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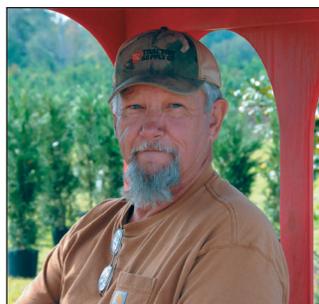
a NEW tradition



By Sam Irwin

Joe and Kay Gersch have been waiting for November 21, 2009 for five years.

It was five years ago when Joe planted his first 500 Leyland cypress tree seedlings in the middle of the pine belt along the



Joe Gersch

Livingston-Tangipahoa parish line. That was the beginning of Yawn Station Christmas Tree Farm.

Joe pointed to the vast pine plantation that surrounds their house in 4th Ward in Livingston Parish.

“We had talked about a Christmas tree farm,” Joe said. “After Katrina, there was a lot of pine blow down and a lot of forest fire fuel on the

ground. There was a fire and we said we’d go ahead and plant a full farm of Christmas trees in the area that burned.”

Besides, Joe said, there’s a lot more return in Leyland cypress than pine trees.

Joe proceeded to pull out every charred pine stump at the burn location and sifted every root and slash from the dirt to get to the fertile Satsuma silt loam below with hopes of creating a new tradition at the site of the old railroad depot once called Yawn Station.

Joe and Kay are praying that beginning with the Nov. 21 date and the subsequent holiday season as many as 2,000 families will harvest their Yuletide trees at Yawn Station Christmas Tree Farm, Louisiana’s newest addition to a growing agritourism industry.

Yawn Station Christmas Tree Farm is on the exact location of the old Yawn Station train depot that served the New Orleans, Natalbany and Natchez Railroad Line. Joe said the depot was named Yawn Station after the first stationmaster

who operated the NON&N whistle stop.

The NON&N’s tracks and ties were picked up long ago but the remnants of the old line that bisect the property are still there.

Few people remember Yawn Station but Joe said he and his wife want to rekindle the memory and foster a new ritual of families visiting the Christmas tree farm year after year.

He’s even bought a colorful mini-train to tour small children through the rows of his dark green Christmas trees. They already have booked more than 1,400 school-children to visit the farm during the upcoming season.

“My wife believes that traditions must be taught,” Joe said. “I’m hoping this farm will become a family-oriented business that will continue to build. We want to build a tradition of kids coming and visiting here.”

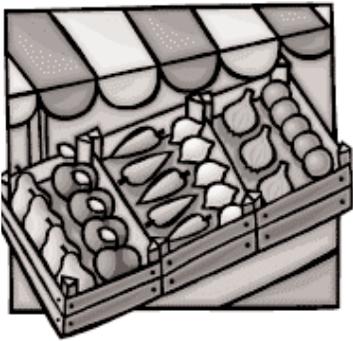
Joe and Kay are setting up Yawn Station Christmas Tree Farm to be a *See Yawn Station, continued on page 5*

Please mail this Market Bulletin to:

YAWN STATION

Christmas Tree Farm

29400 Ruby Purvis Road
Independence, LA 70443



Visit your local farmers market

AVOUELLES PARISH

Moreauville

WestMar Farms Dairy Market
851 Couvillion Street
Thurs. 2-6 p.m.

BEAUREGARD PARISH

Ragley

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

CADDO PARISH

Greenwood

Greenwood Farmers Market
Located in the William Peters
Town Park
Starting Saturday, May 2, 2009
Every Sat. 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Shreveport

Shreveport/Bossier Farmers
Market
river front at Festival Plaza
Wed. & Sat. 7:00 - 11:30 a.m.
June 3-Aug. 26
Oct. 21-Nov. 18, Sat. only

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.

Baton Rouge

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.

Baton Rouge

Red Stick Farmers Market #3
7248 Perkins Road
Thursdays 8 a.m. until 1 p.m.,
Year round

Zachary

Zachary Farmers Market
1650 Mt. Pleasant Road
2nd and 4th Saturdays begin-
ning
8 a.m.- 12 p.m.

EVANGELINE PARISH

Ville Platte

Ville Platte Farmers Market
11 East Main Street
Late June to end of produce
Fri. 5 p.m.-7 p.m.
Oct. to end of produce
Fri. 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

IBERIA PARISH

New Iberia

Teche Area Farmers Market
Bouligny Plaza
Tues. 3-6 p.m., Sat. 6-10 a.m.
year round

JEFFERSON PARISH

Gretna

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

Westwego

Westwego Farmers & Fisheries
484 Sala Ave., corner of 4th
Street
Tues 3-7 p.m. & Sat. 8:30
a.m.-2 p.m.
Year round

JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

Jennings

Main Street Farmers Market
Founder's Park
Sat. 7 a.m. - 10 a.m.,
May - Nov.

LAFAYETTE PARISH

Lafayette

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

Lafayette

City Garden Market
Heymann Blvd., Oil Center

Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

LAFOURCHE PARISH

Thibodaux

Thibodaux Main Street Market
314 St. Mary St. at Jean Lafitte
National Historic Park
Sat. 7 - 11 a.m.

LINCOLN PARISH

Ruston

Ruston Farmer's Market
Railroad Ave at Monroe Street
Sat. 7:30 a.m.- Noon, March-
November

LIVINGSTON PARISH

Denham Springs

Livingston Farmers Market
New Covenant Church parking
lot on Hwy. 190
Sat. 7 a.m. - noon, year round

MADISON PARISH

Tallulah

Tallulah Farmers Market
408 N. Cedar St., Hwy. 65
Tues., Thurs. & Sat.
8 a.m. - noon, May-Aug., Oct.-
Dec.

MOREHOUSE PARISH

Bastrop

Morehouse Parish Farmers
Market
305 E. Madison
Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-5p.m., year
round

NATCHITOCHE PARISH

Natchitoches

Cane River Green Market
Downtown Natchitoches river-
bank
Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., April 22-
July 29

ORLEANS PARISH

New Orleans

Crescent City Farmers Market
#1
700 Magazine St.
Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round

New Orleans

Crescent City Farmers Market
#2
Uptown Square, 200 Broadway
Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year
round

New Orleans

Mid-City Green Market

3700 Orleans Ave.
Thurs., 3-7 p.m.
Year Round

New Orleans

Upper Ninth Ward Farmers
Market
3500 St. Claude Ave.
Sat. 1-4 p.m., year round

OUACHITA PARISH

Monroe

Monroe Farmers Market
1212 Washington St.
Mon. - Sat. 6 a.m. - 1 p.m.,
June-Aug.

West Monroe

West Monroe Farmers Market
1700 North 7th St.
Mon. - Sat. 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.,
year round

ST. CHARLES PARISH

Destrehan

German Coast Farmers Market
#1
Parking lot of Ormond
Plantation
Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

Luling

German Coast Farmers Market
#2
12715 Hwy. (St. Charles Plaza
Wed. 3-6:30 p.m.
Year round

ST. LANDRY PARISH

Opelousas

St. Landry Farmers Market
952 East Landry St., Hwy. 190
Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 6-10 a.m.
Tues & Friday, 5-7 p.m.
May-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 #1
City Hall, 609 North Columbia
Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m.,
Year round

Covington

Covington Farmers Market #2

419 North New Hampshire
Wed. 10 a.m.- 2 p.m.
Year round

Folsom

Folsom Community Farmers
Market
Railroad Avenue
Every third Sat. starting May
16, 2009 until November 2009
9 a.m.- 1 p.m.

Mandeville

Mandeville Trailhead Comm.
Market
675 Lafitte St.
Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Year round

Slidell

Camellia City Farms Market
Griffith Park
Sat. 8 a.m.-12 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.
mid-May to mid-Nov.

WINN PARISH

Winnfield

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

OUT OF STATE

Vicksburg

Vicksburg Farmers' Market
Corner of Grove and Levee
Streets in downtown Vicksburg
Each Saturday in June, July
and August, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Louisiana Agriculture & Forestry Today

Strain against "Cap and Trade" energy policy

Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M., said the proposed American Clean Energy Security Act that is currently being debated in Congress is not favorable for Louisiana or the national agriculture economic sector.

