kosher Dill Spears.

Koolburst Drinks (Asst. Flavors)... Best Yet Corn. Green Beans or Mixed Vegetables. Best Yet Tomato Sauce.. ..8 Oz. 5/\$1.00 Rice A Roni Dinners (All Flavors). Kraft Easy Mac & Cheese... ..12 Oz. \$2.59 LouAna Vegetable or Canola Oil.. ....Gal. \$3.99 Purex Liquid Detergent (All Scents)..... Brawny Paper Towels......6 Roll Pkg. \$4.99 Bordens 1/2 Gal. Round Ice Cream.. ..12 Ct. Box \$2.59 Bordens Twin Pops.... #2 Ribeye Rack (Cut Your Choice).....Lb. \$1.99 Boston Butt Pork Roast... ...Lb. 94¢

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### NOTICE •

The Cameron Council on Aging and Cameron Community Action Agency offices and meal sites will be closed on July 4th and 5th. Anyone needing assistance should call 775-5668 and leave a message. An operator will return your call as soon as possible. Have a safe holiday!

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### -NOTICE-

The Cameron Parish Head Start program is now accepting resumes for the following positions:

Teacher (2 positions open)- one in the Cameron Site and one in the Grand Lake Site. Teacher must have no less than an Associates Degree.

Teacher's Aide (1 position open )- in the Grand Lake Site. Cook (1 position open) in the Grand Lake Site.

Bus Aide (3 positions open)- two in the Cameron Site and one in the Grand Lake Site.

All resumes can be sent to: Cameron Parish Head Start, P.O. Box 610, Cameron, LA 70631. All applicants must have no less than a High School Diploma or GED. Deadline for resume is Monday, June 24. CCAA/ Cameron Parish Head Start is an equal opportunity employer. RUN: Jun. 6, 13, 20 (J 13)

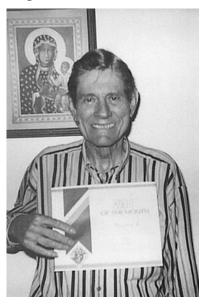
# - NOTICE -

The Cameron Council on Aging contracted with the Calcasieu Sheriff's Department on July 1, 2002 to supply, congregate and home deliver meals for seniors in Cameron Parish. The program has grown over the past year from serving 90 persons per day to serving over 160 persons per day.

Meal sites are now located in Cameron, Creole, Hackberry, Johnson Bayou and Grand Lake. Home delivered meals are delivered throughout the parish. Meals are well balanced and meet one third of RDA of the adult requirements.

If anyone is interested in participating in the program, please call Alice Mason at 775-5668. A waiting list is in effect at this time. Persons age sixty and above are eligible for the program. In order to qualify for the homebound program, a person must be homebound.

Donations for any and all programs are welcomed and appreciated. Donations are used to increase meals served to eligible clients. For more information please call 775-5668. **RUN: June 20 (J-54)** 





**OUR LADY STAR of the Sea Knights of Columbus Council** 5461 named E. J. Dronet, left, as Knight of the Month. Joseph "Sip" Duhon, right, and his wife Ina were named Family of the Month.

# Cameron Outdoors

By LOSTON MCEVERS

#### RECORD FISH

A nice big speckled trout was taken off Long Point in Big Lake recently. Fishing out of Hebert's Marina, Dave Brown landed a trout weighing in at 10 pounds three ounces, measuring 32 inches in length. The trout had already spawned.

This trout will tie the trout Rodney Benoit of Cameron caught last year that had set a Big Lake record. We all know an 11.2 trout caught this year was huge and I'm sure there are still some larger trout in the lake to change leaders in the CCA's Star Trout Tournament.

With the fish officially weighed, this will put Quentin LeBoeuf in second place with a 9.8 trout for the month of June.

Speaking of records, the state record is till 12.38 for speckle trout. In the freshwater category, there's been a change on crappie. The old record had crappie which was really mixed between a white or black crappie category at 6.60 pounds. Now the white and black crappie are two separate categories.

In the white crappie division a 3.38 is number one, measuring 16 5/8 inches in length, with a 15 inch girth. This new state record white crappie was caught in the Red River Parish by Buddy Shepherd.

#### GIBBSTOWN RESULTS

The results of the Gibbstown Dogfight for Monday, June 10 were: first place - Jeb Linscombe and Darren Richard with three bass weighing 6.72 pounds. Jeb and Darren also had the largest bass at 2.98 pounds.

