

SUGARTOWN WATERMELONS, famed for their sweetness, are getting some competition from Johnson Bayou watermelons which many people say are sweeter. The above load of melons came out of a field from the Grey Estate at Johnson Bayou by W. L. Lewis of Rosepine. (Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

Joe Soileau enters guilty plea here

By ERIN KELLY
American Press

Former hospital executive Joseph Soileau pleaded guilty to seven counts Friday in 38th Judicial District Court in Cameron.

Soileau, 58, pleaded guilty to five counts of felony theft, one count of money laundering and one count of Medicaid fraud.

As part of the plea agreement, the state will drop four additional counts of felony theft.

Soileau, who originally pleaded not guilty on May 4, must also reimburse the state more than \$115,000.

Sentencing is scheduled for 10 a.m., Thurs., Sept. 27.

Soileau stole more than \$1.4 million from South Cameron Hospital, which he managed for 10 years. He was originally indicted in August, 1999. The hospital went bankrupt later that year.

Soileau also filed numerous false Medicaid claims from July 1998-May 1999, according to Kathleen Pearson with the attorney general's office.

In June, Soileau pleaded guilty to federal charges that he

defrauded the Medicaid program of \$1.4 million.

Prosecutors with the attorney general's office agreed to a sentencing recommendation that Soileau serve his federal and state terms concurrently.

Soileau faces a maximum of five years in prison and a \$250,000 fine on the federal charge.

The state's maximum sentence for theft is 10 years and a \$3,000 fine for each count.

Soileau will remain free until his September sentencing.

Mr Green's rites held in L. Charles

Funeral services for Raymond G. Green, 67, of Lake Charles were held Friday, July 13 in Hixson Funeral Home in Lake Charles.

Burial was in Consolata Cemetery.

Mr. Green was administrator of the South Cameron Memorial Hospital for about three years before retiring in November, 1999.

A native of DeRidder, he was an Army veteran and served in Vietnam. He was a health-care administrator in the Lake Charles area for more than 30 years.

Survivors include his wife, Lynda Green of Lake Charles; one son, David Green of Gonzales; one daughter, Amy Green Brown of Lake Charles; two sisters, Patricia Randor of Mendon, Mass.; and Shirley Nichols of DeRidder; and three grandchildren.

Creole Nature Trail audio now available

Versions of an audio driving tour of the Creole Nature Trail National Scenic Byway are now available on compact disc and cassette at the Southwest Louisiana Convention & Visitors Bureau.

The audio tour, a complement to the consumer awareness brochure for the trail, guides visitors and residents along the trail and interprets the sights that are seen along the way. Narrated by KPLC Sunrise co-anchor John Bridges, the tour provides historical information, cultural insights and of course, details on the area's plentiful wildlife.

The audio tour can be purchased in the CVB's Gumbaux Gator Gift Shop for \$5 on cassette and \$10 on compact disc. The shop is located inside the CVB's Welcome Center at 1205 N. Lakeshore Drive, in Lake Charles.

For more information call 337-436-9588 or 800-456-SWLA, or visit www.visitlakecharles.org.

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3 parish youths go to national rodeo

Three Cameron Parish youths who were winners at the recent Louisiana State High School Championship Rodeo will compete in the National High School Rodeo in Springfield, Ill., July 23-29.

They are Jonathan Cogar, son of John and Pat Cogar of Grand Chenier, who won the state steer wrestling event; Megan Norman, daughter of Charles and Annette Norman of Sweet Lake, second in the state in goat tying; and Matthew LaBauve, son of Dwight and Carleen LaBauve, state runner-up in saddle bronc.

Kaylee Jo Canik, daughter of

John and Mary Canik of Creole, was the cowgirl rookie runner-up but will not attend the national rodeo.

Commodities to be given

The Cameron Community Action Agency will distribute commodities to Cameron, Creole and Grand Chenier clients July 25, from 8 a.m. to noon and 1-4 p.m. at the Agency office located at 951 Marshall St., Cameron.

Grand Lake distribution will be 10-11 a.m., July 25, at the Grand Lake Fireman's Center, 957 Hwy. 384.

Hackberry distribution will be 10 a.m. to noon at the Hackberry Community Center on Hwy. 27.

Johnson Bayou clients may pick up their commodities July 26, from 10 a.m. to noon at the Johnson Bayou Recreation Center.

Coastal meet is Aug. 15

Governor Mike Foster announced that the 2001 Coastal Summit will be held Wed., Aug. 15, at Pennington Conference Center in Baton Rouge. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.

The Summit will bring together business, industry, and governmental leaders, university scientists, and other individuals concerned about coastal wetlands loss in Louisiana.

Ideas and information generated by participants will be compiled by the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities and forwarded to Governor Mike Foster with recommendations for implementation.

For additional information, contact the Governor's Office of Coastal Activities at 225-342-3968.

Abducted boy found; mother being sought

Cameron Parish authorities continue their search for the local woman wanted for abducting her son last week.

Chief Deputy Theos Duhon said Tuesday afternoon that the Cameron Parish Sheriff's Office believes Melissa Ann Bolin and her boyfriend, Robert Clark, are still in Kentucky.

"We don't know for sure, but we feel like she's still around that area...where she has some support. I talked to her mother this morning and told her she is still wanted and if she could tell her daughter to come take care of her business", Duhon said.

Late Sunday, Hubern Doxey Jr., 10, was found in Spencer County, Ky., at his grandmother's house. He had been missing since Tuesday, July 10.

Hubern Doxey Sr., the boy's

legal guardian, traveled to Kentucky to regain custody.

A warrant for Bolin's arrest was issued late last week to nation law enforcement agencies.

Cameron authorities have posted pictures of both suspects with the National Crime Information Center.

Bolin faces charges of simple kidnapping. After an arrest is made, she will be brought back to Cameron Parish to face those charges.

Judge Ward Fontenot signed the warrant Friday morning. The kidnapping charge carries a \$10,000 bond.

Clark is also wanted in Texas for probation violation.

Anyone with information of their whereabouts can call the Cameron Parish Sheriff's Office at 1-800-440-5111.

Dynegy announces LNG plant for Hackberry

Dynegy, Inc., this week announced plans to construct a liquefied natural gas (LNG) receiving and re-gasification terminal in Hackberry on the side of the company's existing liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) terminal.

The new LNG facility will be capable of receiving and processing 750 million cubic feet per day of LNG and expandable up to 1.5 billion cubic feet per day. Dynegy expects to begin the first phase of commercial operation by the end of 2003, representing an 18 to 24 month time-to-market savings with full capacity available

by early 2004.

"Demand for natural gas in the United States and around the globe is growing steadily due to our increased reliance on natural gas as the preferred fuel for electric generation facilities," said Chuck Watson, chairman and chief executive officer of Dynegy Inc. "This terminal will be an important addition to our ever-expanding energy delivery network in the United States and will allow us to participate in a growing global LNG trade to meet our customers' energy needs".

The existing Hackberry site was operated as an LPG terminal by Trident and acquired by Dynegy in 1995. It is located about two miles north of Hackberry on the ship channel. The terminal is strategically positioned with access to the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic Basin and will have the ability to connect to a number of natural gas pipelines that reach major natural gas markets in the United States. Dynegy will add one LNG tank and vaporization facilities to the Hackberry site.

"Siting the new terminal and gasification plant at the Hackberry site will key infrastructure already in place, including a jetty, dock and ship berthing structure, is a tremendous advantage", said Steve Bergstrom, president and chief operating officer of Dynegy Inc. "We will achieve significant project cost savings, and the facility will be operational two to three years sooner than it would if we had developed a greenfield project."

Construction on the Hackberry LNG facility will create approximately 650 new construction jobs. After full commercial operation is achieved, the facility will employ 16 to 20 new permanent employees and will complement Dynegy's already strong presence in the Texas and Louisiana Gulf Coast region.

Dynegy has completed a feasibility and detailed engineering analysis at Hackberry and is now working to obtain necessary permits from state and federal agencies.

Bergstrom noted that there

Man drowns in Big Lake

By SCOTT ROGERS
American Press

A Lake Charles man drowned after he and a friend fell out of their boat into Big Lake in Cameron Parish during a Monday afternoon fishing excursion.

Both men had been missing since late Monday.

The body of Dewey J. "Buddy" Granger, 64, was found Tuesday afternoon by Cameron Parish Sheriff's deputies.

His fishing companion, Jack Tiner of Beaumont, Tex., was found alive Tuesday morning.

Cameron Parish Sheriff's Chief Deputy Theos Duhon said the Sheriff's Office was notified at 7 a.m. Tuesday that the two men were expected from their excursion around 7:20 p.m. Monday.

They had set out Monday afternoon to fish the Big Lake on the east bank near Grand Bayou.

"His compadre was driving the boat -- a 16-foot Carolina Skiff -- and for some reason or another they did a 90-degree turn and both flew out of the boat", Duhon said.