"Cap and Trade is in essence a tax on fossil fuels that will artificially increase the cost of energy and manufactured products," Strain said. "The measure transfers those tax dollars to select individuals or groups in the hope that it will change private and corporate behavior. I think that is not good public policy."

The bill calls for the federal government to place limits (caps) on how much greenhouse gas industry, including agriculture, may release into the atmosphere.

In theory, by using the cap and

trade approach, generators of excess greenhouse gases who exceed the cap will be able to buy credits (trade) from economic sectors that sequester these gases. "Louisiana farmers will be subject to caps because of the nature of their crops and the limits set by the federal government," Strain said. "Our dairy and cattle operations as well as rice production will all be affected."

"Of particular concern to state cattle operations is enteric fermentation, which is included in the greenhouse gas limit and accounts for 20 percent of the total limit on agricultural emissions."

"A proposed solution to reduce enteric fermentation is to alter the animals' diets and receive credits for diet induced reductions. That implies that some farmers would be able to sell credits to heavy

greenhouse gas emitting industries for a profit.

"In reality, this creates an environment where many entities, not just farmers, will be in competition to sell their credits, but will ultimately lower the overall pool of funds available to farmers who may or may not have a chance to offset the added costs. "The legislation represents a net increased cost to the agricultural community and places Louisiana and United States agriculture at a disadvantage from a global trading standpoint."

Strain said he would support a voluntary approach that allows agricultural producers to reduce greenhouse gases through a variety of methods.

"Soil carbon sequestration, methane and fertilizer management and voluntary carbon mar-

kets are all ideas that need to be looked at thoroughly," Strain said. "The USDA Farm Bill conservation programs, administered by local Soil and Water Conservation Districts and the Natural Resources Conservation Service, have been very successful in helping farmers and other landowners to adopt best management practices like conservation tillage, nutrient management and water management."

"The Louisiana Master Farmer Program has also been very successful in encouraging agricultural producers to implement total resource management system plans into their farming operations. These are the sort of programs that will help reduce greenhouse gas emissions and sequester carbon." "But the main concern is that legislation should not hamper agricul-



Mike Strain DVM
Commissioner

ture's ability to provide abundant and safe food and fiber.

"American agriculture feeds the world and our government should do everything it can to ensure the United States maintains its preeminent agricultural position."

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13008 Hwy 190
West, Kinder
337-738-2778

Mansura Livestock

8745 Hwy 1
Mansura
318-964-5330

Dominique Stockyard

(Baton Rouge Location)
1462 Airline Hwy.
Baton Rouge
225-356-5203

Dominique Stockyard

(Carencro Location)
3600 N. University Ave.
Carencro
337-896-6995

Dominique Stockyard

(Opelousas Location)
2800 W. Landry Street
Opelousas
337-942-5661

Red River Livestock

Auction
P. O. Box 456 Hwy 1
Coushatta
318-932-5691

H & H Livestock

4202 Hwy 1
Raceland
985-446-6540

Amite Livestock Co.

58449 Hwy. 51
Amite
985-748-8636

Miller Livestock

100 Sale Barn Road
DeQuincy
337-786-2995

North Tangipahoa Stockyard

(formerly Fairchild
Livestock)

12036 Hwy. 38
Kentwood
985-229-8580

Delhi Livestock Auction

774 Hwy. 80
Delhi
318-878-2394

West Monroe Livestock

Auction
5243 Cypress St.
West Monroe
318-396-8445

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The Crimestoppers program and the Louisiana Department of Agriculture & Forestry's enforcement officers can help you solve livestock, farm equipment, or timber theft and forest arson crimes. Your anonymous tip which leads to arrest and conviction may get you a cash reward.

Cattle theft and other
agricultural-related crimes?

1-800-558-9741

Forestry related crimes?

225-925-4500

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learning experience for Pre-K, kindergarten and first-graders.

"There are kids out there who have never seen a real Christmas tree," Joe said.

In addition to the kiddie train ride, the Gersch's are setting up a mini-classroom, a petting zoo and fish pond.

"My wife is an educator and wants to teach children about Yawn Station and where trees come from," Joe said. "That's her dream."

The dream has taken a lot of work and Joe wasn't exactly encouraged after most of his initial planting died.

"I planted those first trees on well-drained flat ground but when they say Leyland cypress don't like to get their feet wet it means they need to be elevated," Joe said.

Despite the high mortality rate of his initial planting, Joe, armed with new knowledge, decided to go all in and plant more trees.

The learning curve was steep. He gathered plenty of information from the Southern Christmas Tree Association and started anew, but there's just no accounting for experience.

Though he's been an outdoor landscaper for

the last nine years, he is first to say he doesn't know everything when it comes to growing plants and trees.

"What did I do wrong with my trees?" he asked. "I could write a book."

Joe said planting a Christmas tree seedling means staking the tree to a bamboo rod for support. Joe said that is generally enough to keep the tree growing straight and true.

Tree farms in South Louisiana are more liable to experience hurricane winds and soggy soils saturated with rainfall than a farm in Birmingham, Alabama or Ouachita Parish. He learned the hard way that bamboo stakes are not enough to prop up a tree in gale force conditions.

And when you have 6,000 one-year-old Christmas trees planted that's a problem.

"Katrina blew down 5,000 of my trees," Joe said. "That's when I figured it would have been better to have my trees supported with wooden stakes. That's not something you necessarily learn from the tree association."

That hurricane crisis meant he had to scramble in the days after the storm to find 5,000

solid wood stakes.

"I had two employees full-time at the hardwood mill near here cutting stakes," he said.

Joe and Kay also got a lot of education from James King, retired owner of King Christmas Tree Farm. King's Hungarian Settlement tree farm is just a few miles south of the Gersch farm.

"Mr. King planned on retiring and directed his customers to Yawn Tree Farm," Joe said. "He taught me how to shear the trees and has really been a big help to us."

Joe said he expects his early market to come from Southeast Louisiana from places like Venice, New Orleans, Houma and Thibodaux.

"Mr. King said many of his customers showed up early in the morning on the first day of sales before eight o'clock to pick their trees," Joe said. "I won't mind if they come early."

Joe's hoping for 2,000 sales because that's how many eight to twelve foot trees he has ready to market.

"Our closing day is Dec. 20 but if a customer comes out here on Christmas Eve,



Joe Gersch rights a one-year-old Christmas tree that blew over

we're going to help him," Joe said.

It will be a new tradition.

Yawn Station Christmas Tree Farm's MapQuest address is 29400 Ruby Purvis Road, Independence, La., 70443.

For more information, call Joe or Kay at 985-878-6223 or e-mail at kaygersch@yahoo.com.

