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## Don't say bye-bye to this **American Pie**

*Not even the mighty winds and flooding caused by Hurricane Katrina could keep this New Orleans favorite down. Back in business and hoping to be stronger than ever, Hubig's Pies are comfort food in a time of rebuilding.*

By Sam Irwin



Savory Simon, the Hubig's Pies' mascot has been around for a long time. He's as recognizable to New Orleans natives as the statue of Andrew Jackson in Jackson Square. It will take more than a killer hurricane to keep him down.

If you ask Drew Ramsey of the Simon Hubig Company in New Orleans his job title he'll grin and say he's a passe-partout.

Passe-partout, a charming French word, translates literally into "pass everywhere" and when it comes to baking the Crescent City's favorite pie, Ramsey does it all.

"When the guy that makes dough doesn't show up, I make dough," Ramsey explained. "In a perfect world on a perfect day I should just sit there like a puppet master."

Unfortunately for passe-partout Ramsey, those perfect days are far and few.

Brief New Orleans-Hubig Pies history lesson — baker Simon Hubig immigrated from Germany to Fort Worth around 1900.

"There's a little bit of argument if Hubig was German," Ramsey said. "They might have been Basque. They might have been

French people who hated Spain so they lived in Germany or Spanish people who hated France."

It probably doesn't matter. What is important is Hubig was a doggone visionary and franchised nine bakery locations throughout the Southeast and that you can buy those delicious fried apple, lemon, cherry, strawberry and sweet potato turnovers in nearly every convenience store in the Pontchartrain parishes.

Savory Simon, the Hubig's Pies trademark mascot, has reached icon level in Orleans and surrounding parishes. Savory Simon is just as recognizable to a Yat as the Superdome, the

Crescent City Connection, Congo Square and St. Louis Cathedral.

Ramsey continued his narrative in the sunlight of the bakery's delivery truck bay. A few old Schwinn bicycles, a necessary mode of transportation post-Hurricane Katrina for some of the Hubig's employees, are parked underneath a storage rack.

Simon Hubig franchised a Hubig's Bakery location in 1922 at an old horse stable located on Dauphine Street in New Orleans' Bywater neighborhood. The cramped

Bywater streets accommodated the first wave of 20th century German and Irish immigrants.



**Hubig's turnover pies head for the glazing process.**

"Hubig franchised," Ramsey said. "He co-packed and he had partners and silent partners and distribution centers before those words were in the business vocabulary.

"He'd get rich, poor, rich, poor, rich, poor. He got annihilated by the Great Depression and the rationing during World War II."

Eventually economic forces shuttered eight of the nine Hubig bakeries, but the New Orleans Hubig's somehow survived with the help of Ramsey's grandfather, Otto Ramsey Sr.

"My grandfather was allowed to participate in the management of this Hubig's in the '40s," Ramsey said. "He came from Texas with an MBA, which was quite a rare degree at that time and bought into Hubig's. By the time he passed away he was a partner.

"It sounds like a meteoric rise, but you *See Hubig's Pies, continued on page 2*

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have to realize that Henry Barrett, my grandfather's partner, died at his desk when he was 91 years old and my grandfather died at his desk when he was 80-something."

Ramsey smiled. "At Hubig's you work until you die. That's just the way it works."

A lot of people died when Hurricane Katrina struck on August 29, 2005. So did a lot of New Orleans mom and pop businesses.

But Ramsey's family, along with the co-owning Bowman family, were not ready to sign Savory Simon's death certificate just yet. After all, co-owners Otto Ramsey Jr. and Lamar Bowman are only in their 60s and Drew a mere baby at 38. *At Hubig's you work until you die. That's just the way it works.*

"There was never a fear we wouldn't make a go of it, but there was a tremendous amount of obstacle in getting back." Ramsey smiled again, this time with a touch of sarcasm. "Insurance companies have to be listed at the top of the obstacles."

Flooding did not invoke an "interruption of business" clause in the Hubig insurance policy. Ramsey is quick to point out that much of Dauphine Street, the "sliver by the river," was high and dry.

"Everything happened to us but it did not flood here." Ramsey pointed up and down the narrow street. "It flooded four blocks that way and four blocks that way. It *did* flood at our off-premises warehouse."

Thousands of cardboard shipping boxes were destroyed by the flood waters. When the roof blew away, rain ruined pallets of boxes stacked above the flood line. Hubig's also lost all of their perishable product stored at New Orleans Cold Storage.

Ramsey shook his head with wonder. "Can you imagine thousands of tons of frozen perishables and chicken defrosting and festering?"

Determining whether losses were due to flood or rain became a battle of wills between Hubig's and their insurers. Tails you win, tails you lose.

Hurricane winds blew away the bakery's smokestack and nearly toppled the eastern wall of the old building. Half of the delivery truck fleet was lost. Balky insurance companies, a scattered-to-the-four-winds work force, contaminated water, gas pressure too low to fire the big ovens, heck, the neighborhood's power grid failed at least once a week in the first months post-Katrina — the obstacles mounted. But they were just obstacles.

"The businesses that survived are filled with people who can and are not afraid to pick up the trash, fill up the gas tank, handle the mop or whatever the case may be," Ramsey said. "If you're waiting for someone to do it at a low wage it's just not going to happen."

Eventually Hubig's management and their insurance companies came to an agreement and settled.

"A settlement means nobody's happy," Ramsey said. "I'm certain the settlement is more than they intended to pay and it's not as much as what we thought we had a loss for."

Bruised and battered, there was still life in the old Savory Simon mascot.

"We were out for four months. We always knew we were going to get back into business but we didn't know the how."

First on the list: collect the employees.

"We sent money to shelters for bus tickets all over the place," Ramsey said. "When we finally got enough people back (30 out of 70), we decided to start small."

The smart move? Re-introduce Hubig's to New Orleans and Louisiana with the famous 89-cent fried apple and lemon turnover.

"We had to allocate our resources and be tight," Ramsey said. That means they had to cut a large family pie, an institutional pie, a larger nine inch institutional pie, a small baked pie and a full line of premium pecan, custard and meringue pies from their menu.

"It was much easier for us to get back with our little glazed turnover," Ramsey said. "The container and

wrapper costs for the turnover are maybe a penny instead of 15 or 20 cents for a larger pie. What are you going to come back with? The turnover."

Four months after complete shutdown, Hubig's was ready to fire up the ovens. The pies that came out of the fryer were probably the sweetest tasting turnovers ever.

Not because the pies were made with more sugar, it's just that they tasted of triumph and smelled of victory.

That's when Hubig's made another smart play. They delivered the first batch of pies to the men in blue at all the police precincts. They brought them to the ambulance drivers and the firemen and the EMTs and the blood pressure checkers. And then 2006 ushered in an early February Mardi Gras.

"We had bought our first replacement truck before the end of January and got it decaled up in time for the parades,"



Ramsey said. "We put a Hubig's delivery van in front of a parade and passed out pies to the people. That was fun"

Ramsey knew the people of New Orleans were yearning for the familiar, the tried and true. Some of the old faces were already back. Bourbon Street had never left. The mule carriage tours were clip-clopping through the Vieux Carre. Hubig's returned Savory Simon to the roster of New Orleans icons.

"The revelers were really happy to see us," Ramsey says. "People really missed us and seemed to appreciate us."

"Evidently, we built up a lot of goodwill in the last 75 years."

Almost two years after Katrina, Hubig's is cranking out more than 100,000 turnovers a week. Plans to expand their product line are on the back burner for now.

"We got back into business and we're going in the right direction," Ramsey said. "We stopped hemorrhaging money."

The bakery still has a long way to go. Ramsey said his cold storage space is limited so he can't make big purchases of local fruits like strawberries and blueberries and supply for berry pies is limited. But 75 years of goodwill adds up and Ramsey found his friends at Cajun Kettle Foods and other food service concerns were willing to lend a hand.

"I was scared to death to buy pallets of cherries and not be able to refrigerate them," Ramsey said. "But we have friends and we were able to get somebody to add more cherries to their order and somebody to warehouse them for us."

"It doesn't surprise me that the principles of our company can be shared by other companies like us at this point in time. That's a good story about Katrina."

Hubig's and Drew Ramsey still haven't experienced that perfect day or perfect world yet, but they'll keep trying. Remember, you die at your desk at Hubig's. That's just the way it is.

For more information, visit [www.hubigspies.com](http://www.hubigspies.com) or call 1-800-232-0269.



**Longtime Hubig's Pies employee Nelson Miller (above) supervises the icing process of the turnovers. Hubig's Pies uses Louisiana products, like cane sugar and strawberries, as much as possible (below left). The raw dough is shaped, filled, cooked and packaged in the familiar wax paper sleeve (below center and right). The re-emergence of Hubig's Pies is boosting the morale of New Orleans residents.**



# Louisiana Agriculture & Forestry Today

## Horse Diet Important in Preventing Illness and Death

Recent calls to the state's Agricultural Chemistry Lab concerning horse illness and death have led Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Bob Odom to remind equine owners to be cautious when feeding their animals.

"Anytime you are feeding an animal, whether it's a household pet or livestock, you should always carefully read the label first," Odom said. "When the lab started looking into the calls, it became apparent the horses were given feed not suitable for equine consumption."

The Agricultural Chemistry Lab is a facility operated in partnership by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry and the LSU AgCenter. The agencies are working together to educate horse owners of proper feeding practices.

"The horses in question had been fed bulk pellets labeled for cattle and other livestock, not horses. Cattle feed can have higher mold content and other additives that horse feed should not contain," Odom explained. "These things, at certain levels, are suitable for some livestock but can be toxic to horses."

Odom said equine owners should

consult their veterinarian to establish a proper feeding program for their horses and again before changing to a new feed or supplement.

"The veterinarian is there to help keep your animal healthy. After discussing your horse's eating habits, exercise level and current health, you and the vet can design a feeding regimen that custom fits the animal's needs," Odom said.

The following tips from Dr. Christine Navarre, extension veterinarian with the LSU AgCenter, are general recommendations to follow when developing a feeding program for horses. Every animal and farm is different, so it's always best to consult an equine nutritionist or veterinarian for specific recommendations.

A balanced diet doesn't always have to include a grain supplement. A horse's digestive system is made to have forage (grass or hay) as the main ingredient in the diet. If good quality forage is available, most horses do not need corn or other grain supplements. Horses that are exercised frequently, are growing, lactating, or are underweight may need some supplementation. But too much

supplementation of grain supplements can cause over conditioning and even obesity, both of which lead to other health problems. Even some high quality hay, such as alfalfa, or pasture may need to be limited to avoid too much weight gain. Always have hay tested for nutritional content to determine how much to feed and if grain supplementation is necessary.

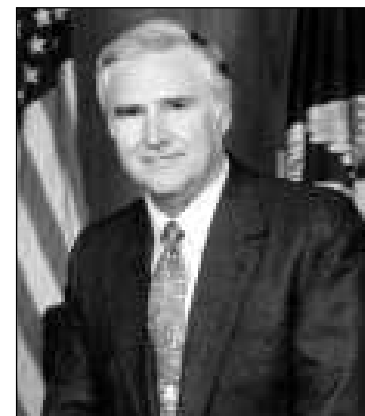
Feed to avoid heat and cold stress. Hay, especially grass hay, produces heat when it is digested. In times of cold stress, provide more hay. In times of heat stress, feed the highest quality hay available, so fewer pounds are needed, thus reducing the amount of heat produced during digestion. As stated earlier, have hay tested and talk to a nutritionist or professional before making changes to the diet.

Keep feeding consistent. The most common cause of digestive upsets in horses is a change in diet. Any change in feed amount or type needs to be made slowly over a few weeks. And, unlike cattle which have a large first stomach, horses have a small stomach, so they need to eat small amounts frequently. In general, hay should be fed free choice. If needed,

grain should be limited to 1/2 pound of grain per 100 pounds of body weight per feeding.

Minerals are essential. Matching a mineral supplement to a specific local area is important for horses grazing pasture. A different supplement may be needed if hay was harvested in another geographic area or state. When having hay tested, make sure analysis of mineral content is included.

Avoid toxicities. Horses are very sensitive to molds and their toxins. Although many grain supplements are labeled for more than one species of livestock, some grain supplements suitable for other livestock should not be fed to horses. Feeds such as "screenings" or "fines" have a higher mold content than whole grains. These may be harmless to cattle, but should not be fed to horses. Cattle, sheep and goat feed may also have chemical additives, such as monensin, that can be toxic to horses. In general, only give supplements to horses that are actually labeled for horses. Other ways to avoid mold problems are: 1) store only a few weeks supply of grain at one time and clean storage bins between loads,



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especially in humid summer months: 3) store hay inside or at least cover, especially if round bales are used; 4) feed only the amount of hay horses will actually eat to avoid having old hay buildup on the ground.

For more detailed information on proper nutrition, see other articles at [www.lsuagcenter.com](http://www.lsuagcenter.com). See also "Basics of Feeding Horses: Reading the Feed Tag" University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension Publications (<http://www.ianrpubs.unl.edu/epublic/pages/index.jsp>).

### CATTLE

No grade sires listed in the interest of better livestock. All dairy cattle 20 mos. of age, beef cattle 24 mos. of age, or pasturing or post pasturing animals of any age offered for sale, except for immediate slaughter, must have valid 30-day negative brucellosis test certificate. Contact La. Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry, P.O. Box 1951, Baton Rouge, La. 70821-1951.

**REMINDER: Have all of your heifer calves between four and 12 months of age vaccinated against brucellosis. For information contact your local veterinarian, LDAF animal health personnel, your parish Cattlemen's Association or parish Farm Bureau.**

**Miniature red Zebu bull**, 6 mos., \$1000. Jerome Hammons, Many; 318-256-2420 or 318-508-2420.

**Reg. Canadian Jersey cow w/calf** shown in 4-H club, gentle to milk or nurse. 4-gal. day, \$1200. Louis Marks, Arnaudville; 337-754-5960.

**(120) Braford heifers**, open, 800 lbs., \$1000/1; (8) Braford heifers, exposed, 950 lbs., \$1000/1; (5) Brangus heifers, exposed, 950 lbs., exposed to lbw Braford bulls, \$1000/1. J. Boudreaux, Abbeville; 337-893-6743.

**Reg. BBU Beefmaster bulls**, top bloodlines, clean sheath, good conform., \$850; reg. Beefmaster cows, heavy bred, \$1500/1. Gaston Gerald, Greenwell Springs; 225-654-8816 or

225-603-9073.

**Brangus bull**, F1, 6 yrs., large & gentle, lbw calves, Angus bull, 5 yrs., lbw calves, White Oak Precise breeding, \$2000/1. Bruno Habetz, New Iberia; 337-229-8106.

**Reg. 5/8, 3/8 Braford bulls & heifers**, champ bloodlines, gain test leaders, weaned heifers, \$800/1-up; bred heifers, \$1400/1-up; 2 yr. bulls, \$1700/1-up. F. Elsing, Alexandria; 318-442-0741 or 318-447-1145.

**Reg. blk. Angus bulls & heifers**, \$1000/1-up; (2) reg. cow/calf prs., bull calves, \$1500/1. A. Freeman, Columbia; 318-649-5863.

**Beefmaster bull & heifer**, show prospects, out of herd that has produced 10 LSU state champs. & numerous state fair champs., proven genetics, Feed The Good Ones, \$1000/1-up. Reggie Lucas, Deville; 318-466-9094.

**Reg. Char. bull**, born 3/2/06, easy calving, gentle, Wyoming Wind bloodline, \$975. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte; 337-363-5888.

