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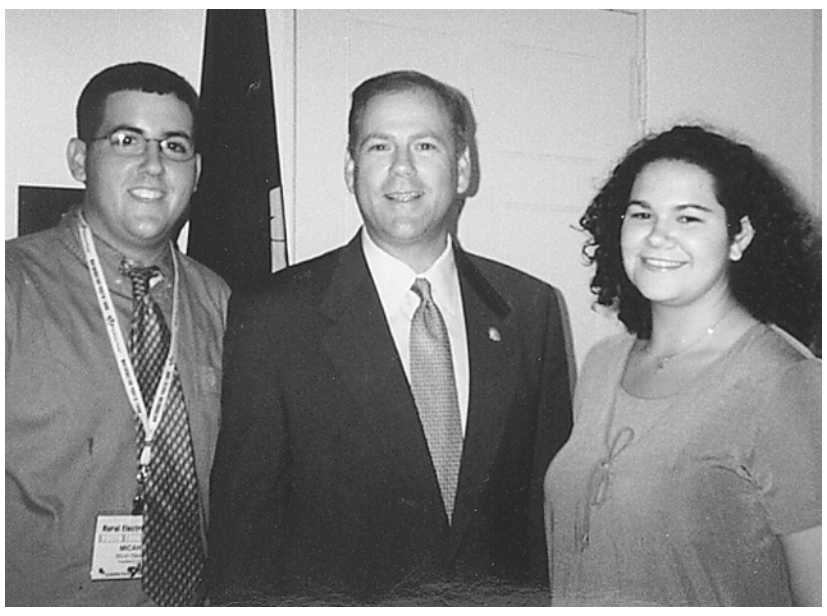

MICAH SILVER and Keri Cronan, shown above with Congressman Chris John, were participants in the recent Rural Electric Youth Tour to Washington, D. C. They toured the Capitol and the White House and participated in a rally in front of the Capitol. They also visited with Congressman John. Micah and Keri won the Louisiana Rural Electric Youth Tour by submitting essays on "The Benefits of Being in a Cooperative." The Association of Louisiana Electric Cooperatives chose Micah as their representative, while Jefferson Davis Electric Cooperative sponsored Keri.

Cameron Pilot first published 45 years ago

(EDITOR'S NOTE--The Cameron Parish Pilot will observe its 45th birthday in October making it one of the older businesses in the parish. The following is the first of several articles on the history of the newspaper.)

By JERRY WISE

The first issue of the Cameron Parish Pilot was put out on Friday, Oct. 5, 1956.

The publishers of the Pilot were--and are--Jerry and Joy Wise and the newspaper has remained a family operation over the years with daughter, Jeffra Wise DeViney, joining the staff as advertising manager about 20 years ago.

In 1956 Cameron Parish was the only parish in Louisiana that did not have its own newspaper. There had been a newspaper published by a Mrs. Nunemaker out of Lakeside, near Lake Arthur, in the 1920s but it was no longer in business.

However, by coincidence, there had been another paper published in Cameron in the late 1800s and it too was called the Cameron Pilot. (We did not know about this paper when we named our paper the Pilot.)

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Steed of Cameron had a copy of the first issue of the old Pilot which was published in 1896 which they loaned to us. We had it framed and in our office in Cameron when Hurricane Audrey it on June 27, 1957. That was the last we saw of it.

However, recently another copy of the old Cameron Pilot surfaced and it can be seen in a frame in the foyer of the Cameron Clerk of Court's office.

The Cameron Lions Club aided in the establishment of our Cameron Pilot by endorsing the newspaper and sending members around with the publisher to business places to help secure promises of advertising. Among Lions who gave their time in this purpose were Hadley Fontenot, E. J. Dronet, Lesley Richard, Rodney Guilbeau, Sr., and Ashburn Roux.

The Pilot lined up a staff of country correspondents representing most of the communities in the parish. One of these, Mrs. Geneva Griffith of Oak Grove, has written for the paper since it was founded. Several others, including Elora Montie of Grand Chenier, Grace Welch of Hackberry and Wanita Harrison of Grand Chenier wrote for the paper for many years.

Two early feature writers for the paper were a brother and sister, Archie Hollister and Bernice Stewart, natives of Grand Chenier, then residents of Lake Arthur and both teachers at the Klondike school in Cameron Parish. Archie wrote about the history and folklore of Cameron parish for years until his death about 25 years ago. Bernice Hollister Denny wrote for the Pilot for nearly 40 years. Both Archie and Bernice are now deceased.

Among the Pilot's first advertisers were the Calcasieu Marine Bank, Cameron Telephone Co., Diesel Marine Service, Gas Appliance Co.

Cameron Telephone president, Billy Henning, was so supportive that he advanced the newspaper $300 on future advertising, which was about all the start up capital that the publishers had.

Cameron Parish in 1956 was in the midst of an oil and gas boom, both onshore and offshore, and the two large menhaden plants had made the town of Cameron the No. 1 fishing port in the nation. The Pilot, therefore, found an ample amount of advertising to support the newspaper and what had been first started as a parttime project turned into a full time endeavor in a few weeks.

Joy and I had been working for the Southwest Builder, the Sulphur newspaper for the past five years, and we were overjoyed to have our own business getting off to such a good start.

Nine months later, came the great tragedy that was to nearly wipe out lower Cameron parish and almost put us out of business--Hurricane Audrey.

(To be continued.)

Extension of permit asked

M & C Oilfield Services, Inc. of Cameron has requested an extension on a Coastal Use Permit to construct a 3081 foot bulkhead, 600 foot access road, a 2300 access road, two crane pads and mooring dolphins along the Calcasieu River Channel off of La. Hwy. 27-82 near the town of Cameron.

Water Dist. 11 gets state recog-

Cameron Parish Waterworks District #11 was named the "Water System of the Year" for South Louisiana at the annual Louisiana Rural Water Association conference and awards banquet held in Alexandria July 18.

The district, which serves 1176 water customers in the Grand Lake, Sweet Lake and Big Lake areas, won the state honor over water districts in New Iberia and Calcasieu Parish.

In addition, Lori Nunez, the district's office manager, was one of four persons nominated for the "Outstanding Office Person of the Year" in South Louisiana.

District 11 was formed about 15 years ago and continues to add many new customers due to the building boom in the North Cameron area.

Patrick Hebert is the water superintendent and James A. Cox is the assistant. Other employees are A. J. Ewing, Robert Nunez and Lori Nunez.

Water board members are Harold Savoie, president; Lynn Berry, Gerald Richard, Andre Abadie and Jeffery Jouett. Charles Precht III is the police juror for the area.

Marshland Festival is this weekend

The 12th annual Marshland Festival, sponsored by Hackberry community organizations, will be held Thursday-Sunday, July 27-29 at the Lake Charles Civic Center.

Among the bands featured at this year's festival are Judd Bares, Wayne Toups, Richard LeBouef, Louisiana Express, Moe D, Bayou Rhythm and others.

There also will be arts and crafts, exhibit, food booths and games.

The gates will open at 5:3 p.m. on Friday and 11 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Proceeds go to support various Hackberry community organizations. For more information call 1-800-737-2873.

Jouett new director of program

Angela Jouett of Grand Lake has assumed the recently vacated position of Community Organizer for the Cameron Parish Outreach Program. The program has new phone numbers and a 24 hour pager number and serves all of Cameron Parish. Programs are being planned to educate residents on using the free services of this program.

Volunteers are being sought in all parts of the parish to help implement programs dealing with issues of women and children.

There will be a free self defense class open to all ages Aug. 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the multipurpose building in Grand Lake. Any organization or club in need of a program on domestic abuse is encouraged to contact Jouett and schedule a session.

The program offers videos on teen issues, dating, domestic violence, etc.

The new number for the Office of Domestic Violence is 515-9295 (cell) Pager 1-800-460-2514 or 493-6116.

Two taxes are renewed

Tax renewals for Fire Protection District 14 and Water District 11 were approved Saturday by voters in the Big Lake, Sweet Lake and Grand Lake Areas.

The vote on the tax for fire protection was 126-17, or 88 percent to 12 percent.

The vote for the tax to operate and maintain the district's water system was 118-27, or 81 percent to 19 percent

Voter turnout on the pair of 10-year, 5.7 mill taxes was about 8 percent, with 145 of the districts' 1,815 registered voters going to the polls.

Who's Who edition to be published

The 2001 edition of the Cameron Pilot's Who's Who will be published on Sept. 13, according to Jeffra DeViney, advertising manager.

the section will contain profiles on parish businesses, churches, organizations, etc.

To reserve an advertising space contact Jeffra DeViney at 786-8004 or 1-800-256-7323.

Church has new hours

The Bayou Lighthouse in Johnson Bayou, a non-denominational church has new summer hours: Meetings are at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the J. B. Fire Dept.

For more information call 569-2221.

CAMERON'S ANNUAL Blessing of the Fleet will be held Monday, July 30 at 6 p.m. at the Cameron Parish Jetty Pier. This picture of the blessing of a fishing boat was taken several years ago.

Blessing of Fleet slated for Monday

Cameron's annual Blessing of the Fleet will be held Monday, July 30 at 6 p.m. at the Cameron Parish Jetty Fishing Pier on the ship channel south of town.

The event is being sponsored by Our Lady Star of the Sea and Sacred Heart Catholic Churches of Cameron and Creole.

Owners of fishing boats, work boats, pleasure crafts, etc. are invited to take part in the event and to decorate their boats. The boats will pass in review by the pier where they will be blessed by the pastors of the churches.

For more information on the Blessing of the Fleet call Donna LaBove at 775-5578.

State program offers insurance for children

As families get their children ready for a successful school year, the La. Children's Health Insurance Program is encouraging parents whose children are not covered by health insurance to put enrolling for LACHIP at the top of their back-to-school checklist.

"Every summer, parents prepare their children for school by buying lunch boxes and supplies," said Susan Ledger, LACHIP Outreach Coordinator for Region 5. "We want to make sure that getting health care coverage is a priority too. Health care coverage helps parents keep kids healthy, and healthy kids are better prepared to learn."

Many families may not be aware that their children may qualify for coverage. In fact, eligibility has been expanded to include many moderate-income families. A family of four can make up to $2942.00 a month or more and qualify for LACHIP. Eligibility is based on family size and income. Larger families with higher incomes may also be eligible for the no cost health care coverage.

Stepped up efforts to increase the number of children enrolled in LACHIP are starting Saturday, August 11 at targeted Wal-Mart stores statewide. At this back-to-school event families can obtain information about LACHIP and receive assistance in completing the application if needed. There will be attractions for the children to enjoy as well as prizes for them to register to receive.

In Louisiana, there is an estimated 180,000 children who could be insured if their parents enrolled them in LACHIP.

Children enrolled in LACHIP will receive doctor visits, dental care, vision care, prescription medication, hospitalization and immunizations.

To find out if your child is eligible for free health care coverage, call toll-free 1-877-252-2447 or go by the LACHIP Back-to-School event on Saturday, Aug. 11, at a Wal-Mart near you.

DENNIS ARNOLD, representing the Cameron Telephone Co., recently presented copies of the new Cameron Parish flag to each of the schools in the parish. He is pictured above presenting one of the flags to members of the Cameron Parish Police Jury. (Photo by Geneva Griffith.)

Sailing down river on the Olive

(EDITOR'S NOTE--The late Archie Hollister, Cameron Parish's unofficial historian, wrote this column for the Cameron Pilot which was published on Feb. 3, 1961.)

By Archie Hollister

If you will come with me, back through the pages of memory to a day fifty or sixty years ago, we will join a gay, pleasure-seeking excursion crowd on the old river steamboat Olive. it will be a warm day, of course, for one of the main attractions of the excursion will be swimming in the waters of the Gulf of Mexico.

And we will have to get up early in the morning too, for the trip will be a long one of ten or twelve hours, depending upon wind and tide. The Olive was not built for speed to begin with, and besides no one is in any particular hurry.

The excursion has been advertised for days, if not for weeks, and the passengers on board will have come from a radius of fifty miles or more. There will be folks from Lafayette and Crowley and Rayne, from Welsh and Lake Charles, and points in between.

And they will come equipped with lunch boxes and clothing, beach umbrellas, tarpaulins and canvas for makeshift tents, straw hats the size of washtubs, and just about all the useless stuff that people of today would get together for a similar trip.

There will be a band along too--musicians from Rayne and Lafayette--and dancing in the main cabin of the steamer will help to speed the hours of the tedious journey. And later on that same band will play while barefooted dancers turn the hard-packed sands of the beach into a dance floor. (This is something for you youngsters of today to think about.)

There will be a crowd on the wharf at Mermentau on the morning of the sailing, and it will be a large one. Captain Dorcelie Richard states that on one excursion he had 482 passengers aboard, this in spite of the fact that the Olive was licensed to carry only a maximum of 180. And there were several hundred others who would have come along too if there had been room for them.