LA. CHOOSE-AND-CUT CHRISTMAS tree farms

Allen

Grant Christmas Tree Farm & Syrup Mill
318-634-3408
716 Whittaker Road, midway between DeRidder & Oberlin on Hwy. 377

Caddo

Adams Tree Farm
318-686-4770
6391 Buncombe Road
.7 miles off Pines Road

Weaver's Tree Farm

318-635-1042
I-20 west, north at Pines Road exit, left at Jefferson Paige Road, right at Jolly Naiper Road

Calcasieu

Starks Lions Club Christmas Tree Farm
337-743-6297 or 337-743-5351
426 Green Moore Road, I-10 exit 4, Hwy 109 north 8 miles, left on Green Moore, 4 miles, farm is on right

Catahoula

Fletcher & Sons Tree Farm
318-389-5894
FM 921, 3 miles south on Hwy. 15, between Clayton & Sicily Island

Concordia

Marie's Trees
318-757-4911
North of Ferriday on Hwy. 15, west on Kentucky Ave., 2

miles on Doty Road

DeSoto
Santa's Woods
318-797-4749
I-49 south to exit 191
Stonewall, east 4 miles on left

East Baton Rouge

Christmas Forest
225-654-3247
Hwy. 964, 4 miles north of Zachary

Deerland Tree Farm

225-654-4885
Hwy. 64
east of Hwy. 64 & 67

Kringlewood Christmas Tree Farm

225-658-4999
9050 Hwy. 64, 1.25 miles east of Plank Road, Zachary

East Feliciana

Windy Hills Farm
225-683-6828
8380 Hwy. 963, Ethel, Hwy. 19 north, right on 963, 2 miles on the right

Lafayette

Lisa's Christmas Tree Farm
337-856-5634
troy-lisaguidry@att.net
West Hwy. 92, left on Marteau Road, Broussard

Lincoln

Beaver's Christmas Tree Farm
318-247-8238

I-20, 4 miles west of Ruston to

Industry exit, north on Hwy. 563, 5 miles, on right
Evergreen Farms
318-243-8294
Hwy. 80, 1/2 mile west of Barnett Springs Road, Ruston

Livingston

Rock'n T's Christmas Trees
225-667-2709
21151 Debbie Lane, Denham Springs

Ouachita

Pepper Christmas Tree Farm
318-387-5172
From West Monroe, 9 miles south Hwy. 34, left on Hwy. 557
2.5 miles to farm

Precious Memories Tree Farm

318-396-5113
2 miles north I-20 exit 108, Hwy. 15, left 3 miles, right on Glen Acres Road

Rapides

A & N Christmas Forest
318-563-4785
From Alexandria, Hwy. 1 south 18 miles to Echo, turn right at Cheneyville Echo Road or Sandy Lane Road, 1/2 mile to stop sign, turn left, 2nd house on right

Milton's Christmas Tree Farm

318-442-0565
www.miltonsfarm.com
1605 Hwy. 457, Lecompte

Richland

Curry's Christmas Tree Farm
318-728-6203
Hwy. 133, 2 miles south I-20, 1 mile east on Robinson Drive, follow signs

Tangipahoa

Yawn Station Christmas Tree Farm
985-878-6223
29400 Ruby Purvis Road, Independence

St. Tammany

Shady Pond Tree Farm
985-863-5569
On Pine Street, off Hwy. 41, near Pearl River, follow signs

Santa's Tree Town

985-892-8340
From Covington Hwy 21 N, left on 1083, left on Hemphill Road, south Hwy. 1083

Tiger Branch Christmas Trees

504-494-9956 or 985-893-5520
6 miles north of Covington on Hwy. 25, turn right at Million Dollar Road, follow signs

Porter's Christmas Tree Farm

985-641-4321
Hwy. 1090 (Military Road) & Brownswitch Rd., NE of Slidell

Country Pines

985-893-2036
Jim Sharp Road,

east on Hwy. 437

Vermilion

Vincent's Christmas Tree Farm
337-643-6380
northeast of Kaplan on Hwy. 700, 2 miles north of Hwy. 35

Washington

Kennedy's Christmas Tree Farm
985-848-2782
Hwy. 438, 1 mile west of Hwy. 62, follow signs near Pine High School

Steeles Christmas Tree Farm

985-848-5133
56459 Dollar Rd., Angie

Webster

Hollis Tree Farm
318-371-0530
From Minden, 2 miles on U.S. Hwy. 79, left Miller Road, go 3 miles

Efforts have been made to verify they remain open but in some instances we were unable to reach the farms by phone and they remain on the list. Other tree farms may not appear in this listing because they were not submitted to the Bulletin. Please check local newspapers and other media for additional choose-and-cut operations in your area.

Coming Your Way

Second Saturday Plant Sale program will be held Dec. 12 at 9:00 a.m. at the Parkway Partners Greenhouse, 1137 Baronne St. (corner of Baronne and Clio), New Orleans.

A variety of guest speakers will lecture on horticultural issues.

For more information, call 504-620-2224 or e-mail dgraham@parkwaypartners.org.

An Arborist Continuing Education Workshop will be held on January 22 at the Northwest Louisiana Chapter Red Cross in Shreveport. Seating limited to 200, deadline is January 8.

For more information, contact Hallie Dozier at 225-578-2373.

A Halloween MAiZE will be hosted by CM Farms in Reeves through November 29 at Hwy. 190 next to Reeves City Park.

Hours of operation are 5 p.m.-9p.m. Fridays, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday and 1 p.m.-6 p.m. on Sunday. Field trip hours during weekdays are available by reservation.

Admission is \$10 for age 12 and up, \$8 for 4-11 and free for children 3 and under. Discounts are offered for families, groups and field trips.

For more information, contact CM Farms at 337-666-2280 or visit www.cmfarmllc.com.

National Shoot to Retrieve Association South Louisiana

Hunt and Field Trials featuring upland game birds will be held at a variety of locations this fall and winter.

In Grand Coteau, Nov. 28, contact Rob Barry at 337-662-5690 or barrynursery@atvci.net. In Melville, Dec. 12, contact Rob Barry at 337-662-5690 or barrynursery@atvci.net.

Winter Buckle Series Barrel Racing Nov. 28 at the Tip Top Arena in Lecompte.

Ag and novice horse classes offered.

Future dates include Dec. 12, Jan. 9, Jan. 30 and Feb. 13.

For more information call 318-445-8907 or visit www.rivercitiesbarrelracers.com

Exotic bird market vendors wanted for 2010 fairs in Kenner, Baton Rouge, Alexandria, Lake Charles, Monroe, Shreveport and Bossier City areas.

Call now if interested in establishing these bird marts.

For more information, contact W. D. Brown, Morning Star Expositons, at 214-244-0350.

The Grand Cane Pioneer Parade & Trade Day will be held Dec. 5 at 10 a.m. in Grand Cane.

Vendor booths, entertainment and pioneer demonstrations begin at 10 a.m. Horse and mule drawn vehicle parade begins at 11.

For more information, contact

Linda at 318-858-3419.

The 48th Louisiana Beekeepers Association Convention will be held December 4-5 at the Holiday Inn Bossier City, 2015 Old Minden Road in Bossier City.

All interested in beekeeping are encouraged to attend and learn the latest information on beekeeping basics, honey bee research, pest management, etc.

Call the Holiday Inn Bossier City at 318-742-9700, Monday through Friday from 8 am until 4 pm, to make reservations.

\$10 registration fee is required.

For more information, contact Alva Stuard at 225-261-2032 or Jimmy Dunkley at 225-610-2628.

Attention

All registered brand owners

All registered brands are recorded for a five year period and must be renewed the fifth year for the brand to remain active. September 1, 2009 marked the end of the current five year period.

The Livestock Brand Commission mailed out renewal notices to all brand owners to remind them of this. The fee for the next five years is \$10.00. This fee must be mailed in to avoid delays in processing your renewal.

Applications for brand renewals have been extended to Dec. 31, 2009. If the owner fails to renew his brand, it will be forfeited on the last day of the year and may thereafter be issued to another applicant.

If you did not receive your renewal notice, please contact our office or mail in the \$10.00 fee along with your certificate number, description of brand and the name the brand is registered in. Also, please note any changes in your mailing address.

Livestock Brand Commission
P.O. Box 91081, Baton Rouge, LA
70821-9081
225-925-3962 or 1-800-558-9741

Remember: A BRAND IS A COW'S ONLY RETURN ADDRESS

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ing for cholesterol, no pills for heart issues.

He's a slight slim man, maybe 150 pounds. His back is straight as it was when he was 30. He said he has a bit of arthritis in his right shoulder, something he says was probably caused by roping cattle. His breathy voice is quiet and unassuming but his hands are steady. He has no special diet restrictions.

"I can eat anything I want. The Lord has been good to me," Mr. Philip said. "He done blessed me."

And he's agile. While visiting with neighbor Fred Bass, the subject of Mr. Philip's cowboy days came up. Bass saddled up a sorrel gelding. Mr. Philip immediately went to the horse and tightened the girth. He raised a foot up to the stirrup, popped up into the seat with all the confidence of a Churchill Downs jockey, and skillfully guided the horse out into the yard.