Deputies located the boat Tuesday morning and later found Tiner on the Big Lake shore.

He was taken to South Cameron Hospital where he remained Tuesday.

are only four LNG terminals currently in the United States -- three on the East Coast and one in the Gulf Coast area. "With our ability to bring the Hackberry facility online by 2003, Dynegy will be positioned to bring the first incremental LNG capacity to support the nation's gas supply needs", he added.

Dynegy Inc. is a leading energy merchant and power generator in North America, the United Kingdom and Continental Europe. A Fortune 100 company in 2000 Dynegy established its communications business. Dynegy Global Communications, which is engaged in providing network solutions and connectivity to wholesale customers worldwide.

Energy aid is offered

Applications are being taken by the Cameron Community Action Agency for the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance program to assist in meeting high home cooling expenses by making payment to energy companies on behalf of eligible households. Eligible households with children age five years and younger, the elderly and handicapped persons will be given priority.

Residents of Cameron Parish may call the office to see if they qualify for assistance. Call 775-5145 in Cameron or 598-5158 in Grand Lake to make an appointment or for information. Applications are taken Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m. by appointment only.

In order to qualify, the household must be at or below the income guidelines which govern this program. Applicant must bring proof of one month's complete income, names, date of birth and social security numbers of each family member in the household and a computer printout or utility bills from the utility company.

Size of Family Unit: 1 - monthly income limit: \$1074; 2 - \$1451; 3 - \$1829; 4 - \$2206; 5 - \$2584; 6 - 2961; 7 - \$3339; 8 - \$3716.

Tax elections to be held

Voters in the Grand Lake - Sweet Lake area will vote on two tax renewal elections Saturday, July 21 to continue to provide public water and fire protection for the communities.

In Waterworks District 11 and Fire Protection District 14 a 5.70 mill tax in each district is up for renewal for ten years.

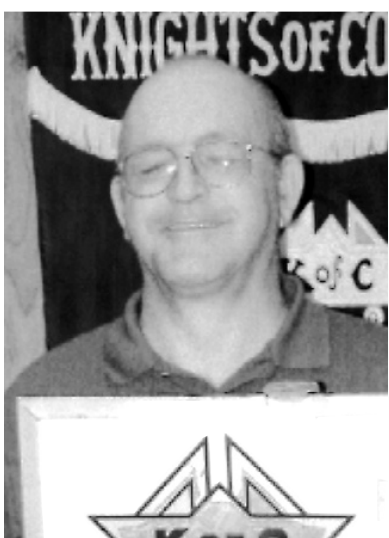
Harold Savoie, chairman of the water district, and Paul Wasson, chairman of the fire district, asked voters to renew the taxes so that the two communities can continue to be served.

Olin seeking H'berry permit

Elsewhere in this issue of the Pilot is a legal notice from the Olin-Hackberry Brine division of Olin Corp. to secure a permit to make a discharge into Kelso Bayou at Hackberry.

The notice states that "it has been determined that this discharge will have no adverse impact on the existing use of the receiving water body . . . however some changes in existing water quality may occur."

The notice gives an address to which comments on the proposed discharge can be sent. The deadline is Aug. 20.



FARRELL (LEFT) AND Pam Blanchard were named Family of the Month and Heath Jinks (right) was named Knight of the Month for June by the F. J. Pavell Knights of Columbus Council 8323 of Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach at the June 18 meeting.



AMONG THOSE attending a meeting on the Holly Beach Enhancement and Sand Management Plan held recently at McNeese were, from left: Thomas Campbell, president of CP & E; Tina Horn, Cameron Parish administrator; Doug Mann, CP & E project manager; and Rodney Guilbeaux, Constance Beach erosion manager.



TEACHERS AT South Cameron High School received decorated pencils and baskets in honor of Teacher Appreciation Week which was held the last week in April. Shown above were: (standing, from left) Craig Moss, Tina Savoie, Coach Kellie McKoin, Tracy Myers; and (seated) Principal Eddie Benoit.

Faculty is honored at Cameron schools

During Teacher Appreciation Week, the last week in April, the Creole Homemakers Club honored the faculties of both South Cameron High and Elementary schools. Each faculty member was given a pencil which featured an apple at the top and decorated with a ribbon done by member Mayola Wicke, who also

donated drinks along with decorative baskets which were placed on the tables in the teachers' lounge.

The Battle of Bull Run Was July 21, 1861



SOUTH CAMERON ELEMENTARY teachers were honored with decorated pencils and baskets the last week in April for Teacher Appreciation Week. Shown above were: (standing, from left) Jenny Trahan, Charlyn LeJeune, Wendy Wicke; and (seated) Principal Barry Wayne Richard.

Beach cleanup praised

(American Press)

In May, 1999, I wrote a letter to the editor concerning Holly Beach. We weren't here to see the response in the paper, as we are travelers. I heard some were good, others were not.

Well, I'm happy to say that on July 4, we were on the beach again. It was great to see the

people taking pride in the area again. They were raking and picking up debris to be taken away. A trailer was placed along the way for cans, and new signs about the parking and driving areas were posted. Also, security was patrolling the beach. Looks great. Good job.

/s/ A. M. McCullough
Eugene, Ore.

Concert set at H'berry church

Mark Lanier, gospel singer and songwriter, will present a concert at the First Baptist Church in Hackberry at 7 p.m., Sat., July 21.

Lanier has been nominated as "baritone of the year" and is the writer of the song "Because He Is 1 Am." He was formerly with the Bibletones and Perfect Heart.

Bible School to be held at Hackberry

Hackberry First Baptist Church will hold its annual Vacation Bible School July 23-27, from 5:30 to 8 p.m.

The theme is "Truth Trackers and the Secret of the Stone Tablets". There will be Bible stories, a search for the secret of the Stone Tablets, a kiosk of crafts, a fun music courtyard and refreshments and recreation.

The school is open to all youth 4 to 18 years of age.

For more information call Susy Alford, 762-3393.

Quilt to be raffled to aid needy

A quilt, made by the ladies of Wakefield Methodist Church in Cameron, has been donated to the Cameron Community Action Agency for a raffle.

Tickets can be purchased at the Cameron COA building. The drawing will be held at the Sept. 24, board meeting.

Vivian Murphy donated the quilt top, Roberta Rogers donated the quilt bottom and Peggy Reyes donated the batting.

Velma Picou, Ethelyn Quibodeaux, Elaine Picou, Ruby Miller, Vivian Murphy and Peggy Reyes did the quilting.

Raffle winners

The winners of the raffle sold by the 16-and-under girls fast pitch softball team, Lady Cajuns, were:

Butcher calf, Paul Patin; butcher pig, A. D. Trahan; 50 lbs. Shrimp, Tammy Fontenot; \$50 hair supplies, Pam Kelley; \$50 gift certificate, Susie Wolfe.

\$50 gift certificate, Kay Canik; 50 lbs. shrimp, Clyde Miller; \$50 lottery tickets, John Malancon; \$50 gas, Cameron Rental; 50 lbs. shrimp, Cameron rental; butcher pig, Charlie Mae Brasseaux; butcher calf, Audrey Wainwright.



Mark Lanier

Church tells gospel program

Singer /Songwriter Mark Lanier will present a program of gospel music this Sunday evening, July 22, at 6:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Cameron.

Lanier was the baritone singer with the group Perfect Heart for seven years and played the piano and sang with the Bibletones for five years.

His songs have been recorded by a number of artists including, James Blackwood, Jake Hess and the Kingsmen. His song "Because He Is" became a #1 hit for Perfect Heart.

Now living in Pineville with his wife and son, Lanier writes for Centergy Music of Nashville and pursues a solo vocal ministry.

Mrs. Hicks rites held

Funeral services for Laura Mae Sanner Hicks, 69, of Hackberry, were held Tuesday, July 17, from St. Peter Catholic Church.

The Rev. Roland Vaughn officiated; burial was in New Hackberry Cemetery.

Mrs. Hicks died Saturday, July 14, 2001, in a Lake Charles hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of Hackberry and was a member of the Catholic Daughters. She was part of the Cursillo movement in the church.

Survivors include five sons, George Dennis Hicks of Mauriceville, Tex. and Terry Joseph Hicks, Anthony "Dino" Hicks, Gordie Alden Hicks and Raymond Edward Hicks, all of Hackberry; five daughters, Martha "Tootie" Welch, Tamra "Tammy" Welch, Frances Estelle Little and Teresa "Pebbles" Nunez, all of Hackberry, and Laura Elizabeth Hecklee of Abita Spring; and two sisters, Annette Totten and Arleen Duhon, both of Hackberry.

Benefit set for family

A benefit will be held Sun., July 29, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Grand Chenier State Park for Lawrence, Belva and Evans Mhire, victims of a house fire.