Second place - Danny Demary and Doug Logan with Danny five bass weighing 5.9 pounds. They also had the second largest

bass at 2.32 pounds.
Scott Lewis and Jarod Fontenot had the Choupique Pot

# with a 5.32 pounder.

**DUCK HUNTING** Many of Louisiana's duck hunters are receiving a letter and card from the U. S. Department of the Interior, Wildlife and Fisheries Service, to fill out should you want to take part in the duck wings and/or goose tail feathers from the birds you bag. If you do, you'll receive postage-paid wing envelopes in time for hunting season.

We still don't know just how our 2002-2003 duck season will pan out, but now I hear that it might be 30 days and three ducks, and teal season is still in question. If this does happen, we'll just have to hunt for deer more days and maybe get in a few more rabbit hunts.

#### AREA FISHING

Big Lake still hot on trout, redfish, and flounders. Cameron Jetties still good on large bull reds and speckle trout east of

Rockefeller Refuge has been fair on trout, but some nice redfish are being taken and crabbing is good.

Mermentau River Jetties are fair on reds and trout, but Upper Mud Lake is producing small specks and some redfish.

Offshore fishing for red snapper has been good and the smaller platforms closer to shore from Joseph Harbor to west of Cameron have been good for a variety of different fish.

#### DAYTIME FEEDING

Best, Fri., June 21 - 9 a.m.; good, 3 p.m. Best, Sat., June 22 9:45 a.m.; good - 3:45 p.m. Best, Sun., June 23 - 10:30 a.m.; good - 4:45 p.m.. Best, Mon., June 24 - 11:15 a.m.; good - 5:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. Best, Tues., June 25 - 12:30 p.m.; good, 6:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Best, Wed., June 26 - 1:30 p.m.; good, 7 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Best, Thur., June 27 - 2:15 p.m.; good, 8 a.m. & 8:30

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

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

Through Sept. 2 - C.C.A. -S.T.A.R. tournament - (225)952-

June 24 - Nutria Bounty - 6 p.m. - Cameron Police Jury Annex - Contact Kevin Savoie  $(337)\ 491-2065$ 

June 28 - Captain's Night -Southwest La. Fishing Rodeo -6:30 p.m. - Club headquarters Prien Lake (877) 868-8170

June 29 - Calcasieu Trout Shootout - Burton Coliseum -Call Mike Fraser at 297-2008

June 30 - Lemesche Bass Club Tournament - Amoco -Draw, weigh-in 3 p.m.

July 5-7 - Southwest La. Fishing Club Rodeo - Club headquarters Prien Lake - Call Louis Vallee (877) 868-8170.

# Computer camp to be held

Cameron Elementary will host a "Kiddie Computer Camp" July 15 - 17 at the school computer lab. Students will learn basic computer skills while exploring Louisiana topics.

Classes for students entering grades 1 - 4 will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. each day.

Classes for students entering grades 5 - 7 will be held from 12 to 3 p.m. each day.

Space will be limited for each section so, please, register early. Call Cookie at 775-5518, Monday - Thursday to register. Deadline for registering is July 10, 2002.

# Promotion told

Gilbert L. Daigle, Jr., has been promoted to Third Class Petty Officer.

He is currently stationed in Norfolk, VA, and serving on the submarine USS San Francisco

He is the son of Gilbert and Elaine Daigle.

# KC 5461 to host assembly

Our Lady Star of the Sea Council 5461 will host the Msgr. Cramers 4th Degree Assembly on Thursday, June 27.

There will be an Audrey memorial mass outdoors at the Our Lady Shrine at 6 p.m. with a meeting and banquet following at the Cameron KC hall.

Grand Knight Clifton Hebert said a meeting will be held to elect council officers for Cameron and a building committee will be

selected to operate and repair the KC hall.

The KC hall will be used by British Petroleum June 19 and 20. A reception will be held on Saturday, June 29, after the wedding of Brady Duhon and

Bengie Constance.

Joseph and "Sip" Duhon and
Ina were named Family of the Month and E. J. Dronet was named Knight of the Month.

# Creole KCs installation

The J. P. Boudoin Sr. Knights of Columbus Council 3014 of Creole installed officers last Wednesday night at "Ladies

State Deputy Jack O'Reilly and new District Deputy Paul Farnell did the installation. New officers are: Grand Knight -Loston McEvers; Deputy Grand Knight - David Trahan; Chaplain - Father Joseph McGrath; Recorder - Robert E. Conner; Financial Secretary -Kenneth Montie; Treasurer -Jerome Rutherford; Warden -Richard Richard; Chancellor -Terry Conner; Advocate - John "Man" Theriot; Lecturer - J.