Mr. Philip said he did a bit of horse-racing in his time back when bush tracks were popular. The track at the St. Tammany Fairgrounds was the proving grounds for local horses. The horses were classed by size.

"When I was an old boy, they had a little race track and I had a little mare," he said. "She wasn't no slouch."

Those local racehorses were bred for short lightning bursts of speed and more than one jockey couldn't hold on for the distance.

Mr. Philip smiled at the memory. "I never did fall off," he said.

And he never bet on horses. "I didn't know how they (the horses) was going to do," he said.

At 99 and counting, Mr. Philip is very aware that reaching the age of 100 is a significant feat. He's proud he still has a driver's license at his advanced age. It's a testament to his good health and eyesight.

Mr. Philip's grandson, Kevin McLain speculated on the stir when Mr. Philip renewed his license last year.

"He told me, 'I'm good for another four years, until I'm 103,'" McClain said.

A birthday party for Mr. Philip is scheduled for December 19 at the New Zion Baptist Church on Hwy. 40. Friends and well-wishers are invited.

Still, Mr. Philip longs for a lariat, pony and a herd of cattle.

"I worked cows everyday," he said. "It was a good thing."



Commissioner Mike Strain and cowboy Philip Sharp talk horses.

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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 pasturient or post pasturient 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.

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. Fred Elsing, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-442-0741 or 318-447-1145.

Reg. Angus bull, 3 1/2 yrs., Bando & Emulation bloodlines, proven breeder, calves to show, \$1700; (4) reg. Angus cows, 2-5 yrs. w/May & June calves by side, Traveler & Blackcap bloodlines, \$1100/1. Larry Nagy,

Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 504-455-4187.

Reg. Brahman bulls & heifers, halter broke & stick ready, \$1250/1-up; bred cows, bred to reg. J.D. Hudgins Brahman bull, \$2000/1-up. Jim Kratzer, Roanoke, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-277-7490.

Freezer calves, Charolais & Charlangus, \$2/lb. dress wt., \$1/lb. live weight, will deliv. to local slaughter house. Frederick Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-948-6511 or 337-331-3151.

Pb Bragus bull, 3 yrs., \$1200. Chris Normand, Pineville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-5569.

Red Simmental bull, 15 mos., naturally polled, 1100 lbs., very gentle, \$1000. Joe Allen Boothe, Calhoun, Ouachita Parish; 318-644-5993.

Reg. Angus bulls & heifers, 7-9 mos., \$525-\$600/1. Clinton Breland, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-848-9213 or 985-515-8883.

(7) Brangus type heifers, born 3/09, all shots, \$650/1 if all taken; (3) F1 Hereford/Brahman cross, born 3/09, all shots, \$800/1 if all taken; (3) F1 Hereford/Brahman cross, 18 mos., all shots, \$800/1 if all taken. Jason G. Guidry, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-898-2119.

(10) bred replacement cows, 2-3 yrs., bred to reg. Angus bull, very gentle, well built, vacc. & wormed, \$800/1 or \$775/1 if all taken; reg. Angus bull, \$2200. Ron Bearb, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-247-3999.

Brangus bull, Brinks Brightside 23T17 bloodline, 2 yrs., very gentle, lbw, high ww, vacc. & dewormed, \$1600; (12) Brangus bulls, 8-11 mos., wean., gentle, vacc. & dewormed, \$650-\$750/1. John B. Mailhes, Keithville, Caddo Parish; 318-925-0898.

Holstein Brahman heifer, \$650; Jersey Brahman heifer, \$600; Holstein Hereford, gentle & vacc., \$600. Leon Jarreau, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-261-2077 or 225-328-0960.

Angus cross butcher calves, will deliv. to slaughter house, \$1.15/lb. live wt. \$2.05/lb. dressed; Angus bulls on feed, \$700/1-up. Paul Tassin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-335-3788.

Brangus bull, 18 mos., pb, gentle, will trade for Brangus heifer, bred or exposed. Norman Young, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-303-3385.

Char. bulls, 16-20 mos., reg. & lbw, \$1500/1-up. Karen Fuqua, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-2888.

Reg. fresh Jersey cows, 3 yrs. & 8 yrs., \$1000/1; (2) 1/2 Holstein & 1/2 Jersey heifers, \$225/1. Marion Aucoin, Walker,

Livingston Parish; 225-664-8593 or 225-278-6299.

Reg. red Angus bulls & heifers, 8 mos., weaned 8/6/09, \$800/1. Wil Sonnier, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-654-4498.

(40) F-1 Brangus heifers, sired by Hudgins Brahman bulls, bred to lbw Gardiner Angus bulls, palped bred, to calf in Jan./Feb. '10; \$1400/1. Marty Engquist, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-603-0838.

Reg. blk. Beefmaster bull, 10 mos. & reg. red brindle bull, 6 mos., \$1000/1. William E. Deason, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 318-358-3304.

Reg. Char. bull, 15 mos., polled, straight back, very gentle, \$1200. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

(2) reg. Angus bulls, 3-4 yrs., calves to show, \$1500/1. Jack Pipes, Choudrant, Lincoln Parish; 318-768-2591 or 318-245-4099.

(25) Braford & tiger stripe heifers, exposed to GAR Angus bulls, \$800/1; (30) Brangus & Brangus white-face heifers exposed to Angus bulls, \$750/1. Troy Thibodeaux, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-684-6615.

Reg. blk. polled Simm., (7) bulls, 10 mos.-2 yrs., bloodlines Black Irish Kansas, good EPDs, \$750/1-up; (6) heifers, 11-20 mos., \$650/1-up, deliv. avail. Harold Landreneau, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-457-0505 or 337-351-8190.

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

Braford bull, 6 mos., great replacement bull, reg. dam & sire, \$750. Tommy Deshotel, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-1977 or 337-658-7305.

(60) reg. horned Hereford heifers, 600 lbs., \$700/1, if all taken, \$600/1. Mike Smith, Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-628-4631 or 318-628-6887.

Roping cattle, break-a-way roped, horns are too big & ready for team roping now, \$300/1; roping calves, 2"-3" horns, being break-a-way roped now, \$250/1. M. Chesson, DeQuincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-786-2316 or 337-786-2066.

Reg. Char. bulls, breeding age, ready for service, great bloodlines & disp., \$1800/1-up. Joshua Andre, Blanks, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-235-9013.

Reg. Angus bulls, 15 mos.-2 yrs., good selection, gentle, pasture raised w/good EPDs & pedigrees, \$1500-\$1700/1. John Collins, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-255-3761.

Reg. Simbrah bulls & heifers, 2-5 mos., show prospects & herd bull prospects, \$850/1-up. Craig Schultz, Bell City, Calcasieu Parish; 337-802-2173 or 337-622-3333.

Milking shorthorn heifers, 6

mos., \$450; (2) Angus Holstein cross heifers, 1 yr., \$550; (2) Angus/Jersey cross heifers, 1 yr., \$500/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-4345.

Jersey Guersney & Holstein cross cows, \$400/1; roping calves, 150 lbs. \$150/1. Justin Martinez, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-4345.

Jersey & Holstein milk/nurse cows, \$675/1; Jersey cross heifer calves, \$175/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-4345.

(34) Texas longhorns, 3-5 yrs., some w/calves on ground, all bred to calve by spring, \$17,200/all. Harry Roark, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-683-3971.

Young Brahman cross heifers, just weaned, on feed, \$475/1. Philip Watts, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-1306.

Big & stout home raised Brangus heifers, calving this fall, \$950/1 or all; big & stout golden certified Braford heifers, calving this fall, \$1250/1 or all. P. Watts, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-1306.

Reg. Angus bulls, ready to be weaned, show possibility, \$800/1. Donald de la Houssaye, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3446.

Polled Hereford bulls, 10 mos., performance bred, great EPDs, gentle, all shots & wormed, \$850/1-up. Laura Hughes, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-658-5348.