There will be a brisquet or chicken lunch, dance, auction, raffle and cake walk. Donations will be appreciated.

The benefit is being sponsored by the Grand Chenier American Legion Post.

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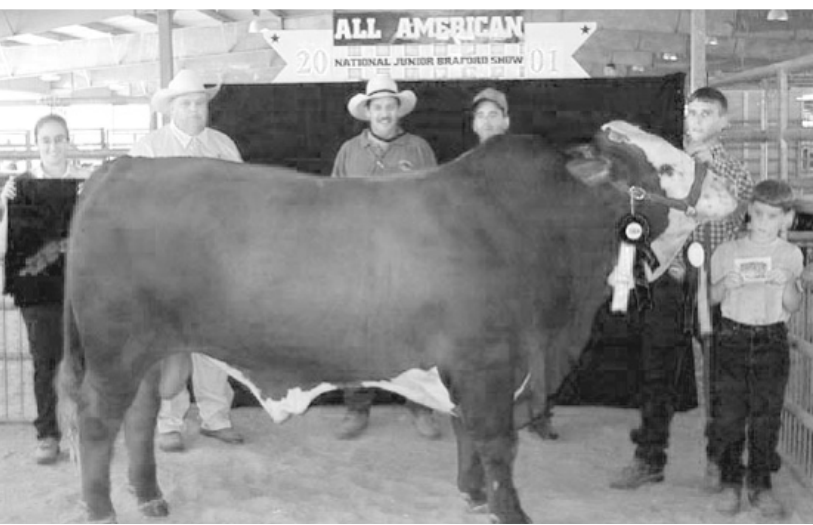
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NICKALUS SAVOIE of Creole showed the Reserve Champion Braford Bull at the All American National Junior Braford Show held in Hitchcock, Texas on July 12 - 14. Pictured from left are: Courtney Hebert, La. Jr. Braford Queen; Jim Williams, Judge; Tim Edwards.; Kim Richard; Nickalus Savoie; and Jarrett Richard



SARAH BOUDREAUX is shown with her animal which was named the Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer at the recent La. Junior Braford Show. Also shown is breeder Tim Edwards.



KEATON BOUDREAUX is pictured with the animal which was named the Champion Fall Bull Calf, La. Bred Champion Fall Bull Calf, and the La. Bred Reserve Grand Champion Bull at the recent Louisiana Junior Braford Show. Also shown are Clifford Conner, breeder Fred Elsing, and Kevin Boudreaux.

4-H Jr. Leader NAACP to meet club news

The 4-H Junior Leader Club of Cameron Parish chose to visit Bel's Animal Shelter in Lake Charles as their monthly community service project. They donated newspapers and food for the shelter to use. While they were there they received a tour of the facilities and were able to visit with the animals and the volunteers.

The shelter boards pets and takes in unwanted pets. For the unwanted pets, Bel's strives to find them homes. Members attending were: Micah Silver, John Richard, Melissa Nunez, Erica Baccigalopi, Gregoire Theriot, Tyler Theriot, Jennifer McLean, Joby Richard, Claudia Duprie, Heather Woodget, and Keri Cronan.

Putting a freeze on soaring home cooling costs

With electric rates soaring to record highs in many parts of the country, the summer cooling season could prove particularly costly for homeowners with inefficient, electricity-guzzling central air conditioning systems.

Older units with lower Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratios (SEER) simply waste too much energy in providing the desired cooling levels. The SEER is a measure of an air conditioning system's cooling efficiency. The higher the SEER, the higher the efficiency and the lower the energy use.

The minimum SEER rating required of all new systems is 10 SEER, which is 25% higher than the rating for most air conditioning systems that have been in service 10 years or longer.

As the summer season cooling season approaches, experts suggest that you ask a competent air conditioning dealer to evaluate your entire air conditioning system. If he recommends that you replace it, consider the potential energy cost savings and comfort benefits of a new central air system with a SEER rating of 12 or higher.

While these high-efficiency units may cost a little more than systems with lower-efficiency ratings, the additional outlay may be partially or fully recovered through reduced energy use.

For example, if your annual cooling bill is \$800, you could save as much as \$300 by replacing an older central air conditioner with a new system rated at 12 SEER.

However, if you are only considering upgrading your old system to a new 10-SEER system, consider that your bill could be slashed another 33% if the unit were upgraded to an even more efficient 14-SEER system.

But what if you decide not to replace your existing system? Experts recommend the following steps that will help you save energy and increase the life of your system.

- Clean or replace the filter at least once a month.
- Keep debris clear of the outdoor unit.
- Service the system on a regular basis.
- Set the thermostat up a degree or two when you leave for the day.
- Operate appliances during the cooler parts of the day.

Like automobiles, air conditioning systems operate more efficiently and last longer when they receive scheduled care and attention and are operated wisely. A little planning now can go a long way toward keeping you from losing your "cool" during the hot summer days ahead.

The Cameron NAACP will meet Friday, July 21, at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at 183 Lillian St., Cameron.

The first horse to win racing's "triple crown" was Sir Barton in 1919. The triple crown consists of the Kentucky Derby, the Preakness and the Belmont Stakes.

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GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, 20 and 21, 8 a.m. till, household, TV, VCR, clothes, books, tape deck, too much to list, 1 mile west of Creole, gold and white trailer. 7/19p.

HUGE YARD Sale - Saturday, July 21 from 6:30 a.m. until noon. Across from The Grand Lake Recreation Center. Put on by Sweetlake Homemaker's Club. 7/19p.

RV SALES

KITE BROS. RV Center has over 200 units to choose from. Hwy 171 N, DeRidder, LA. 1-800-456-2724. Mon-Fri 8-5, Sat 8-12. 1/4tfc.

DIRT & GRAVEL

DIXIE DIRT and Sand. Nursery grade topsoil, sand, clay, limestone, bottom ash. Clearing, dozer work, housepads. Free estimates. Owners Butch and Jackie Bertrand, 337-542-4693. 24 hour answering service, call 337-598-2485. 6/21-9/6p.

WORK WANTED

DYRTY STEVE'S Mobile mechanical services, road service, day or night, won't start, needs fixin', just call 337-417-0128 for Cameron area. 7/19p.

Do You Remember?

By Keith Hambrick

Lake Charles American Press, June 21, 1939. CREOLE HD CLUB

Relishes and pickles was the subject of discussion and demonstration at the meeting of the Creole Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. Numa Broussard.

Miss Sophie Bernard, agent, was in charge of the demonstrations. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Oscar Savoie, July.

FRUIT PULP CHUTNEY

Apples, crabapples, mayhaws, figs, peaches and pears are especially well adapted to make chutney. When mayhaws, crabapples and apples are used for making jelly, the residue may be run through a sieve and the pulp used for chutneys.

Ingredients: 4 cups fruit pulp; 1 cup onion; 1 cup vinegar; 1 teaspoon salt; 2 cups seeded raisins; 1 cup sweet red pepper; 2 cups celery.

Submitted by Mrs. Horace Montie.

Cameron Pilot, June 20, 1968. BEACH BEING IMPROVED

Rutherford Beach is taking on a new appearance. In the above photo, W. F. Henry, Jr., and Lyle Crain, Ward 3 and 2 Police Jurors, watch graders and dozers at work leveling off the beach.

"Parish funds for Rutherford Beach improvements are very limited," Henry said, "but with the help of the people utilizing the beach, local interested citizens of Cameron Parish, and the Cameron Parish Police Jury hope that in the near future more improvements can be made."

LIBRARY HAS 10TH BIRTHDAY

The Cameron Parish Library will observe its tenth anniversary Thursday, June 27 with open house from 2 to 5 p.m. Everyone is invited to come by that afternoon, according to Mrs. Mary Brand, librarian.

The library, built as a memorial to those who lost their lives in Hurricane Audrey, held its dedicatory program exactly one year after the terrible disaster.

The building was built with funds raised by Junior Chamber of Commerce from all over the country. Paul F. Thompson, Jaycee from Lake Charles, gave his services as an architect to design the building. The Cameron Parish School Board gave the site for the building.

For a period of two years the State Library contributed over 8,000 books, subscriptions to periodicals, trained staff, furniture and a bookmobile absolutely free to the people of Cameron.

In March of 1960 the property owners approved a two mill tax to maintain library services for the parish.

Registered users have increased from 1462 in December, 1958 to 4777 in December, 1967.

In 1959, after one full year of service, the number of books checked out was 37,970. In 1967 there were 58,925 books checked out—an increase of 20,955.

Pilot on microfilm has been donated to the library by Jerry Wise. Louisiana census records on microfilm will be ordered this year.

SMITH MARBLE CHAMPION

The Cameron Parish Marble Tournament was held June 11 on the Cameron Little League baseball field. It was supervised by Edward J. Benoit.

Phillip Smith won first place honors again this year. He has

NOTICES

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.