Nolan, with Dynegy; Jim Bell

and Allen and Fredine Hinton,

Certificates of appreciation were presented to the Drew

Estate, Dynegy, Jim Bel, Steve

Racca, George Shove, Dinah

Vidrine, Terresa Nunez and

participated in the courtyard

project were recognized. Also

recognized were guests, Kyle

Fontenot, Caleb Hicks and Tate

Buford, who were not members

of the club but had helped in the

courtyard. Outstanding court-yard worker award went to

Penny Thibodeaux received gifts

from the club in appreciation for

club members by grade went to:

their diligence on the job.

Agents Mike Lavergne and

Awards for outstanding

Third grade - 1st, Taylor

Fourth grade - 1st, Trace

Fifth grade - 1st, Lori Beth

Sixth grade - 1st, Travis

Buford; 2nd, Garrett Guidry;

3rd, Emily Bird; honorable men-

Shove; 2nd, Drew East; 3rd,

Kelsey Helmer, HM, Shelby

Constance; 2nd, Samantha

Seventh grade - 1st, Kayla Backlund; 2nd, Natasha Hicks;

3rd, Amber Kelly; HM, Taylor

ed to all members who turned in

record books. These were Kayla

Backlund, Shelby Sanner, Drew

East, Alex Backlund, Lori Beth

Shove, Kelsey Helmer, Natasha

Hicks, Amber Kelly and Trace

memory of club member

Samantha Pitre was presented

were recognized as follows:

A Citizenship Award in

Officers for the coming year

President, Kayla Backlund;

vice president, Kelsey Helmer; secretary, Natasha Hicks;

reporter, Lori Beth Shove; trea-

surer, Trace Buford; parliamentarian, Drew East; CRD chair-

man, Amber Kelly; entertain-

ment chairman, Shelby Sanner.

Eighth grade club mem-

East; 2nd, Sarah White.

Eighth grade - 1st, Darra

4-H Dogtags were present-

tion, Alex Backlund.

Sanner.

Buford.

to Trace Buford.

secretary,

4-H Club members who

with the hunting lodge.

Elanor Lyons.

Trace Buford.

Burton Daigle; Trustees - Burl LaBove, Scott Trahan, and Charles Theriot; Guards - Rufus McEvers and Gervis Conner; Honorary Guards - Clifford Conner, Richard Dahlen, Ray Hendrix, Fredman Theriot, Terry Conner, and J. Burton

Daigle.

The Council named Charles
Glenn Theriot, outgoing Grand
Knight, as Knight of the Month. The Charles Theriot family was chosen Family of the Month.

The KC Ball club will have barbecue dinners for sale on Sunday, June 23rd starting at 9:30 a.m. at the KC Hall in

# production up in parish **CAPITAL NEWS** \$1.5 million for two of the three Awards Night held months first-quarter natural resource production in Cameron

Hackberry Jr. 4-H Club bers, Darra East and Sarah held its annual awards night White, were recognized since they will be moving on to the Wednesday, May 29. The club enjoyed a hamburger supper at senior club. Bel's Hilton Hunting Lodge.
Special guests were Randy

Hackberry 4-H

Lori Beth Shove Reporter

# Cameron **Elementary** honor lists

Carol Wainwright, principal Cameron Elementary, at Cameron announced the honor and banner roll for the 6th six weeks period ending: May 30, 2002.
First grade honor roll:
Ashley Bowers, Marcus Doxey,

Christopher Guillot, DeVaughn Thompson. First grade banner roll: Kent

Doxey, Shawnda Guidry, Alayna Trahan.

Second grade honor roll: Darby, Donovan Holden January, Andrew Mudd, Chelsea Nunez, Raj Patel, Andrea Shipman, Paige Trahan, Sadie Trahan.

Second grade banner roll: The Grand Lake Jr. Beta Heather Wittmann.

Third grade honor roll: Kristin Broussard, Jade Hill, Kade Pierson, Jada Primeaux, Katie Noveroske, Rhodes, Daryan Richard.

Third grade banner roll: Kelly Guidry.

Fourth grade honor roll: Molly Alexander, Dex Murphy, Caleb Roux, Toss Rowland, Travis Trahan.

Fourth grade banner roll: eagan Wigley, Hallie Meagan Whittington.

Fifth grade honor roll: Kayla Dronet, LaKasha Lassien.

grade honor roll: Sixth Benoit, Kayla Amanda Boullion,  $\operatorname{Lori}$ Bertrand, Michaela Gray. Sixth grade banner roll:

Rachael Fountain, Fabian Jinks, Keyara Lassier, Erika Pickett, Daniel Roberson, Kami Savoie, Thomas Trosclair.

Seventh grade honor roll: onise Abshire, Jaclyn  ${f Adonise}$ Higgins, Dylan Leidig, Haley Willis.