Reg. gray Brahman bulls, 8-12 mos., very gentle, good muscling, champion bloodlines for show, 4-H projects, commercial sires, vacc. & wormed, \$1200. Louis Dooley, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-334-0364.

Reg. Brangus bull, blk., 20 mos., gentle, calving ease, high milk boodlines, very good quality, ready to work, \$1400. Bill Clattenburg, Montpelier, St. Helena Parish; 225-223-7521.

(30) Brangus & blk. baldy type heifers, top quality, bred to Angus bulls, pregnancy checked in Aug., \$1000/1-up. Ed O'Neal, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-463-8665 or 337-463-3946.

F1 Braford bull, 6 mos., weaned, some w/brindle tiger striped, nice bull prospect, \$550. Trase Satcher, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-665-6265.

(25) Braford heifers, \$550/1; (15) 2 yr. Braford heifers, exposed, \$1000/1; 5 yr. reg. Brahman bull, gentle, \$1800. Gerald Hoffpauir, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-774-5439.

Reg. gray Brahman show heifer & bull prospects, \$1000/1-up. Colleen Callendar, Duson, Lafayette Parish; www.frbrahmans.com or 337-852-5314.

Reg. polled Char. bull, 3 yrs.,

herd bull ready for heavy service, grandson of both HBR Program 297 & HBR Magnum 93, \$1500; cows & heifers pasture exposed for late winter calving, \$750/1. Joel Pigott, Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish; 985-326-6516.

Pb Char. bull, polled, dewormed, no bad habits, very gentle, easy to handle, \$1400. Philip Melancon, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-873-6232.

(43) Char. bulls, \$1100-\$1500/1. Max King, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-8302.

Brahman cross heifers, vacc. & wormed, gentle, bucket broke & elec. fence, \$525/1-up. Don Barlow, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-683-4177 or 225-610-0257.

Dexter cattle, pb & reg., (2) cows due to calf this winter, extra-nice bull, all blk. & good quality, \$1000/1. Beverly Whittington, Keithville, Caddo Parish, 318-925-9103.

(4) tiger stripe heifers, reg. Angus bull, real deal w/free deliv., \$5500. Bob Shoalmite, Powhatan, Natchitoches Parish; 318-352-0355.

(4) reg. Char. bulls, breeding age, \$1200-\$2000/1; (6) reg. Char. yrlg. bulls, \$900-\$1700/1. Phillip Plaisance, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-9693.

Reg. Angus heifers & bulls, EPDs & AI products frame size & genetics, \$850/1-up. Greg Tate, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-6606 or 337-360-1632.

Semi-Angus heifers & bulls, super baldies, solid blk., selling single or in a group, \$850/1. Greg Tate, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-6606 or 337-360-1632.

Reg. Texas longhorn cows, heifers & bulls, reduction sale, \$500/1-up. Matt Westmoreland, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-3172.

(20) heifers, sired by Gardiner Ranch Angus bulls, 525-575 lbs., vacc. & wormed, \$550/1. Maxwell Lea, Jr., Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-6858.

Reg. Beefmaster cows, 3 yrs., \$1400/pr.; bull, \$1500, heifers also avail. Aaron Poirrer, Roseland, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-3009 after 6 p.m.

Reg. Angus bulls, 1-2 yrs., stout & heavy muscled, ultrasound & EPD data, top genetics, GAR Predestined, Rito, Objective, 5050, ready for work, \$1500/1-up; reg. Angus heifers, bred & pairs to Big Eye, 5050 & Grand Bayou Objective 7061, started calving in Sept., \$1400/1; (4) F1 heifers, 12-13 mos., reg., Angus by reg. Brahman, all shots & wormed, ready to breed in Dec., \$900/1. Lee Robbins, Dubach, Lincoln Parish; www.grandbayoufarms.com or 318-623-8762.

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.

Reg. Angus cow w/newborn heifer calf, 25 mos., EPDs top 10%, AMF & NHF, excellent health, very gentle, top bloodlines, New Design, BR Midland & Traveler, her reg. #15880727, heifer calf is for Angus bull #15711088 New Design & Black Cap, \$2000. Al Rozas, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-546-6337 or 337-580-4709.

Reg. Angus heifer, 11 mos., tested AMF, NHF, top bloodlines, New Design & Rito, good EPDs, excel. health, reg. # 16213939, \$900 obo. Al Rozas, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-546-6337 or 337-580-4709.

Reg. gray Brahman cows, 4 yr., will calve spring of '10 for a reg. Brahman bull, nice & gentle, large & thick, good depth, good health, vacc., \$2200. Al Rozas, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-546-6337 or 337-580-4709.

Reg. Angus bulls, 20 mos., lbw, gentle, pasture raised on limited feed, ready for service, \$1500-\$1800/1. Errol Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

Reg. Angus heifer, 13 mos., \$750; reg. Angus heifer, 5 mos., \$500; Brangus heifer, 1 yr., \$675. Joe Aulds, Ruston, Livingston Parish; 318-255-0047 or 318-514-9360.

(3) reg. Beefmaster bulls, ready for heavy service, top bloodline, \$1500/1. Gaston Gerald, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-8816 or 225-603-9073.

Reg. Beefmaster bull, 2 1/2 yrs., good bloodlines, light red, 4-H ribbon winner, \$900. Geren Ducote, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-922-4150 or 318-359-0337.

Reg. Angus bull, born 2/14/04, ready for heavy service, bloodlines Queen, Something Special, Traveler & Touchstone, wonderful features, gentle, respects fences, \$1850. Ed Dugas, Carencro; Lafayette Parish; 337-896-4335.

Reg. Hereford heifers & bulls, top bloodlines, polled & horned, shown in La. 4-H livestock shows, \$2000/1-up. Crockett or Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

2001 reg. Angus bull, bloodlines Traveler, Vagabond & Patriot, calves to show, \$1500. Ray Clark, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-873-6061.

Dispersal sale, (42) F1 Braford cows, 3-6 yrs., bred to lbw Angus bulls for 60 day calving, \$50,000/all. Paul Miller, Lacassine, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-588-4362 or 337-504-5909.

Reg. miniature Zebu cattle, bulls, cows and calves, assorted colors show quality \$800/1-up. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-256-2420 or 318-332-2042.

Winnsboro, Franklin Parish; 318-435-4679 or 318-435-3104.

TW geld., dark bay, 15 yrs., 17 hands, smooth gait, trail rides, easy to handle load & trim, includes tack, must sell, \$1000 obo. G. Soileau, Sunshine, Iberville Parish; 225-642-0777.

2009 stallion, lots of chrome & flashy, 375 lbs., \$2000; '09 pal. filly, darling disp., some chrome, great bloodlines, 350 lbs., goes back to First Down Dash on sire side, dam Back to Sun Frost, \$2000; '92 mare, big stout, sweet, foal by side, dbl. bred Dash For Cash, \$1200; '97 stallion, son of Dashing Cleat, grand-sire is First Down Dash, 16.2 hands, 1300 lbs., \$6500. Marlene Stewart, Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

Blk./wh. APHA colts & broodmares, top bloodlines, Hancock, Timidating, Sonny Ded Bar, James Caan, Coosa, Bluemax, priced to sell all mares in foal, \$800-\$1200/1. Brian Olivier, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-543-4460.

2008 APHA pal. & golden pal. solid fillies, awesome conform., AQHA sire bred Doc, Poco Bueno, Tivio, Peppy San Badger, dams, Skipa Star, Titans Flit & Encore, \$950/1-up; (2) blk. & (1) perlino AQHA stallions, 2-3 yrs., Doc Bar, Doc Lynx, Poco Bueno & Tivio, Jameen Tivio, Peppy San Badger, Gay Bar King, excel. conform. & disp., very intelligent, no bad habits, \$950/1-up. Jay Parker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-463-2237.

APHA blk./wh. stallion, 8 yrs., homozygous tabiano, super disp., conform., 16 hands, 1400 lbs., bloodlines Skipa Star, Titans Flit, Grand Ruler, excel. breeder, sound, no bad habits, \$3000. J. Parker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-463-2237.