The wharf, just prior to the sailing, is the scene of much confused activity; families are getting separated and trying to find each other; children are getting lost; somewhere a fist fight breaks out; an occasional drunk, who has started his celebrating too early, will have to fall into the river and be fished out.

And for every person who actually means to take passage on the boat, there are two or three others who have come along to help them with their bundles, or drive the buggies back home.

The chief engineer has had steam up for some time, most of the excursionists are on the boat, and there is a hint of dawn in the east. The captain takes a last look around, steps into the pilot house, and blows the departing whistle.

Mooring lines are loosened and the Olive edges away from the wharf. As she swings slowly out into the river a late-comer or two will be seen sprinting down the pier and bridging the open space with running broad jump.

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Funerals

DAVID W. ARCENEAUX

Funeral services for David Walker "Sonny" Arceneaux, 72, were held Monday, July 23, in Robison Funeral Home.

Minister Lester J. Bueche officiated. Burial was in Bigwoods Cemetery in Edgerly.

Mr. Arceneaux died Friday, July 20, 2001, in his residence.

A native of Crowley, he moved to Sulphur in 1958. He served three years in the U. S. Navy on the USS Fall River. He was a member of Ebenezer Methodist Church of Crowley.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia Wilder Arceneaux of Sulphur; four sons, Glenn David Arceneaux and Gary Jay Arceneaux , both of Sulphur, Gregory Arceneaux of Dallas, and Shane Arceneaux of Hathaway; two daughters, Sunny Gail Ryder and Suzette Dean, both of Sulphur; two sisters, Peggy Managan of Crowley and Janie McCall of Grand Chenier; 11 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

MRS. KRISTINE MARTARONA

Funeral services for Kristine Martarona, 51, of Creole were held Wednesday, July 25 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Creole with Father Joseph McGrath officiating. Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery under the direction of Hixson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Martarona died Saturday, July 21, 2001 in Marvel, Texas. She was a native of Lake Charles and had lived for the past 12 years in Creole. She was a member of Sacred Heart Church.

Survivors are her husband Vincent Joseph (Joey) Martarona, Jr., Creole; seven sons, Richie Hungerford, Lake Charles, Andy Martarona, Carlyss, Vito Martarona, Grand Lake, Joey Martarona III, DeRidder, Shane Hungerford, Ragley, Scott Anthony Martarona, Austin, Tex., Micheal Ardoin, Lake Charles; two daughters, Veronica Jo Martarona and Valari J. Martarona, both of Creole; her mother Margaret Hanks, Hemphill, Tex.; step-mother Alma Benton, Lake Charles; three brothers, Wheeler Hanks, San Antonio, Tex., Clay Benton, and Tim Benton both of Lake Charles; one sister Linda Stevens, Baton Rouge, La. and 20 grandchildren.

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Mrs. Annie Miller

MRS. STEPHEN (ANNIE MAE BACCIGALOPI) MILLER

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Mae Baccigalopi Miller, 77, of Lake Charles were held Saturday, July 21 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Creole with the Rev. Joseph McGrath officiating. Burial was in Chenier Perdue cemetery under the direction of Hixson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Miller died Thursday, July 19, 2001 in a Lake Charles hospital.

Survivors include her husband, Stephen J. Miller of Lake Charles; two sons, Albert C. Miller of Creole and Sidney J. Miller of Longville; one brother, Whitney Baccigalopi of Grand Chenier; one sister, Marie Bertrand of Eunice; three grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren; ten step-grandchildren; 58 step-great-grandchildren and 32 step great-great-grandchildren.

MRS. LILLIE AGNES ROUNTREE

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillie Agnes Rountree, 76, of Lake Charles were held Tuesday, July 24, in the Johnson Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Dan Flowers officiated. The body was cremated.

Mrs. Roundtree died Sunday, July 22, 2001 in a local hospital.

She was a native of Troy, Tenn. and lived in Hackberry most of her life before moving to Lake Charles 16 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Hackberry and a member of the order of the Eastern Star of Sulphur.

She is survived by one daughter, Tommie Anne Crick, Lake Charles; one son, Steven P. Rountree, Lafayette; and four grandchildren.

MRS. PAULINE ELIZABETH STURLESE

Funeral services for Mrs. Pauline Elizabeth Sturlese, 70, of Cameron were held Wednesday, July 25 in Ebenezer Baptist Church with the Rev. Lannis Joseph officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery under the direction of Hixson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Sturlese had moved from Orange, Texas to Cameron 38 years ago. She was a member of Ebenezer church.

Survivors are one son, Steve Sturlese III, Cameron; seven daughters, Daphne Pete, Peggy Holmes, Janice Rosette, Bertha Brown, all of Cameron, Rhonda Sturlese, Columbus, Oh., Vickie Sturlese, Dorothy Sturlese both of Orange, Tex.; three brothers, Stanley Jones, Gary Jones both of Orange, Tex., Charles Jones of Portland, Or.; six sisters, Lois Everett, Carolyn Jones, Ruth Hightower, all of Houston, Tex., Francis Brock, Beaumont, Tex., Marva Hawthorne, Orange, Tex., Sandra Foster, Davenport, Iowa; 25 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

TERRY J. THERIOT

Funeral services for Terry J. Theriot, 70, of Singer were held Sat., July 21 from Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Rev. Joseph McGrath officiated. Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery under direction of Snider Funeral Home of DeQuincy.

Mr. Theriot died Wednesday, July 18, 2001 in his Singer residence.

A native of Cameron, he had resided in Singer the last 20 years. He retired in 1983 from The Department of Transportation and Development for the State of Louisiana after 12 years of service and was a former captain of crew boats for a number of years. He was a member of The Short Horns Association.

Survivors include his wife Muriel Theriot of Singer; two sons, David Theriot of Lake Charles and Terry Theriot II of McKenzie, Tenn.; four daughters, Gail Theriot of Lake Charles; Susanne Perrin of Moss Bluff; Andrea Couch of Singer; Bettina Hubbard of Dallas; two brothers, Leslie Theriot and Fredman Theriot both of Cameron; one sister, Vernis Dunn of Dry Creek; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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Leak tests to be done by Cameron sewer dist.

Cameron Parish Sewer District 1 will be conducting leak tests in the Cameron Sewer system Aug. 8-10 by blowing smoke into the pipes, according to the District's board of directors.

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 these tests. This smoke is manufactured for this purpose, leaves no residuals or stains and has no effects on plant and animal life. The smoke has a distinctive, but not unpleasant, odor, visibility and odor last only a few minutes, where there is adequate ventilation.

Because the plumbing appliances in your house or building are connected to the sanitary sewer system, some of this smoke may enter your house if the:

Vents connected to your building's sewer pipes are inadequate, defective or improperly installed.

Traps under sinks, tubs, basins, showers and other drains are dry, defective, improperly installed or missing.

Pipes, connections and seals of the wastewater drain system in and under your building are damaged, defective, have plugs missing or are improperly installed.

All resident s 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. These can be both unpleasant and dangerous as well as a health hazard to the occupants. Location, identification and correction of the source of smoke that enters your house is urgently advised.

The correction of any defects in the pipes and sewer on private property is the responsibility of the owner. The services of a professional plumber are advised.

If you have any questions: or desire more information, call 775-5660.

MRS. LINDA VERONIE

Funeral services for Linda Faye Manard DeVille Veronie, 55, of Sulphur were held Monday in Robinson Funeral Home. Burial was in Farquhar Cemetery in Carlyss. Father Lawrence Kohler officiated.

Mrs. Veronie died Saturday, July 21, 2001 at her residence.

She was a native and life long resident of Sulphur and a member of Our Lady of Lasalette church.

Survivors include three daughters, Tina Billedeaux and Darlene DeVille, both of Edgerly and Margaret Melder of Sulphur; two sons, Joseph "JoJo" Veronie of Sulphur and Mark Veronie of Grand Lake; one sister, Peggy Doucett of Sulphur; two brothers, Rodney and Butch Manard, both of Sulphur; and nine grandchildren.

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Now the current has caught the old stern-wheeler and she is churning her way down the widening river. For those who enjoy nature the early morning scenery is beautiful. The river here is narrow and dense stands of cypress and willow line the water's edge.

There are many stops along the way--Lake Arthur, Shell Beach, Laurent's Point, Lakeside, and Lowery. The run across Grand Lake is pleasant this morning, but the captain tells of hazardous crossings he has made through fog, darkness, and high winds, when it was touch and go most of the way, with the old boat wallowing unsteadily about and shipping water through he openings beneath the guards at every roll.

It is well past three o'clock in the afternoon when the Olive reaches Grand Chenier. Opposite Alcide Miller's Landing she sweeps about in a wide majestic curve and heads upstream again before coming to her berth at the wharf. Here the party will spend the night. There are staterooms on board where many will sleep, and others go ashore to find lodgings.

Many a house near the landing will be crowded to capacity and beyond, but folks of that day are accustomed to such occasions and are not at all dismayed by it. Three or four can sleep in one bed, and quilts can be thrown on the floor for extra bedding. Somehow, they will all make out.

A dance is held on the Olive after supper, and the excursionists are joined by scores of people from Grand Chenier and the nearby communities.

(Continued next week).

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Do You Remember?

By Keith Hambrick

Lake Charles American Press, June 8, 1938

GRAND CHENIER HONORS

The Grand Chenier High School announces the following honor roll for the last six weeks session of 1937-1938:

Molly May Boudreaux, Dudley Fawvor, Emerlene Landry, Flora Mae Miller, Joycelyn Peveto, Virgie Mae Primeaux, Nellie Mae Quibodeaux.

Alberta Conner, Mona Lou Conner, Leola East, Lynn Jones, Emma McCall, Vernie Miller, Marilyn Miller, Carlos Welch.

Betty Jean Benoit, Hulaine East, Marion McCall, Velma Lou Montie, Mabel Nunez.

Constance Bonsall, Amable Fawvor, Oma McCall, Romana Miller, Donald Peveto.

Sybil Baccigalopie, Stephen Carter, Barbara Doland, Elougia Sturlese, Arlond Jones.

Bonnie Doxey, Jennings Jones, Jr.

Aloysia Carter, Margie Logue, Artemise Theriot.

Pauline Canik, Thomas Doland, Audry Mhire, Martin Richard, Adam Sturlese, Douglas Wilhite.

Marjorie Doland, Katleen Doxey, Lucille Doxey, Anocide Primeaux.

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SCHOOL BOARD NEWS

The Cameron Parish School Board will open bids on July 1 on the construction of a library and audio-visual aid room at the Grand Chenier school.

Supt. W.J.Montie said that the new addition will be financed by the general fund and will not come out of the recently-approved school bond issue.

A move to delay the start of school two weeks in the Grand Lake district was put aside for more study by the Board. Ward 4 member Mervyn Taylor said the older children are needed in the rice harvest early in the school year.

He asked the board if it would be permissible to grant a two-week delay and make up the time during Thanksgiving week and on Saturdays.

Supt. W. J. Montie said Saturday classes have not worked well because attendance is extremely poor.

A massive building program involving almost all the schools is planned. Also to be opened are bids on the $194,000 in bonds issued by School District No. 5 for improvements to the Johnson Bayou High School. The bonds will be retired in 15 years.

POLICE JURY REORGANIZED

The Cameron Parish Police Jury reorganized itself today but made no changes except in two committees.

All old members were re-elected and re-appointed. The only new member, Lyle (Butch) Crain, was named to the claims committee and causeway committee. He succeeds D.Y.Doland, r.

President W.F.Henry and vice president, C.A.Riggs, were re-elected to their posts, as were Secretary Jerry G. Jones and Treasurer Garner Nunez.

George V. Bailey of Lake Charles was appointed as parish engineer.

NEW PASTORS AT CHURCHES

Three Cameron Parish churches will get new pastors June 15 as a result of clergy appointments announced this week by Bishop Maurice Schexnayder of Lafayette.

The Rev. Eugene Senneville, who has been pastor of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish, Cameron, for a number of years, has been appointed pastor of Sacred Heart Parish, Port Barre.

The new pastor for Cameron will be the Rev. Whitney LeBlanc, who has been assistant pastor of St. Martin Parish,St.Martinville.

The Rev. Donald C. Theriot, who has been assistant pastor at St. Mary Magdalen parish, Abbeville, is appointed pastor of St. Mary of the Lake Parish at Big Lake.

Appointed as the new pastor of Sacred Heart Parish, Creole, is the Rev. Frederic Webert, who has been assistant at St.Peter's, New Iberia.

BROILER SHOW IS HELD

Cameron Parish 4-H Club members recently exhibited broilers at the parish broiler show and at the state broiler show, according to Ulan guidry, assistant county agent.

Winning places in the state show were: David Hinton, Hackberry, 3rd; Cynthia Morris, Creole, 5th; Cynthia Lowery, Hackberry, 7th.