**(8) Corriente/longhorn cross heifers**, \$400/1. Dude Breaux, Rosepine; 337-462-2515.

**Reg. shorthorn heifers & bulls**, weaning age, red roan & wh., \$800/1. Jerry Epperson, Baker; 225-654-5881.

**Crossbred Angus/Brangus yr/rg. bulls**, all shots, \$750/1-up. Karen Saizan, Husser; 337-585-2269.

**Reg. Beefmaster bulls**, 12-17 mos., some ready for light service, top bloodlines, \$1800-\$2000/1. H. Glatt, Prairieville; 225-571-3923.

**Reg. Angus bull**, 19 mos., heavy & stout, Bando, Lucy Boy bloodline, ready for service, \$2400. Jim Hebert, Youngsville; 337-856-6923 or 337-298-9697.

**Reg. Char. bulls**, excel. bloodlines & EPDs, AI and ET, gentle, semen tested, 12 to 24 mos., \$1200 to \$1800; (5) reg. Char. heifers, 12-15 mos., all AI, out of nationally known sires & maternal grand sires, \$1100/1. Hilary Watson, Montpelier; 225-777-4558 or 985-4969.

**(2) weanling blk. reg. Simm. bulls**, from lbw AI bulls, Legacy & On Target, (1) weaning age Simm. heifer, from AI bull On Target, (1) reg. weaning Angus heifer from AI bull RX15, \$800/1. Stuart Gauthier, Kaplan; 337-643-6041.

**(2) reg. blk. Angus bull calves**, 7-8 mos., grandsons of BR Midland, Northern Improvement 4480 & WK Gunsmoke, \$850/1. Dale Schexnayder, Baton Rouge; 225-344-3434 or 225-223-9242.

**Reg. blk. Angus pasture raised bulls**, gentle, ready for breeding, \$1250/1; open heifers, \$950/1; pasture exposed heifers, \$1000/1, will deliver. John Collins, Ruston; 318-255-3761.

**Reg. blk. Angus bull**, 3 yrs., calf to show, \$1200. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte; 363-1352.

**Reg. blk. AI sired Angus bulls**, 14-16 mos., ultrasound & semen tested, (10) to choose from, all very gentle, \$1750/1-up. Earl P. Lemoine, Moreauville; 318-452-5503 or 318-985-2034.

**Reg. Beefmaster bull**, L Bar 5502 son, solid red & clean, grand champ. at the Louisiana State show in '06 & '07, \$3000. Julie Bertrand, Elton; 337-734-2129.

**(7) Brangus heifers**, exposed to blk. baldy, \$1000/1; (2) Char.-type heifers, exposed to blk. baldy, \$1000/1; (5) Brangus heifers, \$800/1. Pierre Broussard, Maurice; 337-984-9495 or 337-277-8297.

**Fresh Corriente roping & dogging steers**, all #1s, wormed, all shots, excel. quality, ready to rope or dog, for sale or lease, \$550-\$600 or \$40/mo; (8) pure Corriente bred heifers, \$5000. F.A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486 or 318-201-0323.

**Blk. Angus bull**, 5 yrs., \$1000; Brangus bull, 3 yrs., \$1000. Tim Gautreau, New Iberia; 337-365-7007.

**Reg. blk. Angus bulls**, 13-17 mos., Traveler & Bando bloodlines, very gentle, \$1300/1-up. Tim Guillory, Livonia; 225-637-3348 or 225-485-0726.

**(5) blk. baldy heifers**, 1 yr., from reg. Angus cow & reg. polled Hereford bull, very nice heifers, \$650/1. John Causey, Kentwood; 985-229-2941.

**(32) Char. heifers**, all out of reg. Char. cows & bulls, exposed since 1/1/07 to lbw Angus bulls, \$1200/1. Max King, Choudrant; 318-548-8302.

**(39) Char. heifers**, all out of reg. Char. cows & bulls, avg. weight 650-700 lbs., \$900/1. Max King, Choudrant; 318-548-8302.

**14 mo. AI bull**, good temperament, sire Lemmon Newsline C804, dam Darnall Place Verity 219, ready for service, \$2000. Paul, New Iberia; 337-577-6136.

**(13) Brangus-type heifers**, 16 mos., \$775/1. Jerry Duhon, Sulphur; 337-853-4360.

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**Reg. Angus** bull, 30 mos., Traveler, Raider 3013 & Leachman breeding, calves to show, super gentle, excel. performance sire, \$1850. L. Duhon, Kaplan; 337-652-6200.

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**(65) 3-5 yr.** Brangus prs., \$1300; (85) 3-5 yr. Braford prs., \$1300; (38) second calve cows, 9 prs. & post heavy bred, \$1250; (53) 3-5 yr. Braford, heavy bred, \$1225; (92) 3-5 yr. Brangus, heavy bred, \$1250. Terry Rider or David Bush, Eunice; 337-789-1927.

**Polled Hereford** bulls & heifers, 7 mos., performance bred, great EPDs, gentle, all shots & wormed, \$800/1-up. Laura Hughes, Zachary; 225-658-5348.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bulls, 7 mos., \$600/1. Clinton Breland, Angie; 985-848-9213 or 985-515-8883.

**Reg. red** Angus cow calf prs., \$1100-\$1400; 100%, wean. & yrlg., bull & heifers, lbw, \$700-\$1000; King Rob line. Joe Bailey, Leesville; 337-463-8080.

**Hereford bull**, 3 yrs., very gentle, \$1000; (20) gray Brahman cows & heifers, \$1000/1-up. Dawn Rogers, Hammond; 985-974-7994.

**5 1/2 yr. reg.** Angus bull, Bon View bloodline, \$1100. M. Decoteau, Prairieville; 225-413-4080.

**Beefmaster cows**, (1) 3 yrs., (1) 4 yrs., gentle, great cond., \$900/1. Allen Dugas Sr., Tickfaw; 985-542-0252.

**Char. bull**, 3 yrs., 1300 lbs., extra nice, calves to show semen tested, guaranteed semen test, \$1500. Danny Brignac, St. Amant; 225-675-8160 or 225-571-4048.

**2 yr. reg.** Hereford bull, \$1500. Kermit Lavergne, Sunset; 337-230-8004.

**Jersey bull**, \$400; Guernsey bull calf, \$350. Kurt Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Jersey & Holstein** milk/nurse cows, \$650-\$850/1; crossbred calves, roping calves, \$150/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Jersey & Holstein** heifer calves, \$150/1. J. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Reg. Hereford** bulls & heifers, top bloodlines, from Domino Felton, Victor & Enforcer, \$800/1-up. Ben Monic, Evangeline; 337-824-1199.

**Herd dispersal**, (30) cows, (5) bulls, reg. Brangus cows, 2 yrs. & older, \$1500/1-up; reg. Brangus bulls, 7 mos., \$1500/1-up. Dale Clark, Rayne; 337-873-8188.

**Reg. blk.** Brangus cow/calf prs., \$1500; exposed cow/calf prs., 3/N/1,

good bloodlines to pick from, \$2000; reg. Brangus bull, 3 yrs., \$1300; Holstein nurse cow, 6 yrs., 6 mos. bred, \$800. Norman Young, Mamou; 337-303-3385.

**Brangus bull**, reg. w/the International Brangus Breeders Association #742210, gentle & in good shape, \$800 obo. Gerald Blackwell, Leesville; blackwell0944@cebridge.net or 337-537-0944.

**Beefmaster cattle**, (3) 7 yr. prs., \$1000/pr.; bull Mindeman 823 son/Lasater breeding, \$1500. Aaron Poirrier, Roseland; 985-748-3009 after 6 p.m.

**(2) show heifers**, Maine cross, fall born, Louisiana bred, \$1000/1. Drew Coombs, Boyce; 318-308-5971.

**Blk. Angus** bulls, \$1500/1-up. Ridley Chauvin, Raceland; 985-804-2594.

**Brangus type** heifers, at weaning in May, born Oct.-Dec. '06, \$540; reg. Char. bull, born 1/19/03, \$2000. Jason Guidry, Abbeville; 337-898-2119.

**(4) Corriente** heifers, have been w/Corriente bull. Russell Peace, Negreet; 318-256-6923 or 318-315-0615.

**Reg. Brangus** bulls, 24 mos., Bright Side cross Cadence breeding, good EPDs, semen tested, \$1800/1-up. Sonny Crosby, Cut Off; 985-632-8095 or 985-870-5001.

**(10) red Brangus** cows, 2-6 yrs., w/calf, avg. weight 1100 lbs., others to choose from, \$1500/pr. or \$1250/1. J.C., Ville Platte; 337-831-0414.

**(2) reg. Angus** cows, performance proven w/calves at side & rebred to powerful New Design 1407 son, excel. disp. & EPDs, cert herd, \$2350-\$2650. Zachary Comeaux, Scott; 337-896-9296 or 337-873-6948.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bulls, performance & ultrasound tested, pasture raised, 13-14 mos., 1300 lbs. avg. weight, cert. herd, semen tested, avail. 5/07, \$1625/1-up. Vernal Comeaux, Scott; 337-896-9296 or 337-873-6948.

**(6) Brangus-type** heifers, heavy springers blk. & blk. baldies, bred to lbw reg. Angus bulls, 26-28 mos., calf hood vacc., \$1100/1 if all taken. Richard Reed, Independence; 985-878-2330.

**19 mo. Braford** bull, semen tested, good, will work on heifers, \$1000. Shane Trahan, Thornwell; 337-587-2223.

**3 yr. reg. blk.** Brangus bull, sound breeder, \$1500. W. Iguess, Jennings; 337-510-8089 or 337-584-3672.

**Reg. blk.** Simm. bulls, most AI sired, from homozygous blk. & polled bloodlines, 2 yrs. & long yrlgs. bulls, ready to breed, \$1600/1-up. Gene Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789 or 985-969-6005.

**Reg. blk.** Simm. heifers, bred for fall calving, bred AI to easy Angus bulls to produce half blood Simm.-Angus in addition to some AI bred to easy calving Simm. bulls, \$1500/1-up. G. Strother, Amite; 985-747-

0789 or 985-969-6005.

**(36) Brangus-type** heifers, exposed to Angus bull, \$1250/1. Bradley Duhon, Maurice; 337-898-2817 after 6 p.m.

**Reg. pb Char.** older cows, bred, most w/calves & bred back, 36 yrs. of Char. breeding, need to reduce herd, \$1000-\$1800. Ivy Guillot Sr., Marksville; 318-253-8300 or 318-305-2003.

**Brangus-type** heifers, exposed to Angus bulls, \$875/1. Gary Anderson, Cloutierville; 318-379-0980.

**Fresh roping** cattle, \$475/1. Roger Whatley, Trout; 318-992-5455.

**(250) cows**, 100+ calves, excel. quality, great deal, \$250,000/all; (34) 2 yr. Brangus, (19) calves, \$40,000/all. W.A. Lucky III, Bossier City; 318-453-5685.

**(2) F-1 heifers**, on pasture & feed, very nice & very gentle, \$600/1. Albert Rozas, Eunice; 337-546-6337 or 337-580-4709.

**Reg. Gelbvieh** bull, red, 15 mos., 4-H show, gentle, good bloodlines, born 1/23/06, birth weight 65 lbs., \$1200. Mackie LeBlanc, Ponchatoula; 985-345-0312 or 985-507-1932.

**(3) longhorn/Corriente**, all on rye grass & wheat pasture, shots & wormed, (2) roping steers, (1) heifer, \$425 firm, others avail. Marvin Hayes, Alexandria; 318-447-7027 or 318-442-1129.

**(2) F-1 Brangus** heifer, 7 mos., \$1000; (4) F-1 Braford heifers, 12 mos., exposed to bulls, \$1000/1, all from Brahman cattle & Angus/Hereford bulls. Sam Zaunbrecher, Eunice; 337-580-2725.

**Reg. Char.** cows, some open, some bred & prs., \$1400/1-up. Walter Lemoine, Marksville; 318-253-7939.

**Partial herd** dispersal, reg. red Brangus prs. w/good red calves at side, bred back to red Angus bull, \$1000-\$1600; (2) good red bulls, \$1800 & \$2200. John Hartman, Kaplan; 337-643-6202 or 713-871-4612.

**3 yr. Brangus** bull, semen tested & ready for service, \$2000; 2 & 3 yr. Angus, Brangus & blk. baldy bred cows & prs., bred cows, \$950; prs., \$1100. D. Spears, St. Landry; 318-729-4069.

**(75) Brangus**, Braford & tiger stripe heifers, exposed to reg. lbw Angus bulls, \$750/1; (40) crossbred cows, 3-5 yrs., bred to Angus bulls, \$850/1 or \$800/1 if all purchased. Troy Thibodeaux, Church Point; 337-684-6615.

**Blk. Simm.** bulls, 18-24 mos., ready for breeding, many are 1/2 siblings, sire is bull sibling to the most known cow family in Simm. business, \$1500. C. D. Worsham, Many; 318-256-2233 or 318-256-3356.

**Wanted:** reg. blk. Angus bull, very gentle, calve, lbw, preferably halter broke, to be used on small 7-8 cow herd. Anthony Arceneaux, Rayne; 337-783-4753.

## HORSES, MULES & JACKS

All horses, mules, and jacks must be from bona fide livestock farmers. We cannot accept notices from horse dealers, order buyers or persons selling on commission basis.

Every time you submit an advertisement one of the following must be provided. 1. All listings of horses, mules or jacks must be accompanied by a COPY of the original official negative Coggins test for Equine Infectious Anemia (E.I.A.) that was performed within the past 6 months prior to sale on all horses, mules, and jacks, except nursing foals. (OR) 2. A signed statement from the seller stating that he will furnish the buyer with a negative Coggins at the time of sale.

**TWHBEA, SSHBEA** reg. '06 foals, blk. & wh. or sorrel & wh., \$1000/1-up; TW blk. filly, 2 yrs., \$900. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

**AQHA 1 yr.** buckskin filly, Smart Little Lena, top & bottom, \$2500; 17 yr. red & wh. paint geld., great trail/kid's horse, \$1500. Joe Kimble, Ethel; 225-326-9112 or 225-683-5873.

**1997 AQHA** nice looking sorrel geld., very gentle & owned & ridden by 7 yr. girl, great for beginners, kids or older riders, used for trail riding, parades etc., \$2500. D. Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

**Leopard App.** stallion, leopard App. mare, blue mare w/solid blk. colt, all broke & gentle, \$2500/all. K. Emrick, Dry Prong; 318-641-9140.

**APHA paint** mare, 8 yrs., gentle for kids, \$1500/1; paint stud, 3 yrs., blue eyes, \$1200. S. Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

**2005 AQHA** sorrel filly, out of an own daughter of Handle Bar Doc, by own son of Peppy San Badger, \$2500. John Boudreaux, Abbeville; 337-893-6743.

**Young jenny**, 20 mos., \$150; (2) jennies w/jack colts, all running w/cattle, coyote protection, \$300 pr. Bruno Habetz, New Iberia; 337-229-8106.

**Chestnut AQHA** geld., '03 model Dry Doc, Mr. San Peppy, ridden 120 days, no buck, very fast on feet, \$1800. Charles McAlpin, Oak Grove; 318-428-9517.

**(2) QH, gentle** enough for anyone, (1) sorrel, 15 hands, \$1000; (1) reg. gray, 16 hands, \$1500. R. Romero, Abbeville; 337-898-5890.

**1991 Conclusive** Copy daughter HYPP/NN, halter pt. producer, bred to performance pt. earning stallion for '07 colt, heavy muscle, easy keeper, good babies, \$1200. R. Ortego, Ville Platte; 337-363-1409.

**8 yr. APHA** blk./wh. mare, 15.1 hands, cute as a button, Chickaluck Bars breeding, pro. trained WP, being ridden along NOLA levee, paid \$6000, selling for \$4500 obo.

Sara Collins, New Orleans; 504-452-3629.