(3) beautiful fillies, 6 mos., weanlings, sired by reg. Appaloosa stallion, halter broke, beginning ground work, \$500/1. Tim Oliver, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-4641.

(2) AQHA reg. 19 mos. geld., sire is Bayou Fuel out of Oklahoma Fuel, timed event prospects, ready for training, \$800 nego. Lisa Crigler, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-8977.

Reg. TWHBEA & SSHBEA blk. & wh. geldings, blk. & wh. fillies, gray gelding, 3 yrs. & younger, \$500/1-up. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, St. James Parish; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

Reg. TW stud colt, 1 yr., blk. w/2 wh. socks on hind legs, \$500; blk. filly, 2 yrs., bloodline Shades of Carbon, \$500. Tim Brasseaux, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-776-5662.

AQHA wean. brown filly,

Colonel Freckles, Zan Par Bar on papers, well built, stout, gentle & easy, leads, backs, turns, ties, well broke, \$800. D. Perron, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-0518 or 337-789-7724.

AQHA buckskin, 3 yrs., beautiful, geld., broke, gentle, easily handled, ready for advanced training, \$3500. May Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

AQHA pal. stallion, 2 1/2 yrs., 44% Royal King, ridden for 30 days, good disp., easily handled, excel. stud prospect, \$2500. Errol Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

AQHA reg. pal. mare, 3 yrs., 4-H reserve grand champion, broke to ride, \$1200 obo. Blake Bertrand, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7416 or 337-459-6629.

APHA reg. solid sorrel, '09 colt, excel. disp., show prospect, grandson of Dominate Clue, \$600 obo. Blake Bertrand, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7416 or 337-459-6629.

Reg. TW buckskin stallion, 7 yrs., produce stocky, gentle colts, well-mannered, rides great, wonderful gait, bloodline Last Chance, \$3500. Linda Spears, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7365.

(4) miniature donkeys, (3) jennies, geld., \$275-\$650/1. Rita Ducharme, Columbia, Richland Parish; 318-649-8866.

1998 AQHA big good looking ranch geld., 88% foundation bred, roping & darting cattle, ran barrels, poles & team penning, great for 4-H, \$2800. Kerry Simon, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-8656.

1989 AQHA mare, used for team penning, ranch roping & sorting, excel. for beginner child or older person, great for 4-H, \$1200. K. Simon, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-8656.

AQHA & APHA, huge reduction sale, must sell, quality breeding, all colors, buckskins, pal. & blk. sorrels, etc., no reasonable offer refused, wean. & older, \$200/1-up. Jane Vidal, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4151.

Dispersal sale, AMHA reg. miniature horses & donkeys, stallions & mares, champ stock, \$500/1-up; pkg. pricing, (3) mares w/free colt, up-to-date vacc. Michael or Brenda Hebert, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-373-1393.

2000 AQHA pal. stallion, very gentle & easy, working horse, sire Lads Crier, dam Skipas Double Star, good producer, \$3500 nego. Belva Soileau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4358 or 337-692-5211.

Mammoth jenny colt, red sire, 15 hands, dam 14.2 hands, easy handle, will sell at wean., \$350.

Dennis Smith, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-567-1891 or 225-436-9002.

Mammoth riding jenny, 12 yrs., up-to-date on shots & worming, heads easy, good w/farrier, easy handle, roan, 14.3 hands, \$1300; mammoth blonde jenny, 8 yrs., up-to-date on shots & worming, has had (3) colts, open, will breed for free, \$800. Dennis Smith, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-567-1891 or 225-436-9002.

2006 AQHA bay geld., 60 days training, good disp., performance prospect, bloodline Dash for Cash, accredited La. bred, \$2500. Brian Brasseaux, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-322-1423.

Miniature horses & miniature gray & paint donkeys, males, \$300/1; females, \$400/1. Jerry Corley, Trout, LaSalle Parish; www.corleysminiatureacres.com. or 318-992-8101.

Dispersal sale, AMHA reg. miniature horses, stallions, mares, geld. & foals, all have been handled, sweet & loves people, \$500/1. Audrey Mizell, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-871-9568 or 985-705-9119.

Geld, 8 yrs., Off of Easy Jet, beautiful gray, 14.2 hands, 1100 lbs., reg. papers avail., "Jet," loads in 2-horse straight load or slant trailer, does not kick or bite, no bad habits, ridden in water, around 4-wheelers, can last all day on trails, potential to rope or sort cattle, \$1600. Gina Cutrer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-229-4477.

Flashy, 11-yr-old paint geld., excel. trail horse, lots of color, beautiful mane & tail, 14 hands, 950 lbs., loads in 2-horse straight load or slant, does not kick or bite, no bad habits, been ridden in water, around 4-wheelers & in parades, \$1800. G. Cutrer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-229-4477.

Miniature stallion, 6 mos., very gentle, \$500. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-542-0252.

Mule, sorrel w/blonde mane & tail, 15 hands, rides & pulls, parade & traffic safe, anyone can ride or drive, \$1000. Darwin Young, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-580-4400.

Donkeys, standards & mammoths, makes good pets or guard animals, different ages & colors, deliv. avail., jennies, \$200-\$300/1. D. Young, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-580-4400.

Miniature pal. filly, 5 mos., gray & wh. mare, 12 yrs., filly starting to do tricks for treats, \$500-\$800/1. Roy Hazelwood, Lacombe, St. Tammany Parish; 985-882-3210.

Blk./wh. stallion & mares, \$1000/1-up. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish;

www.catcawoods.com or 504-812-8018.

Down Home Dash gray mare, 5 yrs., 15.1 hands, loping barrel pattern, no vices, good ground matters, quiet & easy to get along with, \$6500. Barb Ackerson, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-5070.

2007 paint filly, sorrel w/wh. flaxen mane & tail, 15.2 hands, responsive to ground work, accepts saddle, doesn't spook easy, \$1500 nego. Katherine Clark, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-938-5622.

Reg. 2009 Rocky Mountain chocolate filly, beautiful, sire is Over The Top, \$2500; reg. 1 yr. Rocky Kentucky Mountain geld., chocolate, flaxen mane & tail, nice, sire is Amego's Rock'n Gem, \$3000. Dwayne, Larose, Lafourche Parish; 985-632-4968 or 985-859-3588.

Reg. 2009 SSHBEA brown/wh., stallion, very nice, sire is Over The Top, \$1000. Dwayne, Larose, Lafourche Parish; 985-632-4968 or 985-859-3588.

AMHA & AMHR mini horses, fillies, studs, colts, all colors, some broke to pull cart, \$450/1-up. Darron Cunningham, Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-567-9594.

1997 blk. QH broodmare, good conform., gentle, in foal to Shining Sneakers, AQHA open superior reining, son of Shinning Sneakers, great mind, athletic, quiet, willing, own son of Shining Spark, \$15,000. Cheryl Borer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-667-7415.

1997 bay stallion, Shinning Sneakers, AQHA open superior reining, great mind, athletic, quiet, willing, own son of Shining Spark, \$15,000. C. Borer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-667-7415.

AQHA reg. bay mare, 12 yrs., some parade riding experience, good for trail rides, strong, needs experienced rider, \$1000 obo; AQHA reg. bay mare, 14 yrs., trail & parade riding, \$1000; QH TW mix, 18 yrs., trail & parade riding, gentle, great kid's horse, \$800. Clark McClendon, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-502-7278.

Mammoth donkeys, jacks, jennys & yrlgs., colored & spotted, many to choose from, \$400/1-up. Fred Atkinson, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7119 or 337-796-1867.

(20) reg. Tennessee Walkers, herd reduction, gentle wean., yrlgs., mares, geld., stallions, red roan, spotted buckskin, bay, blk., sorrel, wh., will trade for farm equipment, no horses for trade, \$600/1-up. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7365.