Also exhibiting at the state show were John Ed Duhon, Grand Lake, and Patrick and Stephen Lowery, Hackberry, all of whom received blue ribbons.

In the recent parish show the following 4-H members exhibited broilers:

Grand Chenier--Jodie and Mike McCall, blue ribbons; Grand Lake--Mike Duhon 2 blues; John Ed Duhon, purple and red; Kenneth Duhon, rec; and Diane Duhon, red.

Hackberry-Cynthia Lowery, 2 purple; Cathy Lowery, 2 purple; Patrick Lowery, purple; Steven Lowery, 2 purple; Phillip Lowery, blue, David Hinton, blue and purple.

Cynthia Lowery exhibited the champion pen and Steven Lowery the reserve pen.

BEACH COVERED BY FISH

History repeated itself on Holly Beach last week as dead pogy fish covered the beach to a depth of a foot in some places for about a mile on each side of the small resort community.

Mrs. Walter Stanley, the Pilot's beach reporter, said it was believed that a pogy boat's net had broken offshore and that the fish had then washed onto the beach.

The fish were washed ashore Thursday and by Friday the stench was getting bad. However, only a few of the tourists at the beach for the Memorial Day weekend left the beach.

A road grader was brought in by the police jury and the fish buried in a large trench by Saturday.

FORMER RESIDENT WRITES BOOK

(By Elora Montie)

Mrs.Lou Scott, a former resident of Grand Chenier and a graduate of Grand Chenier High School, is the author of a two-volume work on practical nursing to be published this month by the Macmillian Co. of New York. Mrs. Scott, a registered nurse, presently serves as head of the department of practical nursing at Pensacola Junior College, Pensacola, Fla.

She is the daughter of the late Edgar H. Peveto and Mrs. Myrtle Doxey Peveto of Orange, Texas, formerly of Grand Chenier. Mrs. Scott is the sister of Mrs. Herman East of Lake Charles who has a home in Grand Chenier. Nurse Scott was better known as Lou Ida when she attended school here.

TEACHERS NAMED

A.B.Lartigue, Sr., is principal of Audrey School. Teachers are Manilla Allen, Mary H. Nash, Mrs. Dorothy K. Moore, Richard J. January, Henry V. Griffin, John A. Parker, Mrs. Wanita Harrison.

Lake Charles American Press, June 21, 1939.

MURPHY IN TRACK MEET

McNeese State's Ronnie Murphy, the nations' 17th ranked triple jumper, will participate in the National AAU Championship Track and Field Meet in Sacramento, Calif., Thursday and Friday.

Murphy will carry a career and 1968 best of 50-9 1/2 into the meet. He achieved this effort two weeks ago while placing second in the U. S. Track and Field Federation Meet in Houston.

Murphy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Murphy of Cameron and a graduate of South Cameron High School.

PROGRESS ON BILL SLOW

Due to a commotion over the tax bills during the first part of the legislative session progress on his bills has been slow Rep. Conway LeBleu reported last weekend.

Bills which would create East And West Cameron port districts were scheduled to be heard by the conservation committee this week. Some opposition to the bills has developed from the Lake Charles Harbor & Terminal District.

The bills would create an East Port District out of Wards 1 and 2 of Cameron parish, taking in the Mermentau River.

Another bill introduced by LeBleu would make it possible for owners to obtain insurance. Companies have been reluctant to write insurance because of storm dangers.

ANNIVERSARY OF FATHER MCNAMARA

Father John McNamara, M. S., pastor of St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church in Hackberry and missions in Holly Beach and Johnson Bayou, is celebrating his Silver Jubilee this week.

A native of Kingston, N.Y., the Rev. McNamara, who is a LaSalette missionary, has spent his 25 years of priestly work in Louisiana and Texas.

SCHOOL BOARD RACES

School board elections will be held in two Cameron Parish wards on Saturday, Aug. 17. The elections for six-year terms will be held in Ward 5, the Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach area, where Alton Trahan is the incumbent; and in Ward 1, the Klondike-Lowery area, where Percy David is the incumbent.

Candidates may file with the chairman of the parish Democratic Executive Committee, Rupert M. Doxey of Cameron, or Garner Nunez, secretary at the courthouse annex.

DRAINAGE ELECTION

Resident property owners of Cameron Parish Drainage District Nos. 3 & 4 will vote Tuesday, June 25, on separate $195,000 bond issues which would provide the local share in the $1,947,532 Cameron-Creole watershed project.

The federal government has already agreed to put up $1,542,337, or about three-fourths of the cost of the project.

The watershed project, if approved, would provide watershed protection, flood prevention, agricultural water management and improved drainage for more than 113000 acres in Wards 2 and 3 of Cameron Parish.

Property owners will also be voting on a 3 1/2 mill maintenance tax for a ten-year period.

Among the projects which would be undertaken in the district would be a levee along Calcasieu Lake to prevent salt water intrusion and control structures and channel improvements at Creole and Cameron.

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Mrs. Jacques Matt, IV

Giblin-Matt vows told

Janay Layne Giblin and Jacques Matt IV, both of Natchitoches, were married in a 7:30 p.m. ceremony July 20 at Saint Joseph Cathedral in Baton Rouge.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Giblin of Baton Rouge. She is the granddaughter of Geneva Griffith of Grand Chenier and P. W. Giblin of Baton Rouge.

The groom is the son of Jacques Matt III of Natchitoches and Susan Kendrick of Zachary.

The bride wore a custom made A-line strapless gown of white satin embellished with imported French re-embroidered lace encrusted with seed pearls. Tiny blush blossoms of silk organza was adorned with Swarovski crystals. She wore a cathedral length veil accented by the blush blossoms secured by a tiara of crystals and pearls.

The matron of honor was Nancy Hupperich of Baton Rouge and her maid of honor, Tara Nelson of Natchitoches. Bridesmaids were of Natchitoches, Jodi Butler of Weatherford, Tex., DeDe McCartney of Olla, Tracey LeBlanc and Michelle McCullen. Flower girl was Jana Matt of Natchitoches.

The best man was Derrit Matt of Natchitoches. Groomsmen were Jody Matt, Shawn Lacaze, Flint Nelson, Dale Carter from Natchitoches and Jay Giblin of Baton Rouge. Ushers were Richard Armstrong of Natchitoches, Jared Griffith of Lake Charles and Jamey Townsend of Baton Rouge. Ringbearer was James Friedman of Natchitoches.

Old 1875 Census

(EDITOR'S NOTE--The following article was published in the Lake Charles Weekly Echo on July 22, 1875. It was researched by Keith Hambrick.)

Leesburg, La., July 14, 1875.
Editor Weekly Echo:

I send herewith a partial census report as just finished for this parish, (Cameron):

Number of native born, 2,070; Number of foreign born, 61; Natives of Louisiana, 1,717; Number of voters, 428; Number of farmers, 404;

Number of laborers, 34; Number of seamen, 22; Number of mechanics, 20; Number of merchants, 7; Number of clergymen, 4; Number of teachers, 4;

Number of lawyers, 4; Number of physicans, 3; Number of parish officers, 2; Number of acres unimproved land, 34,308; Number of acres improved land, 3,620.

Jury to set agenda Monday

The Cameron Parish Police Jury will meet at 5 p.m. Monday, July 30 to adopt an agenda for its August 6 monthly meeting.

Among the items to be considered for the regular meeting is a change of meeting time, a health insurance committee report and condemnations.

Porties to hold reunion

The Portie Family Reunion will be held Sunday Aug. 5, at the PPG Family Center in Sulphur. Each family should bring a covered dish, drinks and family mementos you would like to share.

The new book on the family history, "Reuniting The Portie Family, Volume 2" will be available for purchasing. Anyone interested in purchasing a copy may contact Judye Foy at 527-5774 or Sweetpea Portie at 527-5599.

Tournament set

A women's beach volleyball tournament will be held at the St. Peter's Catholic Church Fall Fund Festival Friday and Saturday, Aug. 10 and 11. The tournament will be held at the Hackberry Recreation Center and entry fee is $60 per team.

For information call Mona Murphy at 762-4442 or Sharon Sanner at 762-3878.

The town of Tidikelt in the Sahara Desert once went ten years without a rainfall.

LUKE PERKINS was awarded a $1,000 scholarship by DynMcDermott Petroleum Operations Company, operations and management contractor for the West Hackberry site of the U.S. Strategic Petroleum Reserve. Perkins is a recent graduate of Sulphur High School who is planning to major in political science at Louisiana State University and then continue on to law school. He is shown above receiving the check from site manager Lloyd Johnson, along with his mother and father, Lora and Tab Perkins.

Cameron Library News

MEMORIAL BOOKLIST

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

Wildlife & Plants Of The World, Clifford Caldwell by Barbara Boudoin and family;

Just The Way You Are, Monsignor Curtis Vidrine; Gumbo Shop, Gertrude Colligan; Entertaining On The Run, Janell Bergeron; Picnics & Porch Suppers, Aline Gauthier all by Gail Mudd and family;

Greatest Fishing Locales, Curtis Eagleson by Lois Watts; Famous Crimes, Herbert Courville by Lois Watts; Raising Beef Cattle, Tom Mudd by Lois Watts; Racing Cars, Kirk Sorrells by John and Carolyn Brown;

The Complete Book of Golf Techniques, Titus Guillotte, St. by Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Canik; Complete Guide To Health, J. D. Wilhite by Jean Richard, Mary Francis Richard and Alice Thibodeaux.

Hackberry News

By GRACE WELCH

TRIP

Donald and Barbara Bufford and daughter Rickie spent three days attending ball games and Astro World in Houston.

VISITORS

Roland Kershaw from Houston and daughter and family, Edward and Caryn Morris and sons Teddy and Eric from Copperas Cove, Tex. visited his mother Irene Kershaw and Pat's mother Grace Welch, while here attended Cajon Festival at Burton Coliseum.

Sweetlake Homemakers

The Sweetlake Homemaker's Club held a yard sale on Saturday, July 21, in Berniece Greathouse's yard. Almost every one of the 33 members of the club donated items, helped price, set up, or worked at the sale. The sale was successful with over 800 items sold in just three hours.

Sanders joins honor society

Lauren Sanders of Creole has accepted membership in The National Society of Collegiate Scholars and will be honored during a campus ceremony this fall at Louisiana State University.

The Society is a highly selective, national, honors organization, founded in 1994, it recognizes first and second year undergraduate students who excel academically.

Births

DRAKE GAVIN CONNER

Tony and Jennifer Conner of Grand Lake announce the birth of a son, Drake Gavin, July 13, at Lake Charles Memorial Hospital. he weighed 7 lbs. 10 ozs.

Grandparents are Kenneth and Diane Conner of Cameron and Carl and Michelle Broussard of Grand Chenier.

Great-grandparents are Edovice and Lulia Conner of Iowa, Thomas Broussard of Grand Chenier and Gene and Mary Jane Sturlese of Jennings.

A great-great-grandfather is Louis Marceaux of Gueydan, La.

Their other child is Taylor Alexis Clement, 3.

MARLLIE BETH CONNER

Todd and Joni Conner of Grand Lake announce the birth of a daughter Marllie Beth, June 28, at Lake Charles Memorial Hospital. She weighed 5 lbs. 14 ozs.

Grandparents are Kenneth and Diane Conner of Cameron, Richard and Jodi Hebert of Little Chenier, and Mike and Diane Reichard of Westlake.

Great-grandparents are Edovice and Lulia Conner of Iowa and Willie Beard of Holmwood.

Their other child is Gabrielle Paige, 2.

Cheryl's Fabulous Rolls

2 1/2 tbs. Yeast
2 cups very warm water
1/2 cup sugar
4-5 cups flour
1/3 cup vegetable oil
1 egg
1 tbs. Salt

Dissolve yeast and sugar in water and set aside (mixture should foam). In separate bowl, add oil and egg and mix well, then add salt. Add this to yeast and mix well. Sift in two cups of flour and stir until smooth. Add enough of the remaining flour so that mixture is easy to handle – not too stiff, but not sticky. Knead briefly on floured surface. Place dough in a clean bowl and cover and allow it to rise until double in size. Punch down and shape into rolls. Place rolls in greased pie plates allow to rise and bake at 400 degrees until golden brown (yields approximately 15 rolls).

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WEST FORK, river frontage, 1/2 acre, trailer, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, (337)490-6837 (pager). 7/12tfc.

CONVENIENCE STORE in DeQuincy. Prime business location. Full service beverage center, gas, cigarettes and groceries and a full service Deli with cafe seating, lottery and much more. A great opportunity to begin your entrepreneurship. Call Jan today at 436-4400. 7/26c.

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MOVING TO Sulphur. Take note of these 2 homes which have recently been renovated. prices range from $39,900 - $51,000. Call Jan today at 436-4400. 7/26c.