FOR RENT

ALL NEW Apartments, near Grand Lake School. Spacious, two bedroom, one bath, laundry hook-ups, appliances. \$550/month. Deposit required. Call 598-2171. 712-8/2c.

HELP WANTED

LOOKING FOR CDL driver to drive 48 ft. mini-float part-time. Call 337-302-7164 or 337-775-7319. 7/19-26p.

HELP WANTED: Pat's Restaurant. Apply in person between 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. 513 Marshall St., Cameron. 6/14tfc.

The first Special Olympics was held on July 20, 1968.

MILITARY NEWS

Airman First Class Roger D. Jinks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Jinks of Johnson Bayou, is a member of the unit at Bien Hoa AB, Vietnam that has been selected as the best tactical fighter wing in the U. S. Air Force. Airman Jinks is a construction equipment operator with the 3rd Tactical Fighter Wing.

Marine Private Ralph L. Derouen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Derouen of Route 1, Bell City, was graduated from eight weeks of recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot.

CAMERON FOOD MART

Community Coffee.....Lb. \$3.59
Gunter Large Eggs.....Doz. 79¢
Best Yet Milk.....Gal. \$2.69
Natural Light12/12 Oz. \$5.69
Coors Light.....12/10 Oz. \$6.89
Coke, Dr. Pepper, or Sprite
Reg. or Diet.....6/12 Oz. \$1.69
3 Liter Bottles.....\$1.69

Inland Valley French Fries
All Cuts.....24-32 Oz. 2/\$3.00
Kraft Deluxe American
Cheese Slices.....16 Oz. \$3.59
Blue Plate Mayonnaise.....32Oz. \$2.29
Heinz Squeeze Catsup.....24 Oz. 99¢
Chef Boy Ar Dee Ravioli, Beefaroni, or Spaghetti.....15 Oz. 99¢
Mahatma L.G. Rice.....20 Lb. \$5.99
Best Yet Tomato Sauce.....8 Oz. 5/\$1.00
Kraft Macaroni & Cheese.....7 Oz. 79¢
Ragu Spaghetti Sauce.....26 Oz. \$1.49
Kellogg Frosted Flakes or
Rice Krispies.....13-20 Oz. \$2.59
Crisco Puritan or Veg. Oil.....48 Oz. \$1.79
Purex Liquid Detergent.....Gal. \$2.99
Brawny Paper Towels.....6 Roll Pkg. \$5.19
Gravy Train Dog Food.....17 Lb. Bag \$7.99
Prestige Spiral Cut
Honey Glazed 1/2 Ham.....Lb. \$1.89
Roy's Smoked
Pure Pork Sausage.....Lb. \$1.89
Whole Boneless Beef Brisket.....Lb. \$1.39
Boneless Sirloin Steak.....Lb. \$2.39

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At The Grand Chenier State Park

Sunday, July 29, 2001 -- 10 a.m. Til

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ATTENTION VOTERS

GRAND LAKE-SWEET LAKE

The Waterworks District #11 and Fire Protection District #14 of Grand Lake-Sweet Lake has on July 21, 2001 a millage tax renewal on the ballot. This is a 5.70 mills for a 10 year period for each district. The tax monies will be used for the purpose of operating and maintaining the water district and for fire protection's operating and service cost. The two (2) Districts are asking for your support on this renewal.

Harold Savoie, Chairman
Waterworks District #11

Paul Wasson, Chairman
Fire Protection #14

RUN: July 12 & 19 (JU-18)

UNIFORM SALE LOW, LOW PRICES

OPEN SUNDAY 12-5

Regular Hours: Mon.-Sat. -- 9:30-5:45

LAYAWAY NOW UNTIL SCHOOL

- JUMPERS Reg. \$18.....SALE \$9⁹⁹
- SKORTS Reg. \$16.....SALE \$9⁹⁹
- Navy & Green
SHIRTS Reg. \$7.99 to \$10.50.....SALE \$5⁹⁹
- White
SHIRTS Reg. \$6.99SALE \$5⁴⁹
- GIRLS' PANTS Reg. \$16.....SALE \$9⁹⁹
- BOY'S' SHORTS Reg. \$14.....SALE \$9⁴⁹
- BOYS' PANTSSALE \$10⁹⁹
- SWEATERS Reg. \$22.....SALE \$9⁹⁹
- BACKPACKS..... 1/3 OFF

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A CHILD'S WORLD

Southgate Shopping Center
Lake Charles 439-5484

Clifton & Associates, LLC

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Hwy 378 - Executive Water Front Home. Entertain overlooking the water way. You're only a short boat ride from the lake. Beautiful contemporary, 3 bedroom, 2.5 baths, marble entry, and fireplace. Formal living and dining rooms. Family room with 2nd fireplace to be enjoyed from kitchen and sun-room, custom cabinets, built-ins, and 2-island kitchen. Don't let this get away!

McNeese - 2 Story Pool Home, great for family, business, or both. 4 or 6 bedrooms? It's up to you! 4 baths, dining room, family room, and oversized eat-in kitchen with lots of cabinets! Loads of storage and a game room. Prime location. Don't miss this one. Will sell or lease.



Nicholas - School's Starting In August. 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath property in the Barbe High area. Roomy eat-in kitchen, formal den, and large family room with fireplace, skylight, and french doors. Lots of potential. Now is the time to move.



Sutherland - Country Home In Moss Bluff with modern amenities. 2 acres. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2-car garage. 2 story with master suite on main floor. Large open family room, formal dining, library, and kitchen with breakfast area. All of this and a 30x50 shop. A must see.



LEGAL NOTICES**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION**

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

PROPOSITION

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the commissioners-in-charge duly certified by the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish and selected by the Parish Board of Election supervisors as provided for in R.S. 18:433, as amended, are hereby designated as the commissioners-in-charge to serve at the polling places designated in the charge to serve at the 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, as amended.

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

By:
 /s/Bonnie W. Conner
 Bonnie W. Conner, Secretary
 RUNS: July 12, 19, & 26 (JU-8)

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

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

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

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

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

PROPOSITION

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the Cameron Parish Police Jury until 1:30 p.m., Monday, July 30, 2001 in the meeting room of the Parish Government Building, 110 Smith Circle, Cameron, Louisiana, for the purchase of one (1) hookmobile chassis, as per specifications.

Bid forms may be acquired by contacting the Cameron Parish Police Jury during normal business hours.
 By:
 /s/Bonnie W. Conner
 Bonnie W. Conner, Secretary
 RUNS: July 12, 19, & 26 (JU-8)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for the construction of the following project will be received by the Cameron Parish Police Jury until 3:00 p.m. on 30 July 2001 at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex, 110 Smith Circle, Cameron, Louisiana 70631.
 Project Number: 2001-10
 Dock Improvements at Grand Chenier Park

The rules and regulations for the State Licensing Board for contractors will apply. 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 70645-0229, (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 informalities.

Cameron Parish Police Jury
 /s/Dusty Sandifer
 RUN: July 12, 19, 26 - JU21

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Acting under the authority of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, the Cameron Parish School Board will receive sealed bids for the leasing of all surface rights including the rights of range, trapping, hunting, fishing, and farming, on the following described lands:

SECTION-TOWNSHIP-RANGE DESCRIPTION
 16-12-6 Two (2) miles South of Calcasieu Parish Line and five and one-

half (5 1/2) miles East of Louisiana Highway 27.

16-13-10 Located off Highway 27; three (3) miles West of Calcasieu Lake; bordered on West by North Canal

16-14-10 47.13 acres, bordering the Southwest corner of Calcasieu Lake; three (3) miles West of the ship channel in Cameron.

16-14-12 Seven (7) miles West of the Southwest Corner of Sabine Lake within boundaries of Sabine Refuge; adjacent to Starks Canal.

16-15-15 Two and one half (2 1/2) miles East of Sabine River; approximately two (2) miles North of La. Highway 82 in Johnson Bayou.

(A description map may be seen in the School Board Office during normal working hours.)

All bids must be sealed; the envelope marked "Bid - Section 16, Township _____, Range _____" and may be forwarded through the U.S. Mail to the Cameron Parish School Board, P. O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631. Bidder must offer an annual rental of not less than \$2.00 per acre for a lease with a primary term of five years to end July 31st, 2006. Annual renewal rentals will be due each year by July 31st, in order to continue the lease in effect.

Cash payment or a certified or cashier's check, or teller's check, or an official check issued by a bank in favor of the Cameron Parish School Board for the amount of the annual rental for the first year shall accompany and be deposited with the bid (no checks other than types noted above are acceptable) and the rental thus deposited shall be forfeited to the Board as liquidated damages if the successful bidder fails to enter into written contract in accordance with his bid within ten (10) days after acceptance by the Board. The bid submitted must include the following information: Name of Bidder, Address of Bidder, Phone Number of Bidder.