1999 AQHA bay mare, bloodline of double bred Doc's

Prescription w/Peppy San Badger & Doc Athena, \$1600; '06 AQHA dun mare, granddaughter of Hollywood Dun It, bloodlines Doc's Prescription, Peppy San Badger & Doc Athens, \$1200. Mike LeFleur, Kinder, Allen Parish; 337-515-0686.

Painted TW horses, wean., \$350/1-up. Carl Devillier, Chataignier, Evangeline Parish; 337-580-9190.

1996 reg. bay thoroughbred mare named Today's Heroine, jockey # 9612659, DNA typed w/AQHA, does not ride well, excel. broodmare, \$1500 obo; '08 un-reg. pal. Appendix stallion, Hollywood Dun It, Aguila Baron, Zan Parr Bar, Gay Bar King, Native Dancer, only halter broke, \$750; '00 reg. sorrel paint mare, Freckled Effects, APHA #557,758, does not ride, excel. broodmare, \$1500 obo. Sarina S. Lirette, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-665-0464.

Several nice reg. TW geldings, paints, solids, \$800-\$1000; 6 yr. tri-color MF trotter or geld., \$1000/1. Jack or LaJuan Johnson, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 985-665-0464.

Hafinger mare & sulkey, 8 yrs., sorrel w/wh. mane & tail, blaze face, 4 wh. stockings, buggy mare, all harnesses, red sulkey w/top, excel. cond., rides 3 people, road safe, trained by Amish for driving only, gentle & easy to handle, \$2000/all; 1 yr. triple reg. TW gray/wh. tobiano stallion, champ bloodlines, 14.2 hands, should mature to 16 hands, large frame, good color producer, wh. mane & tail, calm & gentle, leads well, \$800. Jack or LaJuan Johnson, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; johnsonhorsefa8747@att.ent or 318-253-8981.

Miniature horses, AMHA, AMHR, FMHA reg., Buckaroo, Sid's Rebel, Gold Melody Boy champion bloodlines, bred mares, wean., yrlg. fillies & colts, \$500/1-up. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; www.catcawoods.com or 504-813-8018.

Reg. Peruvian pasos, world's smoothest ride for pleasure, trail or show, all ages, \$4500/1. Sharlane Clattenburg, Montpelier, St. Helena Parish; www.clattenburganch.com or 225-938-5359.

Reg. pb Arabian stallions, mares, colts & fillies, Egyptian bloodlines, Ibn Halima, Morafic, Kabull, Barich de Washoe, \$1500. Donovan Stoute, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-3815.

Red & wh. American saddle paint stud, 18 mos., will take & break to ride & deliv., \$650. Rodney Moreau, Simmesport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-941-2987.



Blk./wh. painted jack, 14 hands, \$200; strawberry roan 13.2 hands at stud, \$100. David Fields, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-396-7875 or 318-366-4508.

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

AQHA perlino, guaranteed buckskin on your mare of any color, Doc O'Lena, Poco Bueno/Gay Bar King breeding, \$300/\$5 mare. Jane Vidal, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4151.

Reg. 2003 AQHA sorrel stallion by Daulin Gun out of Dual Pep, Peppy San Badger, Doc Hickory & Miss Silver Pistol, dam is Razz Berries, out of Son of a Doc, Doc Bar & Gay Bar King, full brother to reigning Futurity winner, \$300/\$5 mare care. Roger Brown, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-277-7290.

AQHA pal., 90% foundation bred, Doc Bar & King bred, third generation, dilute gene, \$300/\$5 mare care; APHA blk./wh. tobiano overo, producer of color foals w/great conform. & disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Mike Vidal, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4151.

Reg. 2006 blk. & wh. tobiano homozygous TW stallion, by Unconditioned out of Hoosier Daddy & Commanche Battle Color, dam is Shonee Delight out of Stone Delight & Pride's Ultra Threat, 15 hands, great conform., \$300/\$5 mare care. J. Briley, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-277-6695.

Reg. 2005 AQHA cremello stallion, by Peppy a Sport, out of Peppy A Gem, dam is Sandy's War Leo, out of Don War Leo, he is 92% foundation bred & reg. w/APHA, has a great disp. & conform., 15.1 hands, \$300/\$5 mare care. Jim Briley, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-277-6695.

Reg. 2005 AQHA perlino stallion, by Kiowa Bar Fritz, out of Bar Doc Fritz & Doc's Sweetie Doll, dam is BMJ Vanilla Sunday, out of Buddy Man Jack & Handy Man Jack & Poco Taito, he is reg. w/the Foundation Quarter Horse Association as 93% foundation bred, has a beautiful disp. & conform., \$300/\$5 mare care. M. Briley, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-277-6695.

Iowna Cleat, son of Dashing Cleat, S1 111, sire of many money earners, dam Sensuous Sound S1

99, by Sound Venture, sire of many race money earners, semen shipping can be arranged, extra fees will apply, fee for '09 live breeding, \$500, mare care avail. Marlene Stewart, Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

AQHA Cremello, CC Dash of Lighting, 15.2 hands, throws pal. & buckskins w/small heads & big butts, racing halter, reining/roping bloodlines Call Me Dash, SI-98, Skipper W, foals to show, \$300-\$500/1. Lisa Lyons, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.



Dispersal sale, 100% reg. Boer goats, nannies exposed to large red buck, \$150/1-up; 10-mo.-old does & bucks, \$100/1-up; red buck, proven sire, \$300. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-542-0252.

Nigerian dwarf goats & fainting goats, males, \$75/-/\$100/1. Jerry Corley, Trout, LaSalle Parish; www.corleysminia-tureacres.com or 318-992-8108.

(3) Nigerian bucks, (2) blue eyes, 3 mos., ready to go in 1/10, \$75/1. Jessica Squyres, Jonesville, Catahoula Parish; AJAFARMS.WEBS.COM or 318-339-9017.

100% billy goat, 3 yrs., proven sire, \$250; (3) bred nannies, 2-4 yrs., \$200/1; (5) nannies, 9 mos., \$150/1, excel. 4-H prospects or herd additions. Darlene Marchand, St. Amant, Ascension Parish; 225-675-6821 or 225-354-9303.

Myotonic, fainting goats, \$50/1-up. Harold Hoover, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-5719.

75% Kiko buckling, born 1/18/09, sired by Coats Unlimited, LeRoy, GUL 6515, DNA proven, ready to go to work, \$150. Howard Gryder, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-737-9593.

Pb Lamancha buck, 3 yrs., \$150; pb Lamancha buck, 1 1/2 yrs., \$100; Lamancha wether, big pet, \$60; Saanan/Lamancha doe, 1 yr., \$90. Darren Guillory, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-375-4534 or 337-328-2227.

Boer goats, herd sale, (31) some bred, 100% reg. Boer buck, red heads & solid brown, \$3200/all. David Wallace, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-3149.

Wh. Katahdin ewes, 1-2 yrs., good quality. Jimmy Melancon, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-458-2040.

Reg. Nubian bucks, born 1/09, \$200/1. Marguerite Constantine, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; WesMarFarms@gmail.com or 318-985-2095.

Jonesville, Jackson Parish; www.thegobrokegoatfarm.webs.com or 318-339-7777.

Beautiful herd, LSU maintain, pb Nubians, Alpine, Lamancha & Boers, Lamancha/Nubian cross doe, 6 mos., \$110; pb Nubian doe, 3 mos., dehorned, \$175; other does exposed to bucks, \$400/1-up. Bonnie Hollis, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-791-2968 or 225-936-3592.

Fb & comm. Boer does, ready to show 4-H, born 3/09; La. bred tags, \$250/1-up. Richard, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-6264.

Reg. pb white Dorper sheep, spring ewe & ram lambs, several yrs. breeding rams, bred open adult ewes, 1-3 yrs., wormed & foot rot tolerant more muscle & meat, hair sheep, no shearing, \$175/1-up. Rodney Cotton, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-640-2042.

ADGA reg. Nubian & Lamancha dairy goats, bucks & does, good milkers, \$150/1-up, Nubian buck, \$200/1-up; ready to breed Nubian doe, \$250. Wanda Barras, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-394-6683 or 337-519-0231.