**Reg. TWs 2 yr.** blue roan mare, great bloodlines & gait, \$2000; 2 yr. dark pal. geld., good build & gait, \$1600. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek; 337-328-7365.

**AQHA reg.** mare, 5 yrs., 15 hands, 1100 lbs., solid buckskin, blk. legs, mane & tail, gentle & broke, beautiful, super barrels & pole prospect, \$2500; kids ponies, clean, healthy, gentle, several to choose from, \$750/1-up; reg. blk. & wh. paint geld., 7 yrs., 14.3 hands, 1150 lbs., finished, rope horse either end, references furnished, \$6500. F. A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486 or 318-201-0323.

**(2) grandsons** of Playgun out of top-bred Center Ranch mares, turning gray, beautiful, gentle, ready to break, one son of '02 ACHA & NCHA world champ. cutting horse, out of Spanish Lee & Gay Bar King mare, your pick of the (3), \$2500; bay geld., w/3 socks, star, strip & snip, excel. conform., 14.2 hands, 1100 lbs., good ranch or trail horse, 10 yrs. in April, \$2500. F. A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486 or 318-201-0323.

**APHA reg.** horses, yrlgs., 2 yr. olds & older, great bloodlines, up-to-date & healthy, \$350/1-up. Gwen Smith, Sunset; 337-257-4686.

**Large Welsh** pony geld., very gentle, 53" tall, great timed event & trail, \$1500; reg. pal. geld., 6 yrs., winner in western pleasure, halter, showmanship & horsemanship, \$5000. Rebecca, McLindon, Bush; 985-892-2686.

**2005 sorrel** filly, dbl. bred Leo & Puddenhead, very nice, \$1000. Vernon Humphries, Zachary; 225-654-4962.

**APHA babies**, nice heads, big hips, colorful, \$650/1-up. K. Dupuis, St. Martinville; 337-394-6588.

**Reg. pb Arabian** stallions, mares, colts & fillies, Egyptian/Spanish bloodstock, Ibn Halima, Morafic, Kabull, Barich de Washoe bloodlines, \$1500/1-up. Donavan Stoute, Opelousas; 337-351-3815.

**Reg. roan** cow horse, out of Doc Holly Day, green broke, ridden about 20 times, very gentle, 6 yrs., \$1500 or will consider trade. John Cannon, Morganza; 225-718-7808.

**2001 AQHA** bay mare, athletic conform., champ. cow horse/reining/pleasure bloodlines, Doc Bar, Doc's Malbec & Poco Tivio, performer or broodmare, \$1500. J. Ricks, Florian; 318-586-3308.

**AQHA foundation** buttermilk buckskin mare, 20 yrs., 14.5 hands, 1200 lbs., gentle, babysitter to ride, great broodmare, easy keeper, \$1000. Jerry Peloquin, Lake Charles; 337-540-4556.

**15 yr. buckskin** Welsh mare, good broodmare, gentle to ride, 12 hands, \$1000; 16 yr. pal. geld., 13

hands, not for beginners, great handle, spins & roll backs, flashy & well built, has pasture roped, play-day events, will watch a cow, \$1600. J. Peloquin, Lake Charles; 337-540-4556.

**Heel horse**, 5 yr. AQHA bay mare, good looking ready to haul, quiet & steady, great bloodline, \$4200; (2) ponies, gray Shetland x Quarter, yrlg., 2 yrs., 11 hands, (1) grulla QH x Welsh, 3 yrs., 13 hands, started under saddle, great English or Western prospect, very nice, \$400-\$1600. Frances Peloquin, Lake Charles; 337-540-4556.

**Reg. TW** sorrel mare, 6 yrs., 14.2 hands, smooth gait, gentle, \$1500 firm. Carlton Luquette, St. Amant; 225-675-8376.

**(1) 8 mo. miniature** Shetland & (1) 8 mo. baby jack, (1) 2 mo. baby jack for sale, all are very gentle & ready to break, \$75/1-up. C. Boone, Youngsville; carlos\_boone@bellsouth.net or 337-250-1901.

**Reg. TW** pal. stallion, 17 hands, 7 yrs., \$4000. Bobby Crumpler, DeRidder; 337-328-8231.

**(1) reg. American** Morgan horse geld., 12 yrs., 15 hands, very gentle, anyone can ride, 4-wh. socks, good kid's horse, \$800; (1) beautiful strawberry roan saddle horse geld., very gentle, anyone can ride, 4 wh. socks, up-to-date on vacc., \$850. Kline Daigrepoint, Lacombe; 985-707-3608 or 985-882-7278.

**14 yr. grullo** geld., 1350 lbs., 16.1 hands, gentle giant, great ranch horse, also used as head horse, good handle, great for kids, \$2250. Randy Toepfer, Eunice; 337-457-2980.

**(2) reg. yrlg.** stud colts, halter broke, easy loaders, (1) sorrel, (1) bay tobiano, \$550. R. Toepfer, Eunice; 337-457-2980.

**Two-Eyed** Jack & Peppy San Badger on papers, 2 yr. geld., imprinted, saddle but not trained, very gentle, leads & loads, \$1250 obo. Michael Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Paint horse**, great w/kids, easy to catch, good trail horse, \$600. Russell Peace, Negreet; 318-256-6923 or 318-315-0615.

**10 yr. reg. TW** broodmare, light sorrel, 14.5 hands, ridden by 3 yr. old, smooth, good mama, gentle, \$1200. M. Verzwylt, Glenmora; 318-748-4053.

**Reg. TW**, 4 yr. chestnut filly, \$1200; reg. TW 1 yr. blk. stud colt, \$500; dbl. reg. TW & SHBEA, 2 yr. stud blk. & wh., \$1000. Tim Brasseaux, Lecompte; 318-776-5662.

**AQHA sorrel** stud colt, JB Cody bred, very gentle, loads & hauls, \$650; AQHA 2 yr. gray geld., Doc Prescription bred, 15 hands, \$1500. Shane Carter, Plaucheville; 318-939-2275.

**AQHA mare**, bay 3 yrs., Uno Comida Chex x Flossy Whisper, 15.3 hands, excel. disp. & cond., 100% sound, saddled many times,

but not ridden due to owner's age, \$1400. John Mailhes, Keithville; 318-925-0898.

**3 yr. QH** sorrel geld., cutting & working bred, blaze, face w/2 rear stockings, 60 days riding, handles well, \$1250. Larry Duhon, Kaplan; 337-652-6200.

**Pole bending** horse, 14 yrs., sound consistantly place in high school rodeos, alt. to national high school rodeo finals in 2004, \$5000 firm. Nancy Cooper, Longville; 337-725-3443.

**Sullivan Stables LLC** largest MFT breeder in La., now offering a vast array of reg. MFT weans., yrlgs., 2 & 3 yr., broke, unbroken & trail horses, \$500-\$3500/1. Donnie or Tracy Thrash, Winnsboro; <http://home.earthlink.net/~dixland/>, dixland@earthlink.net, 318-435-5185 or 318-237-8356.

**Sullivan Stables LLC**, 6 time world champ. MFT trainer on site, now accepting horses, breeding, lessons, sales & training. Donnie or Tracy Thrash, Winnsboro; <http://home.earthlink.net/~dixland/>, dixland@earthlink.net, 318-435-5185 or 318-237-8356.

**Wanted:** jenny donkey. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3680.



**App. stallion** w/great blanket, in my pasture, \$100. Ollie Deville, Ville Platte; 337-363-9191.

**AQHA Honor & Cash**, 15.2 hands, chestnut, Dash For Cash, Easy Jet, Texas Dancer, Hijo the Bull, Boston Mac, Leo, \$400/\$5. B. Humphries, Monroe; 318-343-0823.

**AQHA/IBHA** buckskin, 14.3 hands, Smart Little Lena & King Copy bloodlines, very gentle, \$300/\$4 mare care. J. Kimble, Ethel; 225-683-5873 or 225-326-9112.

**1995 AQHA** gray Doc's Sug & Doc Bar on top, Julio Rojo & El Rey Rojo on bottom, \$400/\$5 mare care. D. Martinez, Opelousas; 337-942-2922.

**1990 AQHA** buckskin, grandson of Doc Remedy, \$400/\$6 mare care. R. Brasseaux, Opelousas; 337-351-9383.

**Triple reg.** pal. stallion, Ima Anniversary Dude, AQHA, PBHA, FBHA, DNA typed, 15.3 hands, 1100 lbs., caramel color w/flaxen mane, Caans Valentine by Dry Doc, 4<sup>th</sup> generation dilute gene, great conform. & disp., \$400/\$10 mare care. Rhonda Crocker, Independence; [www.flyingcranch.bravehost.com](http://www.flyingcranch.bravehost.com), 985-878-3717 or 985-969-0123.

**Halter bred** stallion, Be Impressed Lafaver, AQHA, DNA typed, N/N, big halter body, 15.3 hands, 1150 lbs., beautiful head, awesome conform., sire is multi champ. halter & high point earner, La. Faver Impressev by Bea Sensation, limited time \$200/\$10 mare care. Rhonda Crocker, Independence; [\[ingcranch.bravehost.com\]\(http://ingcranch.bravehost.com\), 985-878-3717 or 985-969-0123.](http://www.fly-</a></p>
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**Gentlemen** Gin, gray, own son of Tanquary Gin, 127.5 AQHA point in working cowhorse, heading & heeling, NRCHA money earner, \$700, discount for early booking. Brant Green, DeRidder; 337-328-8636.

**Devilish Dual** Pep, own son of Dual Pep, dam is own daughter of Doc's Hickory w/\$15,378 NCHA earnings, \$700, discount for early booking. B. Green, DeRidder; 337-328-8636.

**1995 AQHA** gray, Doc's Sug & Doc Bar on top, Julio Rojo & El Rey Rojo bottom, \$400/\$5 mare care. D. Martinez, Opelousas; 337-942-2922.

**Reg. TW stallion**, uniquely marked blk. & wh. tobiano, by Handshaker's Blizzard & Choo Choo's Velvet, WGC bloodlines, natural gate, \$300/\$5 mare care. Clyde Savage, Plaucheville; 318-939-2170.

**Reg. TW stallion**, bright chestnut & wh. tobiano, natural gate, by Sparks of Battle Ready & Conrad's Angel Fire, WGC bloodlines, great disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. C. Savage, Plaucheville; 318-939-2170.

**Straight Egyptian** Norus son, siring beautiful foals w/athleticism, looks, size, straight Egyptian, Nasralla Sharaf, gorgeous dark gray w/substance & motion, \$1000/\$7 mare care. Jeff Dupre, Washington; 337-585-2642.

**TWHBEA, SSHBEA** reg., 16 hand blk. & wh. tobiano stallion, \$250/\$5 mare care. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

**ASPC reg.** Shetland stallion, bay pinto w/beautiful markings, show quality, small enough to cross on miniatures, \$300. Debra Porche, Lake Charles; 337-474-7802 or 337-304-7208.

**Cremello AQHA**, 15.2 hands, CC Dash of Lightning, world champ pedigree, Call me Dash, Go Man Go, Zann Parr Bar, Skipper's Lad, La. race accredited stud, world champ halter, produces palominos & buckskins w/red & bay mares, \$500/\$7 mare care. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; [www.sunkissedfarm.com](http://www.sunkissedfarm.com), 337-753-2590 or 337-370-3479.

**APHA chestnut/wh.** tobiano stud, 14.2 hands, 1200 lbs., 100% color producer on QH mares, \$300. Keith Dupuis, St. Martinville; 337-394-6588.

**Sullivan stables**, reg. MFT stallions, Sully's La. Sunrise, reg. #0275049, pal., also Sully's Jackson Pride, reg.# 0380293, buckskin in color, \$300/\$5 mare care. D. Thrash, Winnsboro; <http://home.earthlink.net/~dixland/>, 318-435-5185 or 318-237-8356.



**(2) Saanan/Lamancha** buck kids, very friendly, \$50/1. D. Guillory, Dry Creek, DeRidder; 337-328-2227 or 337-375-4534.

**Reg. Boer** percentage doe yrlgs., (1) reg. fb buck, all are tame & disbudded, \$250/1-up. R. Richard, Carencro; 337-896-6264.

**Top of the line** fb Boer billy, 350 lbs., Rambo genetics, excellent conformation, show quality herd builder, kids to see, 3 yrs., \$500/1. Anthony Mumphrey, Eunice; 337-550-0826.

**Several fb** Boer billies, all w/papers, excel. Rambo genetics, show quality, sire & dam on premises, on feed & eating well. A. Mumphrey, Eunice; 337-550-0826.

**Reg. pygmy**, reg. Nigerian & non reg. pygerian kids, all colors, does & bucks, disbudded, shots & wormed, great for 4-H showing & pets, very small goats, \$85/1-up. Mary Beth Anderson, New Roads, [www.geocities.com/cajunlandpygmygoats/](http://www.geocities.com/cajunlandpygmygoats/), 225-618-0908 or 225-718-5756.

**Champ. bloodline** fb Boer goats, buck, born 4/06, \$400; fb doe, born 3/05 w/(2) doe kids, born 4/07, \$600. K. Stewart, Bush; 985-893-5201.

**Goats for sale**, \$50/1. Ollie Deville, Ville Platte; 337-363-9191.

**(3) Louisiana** natives, female, approx. 1 yr., \$100/1 or \$275/3. Randall Romero, Abbeville; 337-898-5890 or 337-278-8630.

**Katahdin sheep**, all young, blk. mix, (1) pr., \$60/1 or \$100/both; (2) pb Katahdin, \$75/1 or 125/both; (1) wh. Katahdin mixed sheep, \$85. E. Lavergne, Ragley; 337-725-3897.

**Jan. '07 Boer** goat kids, fb bucks, great grandsons of Tarzan T66, \$450/1-up; 75% females, EGGS bloodline, \$175/1-up. A. Hernandez, Erwinville; 225-627-6498 or [www.freewebs.com/southlady2](http://www.freewebs.com/southlady2).

**Beautiful Nigerian** dwarf dairy goat, buckling, born 3/9/07, \$75. Karla Boquet, Houma; 985-868-8803 or 985-804-8803.

**Taking orders** for Christmas kids, reserve yours now, pb Nigerian dwarf dairy goats. K. Boquet, Houma; 985-868-8803 or 985-804-8803.

**Boer goats**, percentage does, 3-4 mos., \$80/1-up; 100% bucks, 4-5 mos., EGGS Treme bloodline, \$200/1-up. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw; 985-542-0252.

**Boer billy**, born 1/27/06, color correct, medium build, gentle, kids to show, \$150. Roger Ballard, Columbia; 318-649-5100.

**Katahdins**, all pb, reg. & genotyped, overstocked, RR ram, \$500; QR females, \$150/1; youngsters, \$100/1. Roland Lormand, Lafayette; 337-234-3654.

**Galv. wire** filled panels, 4'x10', \$62/1; 4'x5', \$39/1; gates, 10', \$70/1; 12', \$80/1; 16', \$96/1; rd. bale feeder, \$170/1. Michael Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Reg. Boer** percentage doe yrlgs., (1) reg. fb buck, all are tame & disbudded, \$250/1-up. R. Richard, Carencro; 337-896-6264.

**Nubian or Alpine** goats, varying ages, \$150/1-up. Mary McMahan, Hammond; 225-567-7048.

**Herd reduction**, various goats, \$40/1-up. Candy Foster, Bush; 985-892-3881.



**Border collie** pups, pb w/out papers, born 3/25/07, males, \$100; females, \$75. Karen Saizan, Husser; 337-585-2269.

**Reg. blk.** mouth cur pups, born 3/8/07, great for working dogs & pets, \$150/1. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond; 985-345-1498.