If farming rights are utilized, bidder may offer annual rental plus a fractional part of not less than one-sixth (1/6) of any and all crops produced and saved during the year. The value of the one-sixth (1/6) share shall not be considered in the awarding of the lease unless the bidder guarantees a specific amount which shall be added to and accompany the bid. Should the one-sixth (1/6) value of crops be less than the cash guarantee paid at the time of the lease, the Cameron Parish School Board shall demand such additional payment as necessary to bring the value adjustment to a full one-sixth (1/6) of crops produced and harvested on any and all listed sections, and thirty-five percent (35%) of cash market value of all alligators harvested by lessee. Lessor reserves the right to gather and dispose of alligator eggs from the lease premises, without any compensation to lessee.

The surface rights and privileges granted in the lease are restricted to range, trapping, hunting, farming, and fishing and these rights shall in no way, manner, or form interfere with the granting of a mineral lease or the full utilization of all rights and privileges granted in any mineral lease.

It is further agreed and understood between the contracting parties hereto that this lease shall be heritable, but shall not be subject to mortgage, pledge, hypothecation or seizure and sale, nor shall the said lease be assigned, subleased, or otherwise transferred by the said lessee unless authorized by prior written approval of the lessor. Such assignment, sublease or transfer of said lease shall be subject to terms and conditions as may be deemed proper by the lessor. Terms and conditions for subleasing may be obtained by contacting the Cameron Parish School Board land manager.

The Cameron Parish School Board does not warrant or provide ingress or egress to the leased premises. Ingress and egress is the sole responsibility of lessee.

Bids will be received until the hour of 4 p.m., August 6, 2001 at which time all bids received will be opened and considered in public session of the Cameron Parish School Board in Cameron, Louisiana.

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

BY:
 /s/Judith Jones
 JUDITH JONES, SUPERINTENDENT
 CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

L. C. AMERICAN PRESS
 CAMERON PILOT
 RUN: July 19, 26, Aug. 2 (JU-23)

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Acting under the authority of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, the Cameron Parish School Board will receive sealed bids for the leasing of all surface rights including the rights of range, trapping, hunting, fishing, and farming, on the following described lands for the unexpired term as indicated in the description below:

SECTION-TOWNSHIP-RANGE; UNEXPIRED TERM; DESCRIPTION

16-12-12; 4 years; Located off Bancroft Canal; near Black Bayou Field; 2 miles South of Calcasieu-Cameron Line; 3 miles North of Sabine Refuge; 9 miles East of Sabine River.

16-12-13; 2 years; Approximately three (3) miles East of Sabine River. Two (2) miles South of Calcasieu Parish Line.

16-14-3; 2 years; Partial Section (332.96 acres) 3 miles West of Vermilion Parish Line; bordering Grand Lake.

16-14-5; 1 year; Located in Little Chenier area; 1/2 mile West of Mermenaut River along Little Chenier Highway.

16-14-7; 2 years; Located 3/4 mile East of Highway 27; 1 mile Northeast of Creole Intersection.

16-14-14; 2 years; 3 miles East of Sabine Lake on Starks Canal.

16-15-3; 2 years; Located in Grand Chenier area; 3 miles West of Vermilion Parish Line.

16-15-5; 4 years; Located in Grand Chenier area; bordered on the North by La. Highway 82; 561.21 acres.

16-15-14; 3 years; Nine (9) miles East of Texas line and one (1) mile North of Gulf of Mexico in Johnson Bayou, excluding 20 acres under separate lease.

(A description map may be seen in the School Board Office during normal working hours.)

NOTE: Leaseholders on listed sections have until July 31, 2001 to renew the lease. If annual rental payment is received prior to this date the bids on these sections will be returned unopened.

All bids must be sealed; the envelope marked "Bid - Section 16, Township _____, Range _____" and may be forwarded through the U.S. Mail to the

Cameron Parish School Board, P. O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631. Bidder must offer an annual rental of not less than \$2.00 per acre for a lease for the unexpired term as listed above. Annual renewal rentals will be due each year by July 31st, in order to continue the lease in effect. Cash payment or a certified or cashier's check, or teller's check, or an official check issued by a bank in favor of the Cameron Parish School Board for the amount of the annual rental for the first year shall accompany and be deposited with the bid (no checks other than types noted above are acceptable) and the rental thus deposited shall be forfeited to the Board as liquidated damages if the successful bidder fails to enter into written contract in accordance with his bid within ten (10) days after acceptance by the Board. The bid submitted must include the following information: Name of Bidder, Address of Bidder, Phone Number of Bidder.

Bidders are reminded that the lease is for the unexpired term.

If farming rights are utilized, bidder may offer annual rental plus a fractional part of not less than one-sixth (1/6) of any and all crops produced and saved during the year. The value of the one-sixth (1/6) share shall not be considered in the awarding of the lease unless the bidder guarantees a specific amount which shall be added to and accompany the bid. Should the one-sixth (1/6) value of crops be less than the cash guarantee paid at the time of the lease, the Cameron Parish School Board shall demand such additional payment as necessary to bring the value adjustment to a full one-sixth (1/6) of crops produced and harvested on any and all listed sections, and thirty-five percent (35%) of cash market value of all alligators harvested by lessee. Lessor reserves the right to gather and dispose of alligator eggs from the lease premises, without any compensation to lessee.

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It is further agreed and understood between the contracting parties hereto that this lease shall be heritable, but shall not be subject to mortgage, pledge, hypothecation or seizure and sale, nor shall the said lease be assigned, subleased, or otherwise transferred by the said lessee unless authorized by prior written approval of the lessor. Such assignment, sublease or transfer of said lease shall be subject to terms and conditions as may be deemed proper by the lessor. Terms and conditions for subleasing may be obtained by contacting the Cameron Parish School Board land manager.

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Bids will be received until the hour of 4:00 p.m., August 6, 2001 at which time all bids received will be opened and considered in public session of the Cameron Parish School Board in Cameron, Louisiana.

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

BY:
 /s/Judith Jones
 JUDITH JONES, SUPERINTENDENT
 CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

L. C. AMERICAN PRESS
 CAMERON PILOT
 RUN: July 19, 26, Aug. 2 (JU-24)

THE WATER WE DRINK

Cameron Par. Ww Dist. #7
 Public Water Supply ID 1023003

We're pleased to present to you this year's Annual Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality of water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water. Our water sources are 3 wells.

We will soon have a source water protection plan available from our office, that provides more information, such as potential sources of contamination to the water supply. This assessment will include a delineated area around our wells (or intakes) through which contaminants, if present, could migrate and reach our source water. It also includes an inventory of potential sources of contamination within the delineated area, and a determination of the water supply's susceptibility to contamination by the identified potential sources. When the assessment has been completed for this system, you will be notified through the annual water quality report.

We are pleased to report that our drinking water is safe and meets federal and state requirements. If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Jennings Clark at (337) 542-4718. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings. They are generally held monthly and you can call us at the above telephone number for a specific place, date and time.

The Louisiana Dept. of Health/Office of Public Health, routinely monitors for constituents in your drinking water, according to Federal and State laws. This table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1st to December 31st, 1999. all drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some constituents. It's important to remember that the presence of these constituents does not necessarily pose a health risk.

In this table you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms we've provided the following definitions:

Non-Detects (ND)-laboratory analysis indicates that the constituent is not present.

Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l)-one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Parts per trillion (ppt) or Nanogram per liter (nanogram/l) - one part per

trillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000,000.

Parts per quadrillion (ppq) or Picograms per liter (picograms/l) - one part per quadrillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000,000 years or one penny in \$10,000,000,000,000.

Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) - picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.

Millirems per year (mrem/yr) - measure of radiation absorbed by the body.

Million Fibers per Liter (MFL) - million fibers per liter is a measure of the presence of asbestos fibers that are longer than 10 micrometers.

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

Variances & Exemptions (V&E) - State or EPA permission not to meet an MCL or a treatment technique under certain conditions.

Action Level - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Treatment Technique (TT) - (mandatory language) A treatment technique is a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Maximum Contaminant Level - (mandatory language) The "Maximum Allowed" (MCL) is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal - (mandatory language) The "Goal" (MCLG) is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

We did not detect the presence of any regulated compounds in our source water. The last chemical sampling of our source water was collected on 04/19/99 . Additionally, the latest consumer tap sampling from 09/15/00 for lead and copper showed only low levels.

Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean, quality water this year. In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all of our customers.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Please call our office if you have any questions.

We at Cameron Par. Ww. Dist. #7, work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap as stated by (337) 542-4718. We ask that all our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future.

RUN: July 19 (JU-25)

PROCEEDINGS

Cameron, Louisiana
 June 29, 2001

The Cameron Parish School Board met in special session on this date with the following members present: Pat Howerton - President, Bill Morris, Glenda Abshire, Clifton Morris, and Marvin Trahan. Absent: Tony Johnson.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved final budget revisions for the 2000-2001 fiscal year.