IF YOU owe more than you can sell your home for or if you are facing foreclosure, please call Clifton and Associates at 436-4400. 7/26-8/2c.

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LOVELY 1999 28 X 54 custom modular on beautiful lot in great neighborhood near Grand Lake School. Double glass windows. Cath. ceiling in living room, 14 X 40 Cov. patio. All BR have walk-in closets. No abstract will be furnished-close by warranty deed.
Call ERA Moffett Realty, Inc. and ask for Grace - 598-2573 home or 490-5140 pager. 7/12tfc.

FOR SALE

RIVERSIDE GAS, now selling propane gas, Bolo Ice Co., Marshall Street, Cameron, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Mon. - Sat., new 5 gallon tanks for sale, 775-5987. 7/26-8/16p.

REG. LABS For Sale. 2 Choc. males, 2 Black males, 3 Black females. $200 each. Call 775-5580. Born 6/7/2001. 7/26p.

FOR SALE: Mobile home 24 X 60 double wide. Three bedroom, 2 bath. 12' X 46' screened porch, 8' X 8' utility room, vinyl siding, 538-2344. 7/19-26p.

FOR SALE: Bionix electric treadmill with, speed, distance, time calorie, pulse, reset, asking $125, call 542-4792 for more info, if no answer leave message. 7/19-26p.

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FOR SALE: 1985 Skyline mobile home 14' X 56' two bedroom one bath, $7,500 also 12' X 35' movable camp, one bedroom, kitchen and bathroom, $2000. Can be seen in Grand Chenier. Call Allen Angers, Spectrum Real Estate 337-981-2404. 7/19-26p.

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JOHN 1 Vs. 29: The next day John seeth Jesus coming unto him, and saith, Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world. 7/26p.

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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.

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ON GEESE DAMAGE

Two Cameron Parish farm groups and the Louisiana Farm Bureau have passed resolutions to try and get something done about damage done to crops and pastures by waterfowl during the fall.

A resolution passed by the Cameron Farm Bureau and the Cameron Cattleman's Association said that the damage could be eliminated or reduced by:

1. Extending the legal shooting of geese and brant to include the period from Oct. 20 through March 1, and

2. By instituting as a feed program on the refuges in Cameron Parish during closed seasons to help the waterfowl on the refuges.

A resolution by the Louisiana Farm Bureau backed up the request for feeding of the birds on the refuges.

However, a letter to D. W. Griffith, president of the local Farm Bureau, and D. Y. Doland, Jr., president of the Cattleman Association, from the Louisiana Wildlife Commission pointed out that the goose and brant season is established by the Department of Interior and that he state must set its seasons within this framework.

Also the letter stated that a feeding program on the refuges would be impractical since it would be too expensive and probably would not divert the geese from the fields.

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MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM

A mental health program is being organized for Cameron Parish under the direction of the Southwest Louisiana Association for Mental Health.

Mrs. R. G. Holcombe, chapter president, and Mrs. Luna Hayes, executive secretary, met recently with the Cameron Lions Club to explain the program.

It was announced that E. J. Dronet, assistant manager of the Cameron branch of the Calcasieu Marine Bank, has been named to the board of directors of the new chapter.

MRS. DEVILLE RETIRING

The Pilot is sorry to report that Mrs. Pearl Deville, who has been the paper's representative in the town of Cameron for more than ten years and the county agent's secretary for a good many more, is retiring.

25TH ANNIVERSARY

On Sunday, July 14, Father John McNamara, M.S. celebrated a Mass of Thanksgiving in recognition of the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church in Hackberry.

A reception followed in the hall of which approximately 300 families greeted Father Mac on his anniversary.

Troop and Pack 78 Scouts of America provided the gala occasion with entertainment as did the little girls with their singing.

METHODIST SONG FESTIVAL

The United Methodist Laymen of the Lake Charles District will be at the Hackberry United Methodist Church Saturday, July 27 at 7 p.m. conducting a song festival. This group has been invited back to the Hackberry Church after having a similar festival about a year ago.

KC OFFICERS INSTALLED

In a recent ceremony conducted by Jules Snatic, district Deputy of District 33 and Ivy Meaux, District Warden. The following officers were installed for the J. P. Boudoin, Sr., Knights of Columbus Council 3014 for 1968-69:

Clifford Conner, Grand Knight; Patrick Doland, Deputy Grand Knight; Telsmar Bonsall, Chancellor; Robert Landry, Advocate; Louis Canik, Warden; Donald Broussard, Recorder; Dalton Richard, Treasurer; Johnny Boudoin, Financial Secretary; Edwin Mhire, Inside Guard; "Blacko" Conner, Outside Guard; Thomas McCall, Trustee; Warren LaFleur, Lecturer.

MILLER ANNOUNCES

Judge Minos D. Miller, Jr., a native of Jennings and judge of the 31st Judicial District Court for the past 15 1/2 years, has announced his candidacy for the newly created judgeship of the Court of Appeal, Third Circuit.

Judge Miller is the son of Minos D. Miller, Sr., a native of Cameron Parish, and the late Ruth Adele Miller. His great uncle, the late Judge Edmond Miller, served as sheriff of Cameron Parish and later as judge of the old Imperial Calcasieu District. Judge Miller is the nephew of Mrs. Emare Theriot of Creole.

DR. CARTER IN LC

Dr. Stephen Carter, a native of Cameron Parish who practiced medicine in Creole for a number of years, is now in Lake Charles where he is associated with Drs. Warshaw & Calvin, radiologists. He recently completed his residency in radiology at the New Orleans Charity Hospital where he had been since leaving Creole in 1965.

Lake Charles American Press, July 18, 1938.
ALL STARS IN PLAYOFFS

An All Star team, representing all the teams in the parish, will play in the state championships this weekend. They will play in Lake Charles against teams from New Orleans, Shreveport, Alexandria and Lake Charles.

Names to the Cameron All Star team are:

Robert Welch, Frankie Spicer, Darrell Schexnider, Carol Sairey, Glenn Vincent, all of Hackberry; Wade Miller, Cameron Cardinals; Jessie Nunez, Marshall LaFosse, Parry LaLande, Barr Kelly, Wade Hebert and Earl Guthrie, Cameron Orioles. Also, Daniel Lanthier, Donald Conner, Joe Henry, Grand Lake; Bob Tarter Rankyzer, Grand Chenier.

Coaches of the team are Diel LaLande of Cameron and Leo Vincent of Hackberry.

CARD OF THANKS

I WANT to thank everyone that sent flowers, pot plants, gifts, cards, telephone calls, prayers said, visits at the hospital and visits at home. Thanks to my family and friends that did house work and brought home food already cooked.

/s/Boonie Trahan

I WOULD like to thank all of my family and friends who prayed for me. Thank you for all of the offers to help with anything I needed. I am very appreciative.

Thank You!
Vickie Roberts

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

The first day of school is just around the corner. Unfortunately, many students may be at a serious disadvantage before they even enter the classroom.

These children are uninsured. Without health care coverage, they most likely lack access to a personal doctor, check-ups and medical services that can keep them healthy.

When children have no health insurance, they cannot take full advantage of classroom time. According to the Centers for Disease Control, children who have no health care coverage are less likely to receive medical care, prescription medicines or dental and vision screenings.

Fortunately, most uninsured children are eligible for free health care coverage and 180,000 Louisiana kids could be covered. Parents need to take the first step...and sign them up for LACHIP - Louisiana's Children's Health Insurance Program. LACHIP Back-to-School Sign-Up Day is Saturday, August 11 at targeted Wal-Mart stores statewide.

Children enrolled in LACHIP receive coverage for regular check-ups, prescription drugs, hospitalization and immunizations plus vision care and dental care.

Children who have health care coverage may still get sick or injured. But with LACHIP coverage, parents know they are able to take their children to the doctor and give them the care they need to stay healthy.

If your child or children you know are uninsured, call toll-free 1-877-252-2447 to learn more about LACHIP or visit a Back-to-School event on Aug. 11 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Wal-Mart in Sulphur, Lake Charles (Hwy. 14), Oakdale, DeRidder, or Jennings.

Susan Ledger
Outreach Coordinator

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Zatarains Creole Seasoning.....17 Oz. $1.39
Starkist Chunk Light Tuna Reg. 83- 89.....59¢
Renuzit Solid Air Fresheners
All Scents.....99¢
Windex Trigger All Scents.....26 Oz. $2.49
Scott Bathroom Tissue.....Single Roll 69¢
Boston Butt Pork Roast.....Lb. $1.29
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— PUBLIC NOTICE —

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District #1 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 non-toxic smoke will be used in these tests. This smoke is manufactured for this purpose, leaves no residuals or stains and has no effect on plants and animal life. The smoke has a distinctive, but not unpleasant odor. Visibility and odor last only a few minutes, where there is adequate ventilation.

Because the plumbing appliances in your house or building are connected to the sanitary sewer system, some of this smoke may enter your house if the:

- **Vents connected to your building's sewer pipes are inadequate, defective or improperly installed.**
- **Traps under sinks, tubs, basins, showers and other drains are dry, defective, improperly installed or missing.**
- **Pipes, connections and seals of the wastewater drain system in and under your building are damaged, defective, have plugs missing or are improperly installed.**

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. These can be both unpleasant and dangerous as well as a health hazard to the occupants. Location, identification and correction of the source of smoke that enters your house is urgently advised.

While the District will render all possible cooperation, the correction of any defects in the pipes and sewer on private property is the responsibility of the owner. The services of a professional plumber are advised.

If you have any questions or desire more information, please telephone the Sewer District offices during regular office hours at 337-775-5660.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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) bookmobile 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 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 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 Mermentau 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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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)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Parish School Board of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of School District No. 5, Cameron Parish, Louisiana (the "District"), on July 9, 2001, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held within the district on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2001, and that at the said election there will be submitted to all registered voters in the district qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

BOND PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. FIVE, CAMERON PARISH, LOUISIANA TO ISSUE $3,200,000 OF 10-YEAR GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING AND/OR IMPROVING LANDS FOR BUILDING SITES AND PLAYGROUNDS, INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION OF NECESSARY SIDEWALKS AND STREETS ADJACENT THERETO, PURCHASING, ERECTING AND/OR IMPROVING SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND OTHER SCHOOL RELATED FACILITIES, AND ACQUIRING THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS THEREFOR, SAID BONDS TO BE GENERAL OBLIGATIONS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT AND TO BE PAYABLE FROM AD VALOREM TAXES.

STATEMENT OF PROPOSITION: Shall School district No. five, Cameron parish, Louisiana (the "District"), incur debt and issue bonds to the amount of Three Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($3,200,000), to run not to exceed ten (10) years for date thereof, with interest at a rate not exceeding seven per centum (7%) per annum, for th purpose of acquiring and/or improving lands for building sites and playgrounds, including construction of necessary sidewalks and streets adjacent thereto; purchasing, erecting and/or improving school buildings and other school related facilities, and acquiring the necessary equipment and furnishings therefor, title to which shall be in the public; which bonds will be general obligations of the district and will be payable from ad valorem taxes to be levied and collected in the manner provided by Article VI, Section 33 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974 and statutory authority supplemental thereto?

The said special election will be held at the following polling places situated within the District, which polls will open at six o'clock (6:00) a.m., and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 18:541, to-wit:

POLLING PLACES

District 1, Precinct 1, Multi-Purpose Bldg. 5556 Gulf Beach Hwy, Johnson Bayou (IN PART).

District 2, Precinct 1, Hackberry Recreation Center, 1250 Rec. Circle, Hackberry (IN PART0).

The polling places set forth above are hereby designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-in-Charge and Commissioners, respectively, shall be those persons designated according to law.

The said special election will be held in accordance with the applicable provisions of Chapter 5, Chapter 6-A and Chapter 6-B of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, and other constitutional and statutory authority, and the officers appointed to hold the said election, as provided in this Notice of Special Election, or such substitutes therefor as may be selected and designated in accordance with La. R.S. 18:1287, will make due returns thereof to said Governing Authority, and NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Governing Authority will meet at its regular meeting place, the School Board Office, Dewey St., Cameron, Louisiana, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2001, at FOUR O'CLOCK (4:00) P.M., and shall then and there in open and public session proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said special election. All registered voters of the District are entitled to vote at said special election and voting machines will be used.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Cameron, Louisiana, on this, the 9th day of July, 2001.

/s/Pat Howerton
President

ATTEST:
/s/Judith Jones
Secretary
RUN: July 26, Aug. 2, 9, 16 - JU32

PROCEEDINGS
GRAVITY DRAINAGE
DISTRICT NO. 4
June 20, 2001

Gravity Drainage District No. 4 held a regular meeting at the Creole Multipurpose Building in Creole, Louisiana at 6:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 20, 2001.

PRESENT: Bobby Montie, J. B. Meaux, Michael Semien, Raven Benoit, Leroy Richard.