**AKC reg.** miniature pinscher pups, born 3/2/07, red, \$250. M. Guillory, Ville Platte; 337-363-7705 or 337-789-6477.

**Australian shepherd** pups, quality bloodlines, \$350/1-up. Smokey Lockhart, Zachary; 225-654-8282 or 225-907-4724.

**Reg. border collie** pups, out of world champ. bloodline, '98 GCSA open dog of year, '00 world champ. cattle dog, great, intelligent companions, \$250/1. Adam Dupuy, Marksville; 318-253-9517 or 318-359-2972.

**At stud, AKC German shepherd**, Von Kurz German bloodline, beautiful stride & 100% sound, never stops, must see, offspring to show, natural herders stud fee, \$200. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; 337-370-3479 or 337-277-8690.

**Reg. NALC** Catahoula pups, gray, blue & solid leopards, \$200/1-up. A. Baham, Jackson; abaham@aol.com or 225-634-7831.

**Rat terrier**, pb, 2 mo. pups, 22 mo. male breeder, blk./wh., \$150/1. Russell Rabalais, Waggaman; 504-431-7312.

**AKC boxer** pups, fawn or brindle, \$400/1. Denise, Marrero; 504-722-4448.

**Welsh corgi** pups, born 1/27/07, AKC, males & females, tri-colored, \$275/1; adult females, never bred, 2 yrs., AKC, tri colored, \$250/1, \$225/2. Mark Lumetta, Amite; 985-748-6257.

**Border collie** pups, from working parents, champ. bloodlines, \$250/1. Fred Alsup, Clinton; 225-683-8562.

**Great Pyrenees** pups, born in goat barn, ready to work, born 2/1/07, 1<sup>st</sup> shots, \$125/1, another litter born 4/16/07. Carol Hatwig, Elmer; 318-659-4228 or 318-623-5343.

**CKC tiny** Chihuahua pup, female, rust color, ready May 11, \$500; CKC 4 lb. male Chihuahua, 7 mos., very sweet, \$300. Margie Kibodeaux, Crowley; 337-788-3818.

**(3) ABCA** reg. border collies, (1) male, blk./wh./tan, started on sheep, \$500; (1) female, red/wh./tan, started on sheep, \$500; (1) male, red/wh., \$250. R. Romero, Abbeville; 337-898-5890 or 337-278-8630.

**Rat terrier**/Jack Russell cross, 8 wks., \$40. Mark McMillan, Carencro; 337-668-4339.

**Peek-a-poo** males \$350; females, \$400, cash, will take deposits. J. McBride, Maurice; 337-334-8780.

**Reg. border** collie pups, out of parents imported from Wales & Scotland, excel. stock dogs, pets & companions, will demonstrate parents at work, reg. papers & first vac., \$300/1. Rodney Cotton, Pineville; 318-640-2042.

**Reg. rat** terrier pups, small, blk./wh., males & females, \$125. Tedd, Baton Rouge; 225-356-7740.

**AKC Siberian** husky pups, blk./wh., blue eyes, gray/wh., blue eyes, born 4/13/07, \$350. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette; 337-276-6164 or 337-578-4048.

**Akbash 2 1/2** yr. male, excel. w/goats & poultry, had to sell goats, now selling dog, \$250/1; pb basset hound female, 1 yr., \$225. Rickey Pender, Colfax; 318-627-3086.

**AKC English** mastiff pups, vacc. & wormed, around other animals & children, both parents on premises, \$900. Kris Emrick, Dry Prong; 318-641-9140.

**Free to good** home, 1/2 great Pyrenees pups, born 1/15/07, born & raised w/goats. Tommy Benoit, Crowley; 337-230-3642.

**Blue heeler** pups, 3 wks., tails docked, parents on premises, (4) females, (3) males, \$200/1. Jill Hutcheson, Ponchatoula; 985-969-9313.

**Jack Russell** terrier, blk./wh., neutered, 1 1/2 yrs., JRTCA bloodline, guaranteed to keep your fence yard free of vermin, \$200. Karen Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248. **NSDR miniature** Australian shepherd pups, all colors, great companions, merles, \$350; tris, \$300. Chris Berthelot, Oak Grove; 318-428-8548 or 318-647-5781.

## SWINE

**Hampshire York** cross, blue butts, tested 125830, \$50/1-up. Paul Tassin, Walker; 225-686-7792 after 6 p.m.

**Feeder/weaning** pigs, corn fed, on concrete, weanlings, \$50/1; slaughtered & dressed, \$1/lb. J.B. Richard, Scott; 337-269-1755.

## DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**Doves, ringnecks**, \$10/pr.; wh., \$20/pr., will trade doves for young racing pigeons or what you have. Robert Legendre, Gonzales; 225-644-5923.

**Bird cages**, assorted sizes, \$25/1-up. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

**Pr. bonded** dbl. yellow-head Amazon, pr. proven Patagonians,

single Patagonian, single female blue crown, \$150-\$1000. Chuck Carrick, Plaquemine; 225-545-8302.

**Hf cockatiels**, \$35/1-up; parakeets, \$10/1; lovebirds, \$25/1; button quail, \$5/1. J.L. Duplechin, Gonzales; 225-644-5407.

**Very nice** used parrot cage w/playpen top, only one left, \$275. S. Miller, Breaux Bridge; 337-332-4097.

**Breeder cockatiels**, all colors, \$35/1-up; lovebirds, \$25/1; parakeets, \$10/1-up; goffin cockatoos, \$900/pr. Clara Broussard, Abbeville; 337-893-6745.

**Peach-face** lovebirds, under 1 yr., not HT, \$20/1. V. Price, Dry Prong, 318-899-7400 or 318-447-7132.

**Indian ringneck** parakeets, '05/'06 hatch, violet, violet-green/blue, misty blue, misty turquoise, also breeders, \$175/1-\$1800/pr. Kent Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248.

**Ringneck dove**, normals & wh., \$7.5-\$10/1; proven mated prs., \$20-\$30/pr. Thomas Rowell, Crowley; 337-783-5729.

**Doves**, all young birds, wh., \$7.5/1; ringneck & pied, \$5.5/1. Jim Bearb, Carencro; 337-896-3475 or 337-298-0479.

**Wanted:** instrument to make rd. concave depression in the bottom of parakeet nest boxes to keep eggs together. Charles Bordelon, Pineville; 318-640-5019.

**Wanted:** orange-winged or blue-front Amazon male, breeding age, will have great home. Crystal Hallum, Houma; 985-872-3484.

**Wanted:** will take your unwanted birds and give them a good home, plenty of food & good environment. Charles Rachal, Moreauville; 318-985-2391.

## POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

**Mallard ducks**, eggs, babies & adults, eggs, \$7/doz.; babies, \$1.5/1-up; adults, \$12/1. Jennifer Young, Zachary; www.y-farms.com 225-654-0039.

**Miniature bantam** chicks, all colors, \$2/1; fertile flying mallard eggs, \$6/doz.; fertile miniature bantam chick eggs, \$3/doz. Nell Ardoin, Ville Platte; 337-363-7176 or 337-360-2896.

**Mallard drakes**, \$8/1; baby bantam chicks, \$2/1-up; Pharaoh quail, week old to grown, 40¢-\$2/1. H. Ardoin, Ville Platte; 337-363-7176 or 337-360-2896.

**Call ducks**, grown snowy and grays, \$20/1. James, DeRidder; 337-463-5885.

**Flying mallard** ducks, \$2.5/1; baby chicks, 75¢/1. Ervin Crawford, Hammond; 225-294-3767.

**Jumbo Wisconsin** & Georgia giant bobwhite quail, sell any size, \$1/1-up. Gregg Thurman, Monroe;

318-801-5968.

**Jumbo Pharaoh**, Georgia giant bobwhites, all sizes of birds & eggs, Pharaoh, \$2/1; Georgia giant bobwhites, \$5/1; Pharaoh eggs, \$20/100. Shirley Franks, Lena; 318-793-8018.

**Silkie/jungle** fowl roosters, \$8/1; jumbo size domestic Muscovy, \$20/1; reg. size, domestic Muscovy, \$10/1. Kent Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248.

**Buff orpington** chickens, 1 day, 75¢/1; 6 wks., \$2/1; bantams, 4 mos., \$4/1; Peking ducks, 1 mo., \$2.5/1; 4 mos., \$6.5/1; pickled quail eggs, \$5/pint. Albert Welch, Glenmora; 318-748-6179.

**Jumbo Pharaoh** & golden Manchurian quails, 1 day, 35¢/1; adults, \$2/1; fertile eggs, \$15/100; pickling eggs, \$10/100. Patti Arnold, Cecilia; 337-667-6632.

**Pharaoh quail**, up to a week old, 35¢/1-up; grown, cleaned & dressed birds, \$20/doz.; eggs, \$8/100. Jim or Josh Douglas, Pitkin; 318-634-5670 or 318-452-0635.

**Laying hens**, \$8/1; (2) female turkeys, \$25/1; (1) male turkey, \$25. Timmy Ferris, Opelousas; 337-258-4360 or 337-543-6118.

**Laying hens**, production red & sex links, approx. 18-24 mos., laying now, \$7/1. Alvin Manuel, Anacoco; 337-392-8665.

**Ringneck pheasant** chicks, \$1.75/1; Melanistic & Alaskan snow pheasant chicks, \$2.25/1; red golden, yellow golden, lady Amherst & Reeves chicks, \$5/1; day old India blue peafowl chicks, \$25/1, all listed hatching eggs avail., call for details. D. Arabia, Duson; 337-849-3718.

**Flying mallard** ducklings, \$3/1; roen ducklings, \$3/1; turkey poults, \$5/1. R. Guillory, Dry Creek, DeRidder; 337-328-2227 or 337-375-4534.

**Baby chicks**, pb barred rocks, buff orpingtons, Cornish, \$1/1-up; Muscovy ducks & ducklings, \$3/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; 337-334-8780.

**Wanted:** laying hens or roosters, Muscovy ducks, Peking ducks, guineas & flying mallards, reasonably priced. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; 337-334-8780.

**Wanted:** (6) full grown pinioned Canadian geese. James Briggs, Bush; 985-893-0606.

**Wanted:** Tennessee red quails. H. Ardoin, Ville Platte; 337-363-7176 or 337-360-2896.

**Wanted:** Khaki Campbell drake. R. Guillory, Dry Creek, DeRidder; 337-328-2227 or 337-375-4534.

## PIGEONS

**Wh. king** prs. & singles, \$20/pr. Aaron Poirrier, Roseland; 985-748-3009 after 6 p.m.

**Wanted:** common pigeons, homing pigeons or Creole pigeons, reasonably priced & will buy large amount. Luke Begnaud, Arnaudville; 337-754-5640.

## RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**Rabbit cages**, 4'x3' & 3'x3', PVC, wood & wire, (1) buck, (3) does, (1) large bunny cage, can hold 35+ bunnies, \$20/1; feed & water bowls, 25¢/1, cash only. Bruce Batiste, Slidell; 985-960-6084.

**New Zealand** & giant chinchilla crosses, fryers & breeding stock, \$5/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; 337-334-8780.

**1 mo. rabbits**, miniature & meat, male, \$8; female, \$10. Abigail Foster, Bush; 985-892-3881.

**Wanted:** rabbits, 7-10 lbs. & up, Califs. & New Zealands, top dollar paint on good #1 roasters. Wade Rodi, Braithwaite; 504-432-2170.

## AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Pond stocking**, channel catfish, 25¢/1; blue catfish, 30¢/1; coppernose bluegill, 25¢/1; regular bluegill, 25¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 25¢/1; chinquapin, 30¢/1; blk. crappie, 30¢/1; bass, 55¢/1, del. to pond avail. David Lowe, Minden; 318-377-1525.

**Pond stocking**, large-mouth bass, coppernose, bluegill, chinquapin, blk. crappie, fathead minnows, hybrid bream, triploid grass carp, hybrid striped bass, channel catfish, quantity discounts. Frank Book, Shreveport; 318-929-4251.

**Pond stocking**, catfish, bluegill, hybrid bream, largemouth bass, blk. crappie, discount prices, free del. Mark Parker, Simpson; 800-362-3390.

**35' & 40' shrimp** trolls, \$475/1. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

**Seed dryer**, excel. cond., 20' tall, 16' to 18' around, \$5000 obo. David Hunt, Zachary; 225-654-6329 or 225-301-0240.

**115 PVC** crawfish traps, 4' pillow type, \$3.5/1. Dirk Dupuy, Echo; 318-452-0044.

## DEER & EXOTICS

**Whitetail does**, you tranquilize & load, \$200/1. Richard Reeves, Kinder; 337-639-2602.

## FARM SERVICES

**Hauling service**, \$2.5/mile one way; dozer service, \$65/hr.; trac. service, \$45/hr. L.M. Ward, Castor; 318-576-9958.

**Qualified equine** appraiser #03779, lifetime member of the American Society of Equine Appraisers, reasonable rates, resume available upon request. Sarina Lirette, Bourg; twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com or 985-665-0464.

**Horse boarding**, stalls for rent & pasture, full or partial board, lots of riding area, rd. pen, trailer storage, in West Baton Rouge area. D. Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

**Horse boarding**, full or partial, pasture, big tack room, rd. pen, horse walker & over 300 acres of woods & pasture to ride. Al White, St. Gabriel; 225-642-5353 or 225-642-8295.

**Custom harvesting**, (1) JD 9610, (1) IH 2388 combines, all Louisiana areas, reasonable rates, all support equip. & trucks included, booking wheat now. Bass Farms, Jonesville; 318-339-6734 or 318-758-6369.

**Custom cut** wheat, 2388, Case IM machine, no field loss, Avoyelles area. Ronnie Prather, Marksville; 318-305-1265 or 318-253-4981.

**Dirt work** services, dozer, track hoe, house pads, driveways, garden & flowerbed mix, mulch, dirt, sand, gravel, limestone & lot grading. Sam Adams, Denham Springs; 225-664-4688 or 225-921-1346.

**Custom hay** baling, 5' rd. bales, in Opelousas, Cankton, Sunset & Church Point area, competitive rates, also on bush hogging, by the hr., by the job. Nolton Menard, Opelousas; 337-351-1396.

**Deer clubs** & farmers, nuisance wild hog management. C.L. Stephenson, Washington; 337-826-0628 or 337-278-8849.

**Bush hogging**, discing, front-end loader, box blading, spreading seed etc., Washington, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa & surrounding parishes, \$35/hr., 4 hr. minimum. Brian Long Sr., Kentwood; 985-229-7915 or 985-515-2093.

**Booking sq.** & rd. custom hay baling jobs within 100 miles of Baton Rouge. Chad Lasseigne, Port Allen; chadlasseigne@hotmail.com or 225-413-9138.

**Cocklebur Ranch**, 85 acre cattle & horse ranch, barrel racing practice area, trail riding, 15 minutes from Hammond, \$65 pasture board, stalls coming soon, \$100-\$150. Dawn Rogers, Loranger; 985-974-7994.

**Horse training**, have your horse or colt started the right way w/no bad habits, \$400/mo. Angie Hazelton, Dry Prong; 318-899-1932.

**Four Winds** custom saddles & tack, repair saddles, all saddles done w/US leather, all work guaranteed. Paul Miller, Glenmora; 318-634-7463.

**Commercial baling**, rd. or square bales, new equip., willing to travel some distance. D. Spears, St. Landry; 318-729-4069.

**RURAL PROPERTIES**

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

**Poultry farm,** (2) tunnel houses on 19+ acres, 3 sources of water, 40'x80' litter barn, 1700 sq. ft. brick house, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, \$275,000. M. Goings, Robeline; 318-472-5682.

**Wanted:** acreage/farm/home to rent/lease-purchase in Felicianas or EBR Parish, young, responsible Christian family w/plenty references. J. Tucker, Pride; 225-654-3616.