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board accepted the bid of Morgan Roofing Company, Inc. for School District 10 construction (reroofing and air conditioning). (Tabulations attached.)

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board adjourned.

APPROVED:

/s/Patrick Howerton
 PATRICK HOWERTON, PRESIDENT
 CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

ATTEST:

/s/Judith Jones
 JUDITH JONES, SECRETARY
 CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

RUN: July 19 (JU-26)

PUBLIC HEARING ON LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT BLOCK GRANTS PROGRAM

A Block Hearing will be held in conjunction with the Cameron Parish Police Jury meeting at the Cameron Parish Police Jury building, 110 Smith Circle, Cameron, La. 70631, on 06 August 2001 at 5:00 p.m. for the purpose of obtaining any written and/or oral comments from the public on the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant the Cameron Parish Sheriff is applying for.

All interested groups are encouraged to attend the hearing. Persons attending the hearing shall have the right to provide written and/or oral comments and suggestions regarding the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant Program. Any inquiries before the public hearing are to be directed to Jerry Constance, P.O. Box 1250, Cameron, La. 70631 or 337-775-5111.
 RUN: July 19 (JU-28)

NOTICE

The following residents are to report for possible Petit Jury duty Aug. 20, 2001, Judge H. Ward Fontenot:

Titilola Joyce Adewale, Cameron, La.; Charles Alford, Hackberry, La.; Carrie Athey, Lake Charles, La.; John Baccigalopi, Creole, La.; Ann Badon, Cameron, La.; Briggette Benoit, Lake Charles, La.; Kenneth Benson, Creole, La.; Lynn Berry, Bell City, La.; Leland Bertrand, Creole, La.; Oren Boudreaux, Creole, La.; Roger Boudreaux, Grand Chenier, La.; Loretta L. Brothers, Creole, La.; Lindsey Bufford, Hackberry, La.; Karen Burke, Cameron, La.; Annette D. Byler, Hackberry, La.; Larry Cain, Hackberry, La.; John Carter Jr., Cameron, La.; Milton Collins, Grand Chenier, La.

Penelope Courville, Cameron, La.; Michelle Dang, Baton Rouge, La.; James Dockins, Bell City, La.; Joseph

Doxey, Grand Chenier, La.; Leesa Ducote, Hackberry, La.; Betty Duhon, Lake Charles, La.; Caren Ewing, Lake Charles, La.; Andrea Faulk, Lake Charles, La.; George Manuel Fernandez, Cameron, La.; Deidra B. Fontenot, Creole, La.; Tina Fountain, Cameron, La.; Pat Fruge, Hackberry, La.; Augustin J. Garibaldi, Chicago, Ill.; Clifford Curtis Geer, Creole, La.; Donna Guidry, Grand Chenier, La.; Albert Joseph Guillot, Arnaudville, La.; Roberta Harrison, Lake Charles, La.; Charles Herbert, Lake Charles, La.; John Michael Istre, Gueydan, La.; April Jinks, Cameron, La.

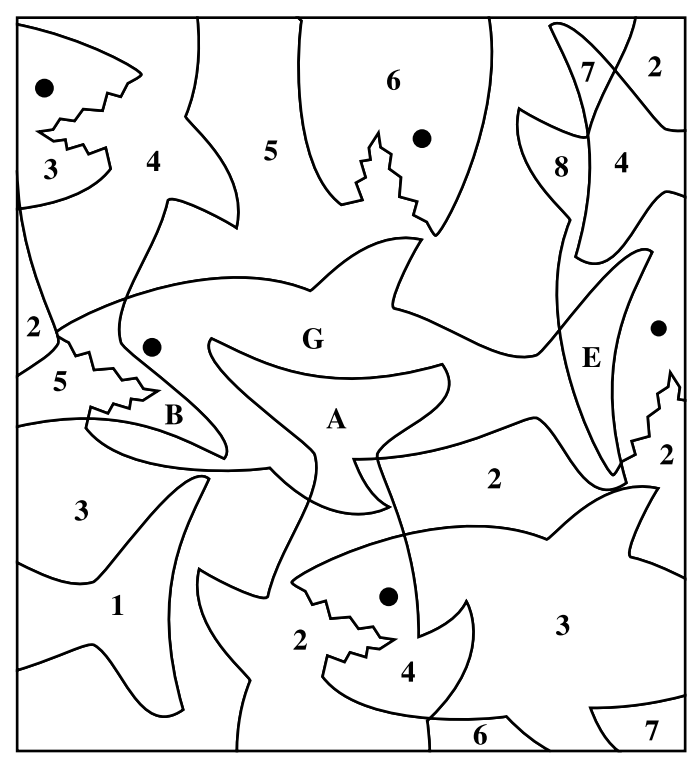
Gary Johnson, Lake Charles, La.; Denny Kingham Jr., Lake Charles, La.; Ada Landry, Lake Charles, La.; Laurie Lauridsen, Creole, La.; Annette LeBoeuf, Creole, La.; Randall Legger, Hackberry, La.; Alejandro J. Leija, Cameron, La.; Errol Lemaire, Lake Charles, La.; Gene Little, Hackberry, La.; Vicki Little, Grand Chenier, La.; Robin Gale Maltese, Cameron, La.; Robert N. McLain, Cameron, La.; Cheryl Drummond Monic, Hackberry, La.; Brenda Mooney, Cameron, La.; Kim Murphy, Cameron, La.; Monica Navarre, Hackberry, La.; RUBY Navarre, Hackberry, La.; Jerica Nunez, Creole, La.; Kathryn Nunez, Lake Charles, La.; Greg Ogea, Lake Charles, La.

Shandy Ogea, Lake Charles, La.; Debra Oshields, Cameron, La.; Jerome Picou, Cameron, La.; Ethel Precht, Bell City, La.; Louise D. Pugh, Cameron, La.; Bryant A. Richard, Lake Charles, La.; Melissa Richard, Grand Chenier, La.; Mona Richard, Cameron, La.; Norma Richard, Lake Charles, La.; Sarah Richard, Lake Charles, La.; Joshua Roberts, Lake Charles, La.; Richard D. Romero, Lake Charles, La.; James Rutherford, Grand Chenier, La.; Claudelle San-difer, Cameron, La.; Alma M. Savoie, Cameron, La.; David Savoie, Creole, La.; Margaret Shove, Hackberry, La.; Kevin Smith, Cameron, La.; Roselle Smith, Cameron, La.; Mary Stickell, Lake Charles, La.

Mary T. Stoute, Cameron, La.; Daniel Allan Strawn, Cameron, La.; Loretta P. Taber, Cameron, La.; Morris Tanner, Grand Chenier, La.; Susan Marie Tapcell, Hackberry, La.; Terrel Taylor, Lake Charles, La