Seventh grade banner roll: Chad Andrews, Baret Bercier, Christmas program. Aaron Doxey.

goes back to the parish.

CAMERON PARISH Livestock exhibitors attended the

Louisiana Limousin Field Day at Burton Coliseum in Lake

Charles. Kami Savoie placed second with her heifer. Lindsey

placed first and third with her heifers. Dylan Jouett showed the

La. Bred Champion heifer and Cody Jouett showed the La. Bred Reserve Champion heifer. Kimily Bourriaque placed second

with her heifer and was the Jr. Limousin Champion Showman.

Kim Bourriaque was Champion Adult Showman. All the exhibitors won a jacket for their Medal of Excellence points.

1st quarter oil and gas

Statewide, severance tax
With severance taxes topping receipts for March rebounded from the previous month's dip to \$36.1 million and reached a total of \$41.2 million, about \$1.1 million more than reported during parish outpaced that recorded for the same period a year earlier. Collections for the first quarter of The March severance tax report from the State Department the year exceeded \$121.1 million, of Revenue listed \$1.7 million for compared to the \$118.2 million recorded for the same threework within the parish boundmonth period of 2001. aries, ranking the parish seventh

(Cody Jouett, reporter)

In its traditional spot at the top of the overall rankings, Plaquemines showed nearly \$8.7 million in March severance taxes. it was again followed by Terrebonne, which reported \$6.3 million. Vermilion and St. Mary traded places in the listing, coming in at \$3.1 million and \$2 million, respectively. Jefferson Davis climbed into the top ranks with \$1.8 million in March taxes, while Lafourche and Cameron held onto their positions with \$1.7 million each (less than \$6000 apart). Iberia dropped from fifth to eighth with \$1.2 mil-The parish collecting the tax on production of natural resources, except lignite and timlion as Calcasieu listed \$1.4 million and Bienville \$1 million to pull into the top 10. Bossier the only other parish to reach \$1 million in March, dropped out of the top 10, as did Acadia and St. enue collected on timber products Bernard.

# G. L. Jr. Beta club active

Sian Hairston, Sabrina Peshoff, Club received community service credit points by washing the fire trucks for the Grand Lake Volunteer Fire Department recently. Fifteen members brought buckets, sponges, and energy to the Grand Lake Volunteer Fire Department on a recent Sunday afternoon. The members washed two fire trucks and the Jaws of Life van. They

overall in the state for the month.

The current figure brought the

2002 first-quarter total to more

than \$5.6 million. By comparison,

production in the parish yielded

\$1.6 million in March 2001, mak-

ing the cumulative total for the

first three months of that year

The majority of the March receipts were listed for natural

gas production, where the parish showed \$998,405. Oil production

contributed another \$718,081 to

the month's total, and the remain-

ing \$53 was registered for sand

ber, annually receives 20 percent

of the total up to \$750,000.

Seventy-five percent of all rev-

\$4.5 million.

production.

also swept the whole firehouse. To become a member of the National Junior Beta Club, students must maintain a 3.0 grade point average and show exemplary character. This past school year was a busy one for the Jr. Beta Club. Members helped out as ushers at open house. After the Sept. 11 tragedy, the members held a coin drive at school and collected over \$500 in coins in three days to donate to the Red Cross.

In November, they held a food drive for Thanksgiving, which collected over three hundred food items to donate to three area churches to distribute to needy people in the community. They also assisted at the For Valentine's Day, the members made Valentine cards to send to a homeless children's home in Tennessee. At the Spring Book Fair, members helped the elementary students "shop" for books. The Jr. Beta members served as ushers during the Social Studies Fair in February.

The Jr. Beta members enjoyed hiding the eggs for the elementary classes' Easter egg hunts. The Beta members washed the fire trucks and then attended the Firemen's monthly meeting to present them with a decorated cake to thank them for all that they do for the community.

On the last days of school, members helped teachers clean, pack, and organize their rooms for the summer.

The Grand Lake Junior Beta Club consists of 33 seventh and eighth graders. Sponsors are Mrs. Beth Ferguson, Mrs. Bobeye Delaney, and Mrs. Jill Manuel. Thirty-one members attended the District Jr. Beta Convention in Lake Charles in February and competed in all contests except the group talent.



KERI CRONAN, Grand Lake Sr. 4-Her, used a game to help teach younger 4-H members about the importance of selecting the proper foods during a nutrition class at Camp Grant Walker.



MEMBERS OF THE Grand Lake Junior Beta Club are shown washing one of the fire trucks of the Grand Lake Volunteer Fire Dept. as one of their community services. They washed two trucks and the Jaws of Life and swept the fire station.