**Wanted:** growing family needs more land to feed them +/- 10 acres, w/or w/o home in St. Landry, Lafayette or Acadia parishes. Randy Deville, Opelousas; 337-543-6489.

**SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS**

**May Pop passion flower,** \$2/10; cushaw green stripe, \$2/30 seed; birdhouse & dipper gourd, \$2/12 w/SASE. James Robin Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, LA 70570; 337-407-0188.

**Daylilies,** \$5/1-up; tall bearded & Louisiana iris, \$3/1-up, some annuals & perennials as gift plants w/purchases. Dean Stafford, Marksville; 318-253-8384.

**Pine straw,** machine baled, clean, del. avail., \$4/1. Ronald Gremillion, Zachary; 225-933-7753.

**Loofah sponge seeds,** 50-seed pkt., \$2 w/SASE. Mike Beardmore, 183 John Ave., Port Barre, LA 70577; 337-585-2421.

**Daylilies,** bare root, averages 2-5 fans per clump, hybrids, \$3/1 fan; seedlings, \$2/1 fan. Barbara Hoffpauir, Rayne; 337-334-5706.

**TREES & FRUITING VINES**

**Live oaks** in containers, ready to plant, 1500 to choose from, \$15-\$30, depending on size & quantity purchased. Roy Marcantel, Kinder; 337-390-9034.

**All kinds** of plants & trees, (10) varieties of oaks, cypress, cedar, fruit trees, citrus trees, azaleas, crape myrtles, magnolias, crabapple, mayhaws, (30) varieties of old-time roses, lilies, over 6,000, all in pots, \$2-\$25/1 send SASE for list. L. Cook, 56463 Hwy 445, Husser, LA

70442; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

**Southern magnolia,** 6', \$21; wind mill palms, by size, \$5-\$10; jelly palms, by size, \$5-\$10; live oaks, 3-gal., \$4; red buckeye, 3 qt., \$5; ginger lilies, 3-gal., \$8. James Stelly, Eunice; 337-457-4528.

**Dogwood,** disease resistant in containers, Appalachian spring Cherokee princess, brave & sunset; dbl. eternal & pleana, Venus & kousa heartthrob, \$15-\$40. Heather Soileau, Washington; 337-826-5921.

**Redbud, blooming size** containers, common forest pansy, hearts of gold, royal wh., Appalachian red, dbl. flame ace of hearts & little wood, \$10-\$35. Mike Soileau, Washington; 337-826-5921.

**Mayhaw trees,** large fruited varieties, also grafted ever bearing mulberry, jelly palms, burr oak, Chinese parasol, sago palm, ginko tree, \$10-\$45/1. Kent Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248.

**Saw-tooth acorn trees,** 5-gal. containers, \$10/1; thornless blackberries, 2-gal. containers, \$6/1. R. Satterley, Melville; 337-566-3708.

**Oleanders,** 5' tall, \$8/1; crape myrtles, 8' tall, \$8.5/1. Richard Satterley, Melville; 337-566-3708.

**32'x96' greenhouse,** w/8' sidewall w/truss & roll-up sides, \$2500; 20'x80' hoop greenhouse, \$1000; 28'x96' hoop greenhouse w/truss & shade cloth, \$1500. Kurt Ducote, Lakeland; 225-229-7113.

**(3) 30'x96' greenhouses** w/4' sidewalls w/truss frame, \$2000/1; gutter connected greenhouses, 42'x96' w/8' sidewalls that rollup w/truss frame disassembled, \$3000. K. Ducote, Lakeland; 225-229-7113.

**Louisiana live oaks,** good stock, single leader, 1-gal., 2'-3', \$2/1. A.M. Gray III, Patterson; 985-395-5193 or 985-518-4711.

**Fig trees,** 2 yrs., 2-gal., \$10/1, 20 varieties, SASE for list, will ship second day delivery. Betty Robin, 4017 Hwy 357, Opelousas, LA 70570; 337-407-0188.

**Muscadine vines,** Carlos bronze & noble blk., self-fertile, 2-gal., \$7.5/1; satsuma, kumquat, \$15/1; leconte pear, \$12/1; persimmon (Jiro & Hachya), \$15-\$18/1. James A. Robin, 4017 Hwy 357, Opelousas, LA 70570; 337-407-0188.

**Rootstock,** trifoliata for growing citrus in 6 pack, \$150/1; sassafras, 2 gal., \$6-\$20/1; Japanese plum, 2-gal., \$6/1, at place. J. Robin, 4017 Hwy 357, Opelousas, LA 70570; 337-407-0188.

**FERTILIZER**

**Redworms,** bait or compost, \$10/lb. picked up; \$20/lb. shipped. Marie Stewart, Sarepta; 318-994-2474 or 318-847-4481.

**Old horse manure,** shavings, top soil, sand mix, good for flow beds or gardens, \$14/yard. Lee Cook, Husser; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

**Wanted:** manure for pasture renovation project, needs to be in St. Tammany Parish, along north/south corridor Hwy 190 to 21 from Mandeville to Covington or Hwy. 59 to Abita. Doug Hill, Mandeville; 985-264-7927.

**HAY & GRAIN**

**2007 ryegrass,** 4x5 rd. bales, \$40/1. C. Waskom, Franklinton; 985-839-6369.

**2007 hay season** taking orders now for 4'x5' rd. bale, type of hay is Alicia/coastal/Bahia/Tifton44/John songrass/ryegrass & clover, \$18-\$72/1. L.M. Ward, Castor; 318-576-9955 or 318-576-9958.

**Rd. bales** of '07 rye grass hay, 4x5 bales, del. avail. Chad Lasseigne, Port Allen; chadlasseigne@hotmail.com or 225-413-9138.

**2007 Bahia,** taking orders for May 19th bale date, fertilized w/17-14-19, \$3.5/1 behind baler, pickers avail. if needed. Chris Tassin, Marksville; 318-253-8878 or 318-240-0013.

**Rd. sq. bales,** clover, Bermuda & rye grass, rd. bales, \$25/1; sq. bales, in field, \$3.5/1. D. Spears, St. Landry; 318-729-4069.

**Wanted:** Alicia, Tifton or Jiggs Bermuda sprigs to plant, will pick up by truck load or bales. Chad Lasseigne, Port Allen; chadlasseigne@hotmail.com or 225-413-9138.

**TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT**

**7700 JD combine,** good cond., new tires, many new parts, very sound machine, \$5000; Amco 3 pt. spin ditcher, excel. cond., used on '07 rice crop, \$1100; Brillion 16' cultipacker, completely reworked, all new bearings on rollers & wheels, \$3800; John Blue spray rig alum. tank, very good cond., used to spray hay fields, \$2000. Shane Trahan, Lake Arthur; 337-587-2223.

**NH 847 baler,** for parts, \$750; IH 140 trac. w/some tools, \$2500. Robert Ortego, Washington; 337-826-5245 between 6 & 8 p.m.

**JD 4020,** good cond., \$6500; 1000-gal. water trailer w/pump, \$400; 6-row cult. w/fenders, \$200; duals for 1586 IH, \$250; duals for 1256 IH, \$100; 8-row red ball hooded sprayer w/500-gal. tank & hyd. pump, \$2500. Roy Boone, Lecompte; 318-776-5227.

**706 Int. trac.,** 90 hp, \$3800; trac. weights, \$300; 8' blade, \$250; small garden 4' disc plow & 4' harrow, \$500. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

**900 bean,** corn, cotton Int. planter, excel. cond., \$1500; Vermeer 5x6 "J"

rd. baler, excel. cond., \$7500. Shane, New Iberia; 337-373-0815 or 337-367-9626.

**1-row riding** sweet potato digger, very good cond., \$3000 nego. Daniel LaBorde, Mansura; 318-964-2902.

**14' IH chisel** plow, \$1000; 22.5' 820 header, \$500; combine tracks, for 1460, \$1000; combine trailer, \$800; 8-row Forest City hipers w/Orthman markers, \$1600; 8-row W/A hipers, folding bar, \$600; 4-row sweet potato planter, \$800; 21' 480 disc, \$800. Robert Laborde, Mansura; 318-253-8721.

**560 IH diesel** trac. w/hyd. tree shaker mounted on front; 6-row Taylorway cult, 3 pt. hitch, \$250; 6-row Glenco cult. w/GA wheels, good, \$250. A.J. Bradley, Transylvania; 318-552-6265.

**Ford 3000,** p/s, \$5500; Ford 3000, loader, \$6900; Ford 3600, \$5000; Case 380 loader, \$6900; Kubota B-8200, \$3900; grooming mower, 6', \$700; MF 135, \$4500. Joe Major, Church Point; 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.

**8-row Barrentine** roller on wheels, in good cond., \$750; 6-row Lilliston cult., \$475. Michael Bradley, Transylvania; 318-552-7718.

**JD 535 rd. baler,** 5x6 bales or smaller, computer control monitor, shedded & in excel. cond., \$10,000. Carroll Trahan, Lafayette; 337-984-6267.

**(2) Ford 552 rd. hay balers,** Ford mower conditioner, JD mower conditioner, (2) disc hay cutters, (2) side delivery rakes, needs some TLC, \$2000/all. Percell Green, Rayville; 318-728-6966.

**JD 4640 trac.,** 165 hp, c/h/a, quad range, new inside duals, 10" spacers, (2) 150-gal. mounted tanks w/hyd. chemical pump, clean, well kept trac., good metal & paint, JD 230 hyd. fold, 6-row disc, good blades & bearings, \$20,000. P. Green, Rayville; 318-728-6966.

**Cub trac. w/plow tools,** \$1000; 5' sickle blade for Cub trac., \$500; 5' 3 pt. disc, \$475; Cub belly mowers, \$275/1-up, extra Cub parts & plow tools avail. J. Cooper, Jena; 318-992-2206.

**Cub trac. w/back & front cult. arms,** \$2000; 8N, \$1500; planter & fert. dist. arms. Skeet Cooper, Jena; 318-992-2206.

**Ditch Witch 4010,** diesel, front backhoe & 6-way blade, rear 6' trencher chain, \$10,000. T. Richard, Scott; 337-235-0764.

**Ford 2600 diesel,** 5' bush hog & 5' grooming mower, good cond., \$6000. Tom Richard, Scott; 337-235-0764.

**6-row equip.,** JD cult. w/spray fenders, \$250; Glenco cult. w/spray fenders, \$250; Lilliston rolling cult., \$500; (2) crop makers w/spray tips, 20" sweeps, \$150/1; (2) lay-by spray rigs, \$100/1; JD 1010 field. cult., hyd. fold, \$1000, will trade for 8' disc or heavy 6' grader blade. Judy Green, Rayville; 318-728-6966.

**244 Int. trac.,** 3 cyl. diesel, 19 hp,

806 hrs., good cond., \$2750. Glen Miller, Franklinton; 985-839-2680.

**Kubota trac. L-245H** high clearance offset w/toolbar, row maker, cults. & planter, \$4700. Alvin Berry, Grayson; 318-649-5021.

**Discs, used 5' disc set,** 18" discs, (2) adjustable rows, fair cond., (2) bent discs, \$250. Jim Dellfiora, Baton Rouge; 225-413-1712.

**(3) 5' 3 pt. hitch** bush hogs, gear boxes good, needs deck repair, \$350/all; (1) set 3 pt. hitch 16 blade disc, needs some repair, \$400. Carroll Gueho, Baton Rouge; 225-766-2363.

**Detroit 471** diesel power unit w/PPTO, low water & oil shut down, \$4000. Bill Lyons, Church Point; 337-581-3495.

**IH corn header,** \$1000; JD row 7100 planter, radial bean meter, \$1500; chisel plow, \$1000; JD 8-row hipers, \$1000; Lilliston 8-row cult., \$1000; Eddins grain cart, 400 bushel, \$2000; JD 6-row middle buster, \$800. Lee Davis, Opelousas; 337-543-6765.

**4' Big Bee** grooming mower, used 1 yr., too big for my trac., \$1000. Lawrence Kelly, Oberlin; 337-225-5879.

**1986 Toyota forklift,** runs excel., 6000 lbs., in good running cond., \$3000. Lionel Jeansonne, Boyce; 318-793-8023 or 318-277-4274.

**2002 JD 5105** trac. w/JD loader w/MX6 cutter, purchased new, 226 total hrs., fine cond., \$17,900. Philip Monteleone, Hammond; 985-345-8845.

**Rayco stump grinder,** model RG 1672 DXH diesel, engine Deutz, 75 hp, excel. cond., one owner, \$18,000. G.N. Fage, Lafayette; 337-886-6017.

**22' Krause disc,** new blades & bearings, very good, \$2500, also JD 6600 combine for parts, 20' header. Neil Nelson, Sulphur; 337-583-2647 or 337-526-2666.

**26' wick bar,** folds & has hyd. lift, excel. cond., \$800. Randy Boudreaux, Lafayette; 337-319-8998.

**Ford 7600,** good cond., good tires, \$7800; Vermeer hay roller 605G, field ready, \$4000; 14' leveling disc, \$550. G.R. Robinette, Coushatta; 318-932-5412.

**1999 Aust cane** combine, new engine, excel. cond., \$70,000; IH 4586 trac., \$7500; 7450 cotton stripper, 1301 hrs., \$60,000; cotton boll buggy, \$1500; Laurent cane covering tool, \$8000. David Vanderlick, Lecompte; 318-776-5048 or 318-452-4802.

**615 NH disc** mower, used 2 seasons, \$5000. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; 337-334-8780.

**IH 1460** combine w/22 1/2' 1020 header w/trailer, 5-row corn header, \$10,000; IH 5288 trac., c/a new tires, \$9500. H.C. Boone Jr., Lecompte; 318-776-9458.

**9N Ford trac.,** completely rebuilt engine, 12 volt system, needs paint, shed kept, \$2800. Carl Coker, Glenmora; 318-748-4271 or 318-201-4271.

**NH sq. baler**, compact hay liner, reconditioned throughout, new tires, new paints, looks almost new & as good as it looks, \$3500 cash. J & S Farm, Winnsboro; 318-435-4824.

**MF 35 gas trac.**, good cond., disc, Bush Hog grader box, middle buster, row builder, \$5000/all. Jack Baham, Folsom; 985-796-3069.

**7' heavy-duty bush hog**, excel. cond., 100 hp gear box, \$1200; 8' heavy-duty box blade for 75 hp on up trac., \$800; Woods Hydra Boost boom, 6000 lb. capacity, excel. cond., \$500. Ricky Lacour, Plaqueville; 318-922-3150 or 318-253-2184.

**Int. Cub**, yellow & wh. w/4' belly mower, excel. cond., 12 volt system, uses no oil, runs well, \$2100. Tony Wright, Glenmora; 318-748-4921.

**44" deck** for Sears GT 6000 garden trac., \$150. James Dufresne, Vacherie; 225-265-2690.

**JD 4630 trac.** w/heavy-duty Koyker front-end loader, hay bucket, \$11,500. Ken Gremillion, Mansura; 318-253-6253.

**Bush Hog SM 60**, side-mount mower, like new, \$2800; Ferguson ditcher, \$750; JD 709 bush hog, \$1850; 8-row Orthman row markers, like new, \$1000; (2) 250-bushel Eddins grain carts, Rhino 8' hyd. blade, \$2000. John Case, Clayton; 318-389-4219 or 318-729-0298.

**1999 NH model 3415**, 300 hrs. w/6' bush hog, \$13,000. Scott Dupre, Ville Platte; 337-459-1131.

**Belarus 560**, 70, 1010 hrs. w/cab & air, front loader w/6.5' bucket & hay spear, \$8500 or trade for 4'x5' rd. baler or beef cattle. Dewitt Perry, Franklinton; 985-839-9636.