Just Kidding

HIDDEN PICTURE



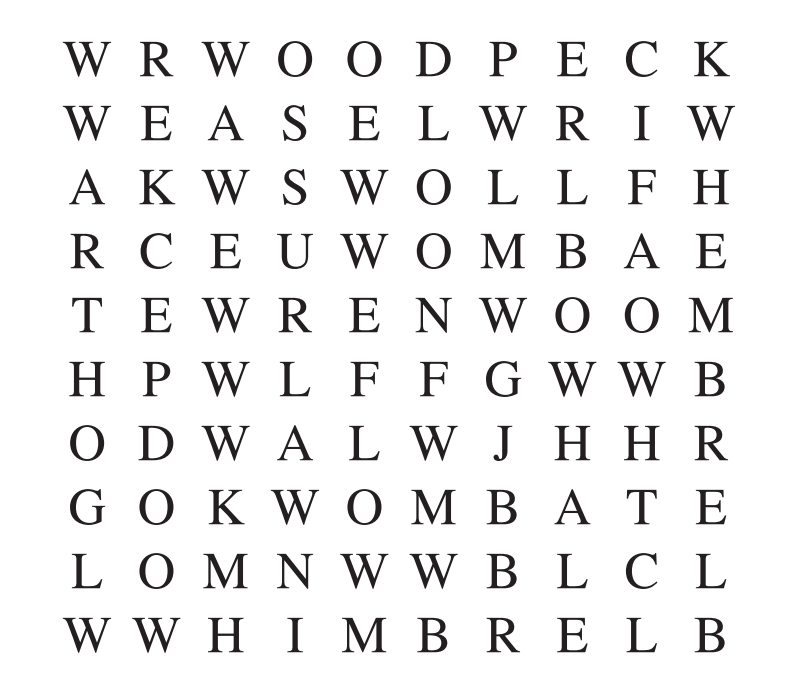
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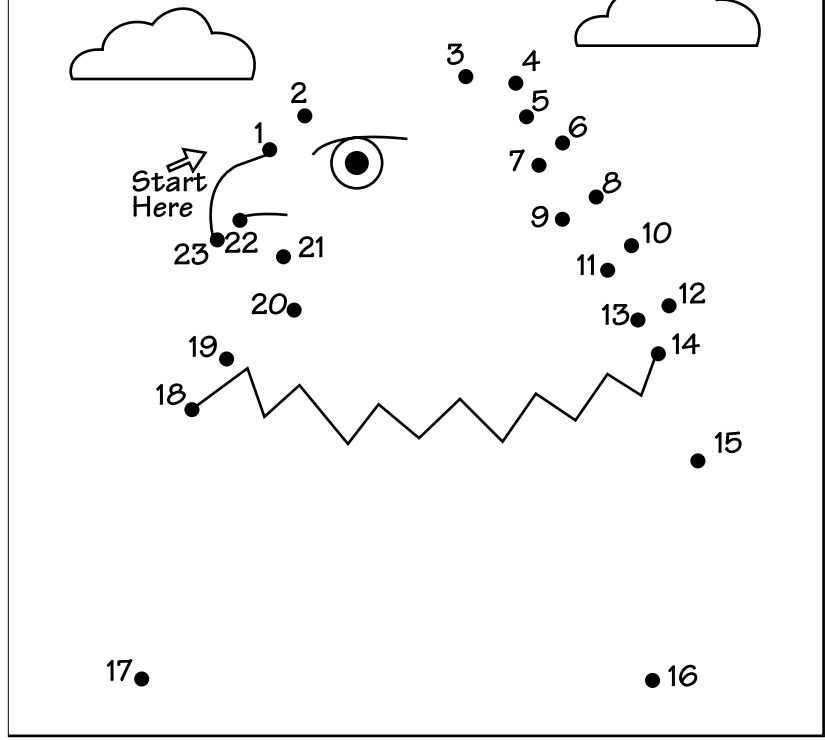
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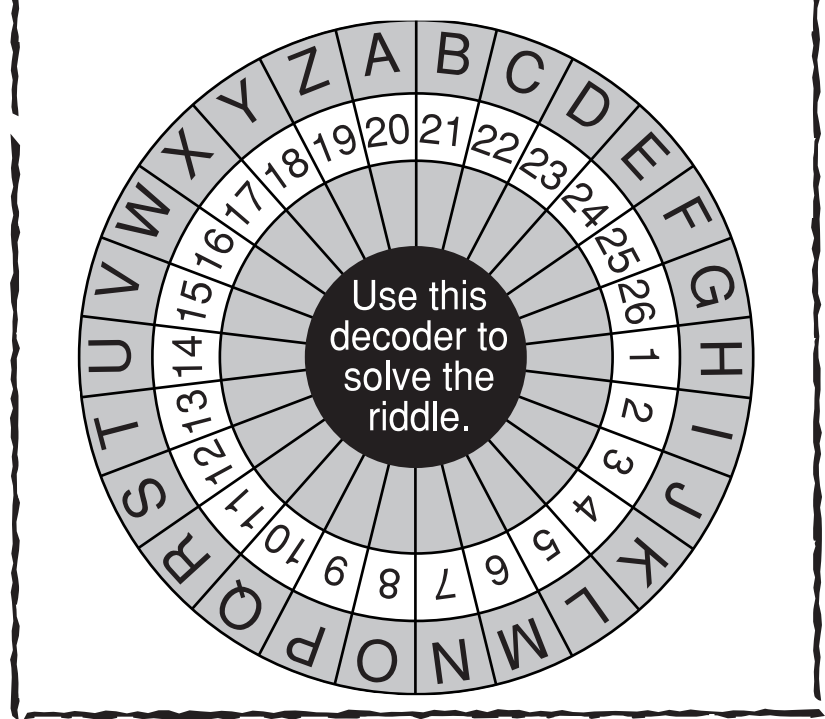
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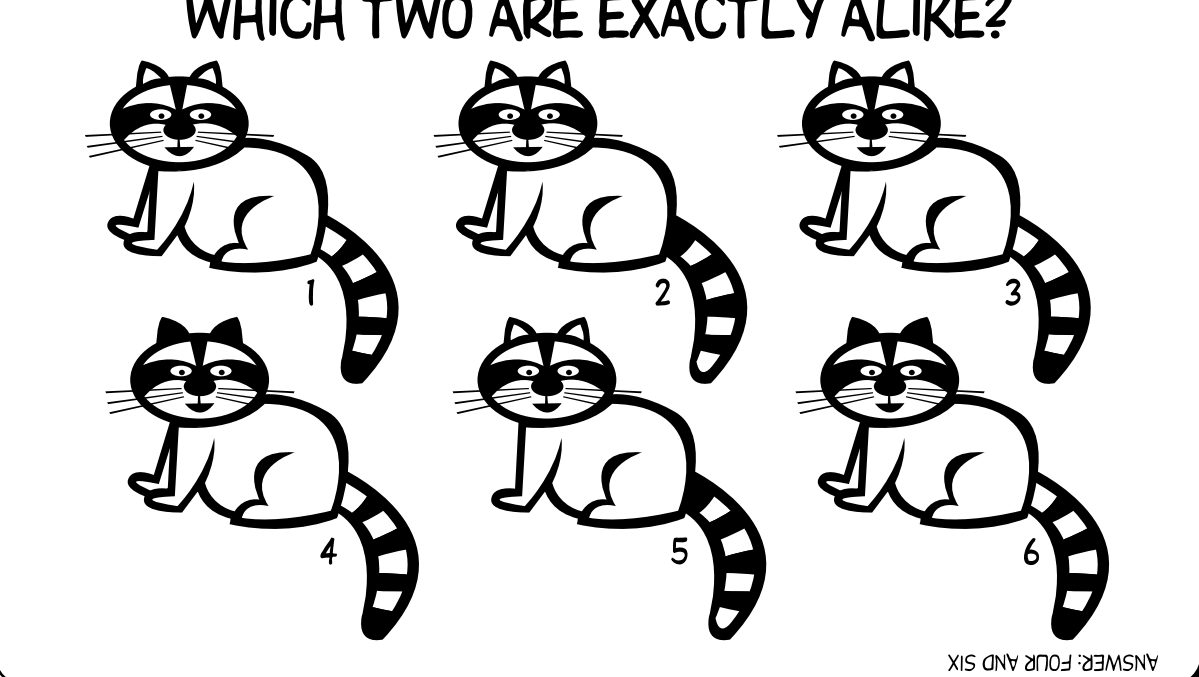
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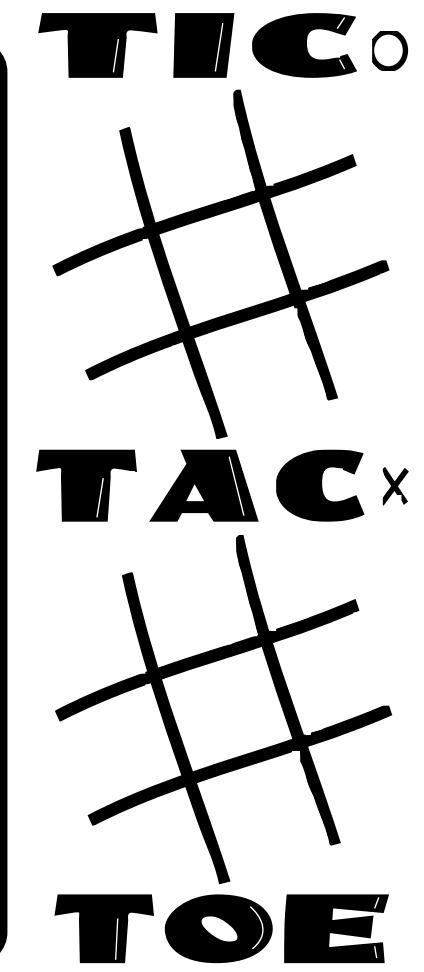


FIND THE TWINS

WHICH TWO ARE EXACTLY ALIKE?



ANSWER: FOUR AND SIX



Batter Up!

Born in 1819 in New York, Abner Doubleday is usually credited with inventing baseball. However, more recent studies reveal that he may have come up with the rules for baseball, but he really didn't invent the game.

Although legend has it that Doubleday invented baseball in Cooperstown, New York, baseball historians do not agree. Some say Doubleday never even visited Cooperstown, which is now the home of the Baseball Hall of Fame.

Those who have studied it believe that baseball came from ball-and-stick games all over the world, and that one person cannot be named as the inventor. The Russian game lapta—along with the English games paddleball, trap ball, rounders and town ball—may have all made baseball what it is today.

Whether or not he invented baseball, Doubleday led a full life. Before entering West Point, Doubleday was a civil engineer. He graduated from West Point in 1842. Doubleday served in the Mexican War from 1846 to 1848 and in the Seminole War in Florida from 1856 to 1858. He was even at Fort Sumter when the first shots of the Civil War were fired.