ABSENT: None

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Bobby Montie.

On motion of Mr. Meaux, seconded by Mr. Richard and carried, the minutes were approved.

On motion of Mr. Semien, seconded by Mr. Benoit and carried, the financial report was approved.

On motion of Mr. Meaux, seconded by Mr. Benoit and carried, the following permits were approved:

a. Gravity Drainage Dist. #4 - channel maintenance along State Hwy 27/82 in the Creole area.

b. Gravity Drainage Dist. #4 - culvert installation across Par. Rd. #315.

c. Gravity Drainage Dist. #4 - channel maintenance in the Grand Chenier area.

d. Unocal - pipeline abandonment.

e. Joe Nunez - cattle walkway maintenance.

f. Transworld - proposed Drillsite and structures for drilling Boudoin Well No. 1 and Welch Well No. 2.

Bonnie Conner was directed to check with the District Attorney's office regarding the district's potential liability regarding the Unocal pipeline abandonment.

On motion of Mr. Meaux, seconded by Mr. Benoit and carried, the following permit was approved with the stipulation that a letter be written to the company requesting that there be no impediment to drainage:

Transworld - proposed drillsite and structures for drilling Meaux Well No. 6.

On motion of Mr. Richard, seconded by Mr. Meaux and carried, the following bills were approved for payment:

Dick Frerks - $147.00; Cameron Pilot - $40.00; Jeff Davis Electric - $13.22.

Bonnie Conner advised the Board that funding for the King's Bayou project through the Coastal Impact Assistance Program had been approved.

Lonnie Harper discussed with the Board his recommendations for mitigation projects as being the Oak Grove structure at King's Bayou and to clean out the lower reach of Upper Mud Lake.

There being no further business, on motion of Mr. Meaux, seconded by Mr. Richard and carried, the meeting was declared adjourned.

APPROVED:
/s/Bobby Montie
CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:
/s/Michael Semien
SECRETARY
RUN: July 26 - JU 35

NOTICE

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

Applicant: Seneca Resources Corporation, 1201 Louisiana, Suite 400. Houston, TX 77002-5604.

Location: Seneca Resources Corporation. Lease OCS-G 4090. West Cameron Block 294. Offshore, Louisiana.

Description: Activities will include the drilling and completion of Well No. 5, the installation of a single well caisson with deck, helideck, and minimal gas processing and production facilities (Platform D) over the surface locations of Well No. 5 (to be renamed Well D-1), the installation of 7,200' of 6" gas and condensate pipeline, and commencement of production. Support operations will be from, an existing onshore base located in Cameron, Louisiana. No ecologically sensitive species or habitats are expected to be affected by these activities.

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

RUN: July 26 - JU36

NOTICE

Public Notice of Federal Consistency review of a Proposed development Operations Coordination Document (DOCD) by the Coastal Management Division Section/Louisiana Department of Natural Resources for the plan's consistency with the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program.

Applicant: Union Oil Company of California. 14141 Southwest Freeway. Sugarland, Texas 77478.

Location: East Cameron Area, OCS-G 21580. Block 257.

Description: Proposed Initial DOCD for East Cameron Area Block 294 provides for the development and production of hydrocargons. Support activities are to be conducted from an onshore base located in Cameron, Louisiana. No ecologically sensitive species or habitats are expected to be affected by these activities.

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

RUN: July 26 - JU37

NOTICE

Public Notice of Federal Consistency review of a Proposed Initial Exploration Plan by the Coastal Management Section/Louisiana Department of Natural Resources for the plan's consistency with the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program.

Applicant: Bass Enterprises Production Co. 3850 N. Causeway Blvd., Suite 1900. Metairie, Louisiana 70002-8189.

Location: Lease OCS-G 21062. East Cameron Block 26. Offshore, Louisiana.

Description: Exploratory activities will include the drilling, completion, and potential testing of three (3) exploratory wells. Support operations will be from an onshore base located in cameron, Louisiana. No ecologically sensitive species or habitats are expected to be affected by these activities.

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

RUN: July 26 - JU38

MEETING
June 13, 2001
Cameron Parish Ambulance Board - District One
Station One
6:00 p.m.

Members present: Phyllis Pinch, vice president PSP; Loston McEvers; Sethie Trosclair; and Wendy Dyson.

Meeting was called to order and prayer and Pledge was led by vice president Ms. Phyllis Pinch.

Mr. Loston McEvers made a motion to approve minutes from last meeting. Seconded by Ms. Sethie Trosclair. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Ms. Sethie Trosclair made a motion to add items to the agenda as follows:

Old Business: Explorer Program. Sick Leave. Rate of Mileage Reimbursement for Director. Employee Insurance. parish Resident Write-offs.

New Business: Vial-of Life. E.M.T. Transfers. E.M.S. Radios. Discussion on Supervisors. District One's Reimbursement of Mileage for Director.

Motion was seconded by Mr. Loston McEvers. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mr. Javins, Director, presented the Director's Report which included the financial report. The new billing software was implemented on April 16, 2001. $25,171.51 has been collected from Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance. Total in all accounts: $499,174.

The First Responder class being held in Holly Beach and Johnson Bayou will be completed in approximately two weeks. There will be eighteen students completing this class. Grand Chenier Fire Department is the next in line and Mr. Javins will attend the next fire department meeting to discuss dates available to start the class.

Mr. Javins would like to see the ambulance service start an Explorer Program, which is geared toward students learning about careers through a hands-on experience. This program is sponsored through the Boy Scouts. Several issues need to be addressed before starting this program. Malpractice and liability insurance needs to be confirmed. Also, students will be required to get the hepatitis vaccine series. These are available at the Health Unit. The Boy Scouts carry a $1,000,000 liability policy but Mr. Javins will contact D. A. Cecil Sanner and McElveen Insurance to find out about legalities and other insurance coverage.

The Expo was a complete success. It was very informative and a great experience for all who attended. Nashville, TN will sponsor the Expo in 2002 and Mr. Javins, other employees have expressed their desire to attend.

The Cameron Parish Police Jury is setting up task force to address the issue of the many ATV accidents in our area recently. Mr. Javins will begin a program called "Operation ATV" to inform the public of the dangers involved in riding ATVs. There have been nine ATV accidents so far this year. Eight of these resulted in serious injury and one a fatality. Clowning for Safety, a program that uses clowns to get the attention of adults and children in their safety presentations, will be teaching employees how to address the public in a fun but informative manner.

Ms. Sethie Trosclair made a motion to approve the director's report as given. Seconded by Mr. McEvers. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mr. Javins would like to start a Vial-of-Life program in the parish. This program provides the elderly and citizens with significant medical histories with a vial containing pertinent medical information and a sticker to put on the front door identifying them as a vial-of-life participant. The vial is kept in the refrigerator in the butter compartment for quick and easy access. This program could help eliminate some time spent on the scene and inform medics of all medicines and the medical history of the patient.

Mr. McEvers made a motion to give Mr. Javins permission to buy and distribute 100 Vials-of-Life to citizens with significant medical history and citizens over the age of 65. Other citizens would be required to pay the cost of the Vial-of-Life (approx. $1.25). Seconded by Mrs. Wendy Dyson. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

In previous meetings, there has been some discussion on increasing the sick leave for employees. Mr. McEvers made a motion to increase sick leave to 24 hrs. per month for 12 months, to be capped at 24 days (or 576 hours) with a doctor's excuse needed after the first 254 hours of work missed, subject to Director's approval. Seconded by Mrs. Dyson. all in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mr. Javins will have to start separating mileage accumulated between District One and District Two. He will be paid by District One only mileage accumulated in District One unless he is making one trip to accommodate both districts, then the mileage will be divided evenly between the two.

Mr. McEvers made a motion for District One to reimbursement Mr. Javins for mileage at the same rate per mile as the Police Jury to change if and when the Police Jury changes. Seconded by Ms. Sethie Trosclair. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mrs. LeBlanc informed the Board that we need another way to calculate payment of employee insurance. At the present time, employees with families are paying all of their family coverage while employees with only a spouse or dependent are paying almost nothing.

Mr. McEvers made a motion to pay a percentage of all employees insurance in the amount of 42.6% . Seconded by Ms. Trosclair. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mrs. LeBlanc brought up to the Board the cost of billing parish residents that are only to be written off at the end of the year due to the fact that parish residents do not pay for ambulance service while being taxed for the service. We can only collect 30% of what is written off at the end of the year from Medicare. So far, this years amount is only $30. The cost of postage and billing supplies are quite a bit more that that. If we write-off parish residents month by month, and don't collect the 30% from Medicare at the end of the year, we will only be losing $50 to $100 dollars per year.

Mr. McEvers made a motion to make parish resident write-offs month by month instead of at the end of the year. Seconded by Mr. Trosclair. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

The 800 mHz radios presently in use by the ambulance service are on loan from the Calcasieu Parish Office of Emergency Prepardness. The contract is for two years and will expire in February. We need to set up a new contract with this office or buy new radios. Mr. Javins explained the different radios available and Mr. Oscar Reyes presented the quotes. Information was reviewed by all Board members.

Mr. McEvers made a motion to get converta-com radios, with the State Police frequency, for all 4 units. Seconded by Ms. Trosclair. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mr. McEvers made a motion to table the discussion on supervisors pay and location until further study can be made. Seconded by Mrs. Dyson. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

Mr. Javins informed the Board that $125,000 of our collected tax revenue goes into a parish retirement fund. This needs to be brought to the attention of the Police Jury to allow our employees to take advantage of this benefit.

Mr. Javins is going to check into getting accounts set up for office and station supplies. He is also going to check into cheaper rates for cellular phones.

Invoices were reviewed, approved, and initialed by Board Members and Co-chairperson, Ms. Phyllis Pinch, signed the checks to pay said invoices.

Applications for secretary were reviewed and a final decision was made. Mrs. Susan Clement was hired as the new secretary.

No further business to discuss at this time. Mr. McEvers made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Mrs. Dyson. All in favor, none opposed. Motion carried.

/s/Phyllis Pinch
Vice President
RUN: July 26 - JU 39

PUBLIC NOTICE
ADVERTISEMENT FOR REVIEW OF LISTINGS

Notice is hereby given that I have completed the listings of all property in the Parish of Cameron and have established the valuations thereon; and that the said listings will be exposed in my office at the Cameron Parish Courthouse, Room 24, for public inspection and correction for a period of 15 calendar days, beginning Wednesday, August 15, 2001 at 8:00 a.m. and ending at 4:00 p.m. August 29, 2001. Any taxpayer desiring to examine his/her assessment is requested to call during the 15 day period. Forms for appeals are available to taxpayers and must be filed in person or by certified mail by 4:30 p.m. September 5, 2001 with the Cameron Parish Police Jury at the Police Jury Annex.

R. E. "Bobby" Conner, CLA
Cameron Parish Assessor
RUN: July 26 - Aug. 2 - JU40

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. Application #010810

Name of Applicant: James Kim Fawvor, 1091 Fontelieu Rd. St. Martinville, La. 70582.

Location of Work: Grand Chenier, 7 & 8, T15S, R5W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Restore existing spoil embankment remove an existing culvert (12" C.A.P.), and install a water control structure (36" diameter X 30' C.A.P. with weir type drop inlet).

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

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

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

Plans for the proposed work may be inspected at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex Building, Coastal Management Division, Courthouse Square, P.O. Box 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: July 26 - JU41

PROCEEDINGS

A regular monthly meeting for Cameron Parish Waterworks District No. 2 was held Wednesday, June 6, 2001, at the Waterworks office in Hackberry, Louisiana at 7:00 p.m.

Members present were: Mr. Alton Schexnider, Mr. Donald Broussard, Mr. Richard Erickson, Mr. Darrell Duhon, and Mr. Anthony Hicks. Members absent: None. Employees present were: Mr. Kelly Cloud and Mrs. Marilyn LaBauve. Guest were: Mr. Ted Babineaux, Mr. Glen Thibodeaux, and Mr. Michael Elliott, CPA.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Schexnider.

Mr. Hicks moved, Mr. Broussard seconded, and carried to adopt the minutes from the previous meeting.

Mr. Broussard moved, Mr. Erickson seconded, and carried to advertise for bids in the American Press along with the Cameron Pilot.

The following sealed bids were

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opened on the used Ford backhoe:
1. InezMiller.....$3399.90
2. David Currie.....$4481.00
3. Ted Babineaux & Glen Thibodeaux.....$6466.87
4. Na Going.....$4199.99
5. Cliff Reeves.....$4000.00
6. James Richard.....$4200.00
7. Leo Parker.....$4685.00
8. Charles Atherton.....$4165.00
9. Bill Reasoner.....$5556.51

Mr. Duhon moved, Mr. Broussard seconded, and carried to award the bid to Mr. Ted Babineaux and Mr. Glen Thibodeaux for $6466.,87.