**JD MX-6 bush hog**, used twice, excel. cond., looks brand new, \$2100 firm. Chad Decoteau, Prairieville; 225-413-9641.

**Finishing mower**, 4' "J" bar spider, 1 yr., 3 pt. hitch, 540 RPM, new blades, \$650. Bryan, Madisonville; 985-966-1744.

**Ford Versatile 846**, 250 hp, duals, in good shape, \$20,000; '94 JD CTS combine w/25' header, less than 2000 hrs., barn kept, good cond., \$40,000. Clifford Broussard, Lake Arthur; 337-774-3248 or 337-529-9967.

**JD 630 disc**, 30', new blades, good cond., \$10,000; Greenline 10-blade levee plow, \$1250; levee packer on wheels, hyd., \$300; rice field puddler, \$500; 18' water leveler, \$100; 70 bushel hyd. rice cart, \$750. C. Broussard, Lake Arthur; 337-774-3248 or 337-529-9967.

**Ford Versatile 976**, 350 hp 3 pt. hitch, all new tires on duals, in good cond., \$27,000; Krause disc, 28', one season on new blades, good cond., \$5000; 30' 5-blade land level, \$750; 70 bushel Stelly rice cart, hyd., \$750. Charlie Broussard, Lake Arthur; 337-774-3248 or 337-485-3149.

**Ford 5000 trac.** w/loader & bucket, diesel, 69 hp, 2 wd, new radiator & rebuilt loader pistons, \$8250. John Mailhes, Keithville; 318-925-0898.

**Little John** model LJ 500 stand-behind forklift, good cond., \$2000.

Earl, Ville Platte; 337-351-4755.

**Ford 800**, 43 hp, new back tires, overhauled in '02, runs great, \$3000. Tommy Stockman, Oakdale; 318-335-2967.

**6' Rhino SE6 bush hog**, good but needs new deck. Howard Doucet, Iota; 337-824-3852 or 337-658-0747.

**Vermeer 6020** hay disc mower, very good cond., \$3500; 6' shredder, older heavy-duty model w/3 pt. hitch, good cond., \$450; spray rig, 200-gal. tank w/20' boom, includes PTO pump w/3 pt. hitch, \$250. R. Durand, Mansura; 318-964-2773 or 318-481-7905.

**JD 2030**, 60 hp w/620 loader, quick hitch, bucket & hay spear, rear hay fork, roll bar & canopy, good rubber, excel. cond., \$15,000. Norman Young, Mamou; 337-303-3385.

**JD 2140**, 80 hp, 4 cyl. diesel, turbo charged, cab, radio, rebuilt injection pump, 38" rear tires, good cond., \$8500. Michael Kovach, Hammond; 225-567-9449.

**1660 combine**, excel. shape, 22.5' 1020 flex header, very good cond., \$20,000. Ronald LaCour, Moreauville; 318-985-2507.

**7720 combine**, good cond., 22' flex header, 4 & 5 row corn header, \$11,000. Kevin LaCour, Moreauville; 318-985-3528.

**(3) tires, 11-22.5**, 40% rubber, \$60/1; 7' bush hog disc hay cutter, excel. cond., \$3600. A. Gremillion, Ventress; 225-638-8135.

**Claas rd.** hay baler, makes 4x5 bales, excel. cond., one owner, \$8200. Ivy Guillot Sr., Marksville; 318-229-2279.

**JD 410 backhoe**, \$4000: power supply, heavy-duty industrial cabinet style, power conversion products, MN HFE-24N-150B, 120/208/240 VAC input w/24 VDC/150a output, \$100. Lisa West Smith, Pollock; 318-419-3108.

**1988 Case Int.** 255 trac., good shape, less than 600 hrs. w/5' Howse bush hog & swivel grader blade, \$7900. R. Wilson, Pleasant Hill; 318-796-3864.

**Int. 886**, 90 hp trac. w/dual wheels, good rubber, new front tires, 540 & 1000 PTO, dual hydraulics, plenty of power, very dependable, \$7500. Sonny Crosby, Cut Off; 985-632-8095.

**1033 NH hay picker wagon**, used last hay season, \$3200. Charles Fuselier, St. Martinville; 337-201-1986.

**Early '50s model Farmall butane** powered w/6' bush hog, needs work, but runs, \$1500. Randy Deville, Opelousas; 337-543-6489.

**Case-IH 1896**, 2 wd, power shift, cab & air, duals, 2650 hrs., excel. cond., \$16,000 obo; Ford 6' flail mower, very good cond., \$500. John Dean, Dry Prong; 318-451-0787.

**7' bush hog**, heavy-duty, reworked & new paint, \$1200; MF model 65, good shape, new paint, \$5000; 12' bush hog, \$3000; 2' backhoe bucket, \$250; front bucket for Case 580 K, \$350. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-

229-2279.

**Kubota L2600F**, 27 hp trac., 2 wd, about 240 hrs., \$6500. Todd Oberlin; 337-224-2906.

**7' bush hog**, \$800. J. Bourgeois, Hammond; 225-567-6545 or 504-615-5099.

**Bear Cat hammer mill feed grinder**, \$1000; Lilliston bush hog, 2-row cult., \$800; wagon frame, needs tires & wood flooring, \$300; M&W disc cutter, for parts, \$100. Nolton Menard, Opelousas; 337-351-1396.

**853 diesel Bobcat w/forks & bucket**, \$10,500. Gary Anderson, Cloutierville; 318-399-0980.

**Case IH 9230 trac.**, \$27,000; Case IH 9250 trac., \$35,000; 22' Case IH 496 plow, \$3000; JD 2640 trac., \$8000; JD 8820 combine, 24' header, 20' stripper header & (2) header trailers, \$10,000; 20' water level, med. duty, \$2000, 90 barrel hyd. rice cart, \$2200; 75 barrel hyd. rice cart, \$1000; 28' 1010 JD vibershank, \$1200. Tim Mier, Gueydan; 337-536-9988 or 337-523-7979.

**JD 4010 farm trac.**, diesel, strong engine, \$3000. J.H. Celestine, St. Gabriel; 225-642-8439 or 225-397-1281.

**Sq. bale accumulator**, #950 Steffan Systems, bale rack w/hooks, baler hitch w/hoses & all fittings, like new, \$10,000. Kevin Thomas, Lafayette; 337-298-0853.

**Mahindra 6000 trac.**, 2 yrs., still has warranty, 6' bush hog, \$12,000 obo. Henry Laurence, Dubberly; 318-371-2268.

**1960s MF 65 trac.**, in good cond., motor runs but needs work, good tires, \$500. Lester Thomas, Franklinton; 985-848-2995.

**2006 Bush hog squealer**, 5' used one season, \$750. Chris Shields, Amite; 985-747-9193 or 985-517-8475.

**Bermuda sprig harvester**, ready to use, \$5800 or make offer. Wayne Ward, Caster; 318-576-9958 or 318-471-9272.

**884 Int. trac.** w/front-end loader. Tommy Montgomery, Lottie; 225-717-5724.

**Vermeer 554 XL rd. baler**, less than 1000 bales, kept in barn, like new, monitor w/auto tie, bale kicker, makes 4' wide x 5 1/2' tall, 1400 lb. bale, \$12,000. Joe Pieri, Folsom; 985-981-2427.

**2590 Case**, for parts, good motor. Juanita Baker, Kinder; 337-348-1025 or 337-658-0936.

**JD 346 sq. baler**, \$1200; Kuhn GM 44 cutter, \$1550; 5 wheel 3 pt. rake, \$350; MF 3 pt. roller bar, \$350; 6' Befco finish mower, \$750; Kuhn 10'4" disc mower, \$4500; 10'-12' front blade, \$500; JD 336 baler, good, \$2800. J. Coldiron, Jonesville; 318-729-3441.

**790 JD p/s loader**, \$7500; 950 JD diesel trac., \$4500; 950 JD diesel, ROPS, \$6000; Ford 1710 diesel, canopy, \$4800; NH 97 1215 4x4, \$3495; Kuhn 14' 3 pt. fold tedder, \$1985; JD 10' 3 pt. side del. rake, \$600. R. Coldiron, Jonesville; 318-339-7876.

**Farmall "A" trac.** w/4 belly mower, good tires, motor, sheet metal, \$1600. D. C., Hammond; 985-542-0532.

**Detroit diesel**, 4 cyl. w/clutch assembly, trailer mounted, perfect for pump setup, \$1995. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**(2) iron wheels** for rice puddling, \$300/both.; puddler for rice field puddling, \$300; bush hog front-end loader, model QT 2426 w/hardware, \$3500. J. Trahan, Delcambre; 337-685-2220.

**Case 830 LP 65 hp tricycle style trac.**, 3 pt. lift, 1 remote, needs paint, \$1500. Preston Hutson, Bossier City; 318-347-2008.

**Kubota B7100**, 16 hp, 4wd, 3' front-end loader, 3.5' tiller, \$3500. D. Snead, Coushatta; 318-932-7142.

**Old hay rake w/tines**, works w/4-wheeler, \$100. Norris Baudoin, Perry; 337-652-5775.

**Int. cotton picker**, 2-row, \$1000. L. C. Francois, Bunkie; 337-831-524.

**JD 444 4-row corn header**, great shape, \$1000. D. Spears, St. Landry; 318-729-4069.

**7 1/2' Kuhn hay mower**, \$1950; 8N Ford, motor needs work, excel. rubber, metal, \$950; 7' Kuhn disc mower, \$1850; (2) 8N Fords, runs well, \$2500/both. Steve McGuffee, Bossier City; 318-453-2779.

**15' Side Winder bush hog**, ready to go, \$2450. W. A. Lucky III, Bossier City; 318-549-0271.

**5' plowing disc**, used once, like new, \$350. Mark Lumetta, Amite; 985-748-6257.

**Wanted:** JD model MT for parts, JD model B for parts. Billy Hales, Winnsboro; 318-435-4313.

**Wanted:** Bermuda grass sprigger and/or digger for planting cuttings and/or 2, 3, 4 or 5 row. Preston Hutson, Bossier City; 318-347-2008.

**Wanted:** mini bull dozer, Magnatrac, any cond. Edgar Fowler, Pineville; 318-445-2977.

**Wanted:** tracs., implements & equip. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**Wanted:** implements for IH 966 bush hog grass cutter, box blade, whatever. Ed Gonzales, Estherwood; 337-785-8055 or 337-781-2341.

**Wanted:** set of rd. rolling breaking pans, 3-4 pans; disc, carriage type w/cyld., 8'-12'. George Maxey, Many; 318-256-2995.

**Wanted:** old JD 450 dozer for parts, in any cond.; JD quick hitch forklift attachment, JD 2555 ROPS or canopy, small planter for corn. Kevin Murphy, Folsom; 985-796-9681.

**Wanted:** 10' or 12' spring tooth renovator or do-all. Dewitt Perry, Franklinton; 985-839-9636.

**Wanted:** 5' Land Pride grooming mower for parts. James Dufresne, Vacherie; 225-265-2690.

**Wanted:** (2) 11.2-24 rear trac. tires. Ollie Deville, Ville Platte; 337-363-9191.

**Wanted:** 450 Case dozers, any shape, whole or in parts. P.R. Krantz,

Krotz Springs; 337-592-0170.

**Wanted:** IMT trac., 70 hp, running or for parts. Sarina Lirette, Bourg; twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com or 985-665-0464.

**Wanted:** Kelly B70 backhoe. A. LeBlanc, Crowley; 337-783-6434.

**Wanted:** front-end loader for Ford 7700 w/cab, must be in good cond. & reasonably priced. Mike Smith, Many; 318-256-5214 or 318-508-1409.



**1979 Ford 350 farm truck**, w/welding bed, \$800. A. Gremillion, Ventress; 225-638-8135.

**1997 Int. truck**, 455 Cat. 9400 series, excel. cond., \$13,500. Daniel LaBorde, Mansura; 318-964-2902.

**1987 Toyota truck**, 200 miles, great cond., \$1395. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**1998 Chevrolet truck**, heavy-duty, rebuilt engine, new clutch, \$9000; '93 Peter Bilt 377 Bud engine, good clutch, trans., rear ends, \$3500. A. Joseph, Lake Charles; 337-437-1143.

**1998 Ford F-800**, Cummins diesel engine, 6 spd. trans., 22' flatbed, clutch has 10,000 miles, \$6000. Eugene Care Sr., Bourg; 985-209-8785.

**1998 Freightliner w/sleeper**, overhauled engine w/7000 miles, \$20,000; 42' drop deck w/poly tanks to haul water & fert., \$5000. Tim Albert, Lafayette; 337-278-1563.

**1982 Mack truck**, engine & trans. like new, \$2500. John Gremillion, Walker; 225-937-6000.

**1991 Peter Bilt**, 379 stand up sleeper & '92 Timpert super hopper w/air ride, \$32,000 obo. Ritchie Sicard, Melville; 337-592-0348.

**(2) Bridgestone tires**, new, P245/75R15, load range E, heavy-duty, M&S, \$200; 1/2 plate w/2 5/16" ball, welded in center, mount in bed for gooseneck hookup, \$100. Larry Duhon, Kaplan; 337-652-6200.

**Steel truck body**, 8'x22' w/steel roller on back, \$2000; '95 Ford F-150 XLT, extended cab, 302 V8, auto, air, good clean truck, good tires, \$4000. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**2000 red GMC Z71 sport side**, beige leather interior, fully loaded, 113,000 miles, rear bumper hitch & gooseneck hitch w/elec. brakes, very good cond., \$15,000. Dianne McClelland, Deville; 318-466-3617.

**2001 CH Mack 427 engine**, 10 spd., air ride, wet kit, excel. cond., \$42,000; '95 Chevy Kodiak dump truck, Cat engine, 8 spd., 14-yard dump bed, ready to work, \$18,500. John Fell, Scott; 337-873-6870.

**1995 Chevrolet 1-ton, flatbed**, 350, gas, 5 spd., good shape, \$3500. E. W. Beaubouef, Deville; 318-729-2331.

**1996 Freightliner** w/40' Wilson alum. hopper, \$20,000; '91 Int. w/40' Wilson alum. hopper, \$20,000. Charlie Broussard, Lake Arthur; 337-774-3248 or 337-485-3149.

**1986 Int.** cab over w/40' steel hopper, \$15,000. Clifford Broussard, Lake Arthur; 337-774-3248 or 337-529-9967.

**Int. truck**, \$2000. L. E. Francois, Bunkie; 318-831-5240.

**Chevy C-60** grain dump truck, 350 4 spd., new brakes & drive line, \$2000; 4x4 Suzuki Scarry mini truck w/lift kit & new grip tires, great for recreation, farm/ranch or hunting standard trans., a/c & heat, \$4500. D. Spears, St. Landry; 318-729-4069.

**1999 Ford** Lariat F-250, 4x4, crew cab, diesel, in good cond., runs & drives great, \$11,000. Shane Trahan, Lake Arthur; 337-587-2223.

**Int. truck**, '63 model, good shape, \$1000. L. C. Francois, Bunkie; 337-831-5246.

**Wanted:** truck camper, w/bathroom, under \$5000. Davis Credeur, Scott; becred2@bellsouth.net or 337-230-9979.



**Pony cart**, homemade, needs repair to wheel shaft, \$50. Rebecca McLindon, Bush; 985-892-2686.

**28' Donahue trailer**, \$2500. John Case, Clayton; 318-389-4219 or 318-729-0298.

**Gooseneck trailer**, \$500. L. E. Francois, Bunkie; 318-831-5240.

**14' alum. John** boat w/36 lb. trolling motor & trailer, excel. cond., \$650; '06 grizzly, 4x4, winch, tires/rims, camo pack, \$7000 firm. Chris Shields, Amite; 985-969-3932.