Rising Water

Rain, rain go away. Come again another day.

Because it can happen in every state, flooding is the most common natural hazard in the United States.

Flooding can happen when it rains too much, rivers overflow, snow melts too fast, ocean waves come on shore or dams break. Whether it's only a few inches or it covers a house, it's still known as flooding.

If there is a chance for flooding where you live, here are some things you can do.

- Flood water may be contaminated. Stay away from it.
- Do not go near power lines on the ground. You could be electrocuted.
- Because it can knock you off your feet, do not walk through moving water.
- If you have to walk through water, use a stick to test how deep the water is in front of you.
- Keep a battery-powered radio with you.
- If you can, move valuable items to a higher floor in your home.
- Don't forget your pets.
- If there is time, move garden furniture inside.

Talk to an adult about what the flood means, what you should do and how you can help. For more information on other types of storms, check out the Federal Emergency Management Association Web site at www.fema.gov/kids/.

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Answers

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THE SULPHUR NATIONALS baseball team qualified for the 2001 Louisiana Dixie Major Baseball Tournament to be held in Moss Bluff July 14-19. Shown above, from left were: (back row) Cody King, Coach Jimmy Brown, John Paul Guidry, Lance Guidry, Coach Barry Kelley, Clint Dupre, Jake Buford, Coach Terry Murphy, Blake Murphy, Brian Brown; (middle row) Josh Dowers, Steven Hollier, Heath Kelley, Matt Beaugh, Darrell Zachary, Beau LeDoux; (front row) Cody Cahanan, and Cade Delino. Members of the team from Hackberry are Brian Brown, Jake Buford, and Blake Murphy.



PICTURED AT THE recent NAACP Convention in New Orleans were (seated, from left) Louise Cole, Cameron NAACP president; Ernest Johnson, state NAACP president; Senator Mary Landrieu; Mrs. Cheryl Moses, state youth advisor; and (standing) the youth delegates from the Cameron chapter.

Cameron Outdoors

By Loston McEvers

CLUB TOURNAMENTS

There was plenty of fishing going on last weekend as club tournaments were taking place as well as the big one, the CCA Statewide Tournament of Anglers Rodeo competition, but the 16th annual CCA trout shootout is one to be remembered. Rodney Benoit landed a 10.2 pound speckle trout to wrap that up, in fact the shootout's largest trout caught since it started 16 years ago. Benoit won an 18-foot boat, motor and trailer and may even win another boat rigged out in the statewide tournament and I'm sure this speckle trout made the top ten trout for the state record book.

The other top ten speckle trout were all 6 plus pounds to 4 over 7 pounds with the tenth place going 6.76 pounds. There were over 1400 entries.

LA. SENIORS GET BREAK

As we all know when fishing Texas waters all Louisiana and Texas anglers are allowed to fish border waters except the Gulf of Mexico, which includes Toledo Bend Reservoir, Caddo Lake, The Sabine River and Sabine Lake.

Louisiana seniors 65 years and older will no longer have to purchase a non-resident license to fish in all public waters in Texas, which began Jun 1, 2001. Senior anglers 65 and older will be allowed to fish Texas water bodies with only a Louisiana Senior fishing license.

Senior anglers are advised that even those anglers turning 60 before June 1, 2000, are required to possess a Louisiana Senior fishing license when fishing in Texas, except border waters. Louisiana residents 17 to 64 years of age will still be required to purchase a non-resident fishing license when fishing in Texas, except when fishing border waters. Remember, the Gulf of Mexico is not border water.

If you are exempt from a resident license in Louisiana you are allowed to fish border waters without a Texas license.

GIBBSTOWN DOG FIGHT

The dog fight on June 9, was quite tough as small stringers of bass reported. Team results of 3 bass were: Allen Thibodeaux, 1st, 3.95 and also first in largest bass of 1.88 lbs.; 2nd, John

LeDoux and Russell Pesson, 3.52 lbs.; 3rd, John Stitzlein and Scott D. Wilks, 3.18 lbs. Patrick and Bobby Kennedy had the second largest bass of 1.64 lbs.

LEMESCHE BASS CLUB

The Lemesche Bass Club held their 5th club tournament of the year with these results:

1st team, Tom Hess and Rod Richard, 5 bass, 7.13; 2nd, Loston McEvers and Ricky Canik, 5 bass, 7.12; 3rd, Rufus McEvers and George Melancon, 5 bass, 5.4; 4th, Richard Duhon and Carl Broussard, 5 bass, 4.1; 5th Darren Richard and Scooter Trosclair, 5 bass, 3.10.

Tom Hess and Rod Richard had the largest bass of 4.6 pounds. A tie resulted in a longer fish for second place were Rufus McEvers and George Melancon, 1.10, and Loston McEvers and Ricky Canik, 1.10 for 3rd place.

Scooter Trosclair had a 5.5 choupique.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mondays, Gibbstown Dogfight, 5:15 p.m., at bridge landing. Through Sept. 3, CCA statewide tournament and anglers rodeo. Through Sept. 3, Lake Charles CCA catch and photo and release. July 21-22, Hunter Education Class, Rockefeller Refuge, Grand Chenier. To pre-register call Gary Primeaux at 337-538-2415 before 9 p.m. July 25, Speckle

Bingo to aid softball team

A super bingo will be held Sun., July 22, at the Cameron K. C. Hall to benefit the Cameron Eagles 14 and under softball team.

Dinners will be sold starting at 11 a.m. and bingo will start at 1 p.m.

trout meeting, Calcasieu Parish Cooperative Extension Service Office, Gulf Highway, 6 p.m. Call Kevin Savoie, 775-5516.

July 26, 1 p.m., New fisheries laws meeting, Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex, Cameron, call Kevin Savoie,

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

Aug. 2-4, Bassmasters Classic, New Orleans, Ernest M. Morial Center.

FEEDING TIMES

Best: Fri., July 20, 11:30 a.m.; Sat., July 21, 12:30 p.m.; Sun., July 22, 1:45 p.m.; Mon., July 23, 2:45 p.m.; Tues., July 24, 3:45 p.m.; Wed., July 25, 4:45 p.m.; Thurs., July 26, 5:15 a.m. and 5:45 p.m.

Good: Fri., 5:15 a.m., 5:45 p.m.; Sat., 6:15 a.m., 6:45 p.m.; Sun., 7:30 a.m. 8 p.m.; Mon., 8:30 a.m., 9 p.m.; Tues., 9:30 a.m., 10 p.m.; Wed., 10:30 a.m.; Thurs., 11:30 a.m.

Best days are Friday, July 20, 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Monday, July 23, 2:45 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Grand Lake girls win in trout shootout

Three Grand Lake girls placed in the youth division of the Coastal Conservation Association's Trout Shootout on July 14.

Alice Robichaux, fishing with dad Julian, placed second to win a \$1000 savings bond. She caught a 5.61 lb. speckled trout.

Kimmie Babineaux, fishing with dad Chuck, placed fourth with a 4.7 lb. fish and won a \$600 bond.

Haylee Theriot, fishing with dad Chris, took 24th place with a 2.18 trout to win a \$22 bond.

Each also received a CCA plaque and a rod and reel.

Senior citizen driving class to be offered

AARP's Defensive Driving Class will be offered Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 14 and 15, at the Cameron First Baptist Church in Cameron from 1-4 p.m. each day. You must attend both days to get credit for the class.

To register, call or come by the Cameron Council on Aging. There is a \$10 charge by AARP. You have to be 55 or older to enroll in the class. You will receive a certificate and get a discount on your insurance by taking this class. Call 775-5668 for more information.

Hunter course to be held

A hunter education course will be held at the Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge at Grand Chenier July 21 and 22, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Saturday and 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Sunday.

Participants must attend both days. To register call Gary Primeaux at 538-2415 before 9 p.m.

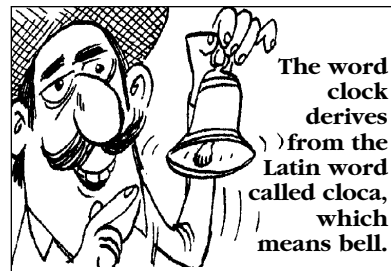
Hackberry News

ATTENDS 4-8 CAMP

4-H members of Cameron Parish attended a five day workshop at Camp Walker July 2. Fifteen members were from Hackberry.

GUEST SPEAKER

Michell McInnis, former resident of Hackberry, now of Sulphur, and media manager of the Southwest Convention and Visitors Bureau in Lake Charles, was recently the guest speaker for AARP. She is the daughter of Mary (Coot) McInnis, and the granddaughter of Grace Welch, both of Hackberry, and Gerald and Joyce McInnis of Sulphur.



The word clock derives from the Latin word called cloca, which means bell.

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