Mr. Broussard moved, Mr. Erickson seconded, and carried to adopt the final audit for the year 2000.

Mr. Duhon moved, Mr. Hicks seconded, and carried to change the July meeting from July 4th to July 11th being the 4th falls on a holiday.

Mr. Erickson moved, Mr. Duhon seconded, and carried to pay all the bills.

Mr. Broussard moved, Mr. Erickson seconded, and carried to adjourn the meeting.

APPROVED:
/s/Alton Schexnider-President
ATTEST:
/s/Richard Erickson-Sec/Trea.
RUN: July 26 - JU42

CAMERON PARISH WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 7

Cameron Parish Waterworks District No. 7 met in regular session on June 20, 2001 at 5:00 p.m. at the Waterworks District Office in the Village of Creole, Louisiana. Members present: Wilson Conner, Daniel Dupont, Jude Primeaux, Sandra DeShields and Guy Murphy Jr., Guest: Scott Trahan, Lonnie Harper, Mike Elliott and P. M. Woods.

Wilson Conner called the meeting to order and led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance, and called roll.

Jude Primeaux made a motion to accept the minutes as read of the May 16th meeting, also to accept the financial statement. It was seconded by Guy Murphy Jr. and carried.

Mike Elliott gave the audit report for the 2000 audit. Dan Dupont made a motion to accept the audit as reported, it was seconded by Guy Murphy Jr. and carried.

Lonnie Harper discussed the USDA grant with the Board. A motion was made to accept Estimate No. 3 for $93,911.15 by Dan Dupont, it was seconded by Jude Primeaux and carried.

P. M. Woods talked to the Board about his company (Phoenix Tank) and their maintenance program.

Dan Dupont made a motion for each customer to be responsible for hooking their service up to our new system. It was seconded by Jude Primeaux and voted as follows:

Yays - Dan Dupont, Jude Primeaux
Nays - Guy Murphy, Jr.
Abstained - Sandra DeShields

Sandra DeShields made a motion to pay the monthly bills, it was seconded by Jude Primeaux and carried.

A motion was made by Daniel Dupont, seconded by Sandra DeShields and carried to adjourn the meeting.

/s/Dan Dupont
Approved
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Cameron, Louisiana
July 9, 2001

The Committee of the Whole met on this date at 3:00 p.m. with the following members present: Pat Howerton _ President, Bill Morris, Glenda Abshire, Clifton Morris, and Marvin Trahan. Absent: Tony Johnson

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Committee approved the agenda with an addition regarding patriotic materials in schools.

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Committee approved the minutes from the June 11, 2001 meeting.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Committee received discussion on patriotic materials in schools.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Committee received the financial report and a report on janitorial supplies and paper goods bids.

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Committee reviewed bills for payment.

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

APPROVED:
/s/Patrick Howerton
PATRICK HOWERTON, PRESIDENT
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
ATTEST:
/s/Judith Jones
JUDITH JONES, SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
Cameron, Louisiana

July 9, 2001

The Cameron Parish School Board met in regular 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 Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved the agenda.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Clifton Morris, the Board approved the minutes from the June 11, 2001 meeting as published.

No bids were received for a mineral lease on Section 16-14-5.

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board tabled accepting bids on a sprinkler system for the football field at South Cameron High School.

Comments from Teddy Broussard were heard prior to action on the next item.

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board accepted low bids for the following items: (tabulations attached)

a. Duplicating paper
b. Paper goods
c. Janitorial supplies
d. Food Service items:
(1) Bread
(2) Milk

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Bill Morris, the Board approved advertising for bids for surface leases as follows:

(a) Leases which expire 7-31-01:
Sections 16-12-6, 16-13-10, 16-14-10, 16-14-12, 16-15-15

(b) Leases with renewals due 7-31-01 (unpaid)

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mr. Clifton Morris, the Board tabled the issue of requiring surface lease holders to obtain insurance coverage and approved a revision to the lease contract regarding alligator tags.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Clifton Morris received a report on the 2000 alligator harvest.

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved revisions to Policy JCDA - Student Code of Conduct.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board received the following policies to be considered for adoption at the August meeting:

IHAD Parent Conferences
JBCBB Homeless Students
JDF Discipline of Students with Disabilities

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Bill Morris, the Board approved a request from Apache Corporation for approval of assignment of its interest in oil, gas, and mineral lease on the S 3/4 of Section 16-15-4 to Wagoner Oil Company.

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Bill Morris, the Board adopted a resolution ordering and calling a special election to be held in School District No. 5 of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, to authorize the incurring of debt and issuance of bond therein; making application to the Commission in connection therewith; and providing for other matters in connection therewith. (Resolution attached)

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved the Pupil Progression Plan for 2001-2002 School Year.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Bill Morris, the Board approved revising fixed assets procedures as per recommended changes to the La. Accounting and Uniform Governmental Handbook to classify as a supply any item costing under $1,000 per unit (8g program exempted), beginning in Fiscal Year 2001-2002.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved a request from Madeleine Colligan for payment of 25 days accumulated sick leave.

On motion of Mr. Bill Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board tabled the item regarding an alternative plan for repair and maintenance of buses.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved loans from the General Fund for operating expenses throughout the year:

Vocational Education	$ 7,500
Consolidated Program	$ 8,500
IDEA	$14,500
IASA Title I	$14,000

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

Leaves

Robin Sandifer - Special Education Aide at Hackberry High School - leave without pay (medical reasons) - six weeks beginning August 21, 2001

Resignation

Candace Hebert - Science Teacher at Grand Lake High School - effective July 1, 2001

Byron Gibbs - Head Boys' Basketball Coach - Hackberry High School

Appointment

Terry Murphy - Head Boys' Basketball Coach - Hackberry High School

New Hires

Kristi Robinson - Grand Lake High School - English Teacher

Aimee DeWolf Young - Grand Lake High School - Science Teacher

Pamela Theriot - South Cameron Elementary School - Special Education Teacher

Jason Rogers - Hackberry High School - Math Teacher

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board approved revisions to the December 18, 2000 resolution regarding the 13th check as per the following:

Effective immediately - Add the following under Group A:

Title I and Technology Coordinator - 119 Food Service Supervisor - 3100 (position requires a degree from a 4 year accredited university)

Business Manager - 2500 (position requires a degree from a 4 year accredited university)

Supervisor of Maintenance/ Transportation - 2600 (position requires a teaching certificate)

Effective October 1, 2002 - Add:

to persons employed full-time by the Cameron Parish School Board (part-time employees will receive a pro-rated amount)

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved the state-mandated schedule of Board contribution for State Group Benefits Health Insurance [58% for active (Law) and 75% for retirees (Law)].

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Bill Morris, the Board approved change order No. 4, additions and renovations to Hackberry High School (add 9 new file room mechanical and electrical items) in the amount of $13,751.86.

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved a request for waiver for the implementation of an alternative education program for suspended or expelled students for the 2001-2002 school year.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Bill Morris, the Board granted the superintendent permission to attend the American Association of School Administrator's conference for women superintendents November 9-11 in Arlington, VA.

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board received the superintendent's report:

(1) Teachers and recruiting.
(2) Before school inservice - principals report Wednesday, August 1.
(3) Kid's Computer Camps - teacher training
(4) Testing (4th - 8th grade students - failed LEAP - July 9-12).
(5) September - School-to-Work Budget and Technology Budget
(6) August meeting - full report on test scores and strategies to address deficient areas.
(7) Culinary arts focus in Family Consumer Science courses.
(8) South Cameron High School - add Basic Elements of Marine Science
(9) All - continued integration of technology

On motion of Mrs. Abshire, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved the financial report for the month of June.

On motion of Mr. Clifton Morris, seconded by Mr. Trahan, the Board approved payment of bills.

On motion of Mr. Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Abshire, the Board adjourned until the next regular meeting on August 6, 2001.

APPROVED:
/s/Patrick Howerton
PATRICK HOWERTON, PRESIDENT
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
ATTEST:
/s/Judith Jones
JUDITH JONES, SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

The following resolution was offered by Clifton Morris and seconded by Bill Morris:

RESOLUTION

A resolution ordering and calling a special election to be held in School District No. 5, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, to authorize the incurring of debt and issuance of bonds therein; making application to the State Bond Commission in connection therewith; and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Parish School Board of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of School District No. 5, Cameron Parish, Louisiana (the "District"), that:

SECTION 1. Election Call. Subject to the approval of the State Bond Commission, and under the authority conferred by Article VI, Section 33 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, Sub-Part A, Part III, Chapter 4, Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, the applicable provisions of Chapter 5, Chapter 6-A, and Chapter 6-B of the Louisiana Election Code, and other reconstitutional and statutory authority, a special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the District on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2001, between the hours of six o'clock (6:00) a.m., and eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in accordance with the provisions of La. R. S. 18:541, and at the said election there shall be submitted to all registered voters qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and laws of this State and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

BOND PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. FIVE, CAMERON PARISH, LOUISIANA, TO ISSUE $3,200,000 OF 10-YEAR GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING AND/OR IMPROVING LANDS FOR BUILDING SITES AND PLAYGROUNDS, INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION OF NECESSARY SIDEWALKS AND STREETS ADJACENT THERETO; PURCHASING, ERECTING, AND/OR IMPROVING SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND OTHER SCHOOL RELATED FACILITIES, AND ACQUIRING THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS THEREFOR, SAID BONDS TO BE GENERAL OBLIGATIONS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT AND TO BE PAYABLE FROM AD VALOREM TAXES.

STATEMENT OF PROPOSITION: Shall School District No. Five, Cameron Parish, Louisiana (the "District"), incur debt and issue bonds to the amount of Three Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($3,200,000), to run not to exceed ten (10) years from date thereof, with interest at a rate not exceeding seven per centum (7%) per annum, for the purpose of acquiring and/or improving lands for building sites and playgrounds, including the construction of necessary sidewalks and streets adjacent thereto; purchasing, erecting and/or improving school buildings and other school related facilities, and acquiring the necessary equipment and furnishings therefor, title to which shall be in the public; which bonds will be general obligations of the District and will be payable from ad valorem taxes to be levied and collected in the manner provided by Article VI, Section 33 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974 and statutory authority supplemental thereto?

SECTION 2. Publication of Notice of Election. A Notice of Special Election shall be published in The Cameron Parish Pilot, a weekly (on Thursdays) newspaper of general circulation within the District, published in Cameron, Louisiana, and being the official journal of the District, once a week for four consecutive weeks, with the first publication to be made not less than forty-five (45) days nor more than ninety (90 days) prior to the date of the election, which Notice shall be substantially in the form attached hereto as "Exhibit A" and incorporated herein by reference the same as if it were set forth herein in full.

SECTION 3. Canvass. This Governing Authority shall meet at its regular meeting place, the School Board Office, Dewey St., Cameron, Louisiana, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2001, at FOUR O'CLOCK (4:00) P.M., and shall then and there in open and public session proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said special election.

SECTION 4. Polling Places. The polling places set forth in the aforesaid Notice of Special Election are hereby designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-in-Charge and Commis-sioners, respectively, will be the same persons as those designated in accordance with law.

SECTION 5. Election Commissioners; Voting Machines. The officers designated to serve as Commissioners-in-Charge and Commissioners pursuant to Section 4 hereof, or such substitutes therefor as may be selected and designated in accordance with La. R. S. 18:1287, shall hold the said special election as herein provided, and shall make due returns of said election for the meeting of the Governing Authority to be held on Monday, November 5, 2001, as provided in Section 3 hereof. All registered voters in the District will be entitled to vote at the special election, and voting machines shall be used.

SECTION 6. Authorization of Officers. The Secretary of the governing Authority is hereby empowered, authorized and directed to arrange for and to furnish to said election officers in ample time for the holding of said election, the necessary equipment, forms and other paraphernalia essential to the proper holding of said election and the President and/or Secretary of the Governing Authority are further authorized, empowered and directed to take any and all further action required by State and/or Federal law to arrange for the election, including but not limited to, appropriate submission to the Federal Department of Justice under Section 5 of the Federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended.

SECTION 7. Furnishing Election Call to Election Officials. Certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Secretary of State, the Commissioner of Elections, the Clerk of Court and Ex-Officio Parish Custodian of Voting Machines of Cameron Parish and the Registrar of Voters of Cameron Parish, as notification of the special election, in order that each may prepare for said election and perform their respective functions as required by law.

SECTION 8. Application to State Bond Commission. Application is made to the State Bond Commission for consent and authority to hold the special election as herein provided, and in the event said election carries for further consent and authority to issue, sell and deliver the bonds provided for therein. A certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the State Bond Commission on behalf of this Governing Authority, together with a letter requesting the prompt consideration and approval of this application.