**Twin axle trailer**, 5'x8', good for small animals, pigs, goats & sheep, \$500 obo. Norris Baudoin, Perry; 337-652-5775.

**(35) cotton** trailers, 8'-10' wide, 24-40' long w/3 & 4 axles, in good to excel. cond., for hay trailers or storing crawfish traps, del. avail., \$750-\$1750. T.L. Enright Sr., Sicily Island; 318-389-5395 or 318-282-6299.

**Horse trailer**, bumper-pull, 16'x6 1/2', \$1500; '78 GMC motor home, \$1800; fiberglass camper shell, \$400; new mobile home tires & rims, \$100/1; solar panels, \$300; Suzuki 230 4-wheeler, \$750. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

**2000 16' Gooseneck** brand gooseneck trailer, in good cond., used very little, \$3700. Charley Andrepont, Church Point; 337-543-8178.

**Single axle** bumper-pull horse trailer, homemade, 12', 6', \$500. Deb Meisner, Converse; dmdm628@yahoo.com or 318-

567-3365.

**1966 Chevy** grain truck, metal 14' box, \$1400; (6) 28.5/80R 24.5 tires on Bud 10-hole wheels, 90% rubber, \$100/1. A.J. Bradley, Transylvania; 318-552-6265.

**Sundowner '03** 727 Sunlite, 3-horse gooseneck, 4' short wall, collapsible rear tack, boot box, a/c & heat, \$16,500. Sonny Day, West Monroe; 318-323-3190.

**70' truck** scale, in pit, \$5000. Tim Gautreau, New Iberia; 337-365-7007.

**2004 Prowler** camper, gooseneck hitch, sleeps 8, excel. cond., fully loaded, super slide-out, awning, reinforced bumper to dbl. pull horse trailer or boat, \$18,000. Dianne McClellan, Deville; 318-466-3617.

**2005 Bison** horse trailer w/living quarters, 3-horse, 8' short wall, a/c & heat, microwave, CD player, dual batteries, awing, shower, toilet, sink, refrigerator, cook top, walk-through door, couch, bed, like new, loaded, \$25,500; 25' 4-horse walking wheel, as is, \$300. R. Romero, Abbeville; 337-898-5890 or 337-278-8630.

**3-horse slant** load Feather Lite gooseneck horse trailer, full opening w/removable divide to dressing room, new tires, \$10,260. Suzanne Blunt, Baton Rouge; 225-766-4158.

**Utility trailer**, 4'x8', w/18" sides, 12" wheels, road ready w/lights & license, \$500. L.J. St. Germain, Montz; 985-662-9089.

**Kaylan 20' flatbed** gooseneck trailer, dual axles, 24,000 lb. w/air brakes, \$3800. Ross Mulé, Franklinton; 985-839-4595.

**1977 40' Ledwell** dbl. drop low-boy, 8.25x15 tandem duals, loading ramps, fold out sides, tie down rings & stack pockets, 54,000 lbs., \$6000. Charles Sharp, Winnsboro; 318-435-5019.

**1994 Great Dane** Reefer, new compressor & new slides on tandems, good tires & in good shape, on air ride, \$9000. Wayne Strother, Bunkie; 318-359-0885.

**Shop made** horse/stock trailer, very strong, 4'x12', great cond., rides one or two horses, bumper-pull, solid axles, \$1500. Lyle, Washington; 337-351-0836.

**5th wheel** for camper trailer, very good cond., \$300. Victor Dugas, Mansura; 318-359-8724.

**House trailer** for camp or storage, 8' x40' w/2 doors, \$1000. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**6'x20' cow** trailer, hard top, needs paint, \$2450. W. A. Lucky III, Bossier City; 318-549-0271.

**25' gooseneck** trailer w/dove-tail, treated floor, heavy-duty, \$3995 obo. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-2297.

**20' heavy-duty** flatbed equip. trailer w/slide in ramps, car hauler, \$1295; all stock horse/cattle trailer, new floor & paint, excel. cond., bumper-pull, \$2295. D. Leger,

Eunice; 337-305-2297.

**Gooseneck trailer**, steel bed, \$500. L. C. Francois, Bunkie; 337-831-5246.

**All alum.** silver Sierra horse trailer, bumper-pull, 6' dressing room, extra wide 2-horse or 3-horse, (2) saddle racks, large bin for brushes etc., tack hooks, stall mats, excel. cond., \$6500 firm. Gayle Romero, New Iberia; 337-364-9100.

**Wanted:** 14'-20' gooseneck stock trailer, in good cond. D. Hickman, Merryville; 337-825-6186.



**E-Z Go** golf cart, \$950. Richard Satterley, Melville; 337-566-3708.

**Plastic roping** dummy, ropes & new roping bag, \$75; safety vest, med., calf ropes & bell, \$75. Rebecca McLindon, Bush; 985-892-2686.

**1999 Honda** 4-wheeler, 4x4, good cond., \$1000. S. Trahan, Lake Arthur; 337-587-2223.

**Custom made** fencing, ready to install, made w/3 1/2" & 5" heavy wall pipe, other sizes avail., corners & Hs avail., \$85/& up. K. Matte, Branch; 337-296-6798 or 337-334-9272.

**Steel cage**, 9'x9'x23' w/floor made w/C-channel & rectangular tubing, walls made w/sq. tubing, disassembles also, great for camp, small shop or anything, \$1000. Keith Matte, Branch; 337-296-6798 or 337-334-9272.

**Never used** squeeze chute, heavy-duty, side opens, bars & panels drop on both sides, top & bottom adjust, \$1850. Philip Watts, Livingston; 225-686-1306.

**Old 52 lb.** anvils, \$200; 80 lb. anvils, \$250; pole vise, \$100; old bell, \$450; 10-gal. old blk. pot, \$150; 15-gal. pot, \$200; old cypress outhouse, \$500. Gary Hebert Sr., Gonzales; 225-715-4942.

**Delaval receiver** jug, \$50; (2) Delaval weigh jugs, \$50/1. Lester Thomas, Franklinton; 985-848-2995.

**Hydroseeder**, 150-gal. tank, 2 motors, ready to go, \$1500. Chris Shields, Amite; 985-969-3932.

**(2) 100-gal.** alum. tanks, \$100/1; (1) 300-gal. alum. tank, \$300. F. Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**1/2"x5' rebar**, tomato sticks, 1/2"x5' rebar for tomato sticks. R. Satterley, Melville; 337-566-3708.

**Feed cart**, tandem axle, Rancher's Pride, 8', 4-ton capacity on wheels, \$1895. Craig Austin, Pineville; 318-466-9538 or 318-443-4253.

**Galv. rd.** pens, 5' tall w/4' bow gate, del. avail, 50', \$775; 60', \$925. Carl Barlow, Pride; 225-603-5610.

**Wood splitter**, \$156. L. C. Francois, Bunkie; 337-831-5246.

**Galv. corral** panels, del. avail., 5'x10', \$48/1 or \$1125/25; 5'x12' heavy-duty, \$68/1 or \$1625/25; 6'x12' extra heavy-duty, \$79/1 or \$1925/25; 100'x200' arena w/10' gate, \$2830. Billy Barlow, Pride; 225-603-5610.

**(2) mobile** home axles w/brakes, includes springs & tires, \$125. Patrick Richmond, Glenmora; 318-447-8090.

**Manual-type** head gate, adjustable width, opens left or right for loading, works very well, \$120. R. Roy, Hessmer; 318-563-9111.

**Standard jumps**, pr. made of 4x4 pine, stackers w/poles & block w/poles, all used for schooling your horse over obstacles, purchased from State Line Tack, \$125; Berney Brothers close contact English hunt seat saddle, \$400. Lynne Livingston; 225-698-9250.

**Cortina 18"** forward seat English saddle, in good cond., stirrups & leathers included, \$85. Karen Mixon, Baton Rouge; 225-261-3367.

**5000 sweet** potato crates, \$1/1. Brown McLemore, Gilbert; 318-435-6833.

**Creosoted posts**, different lengths, \$1/ft.; house exterior metal doors, \$35/1. A. Hanks, Crowley; 337-783-7883.

**Blacksmith coal**, \$25/100 lb. sacks. Buddy Leonard, Covington; 985-892-1137.

**Okra cutters**, hand operated, large model, \$180/1, others avail. Franklin Courville, Opelousas; 337-351-4128.

**Bridge lumber**, 3"x8"x various lengths, new cond., \$15/1. Richard Moore, Deville; 318-466-1550.

**Rd. corner** post, 9', \$25/1. Mark McMillan, Carencro; 337-351-0519.

**3/4", 7/8", 1"** sucker rods, at farm, del. avail., \$10.5/1, \$11.5/1 & \$12.5/1. T.L. Enright, Sr., Sicily Island; 318-389-5395 or 318-282-6299.

**Pine lumber**, 40¢/board ft. Oris Creighton, Folsom; 985-796-5030.

**Craftsman 10"** radial arm saw, good cond., \$150 obo; (70) terra cotta ridge tiles, 18" long, good cond., \$7/1 obo; custom alum. dog box, 3'6"x3'x2', 2 sided w/2 hinged doors, all alum., \$300 obo. Larry Common, Gretna; 504-427-4256.

**Shopsmith**, great cond., many extras, \$1000. D. Snead, Coushatta; 318-932-7142.

**Heavy-duty**, extra large 1/4" thick, water proof toolbox w/6 compartment sliding tray, 24" wide, 48" long, 30" deep, \$25. N. Baudoin, Perry; 337-652-5775.

**New galv.** panels w/mud boots, 40' rd. pen, \$629; 50', \$770; 60', \$958. M. Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Pasture gates**, 4', \$41; 6', \$50; 8', \$57; 10', \$65; 12', \$75; 14', \$81; 16', \$91. Mike Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**5-ton condensing** unit w/12

SEER rating, good working cond., \$200. Jim Bearb, Carencro; 337-896-9475 or 337-298-0479.

**Plastic drums**, used 50 & 60-gal. food-grade barrels, like new inside, holds 300-350 lbs., terra cotta/snap-on lids & dark gray/screw-on lids, \$10 & \$15, email for pics. Steve Delk, Hahnville; stevedelk@cox.net or 985-783-2404.

**Snapper riding** lawn mower, 33" cut, 14 hp Kohler engine w/elec. start, \$800. Darwin Nichols, Ville Platte; 337-363-0704.

**Wood shavings** for horse stalls, shaving bags are large, call for specials & del. area, bagged shavings, \$5/bag. Rhonda Crocker, Independence; www.fly-ingcranch.bravehost.com, 985-878-3717 or 985-969-0123.

**Wanted:** rotor phase converter for 10 hp motor. Ambrose Baham, Loranger; 985-345-3262.

**Wanted:** cone floor mandrel for blacksmith work, also interested in smaller cone mandrel to fit anvil hardie hole. D. Boudreaux, Lafayette; 337-314-8029.



**All natural goat milk** soap, very good for your skin, no petroleum or artificial ingredients, various scents avail., \$5/bar. Melanie Blackmer, Lake Charles; www.hometown.aol.com/pdav-enp913 or 337-478-2208.

**7' barbecue** pit, on wheels w/2 doors & 4 slide-out trays, \$1500; shop made steel outdoor fireplace w/expanded metal cover for cooking, \$300. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**Wanted:** old sugar or syrup kettles, any size. Kathy, Baton Rouge; 225-261-8739 or 225-938-9366.

**Wanted:** old Coke signs, old gas signs, old Coke machines. Kathy, Baton Rouge; 225-261-8739 or 225-938-9366.

**Wanted:** old butter churn. D. C., Hammond; 985-542-0532.

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**Benefit 4D Barrel Race** for Patti Jo Higdon May 12 at the Gallman Arena in Gallman, Miss.

Entry fee is \$30 with a \$10 one-time processing fee. Training starts at 9 a.m., race at 1 p.m. Entries will continue until last horse runs. All proceeds go to Patti Jo.

For more information, contact Shelly Walker at 601-506-3467 or Cindy Thompson at 601-941-6299.

**The Baton Rouge Bird Society** will present its Spring Bird & Craft Fair May 19-20.

Doors open at 9 a.m. the 19th and 10 a.m. the 20th.

For more information, contact Kathy or Jesse at 225-926-5547.

**The Deep South Stock Horse Show** series will continue offering competitions at 10 a.m. June 2 and June 16 through October at the Greenwell Springs Park Arena in Greenwell Springs.

Trail, walk-trot, Western pleasure, horsemanship and other events will be offered.

Poles, barrels and other timed events will begin no earlier than 1 p.m.

For more information, contact James Plauche at 225-261-8696 or Karen Mixon at 225-261-3367, or visit the Web site at [www.dsshsa.org](http://www.dsshsa.org).

**Louisiana Beefmaster Breeders Association** will host a Cattlemen's Field Day June 9 at the McNeese State University Farm in Lake Charles at 9 a.m.

Topics covered will include nutrition, performance testing, ultrasounding for pregnancy tests, IMF and ribeye measurement.

For more information, contact Dwight Bertrand at 337-734-2129 or 337-475-5693.

**The Cajun Canary and Finch Club** of New Orleans is sponsoring a bird mart June 9 at 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Richmond Avenue VFW Hall in Metairie. June 10 hours will be

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A large assortment of birds, bird accessories, bird related crafts and other items will be available for sale.

Bird Adoption assistance will be offered and experts knowledgeable in care and breeding will be on hand.

Admission is \$2 per person. Children under the age of six admitted free. Parking is also free.

For more information, contact Pete Foret at 504-834-0805 or [pete4a@worldnet.att.net](mailto:pete4a@worldnet.att.net)

**A Bonsai tree show** will be held from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. June 23 at the Fellowship Hall of Trinity Baptist Church on Bank Avenue in New Iberia.

Hosted by the Bonsai Society of Acadiana, the featured artists will be Guy Guidry and Joe Day. Other vendors will be available as well.

Registration is \$10 and includes lunch.

For more information, contact Johnny

Hardcastle at [jmh6344@louisiana.edu](mailto:jmh6344@louisiana.edu).

**Cherokee Ridge Horse Farm barrel racing** events will take place at 6 p.m. every Tuesday night at the Covered Arena in Carencro.

Exhibition and jackpot barrels and jackpot poles competitions are offered.

For more information, contact Bill at 337-280-1535 or Sharon at 337-322-6501.

**Cocklebur Ranch in Loranger** has several ongoing events scheduled for the spring.

Every Saturday from 8 a.m. until noon, the ranch hosts a horse safety clinic which includes buying, care and groundwork tips. Cost is \$25 with barbecue lunch and tours.

The working horse and cattle ranch is also open for tours, parties, weddings and other activities. Tours are \$6.

For more information, contact Dawn Rogers at 985-974-7994 or visit the Web site [www.cockleburranch.com](http://www.cockleburranch.com).

## Want to eat a Hubig's Pie?

You can always find a little bit of heaven in a disaster.

For Hubig's Pies of New Orleans a piece of post-Katrina paradise came in the form of Internet online sales.

Here's the rundown: estimates say nearly 200,000 of the New Orleans population was cast to the wind by Hurricane Katrina.

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relocated to Dallas and Houston and Atlanta but still long for Hubig's Pies and chicory coffee.

Apparently you can take the population out of New

Orleans, but you can't take the New Orleans out of the population. How do you market a piece of New Orleans?

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If you can't get to a Southeast Louisiana convenience store to buy a Hubig's Pie, just visit [www.hubigspies.com](http://www.hubigspies.com).

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If you already have a Hubig's T-shirt, you might opt for the Hubig's Case, a 12-pack of the famous pies, your choice of flavors.