SECTION 9. Employment of Bond Counsel. A real necessity is hereby found for the employment of special counsel in connection with the issuance of the aforesaid bonds, and accordingly Foley & Judell, L.L.P., Bond Counsel, are hereby employed and requested to do and perform comprehensive legal and coordinate professional work with respect to the issuance of the aforesaid bonds of the District for the purposes stated hereinabove. Said Bond Counsel shall prepare and submit to this Governing Authority for adoption all of the proceedings incidental to the authorization, issuance, sale and delivery of the bonds, shall counsel and advise this Governing Authority as to the issuance and sale of the bonds, and shall furnish their opinion covering the legality of the issuance thereof. The fee of special bond counsel in connection with the issuance of the aforesaid bonds of the District is hereby fixed at a sum not to exceed the maximum fee allowed by the Attorney General's fee guidelines for comprehensive legal and coordinate professional services in the issuance of general obligation bonds, based on the amount of said bonds actually issued, sold, delivered and paid for, plus "out-of-pocket" expenses. Bond Counsel fees may be paid from the proceeds of said bonds and shall be contingent upon the issuance, sale and delivery of said bonds. Pursuant to instructions from the President of the Governing Authority, Foley & Judell, L.L.P. shall also assist in the preparation of an official statement containing detailed and comprehensive financial and statistical data required with respect to the sale of the aforesaid bonds; and the costs of the preparation and printing of such official statement may be paid from the proceeds of bonds. Said official statement shall be submitted to such nationally recognized bond rating service or services as may be recommended by Bond Counsel, together with a request that an appropriate rating be assigned. Payment for all ratings shall be made by the Secretary, upon presentation of appropriate statements from the particular rating services furnishing the ratings. A certified copy of this resolution shall be submitted to the Attorney General of the State of Louisiana for his written approval of said employment and of the fee herein designated, and the Secretary is hereby empowered and directed to make payment to said Bond Counsel in payment of the fees herein provided for under the conditions herein enumerated.

This resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Glenda Abshire, Pat Howerton, Bill Morris, Clifton Morris, and Marvin Trahan.

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Tony Johnson

And the resolution was declared adopted on this, the 9th day of July, 2001.

/s/Judith Jones
Secretary

/s/Pat Howerton
President

EXHIBIT "A"

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Parish School Board of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of School District No. 5, Cameron Parish, Louisiana (the "District"), on July 9, 2001, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held within the District on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2001, and that at the said election there will be submitted to all registered voters in the District qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

BOND PROPOSITION

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The said special election will be held at the following polling places situated within the District, which polls will open at six o'clock (6:00) a.m., and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 18:541, to-wit:

POLLING PLACES

District 1, Precinct 1, Location, Multi-purpose Bldg, 5556 Gulf Beach Hwy, Johnson Bayou (IN PART)
District 2, Precinct 1, Location, Hackberry Recreation Center, 1250 Rec. Circle, Hackberry (IN PART).

The polling places set forth above are hereby designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-in-Charge and Commissioners, respectively, shall be those persons designated according to law.

The said special election will be held in accordance with the applicable provisions of Chapter 5, Chapter 6-A and Chapter 6-B of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, and other constitutional and statutory authority, and the officers appointed to hold the said election, as provided in this Notice of Special Election, or such substitutes therefor as may be selected and designated in accordance with La. R.S. 18:1287, will make due returns thereof to said Governing Authority, and NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Governing Authority will meet at its regular meeting place, the School Board Office, Dewey St., Cameron, Louisiana, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2001, at FOUR O'CLOCK (4:00) P.M., and shall then and there in open and public session proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said special election. All registered voters of the district are entitled to vote at said special election and voting machines will be used.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Cameron, Louisiana, on this, the 9th day of July, 2001.

ATTEST:
/s/Pat Howerton
President
/s/Judith Jones
Secretary
RUN: July 26 - JU44

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF FEDERAL CONSISTENCY REVIEW OF A PROPOSED INITIAL PLAN OF EXPLORATION BY THE COASTAL MANAGEMENT DIVISION/LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR THE PLAN'S CONSISTENCY WITH THE LOUISIANA COASTAL RESOURCES PROGRAM.

APPLICANT: Amerada Hess Corporation, 500 Dallas Street, Level 2, Houston, TX 77002.

LOCATION: Garden Banks Blocks 447 and 448. OCS-G 17370, 17371. Leasing Offering Date: February 1, 1997.

DESCRIPTION: Proposed plan of exploration for the above area provides for the exploration for oil and gas. Exploration activities shall include drilling from a semi-submersible drilling rig and transport of drilling crews and equipment by helicopter and/or cargo vessel from an onshore base located at Cameron, Louisiana. No sensitive species or habitats are expected to be located near or affected by these activities.

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

RUN: July 26 - JU 55

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF FEDERAL CONSISTENCY REVIEW OF A PROPOSED INITIAL 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: Amerada Hess Corporation, 500 Dallas Street, Level 2, Houston, TX 77002.

LOCATION: Garden Banks Blocks 158. OCS-G 17300. Leasing Offering Date: January 1, 1997.

DESCRIPTION: Proposed development for the above named area provided for the development and production of hydrocarbons. Support activities are to be conducted from an onshore base at Cameron, Louisiana. No sensitive species or habitats are expected to be located near or affected by these activities.

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

RUN: July 26 - JU 56

NOTICE

Notification of Rural Development's Findings of No Practicable Alternative to a Floodplain Impact.

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Rural Development/Rural Housing Service (RHS) has received an application for financial assistance from the Cameron Parish Police Jury located in Cameron Parish, Louisiana. The specific element of this proposed action is the construction of a Parish Law Enforcement Center near the Cameron Parish Courthouse. The area affected by this specific action is located on the existing courthouse grounds in Section 31, Township 14 South, Range 9 West, Cameron Parish.

Rural Development/RHS has assessed the potential impacts of this proposed action and determined the location of the proposed Parish Law Enforcement Center would impact a 100 and 500 year-year floodplain. Further, it has determined that there is no practicable alternative to avoiding this impact. The basis of this determination is summarized as follows:

The proposed project will directly impact floodplain.

There are not alternative sites or actions that could avoid these impacts.

The Cameron Parish Police Jury will construct all structures on the project site at an elevation above the designated 500-year floodplain elevation. In addition, all parking and site grading within the floodplain areas will have a minimum, if any, impact on the floodplain.

The Cameron Parish Police Jury has agreed to all practicable mitigation measures. The actions will conform to applicable state and local floodplain protection standards.

Rural Development/RHS has further determined that this proposed action will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment. Therefore, Rural Development/RHS will not prepare an environmental impact statement for the proposed action.

Any written comments regarding this determination should be provided within fifteen (15) days of this publication to: Gerard C. Labat, Rural Development Specialist, 905 Jefferson Street, Suite 320, Lafayette, LA 70501-7913, telephone number 337-262-6601. Rural Development/RHS will make no further decisions regarding this proposed action during this fifteen-day period. Requests to review a copy of, or to review the rural Development/RHS environmental assessment, upon which this determination is based, or to receive a copy of the environmental assessment, should be directed to the above address.

A general location map of the proposed action is available for public review in the Rural Development Office listed above.

RUN: July 26, Aug. 2 - JU 57

Contest rules

The Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries has chosen the Canvasback as the species to be represented on the 2002 Louisiana Waterfowl Conservation Stamp or Louisiana Duck Stamp.

Entries for the competition will be accepted beginning Oct. 22, 2001 until 4 p.m. on Oct. 26, 2001. To enter, an artist must submit an original, unpublished work of art, along with a signed and notarized artist's agreement and $50 entry fee. Entries should be addressed to Robert Helm, Louisiana Waterfowl Conservation Stamp Program, Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, 2000 Quail Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70808, or P.O. Box 98000, Baton Rouge, La. 70898.

Judging for the art competition will be based on the following criteria:

1. Accuracy of form, size, proportion, color and posture.

2. Level and accuracy of detail in plumage, eyes, feet and bill.

3. Appropriateness, accuracy and detail in depiction of bird habitat.

4. Attractiveness and creativity in composition, subject, background and lighting.

5. Suitability for reproduction as stamps and prints.

The winning design will be selected by a panel of judges with experience in waterfowl biology and/or artistic method. Judging will take place on Oct. 31, 2001 at LDWF headquarters in Baton Rouge.

The competition is open to artists 18 years of age and older and is open to artists nationwide for the first time. Employees of LDWF and members of their immediate families are ineligible.

Classified ads should be submitted by 10 a.m. Wednesday of that week's paper. The cost is $4.00 for the first 25 words, and 10¢ for each additional word.

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 July 6, 2001. This filing increases the rates for certain optional residential and business services. These changes are scheduled to be effective September 22, 2001. If you wish additional information regarding this tariff filing, you may contact your BellSouth Representative.

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CZECH	NECK	TURTLENECK
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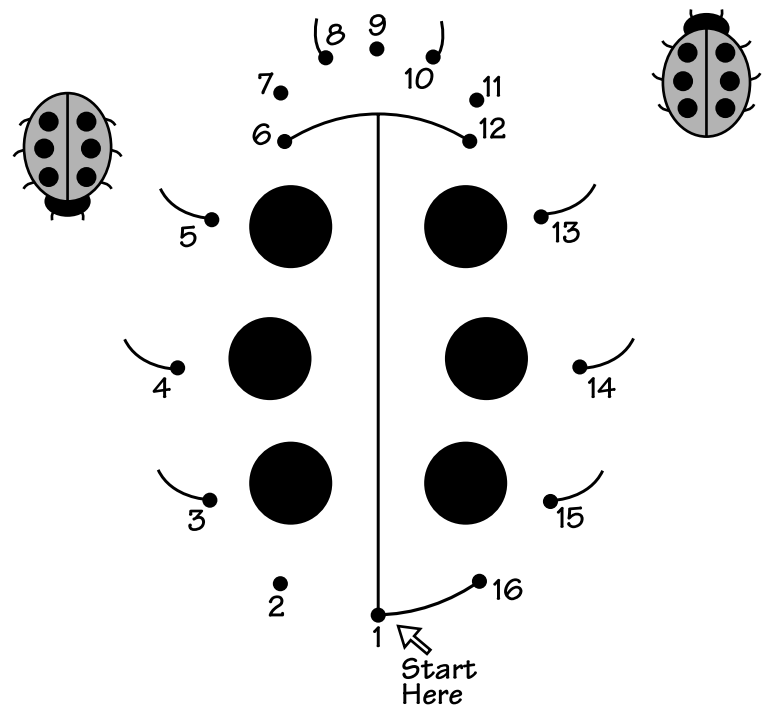
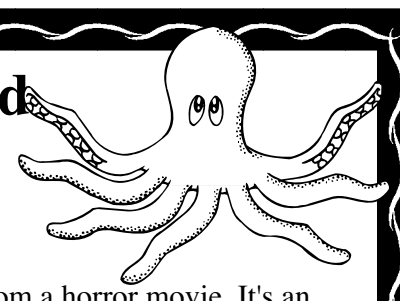


Eight-Legged Ocean Creature



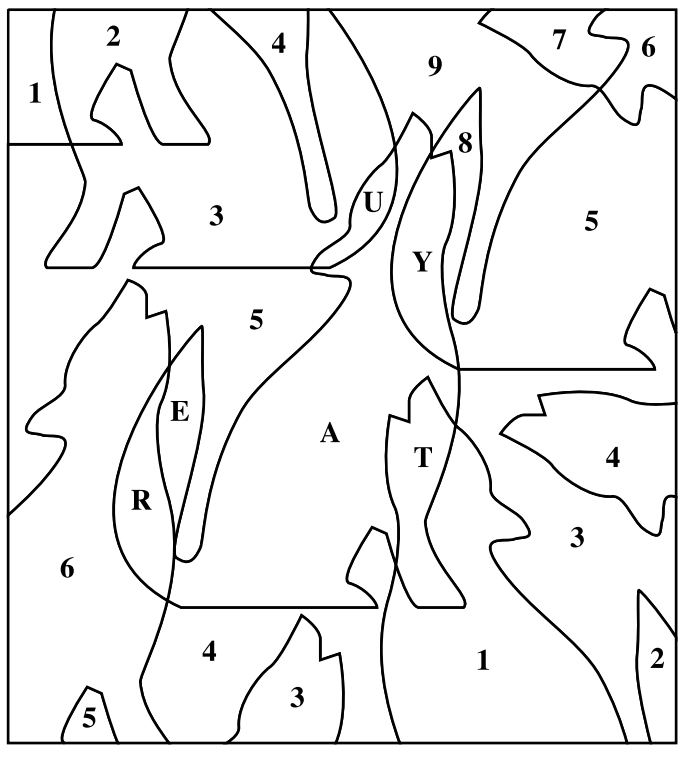
No. It's not something from a horror movie. It's an octopus, and it really does have eight legs that are lined with suckers. Check out some facts about these ocean creatures.

The octopus:

- Uses the suckers on its arms to move on the ocean floor and to capture prey. It can have as many as 240 suction cups.
- Moves by jet propulsion, which means it sucks water in, then pushes it out the other end.
- Has a hard beak like a parrot's. The beak is used to kill and tear flesh from prey.
- Lives alone on the sea floor in a den.
- Ranges in size from less than half an inch to more than 16 feet long. The biggest is the Giant Pacific Octopus, which can end up weighing almost 600 pounds.
- Has blue blood.
- Uses poison to kill prey. The poison is pretty weak in most types of octopus and cannot harm humans. However, the Blue Ringed Octopus from Australia has enough poison to paralyze and kill a human.
- Protects itself by changing colors to blend in with its surroundings.
- Sends out a cloud of purple-black ink to confuse its enemies.

There are about 200 known species of the octopus around the world. The larger ones are usually found in colder water.

HIDDEN PICTURE



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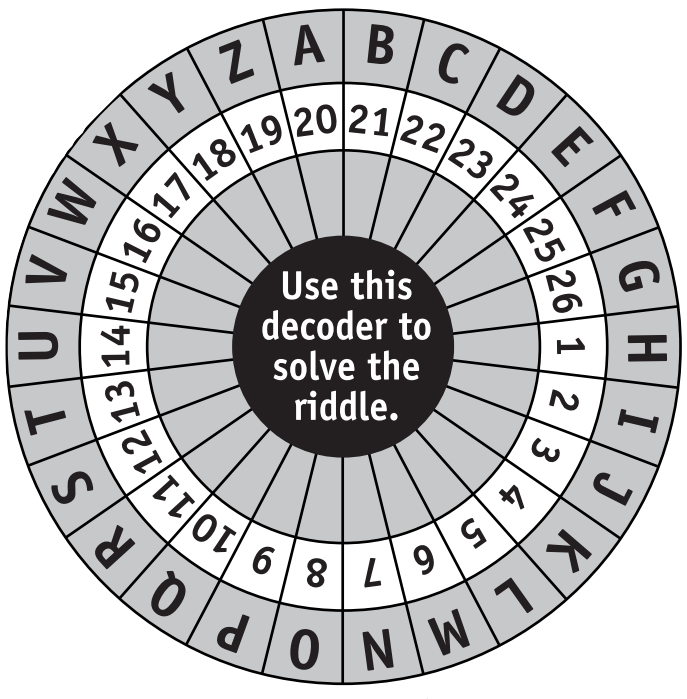

The Drawing Toy

This year, the popular Etch A Sketch® will be 40 years old. The first Etch A Sketch toys were made July 12, 1960, but the work on them started years before that.

Arthur Granjean invented the L'Ecran Magique in the 1950s in his garage. Granjean took the toy to the 1959 International Toy Fair in Germany. And even though the Ohio Art Company representatives saw the toy there, they weren't interested in it. They did decide to take a chance on making the toy after they saw it a second time.

After renaming and making the toy, the company ran TV ads for the Etch A Sketch. The Etch A Sketch became so popular, the company decided to keep making them until noon Christmas Eve 1960.

But the Ohio Art Company has not stopped making the Etch A Sketch, and very little has changed in the drawing toy. The left and right knobs on the frame control the movement of the drawing line. The other side of the screen is coated with aluminum powder and plastic beads. As the knobs are moved, the screen is actually scraped, leaving the line you see.

Other toys have joined the family of the Classic Etch A Sketch, including a travel version and a pocket version. If you want to learn more about these drawing toys, you may visit the Etch A Sketch Web site at **www.etch-a-sketch.com/**.

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FIND THE TWINS

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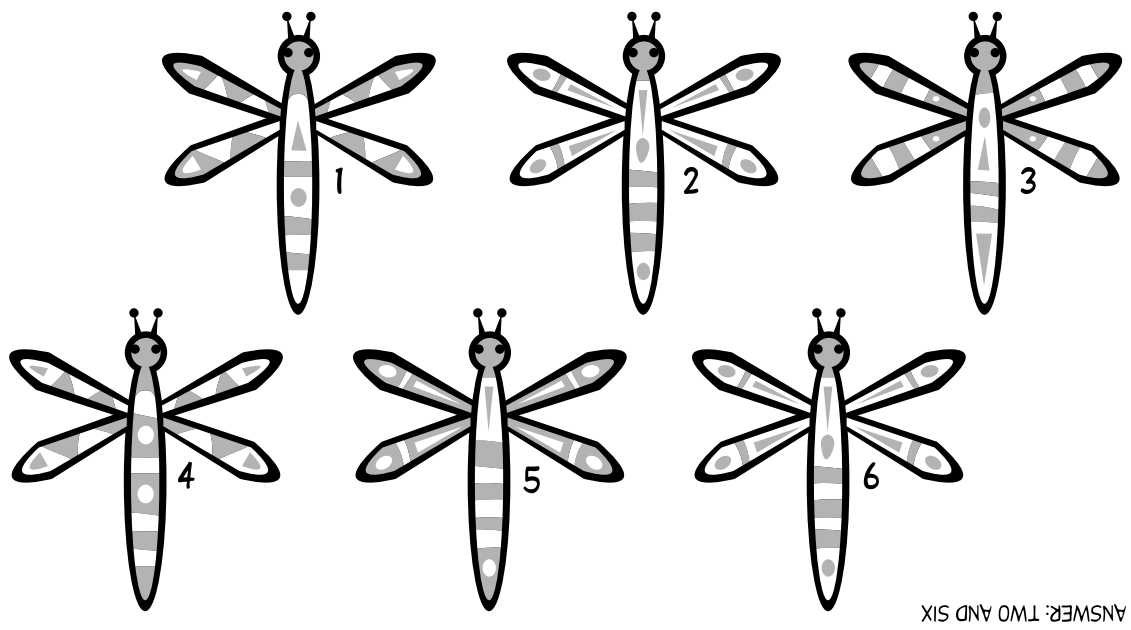

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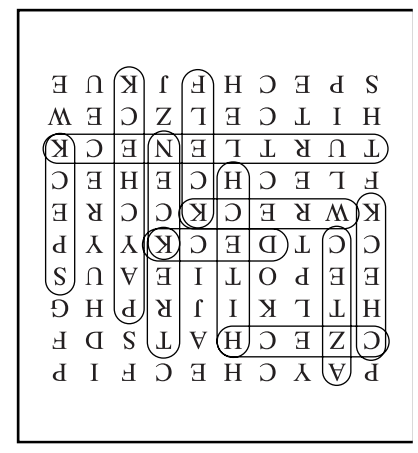

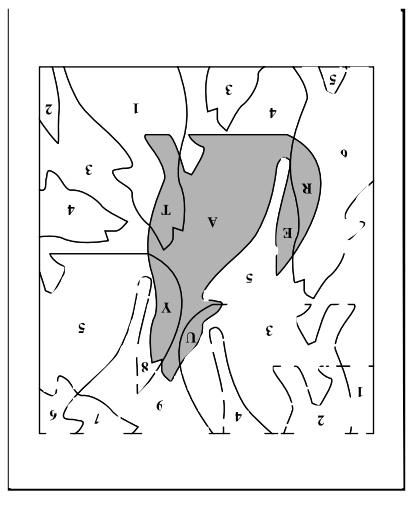

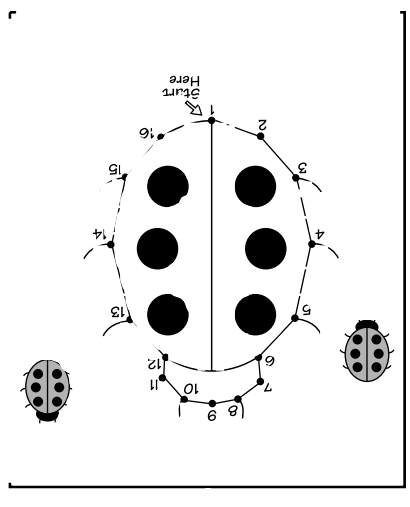

Cameron Outdoors

By LOSTON MCEVERS

BASS TEAM DOES WELL

Dennis Tietze of Roanoke, La., won the Louisiana State Title with 6 bass weighing 20 pounds, 13 ounces. He finished fourth overall, but he helped the Louisiana team get into second place, for the battle between the states. Team members were from different parts of the state. The total team weight was 140 pounds 13 ounces, behind first place Texas team with 142 pounds, 4 ounces. Fishing was out of Lake Dardonelle, Arkansas.

Speaking of large fish, another largemouth bass was caught in California's Lake Dixon. In the top twenty live bass throughout the USA, this 20 pound 12 ounce bass will move into seventh place. As of now the top 11 bass are all over 20 pounds. California leads the top 25 with 21 places, Florida has 3 places and still yet to beat is the 22 pound 4 ounce from Montgomery Lake, Georgia caught on June 2, 1932. We do have a second place bass caught on Lake Castaic in California that went 22 1/2 pounds in 1921, so that old record could be broken, however anglers have to been trying to break this record for 69 years.

FISHING NEWS

Overall, bass fishing in our area is as tough right now as it's ever been. This heat is not helping matters out either. Anglers are catching fish, but not many limits and not many large bass.

Saltwater fishing has really been good both in Calcasieu Lake and Sabine Lake. Nice size speckle trout are being taken, but really that's the only reports I've had.

HUNTING NEWS

It may sound a little early, but take of hunting season is around town. Here is the seasons approved by the La. Wildlife and Fisheries Commission:

Doves: (3 splits) Sept. 1-9, Oct. 13 - Nov. 18 and Dec. 22 - Jan. 4. Daily bag 15, possession 30. 60 day season.

Teal: (Blue-winged, green-winged, cinnamon teal only) Sept. 15-30). Daily bag limit 4, possession 8. Federal and state waterfowl stamp required to hunt teal. (16 days).

Rails: King and Dapper, daily 15, possession 30 (Sept. 15-30). Sora & Virginia limits 25 in aggregate (Sept. 15 - 30).
Gallinule, limit 15, possession 30. (Sept. 15-30).

Woodcock: Dec. 15 - Jan. 28 - Daily bag 3, possession 6.

Shooting hours for teal, rail, gallinule and woodcock is one half hour before official sunrise to official sunset, and for Doves one half hour before sunrise to sunset except opening weekend Sept. 1-2; Oct. 13-14; Dec. 22-23, when shooting hours will be at 12 noon to sunset.

GIBBSTOWN DOGFIGHT

The results of the Gibbstown Dogfight on Monday, July 16 was a little better than the last two weeks.

The first place team went to Eric Broussard and Clay Lemaire, two fish 6.41 pounds. They also had the first place large bass of 5.54 pound. Second place with 3 fish; 3.67 pounds was Kenny LaRocca and Red West. Chris Packwood and Michael Breaux took third place with 3 bass weighing 3.39 pounds. The second place largest bass 1.81 pounds went to Benje Trosclair and Travis Johnson.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Through Sept. 3 - CCA Statewide Tournament and Anglers Rodeo and Lake Charles CCA Catch-Photo & Release program.

July 26-28 - Grand isle Tarpon Rodeo (504-736-6400).

Every Monday - Gibbstown Dog fight 5:15 p.m., bridge landing.

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

Aug. 29-Sept. 30 - Statewide Alligator Season.

Aug. 5 - Lemesche Bass Club tournament, Amoco, pick your partners.

FEEDING TIMES

Best - Fri., July 27, 6 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; good, 12:15 p.m.

Best - Sat., July 28, 6:45 a.m. & 7 p.m.; good, 1 p.m.

Best - Sun., July 29, 7:30 a.m. & 8 p.m.; good, 1:45 p.m.

Best - Mon., July 30, 8:15 a.m. & 8:30 p.m.; good, 2:30 p.m.

Best - Tues., July 31, 9 a.m. & 9:15 p.m.; good, 3:15 p.m.

Best - Wed., Aug. 1, 9:45 a.m. & 10 p.m.; good, 4 p.m.

Best - Thurs., Aug. 2, 10:30 a.m. & 11 p.m.; good, 4:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

S. Cameron Sports News

TARPONS TO ATTEND CAMP

The South Cameron Tarpons will attend football camp next week at L.S.U. to be held Monday thru Friday. They have been going to camp at Lamar University in Beaumont for the past few years.

The Tarpons will begin their 2001 campaign on August 23 in the Iowa Jamboree and their season opener will be Friday, Aug. 31 in DeQuincy.

FIVE SOUTH CAMERON High School students who have been taking part in the "A-HEC of a Summer" program at South Cameron Memorial Hospital are shown above, from left: Erica Baccigalopi, Lacy Martel, Krystal King, Jessica Murphy, and Brett Billings.

NEW COACHES

Clarence Vidrine and Jeff Wainwright have joined the Tarpon football coaching staff. Vidrine is a retired coach and former principal at South Cameron Elementary. Wainwright is a non-faculty coach.

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