Other apparel items include a baby onesie, an apron, Savory Simon at Mardi Gras long-sleeve and a Hubig's sweat shirt.



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food supply.

**Q. Has FDA traced all of the contaminated wheat gluten?**

FDA is still tracing the contaminated wheat gluten. If FDA learns that it has been used in the production of other pet foods, FDA will notify the public and take all appropriate steps to prevent further injury.

**Q: What is FDA doing in response to complaints of illnesses related to dry pet food?**

FDA is collecting and analyzing samples of dry dog and cat food in response to calls from veterinarians and pet owners.

**Q: What should I do if I have cat or dog food at home?**

Please check FDA's Web site at [www.fda.gov/oc/opacom/hottopics/pet-food.html](http://www.fda.gov/oc/opacom/hottopics/pet-food.html) to see if your pet food is involved in the recall. If your pet food is not listed, the pet food is not affected by the recall and you can continue to feed it to your pets; however, if your pet exhibits a sudden onset of symptoms including loss of appetite, lethargy, vomiting, stop feeding the pet food and contact your veterinarian. If the pet food is one of those being recalled, do NOT feed it to your animals. Feed your pets another pet food that is not included in

the recall.

**Q: What should I do if I have cat and/or dog food included in the recall?**

Do NOT feed the pet food to your animals. Return the pet food to the store where you purchased it and ask for a refund. Stores generally have a return and refund policy when a company has announced a recall of its products. If you cannot return the pet food immediately, store the food in a secure place where pets and children cannot get to it.

**Q: What if my pet ate one of the dog and cat foods being recalled?**

If your pet shows signs of illness (such as loss of appetite, lethargy and vomiting), you should consult with your veterinarian immediately. *"The American College of Internal Medicine (ACVIM) has recommended that pets (dogs and cats) that ingested pet food that was on the recall list, whether showing signs of illness (lethargy, vomiting, diarrhea, anorexia, etc.) or not (asymptomatic) should be seen by their veterinarian for baseline blood chemistries and urinalysis in order to ascertain the status of their renal (kidney) function. (The ACVIM is the Official Organization of the Veterinary Specialties*

*of Small Animal Internal Medicine, Large Animal Internal Medicine, Cardiology, Neurology, and Oncology. [www.acvim.org/](http://www.acvim.org/)."*

If your pet is diagnosed with renal failure, we suggest you hold onto the food if the brand and lot numbers match the recall.

**Q: If my dog or cat ate some of the recalled food, how soon after would I see any symptoms?**

It's difficult to say for sure, but usually within a couple of days. The important thing is to monitor your pet closely for signs of lethargy, loss of appetite and vomiting. If your pet shows any of these signs, please consult your veterinarian.

**Q. In light of the recall, what should I feed my pets?**

FDA encourages pet owners to consult with their veterinarian about their pet's health and nutrition requirements. Please refer to the FDA Web site <http://www.fda.gov/oc/opacom/hottopics/petfood.html> for a list of recalled products that should not be fed to cats or dogs. Using products from companies that are not on the recall list will enable you to continue to provide safe, wholesome nutrition for your pets.

## Cotton acreage expected to decrease this year

Many farmers who typically plant cotton are planting corn this year because of high prices for corn, according to the LSU AgCenter.

Last year, Louisiana farmers planted 620,000 acres of cotton. This year, they may plant only half that amount, LSU AgCenter cotton specialist Dr. Sandy Stewart said.

"If you look at it historically, this very well could be our lowest cotton crop in number of acres since 1866 when they started keeping records," Stewart said.

While corn prices are high, due partly to demand from the ethanol industry, cotton prices are not encouraging farmers to plant. Prices have remained around 50 to 54 cents a pound for the past year. Even though less

cotton acreage is expected this year, it won't affect the price.

Growers who do plant cotton will have to manage insects closely. Cotton fields near corn fields usually see more pest problems.

While insects may be a problem, farmers have a new weapon against weeds. Growers can plant the Roundup Ready Flex variety. This variety allows growers to spray for weeds throughout the growing season.

"Those varieties made their way on to farms in small numbers last year, and I think those acres will increase this year," Stewart said.

As the name indicates, this variety will give growers more flexibility in controlling weeds.

"In the past with just regular Roundup

Ready cotton, we've been restricted to Roundup applications before the fifth true leaf stage, which is very early," Stewart said.

Stewart is concerned about herbicide-resistant weeds.

In other states, cotton farmers have problems with weeds that have become resistant to glyphosate, the active ingredient in Roundup.

"As we increase the amount of glyphosate we use in cotton, we are concerned that we don't develop a resistant weed species," Stewart said. "It's just a biological fact that the more selection and pressure you put on a population, the more likely are you are going to find a type of weed that is going to be resistant."

# Visit your local farmers market

**BEAUREGARD PARISH**

**Ragley**  
Ragley Farmers Market  
Ragley Historical Square, Hwy. 12  
Sat. 8 a.m.- 1 p.m., during peak growing season

**BIENVILLE PARISH**

**Gibbsland**  
Gibbsland Farmers Market Assoc.  
Main Street  
Wed. & Sat. 7 a.m. until sold out  
June - Oct.

**CADDO PARISH**

**Shreveport**  
Shreveport/Bossier Farmers Market  
river front at Festival Plaza  
Wed. & Sat. 7:00 - 11:30 a.m.  
June 3-Aug. 26

**CALCASIEU PARISH**

**Lake Charles**  
Charlestown Farmers Market  
1001 Ryan Street  
Sat. 7 a.m. - noon, year round

**Moss Bluff**

MB Farmers & Crafters Market  
Sam Houston Jones Pkwy.  
Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, April-Oct.

**EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH**

**Baton Rouge**  
Red Stick Farmers Market #1  
Fifth St. near Main St.  
Sat. 8 a.m.- noon, Jan.-Dec.  
Red Stick Farmers Market #2  
8470 Goodwood Blvd.  
Unitarian Church Parking Lot  
Tues. 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Jan. - July & Sept. - Dec.

**EVANGELINE PARISH**

**Ville Platte**  
Ville Platte Farmers Market  
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**IBERIA PARISH**

**New Iberia**  
Teche Area Farmers Market  
Boulogny Plaza  
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year round

**JEFFERSON PARISH**

**Gretna**  
Gretna Farmers Market  
300 Huey P. Long Ave.  
Sat. 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
year round

**JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH**

**Jennings**  
Main Street Farmers Market  
Founder's Park  
Sat. 7 a.m. - 10 a.m., year round

**LAFAYETTE PARISH**

**Lafayette**  
Acadiana Farmers Market  
801 Foreman Dr. & Dulles St.  
Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 5 - 10 a.m.  
Jan. - Dec.

**Lafayette**

City Garden Market  
River Ranch Town Square  
Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

**LAFOURCHE PARISH**

**Thibodaux**  
Thibodaux Main Street Market  
La. 1 and Maronge  
Sat. 7 - 11 a.m.

**LIVINGSTON PARISH**

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**MADISON PARISH**

**Tallulah**  
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**MOREHOUSE PARISH**

**Bastrop**  
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**NATCHITOCHE PARISH**

**Natchitoches**  
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**New Orleans**  
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Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round

**OUACHITA PARISH**

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Monroe Farmers Market  
1212 Washington St.  
Mon., Wed., Fri. & Sat. 6 a.m.-1 p.m.

June - Aug. 19  
**West Monroe**  
West Monroe Farmers Market  
1700 North 7th St.  
Mon. - Sat. 6 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
April 1 - Nov. 23

**ST. CHARLES PARISH**

**Destrehan**  
German Coast Farmers Market  
Parking lot of Ormond Plantation  
Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

**ST. LANDRY PARISH**

**Opelousas**  
St. Landry Farmers Market  
952 East Landry St., Hwy. 190  
Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 7 a.m.-11 a.m.  
Jan.-Dec.

**ST. MARTIN PARISH**

**St. Martinville**  
St. Martinville Creole Market  
Evangeline Blvd. & Main St.  
Sat. 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
May-Dec.

**ST. TAMMANY PARISH**

**Covington**  
Covington Farmers Market  
City Hall, 609 North Columbia  
Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Wed. noon-4 p.m.  
Jan. - Dec.

**Mandeville**  
Mandeville Trailhead Community  
Market  
675 Lafitte St.  
Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round

**TERREBONNE PARISH**

**Houma**  
Cajun Farmers Market of Houma -  
Terrebonne  
Tunnel Blvd. & Naquin St.  
Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-6 p.m., year round

**WASHINGTON PARISH**

**Bogalusa**  
Bogalusa Farmers Market  
500 Block of Columbia St.  
Sat., 9 a.m.-noon, Jun. - Aug.

**WEST FELICIANA PARISH**

**St. Francisville**  
St. Francisville Farmers Market  
agricultural pavilion (4-H Barn)  
Thurs. 1-5 p.m., May 25-first frost

**WINN PARISH**

**Winnfield**  
Winn Farmers Market  
301 West Main & St. John St.  
Tues. & Fri. 7:30 - 11 a.m.  
April 18-Aug. 11

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# FDA, USDA determine swine fed adulterated product

## *USDA to compensate, assist producers in depopulation efforts*

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) continue their investigation of imported rice protein concentrate which has been found to contain melamine and melamine-related compounds.

Based on information currently available, FDA and USDA believe the likelihood of illness after eating pork from swine fed the contaminated product would be very low. The agencies are taking certain actions out of an abundance of caution. As announced April 26, swine known to have been fed adulterated (contaminated) product will not be approved to enter the food supply. Because the animal feed in question was adulterated, USDA cannot rule out the possibility that food produced from animals fed this product could also be adulterated. USDA cannot approve potentially adulterated meat.

This update provides additional information regarding the ongoing investigation.

As reported April 22 by FDA, the agency determined rice protein concentrate imported from China was contaminated with melamine and melamine-related compounds. The product was imported by Wilbur-Ellis, an importer and distributor of agricultural products. Although the company began importing product from China in August 2006, the company did not become aware of the contamination until April 2007. As part of the ongoing investigation, FDA has determined the rice protein was used in the production of pet food and a portion of the pet food was used to produce animal feed. The

**For updates on the pet food recalls and swine feed issues, visit the following Web sites:**

[www.usda.gov](http://www.usda.gov)

[www.fda.gov](http://www.fda.gov)

[www.menufoods.com/recall](http://www.menufoods.com/recall)

ongoing investigation is tracing products distributed since August 2006 by Wilbur-Ellis throughout the distribution chain.

USDA is offering to compensate producers who euthanize swine that were fed the adulterated product. USDA is authorized to use Section 32 funds to restore farmers' purchasing power. USDA is also offering the expertise and assistance of Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) personnel in carrying out depopulation activities, to ensure animals are euthanized and disposed of in accordance with federal and state laws.

At this time, there is no evidence of harm to humans associated with the processed pork product, and therefore no recall of meat products processed from these animals is being issued. Testing and the joint investigation continue. If any evidence surfaces to indicate there is harm to humans, the appropriate action will be taken.

The assessment that, if there were to be harm to human health, it would be very low, is based on a number of factors, including the dilution of the contaminating melamine and

melamine-related compounds from the original rice protein concentrate as it moves through the food system. First it is a partial ingredient in the pet food; second, it is only part of the total feed given to the hogs; third, it is not known to accumulate in the hogs and the hogs excrete melamine in their urine; fourth, even if present in pork, pork is only a small part of the average American diet.

Neither FDA nor USDA has uncovered any evidence of harm to the swine from the contaminated feed. In addition to the dilutional factor and the lack of evidence of illnesses in the swine fed the waste pet food, USDA and FDA are not aware of any human illness that has occurred from exposure to melamine or its by-products. While the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention systems would have limited ability to detect subtle problems due to melamine and melamine-related compounds, no problems have been detected to date. To further evaluate any potential harm to humans, the FDA is developing and implementing further tests and risk assessments based on the toxicity of the com-

pounds and how much of the compounds consumers could be expected to actually consume.

The ongoing investigation and product reconciliation and testing have led to certain farms. It is expected the investigation will continue to find more places where product may have been distributed. Sites in the following states are believed to have received and used contaminated product: Calif., Kan., Okla., N.Y., N.C., S.C. and Utah.

These combined operations involve approximately 6,000 hogs. All of the animals are currently being held under state quarantines in Calif., N.C., N.Y. and S.C. In Kan., Okla. and Utah producers agreed to hold the animals until further notice. Authorities are also in contact with a feed mill in Missouri that might have received adulterated feed.

Pork and pork products derived from animals fed the adulterated product will also be destroyed. In Calif. and Utah, pork from federally inspected plants is being held under FSIS direction. In S.C., a state inspected plant is voluntarily holding swine that were fed the adulterated product. FSIS, FDA and state authorities are in the process of determining whether any meat from animals that were fed the adulterated product has entered commerce. If that has occurred, FSIS will work with states and industry to take the appropriate action.

USDA and FDA continue to conduct a full, comprehensive examination to protect the nation's food supply and will provide updates as new information is confirmed.

## Frequently asked questions regarding the pet food recall

The following questions are available on the FDA Web site, [www.fda.gov](http://www.fda.gov).

**Q: What is wrong with the pet foods?** FDA laboratories have found a substance called melamine in samples of pet food and in the wheat gluten used as an ingredient in the pet food. Additionally, Cornell University scientists have found melamine in the urine and kidneys of deceased cats that were part of a taste testing study conducted for Menu Foods.

**Q: What is melamine?** Melamine is a small, nitrogen-containing molecule that has a number of industrial uses, including as an industrial binding agent, flame retardant and as part of a polymer in the manufacture of cooking utensils and plates. Melamine has additionally been used as a fertilizer in some parts of the world. It is not registered for use as a fertilizer in the United States.

**Q: What is wheat gluten and how is it used in pet foods?** Wheat gluten is a mixture of two proteins obtained when flour of wheat is washed to remove the starch. One use of wheat gluten is as a filler and binder in wet-style, cuts-and-gravy-type pet food. It provides a gelatinous consistency and is used to thicken pet food "gravy." It also has uses in human food products as a stabilizer or thickener. It is not generally associated with food contamination.

**Q: Has melamine been identified as the causative agent in the reported illnesses?** The association between melamine in the kidneys and urine of cats that died and melamine in the food they consumed is undeniable. Additionally, melamine is an ingredient that should not be in pet food at any level. However, FDA is not yet fully certain that melamine

is the causative agent. As in any investigation, FDA follows leads, uses advanced forensics and tries to narrow down the cause.

**Q: What research exists regarding melamine and cats and dogs?** There is a scarcity of research in the published literature on melamine exposure in dogs and cats. We know of a 1945 published article in which dogs were administered 125 mg of melamine/kg body weight. The study reported melamine as having a diuretic effect, but no toxic effects were noted. We are not aware of any studies in the published literature involving the administration of melamine to cats.

**Q. Where did the contaminated wheat gluten come from?** The source has been traced to a single supplier, Xuzhou Anying Biologic Technology, of China.

**Q. What is FDA doing to prevent further importation of contaminated wheat gluten?**

FDA is requiring 100% sampling and review of import testing of all shipments of wheat gluten from China. Please see the FDA import alert at [www.fda.gov/ora/fiars/ora\\_import\\_ja9926.html](http://www.fda.gov/ora/fiars/ora_import_ja9926.html).

**Q. Did the contaminated wheat gluten from China get into the human food supply?**

Import records, and records obtained during follow-up investigations reveal that all shipments of wheat gluten from the suspect Chinese supplier were purchased by a U.S. firm that supplies ingredients to pet food companies. At this time, FDA has no evidence to suggest that any of the imported Wheat Gluten from the suspect firm has entered the human *See FAQs, continued on page 10*

**To report a pet food complaint:**

*La. and Miss. residents call 866-289-3399.*

*Texas residents call 214-253-5200 ext. 5233.*