Small pygmy goats, various colors, \$75/1-up. Bernard Darbonne, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-765-9415.

Boer goat herd close out, (11) females, 75%-100%, all bred, 100% Boer buck, all red heads, \$1000/all. Raphael Johnson, Basile, Evangeline Parish; 337-432-5073 or 337-580-8322.

(3) bucklings, crossbred Nubian & Boer, \$75/1. J. McBride, Maurice, Acadia Parish; 337-789-5476.

Blue-eyed Nigerian dwarf goats, assorted colors, (2) males, \$100/1; female, \$175/1. Ronnie Andrepont, St. Landry, Evangeline Parish; 337-461-2668 or 337-336-1809.

2008 reg. Katahdin ram, \$500; (5) '09 spring ewe lambs, \$225/1. Mike or Regina Viator, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-369-9319.

Reg. Nubian doe, 2 yrs., exposed to buck for Feb '10 freshening, \$250. Lloyd Geist, Gray, Lafourche Parish; 985-850-4489.

Nigerian dwarf or pygmy goat babies, ready for Thanksgiving, \$135/1-up. Dianna Allshouse, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-7277 or 985-878-8453.

Katahdin sheep, young rams & ewes, \$50/1; (2) ABGA reg. breeding/show does, March '08 & May '08, shown & placed well, ready to breed, \$300/1. Cody Boudreaux, Belle Rose, Assumption Parish; www.grandbayouboers.com or 225-473-7635.

Wanted: butcher lambs, wood sheep not hair sheep. Stan Muller, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-826-3250.

DOGS

NSDR/CKC reg. Australian shepherd pups, lots of colors, merles, tris & solids, wormed & shots, intelligent, companion or work dog, parents on premises, \$250/1. Pat Boudreaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-257-6582.

NKC reg. blk. mouth & red mouth, born 6/11/09, first shots & wormed, \$150/1. Coy Jones, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 985-732-9482.

Dog curs, sire NKC reg. blk. mouth buckskin, blk. mouth, dam NKC reg. blk. mouth, red/blk. mask, pups born 6/11/09, first shots & wormed, 3rd generation papers, (4) males, (5) females, \$125/1. Coy Jones, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 985-732-9482.

CKC reg. beagle pups, 9 wks.-5 mos., 10" & under, shots & wormed, straight rabbit stock, (3) reg. female brood beagles, not trained, pups, \$75/1; brood females, \$50/1. Lavon Rester, Franklinton, Washington Parish 985-848-8419 or 985-515-7985.

(8) pups, ½ Ratteria & ½ Jake Russell, born 8/7/09, good around animals & children, good livestock dogs, wormed & shots, \$75/1. Crockett or Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

(2) great Pyrenees, 2 yrs., vacc. & shots, house broke, neutered, good pets, \$150/1. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

AKC Chihuahuas, top show bloodline in the nation, long coat Chihuahua pups, vacc. & wormed, \$500/1. Wade Davis, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-794-9558.

CPR beagles, 6 mos., Jack Russell, 7 mos., West Highlong terriers, 6 mos., basset, 2 mos., \$50/1-up. Howard Gryder, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-737-9593.

CKC reg. miniature dapple dachshunds, miniature rat terriers, Chihuahuas, miniature pinschers, Pomeranians, Boston terriers, all breeds, small type males & females, pups had shots & wormed, \$100/1-up; Steven Branch, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-848-2224.

Reg. basset hounds, (9) lemon & wh., males & females, born 10/30/2009, ready for 12/30/09; \$200/1. Kurt Courville, Lake Charles, Calcasieu; 337-274-1093.

Black Creek beagles, born 7/18/09, (1) female, (2) males, \$75/1. Eugenie Rachel, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-683-4361.

Jack Russell -rat terrier pups, jack-rats, born 10/04/09, (6) females, \$75/1. Kenneth Bergeron, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-2436.

(4) reg. border collie pups, 2 ½ mos., strong head & heel parents,

(2) males, (2) females, \$400/1. Glen Leger, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-5158 or 337-543-4303.

(4) reg. beagle pups, 4 mos., 10" & under, shots & wormed, straight rabbit stock, \$75/1. Lavon Rester, Franklinton, Washington Parish 985-848-8419 or 985-515-7985.

(2) male Australian shepherd pups, born 4/17/09, tails docked & dew claws removed, own both parents, blk. tris, vacc., began potty training & manners, excellent indoor/outside family pet, \$100; chocolate lab mix, 10 mos., outdoor dogs, male, recused dogs, vacc., male, good with any age, free. Dana Letchworth, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-763-1600.

Duck dog, trained & ready to hunt, AKC blk. female Labrador retriever, 4 yrs., health guaranteed, \$1200. Dean Gunter, LeCompte, Rapides Parish; 318-776-9235 or 318-466-2323.

AKC beagles, top AKC show champions & home of the famous Parader bloodline hunting stock bred by John Frances Davis & family since '33, vacc. & wormed on regular schedule, males, \$200/1; females, \$250/1. Wade Davis, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-794-9558.

CKC dachshund, breeder quality, blk./tan & chocolate, smooth coat & semi-long, \$300. Sue Dumatriat, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-725-3063.

NKC reg. blk. mouth & red mouth, born 6/11/09, first shots & wormed, \$150/1. Coy Jones, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 985-732-9482.

AKC reg. German shepherd pups, (4) males, born 7/31/09, \$300/1. Murrell Hoffpauir, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-6209 or 337-258-1383.

Alum. dog box, 2-door compartment w/dry storage on top, fits in the back of a Kawasaki Teryx, \$600. Donna Barrow, Burr Ferry, Vernon Parish; 337-286-9353.

ABCA reg. border collie pups, parents on site, smart, beautiful, easily trained or just a pet, female tri-color, born 6/10/09, shots & wormed, (3) males, (3) females, \$300/1; tri-color & blk./wh., born 8/25/09, first shots & wormed, \$300/1. Bill or Donna Musselwhite, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-352-2180.

Fb Plott pups, excel. parents, females, first shots & wormed, born 9/25/2009, \$150. Kurt Allen, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-571-5234.

(2) CKC Shih-tzu males, wh./tan/light brown, \$300/1. J.C. Deville, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-0698.

World Champion bred border collie pups, born 11/16/09, now booking several pups from our world champion cow dog Head 'N

Heels Mack and our OK Reserve Futurity winner, Head 'N Heels Jill, Jill is a daughter of World Champion cow dog Rockin G Spurs, this is a proven cow dog cross, pups, \$700/1, Mack at stud, \$400. Mickey Thibodeaux, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; www.headnheels.com or 225-261-3886.

Head 'n Heels border collie pups, Head 'N Heels Kate and Rockin G Tango, Kate is a daughter of World Champion cow dog, Head 'N Heels Mack. Tango, is an outstanding son of World Champion Rockin G Spurs, born 11/28/09, pups, \$700/1; Mack at stud \$400. M. Thibodeaux, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge parish; www.headnheels.com or 225-261-3886.

AKC German shepherd pups, extra-large, German bloodlines, \$500. Buddy Goatcher, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; bgoatcher@cox.net or 337-257-4813.

Reg. beagle pups, 10" & under, \$75/1; (5) reg. brood beagles, \$50/1 or \$200/all. Lavon Rester, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-848-8419 or 985-515-7985.

Jack Russell & Parson terriers, rare blk./wh., AKC bloodline, great for the farm, from working stock, short & long legged, some w/blue merle & blue eyes, also tri-colored, pups & adults avail., \$200-\$650/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-0248.

AKC reg. German shepherd pups, all shots & papers, (3) females, 7 wks., \$275/1; (2) females, 6 mos., \$225/1. Brent Dautat, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-9242.

Anatolian x Pyrenees pups, first shots & wormed, female, male, \$100/1. David Rigsby, Converse, Sabine Parish; 318-796-2796.

Reg. border collie female, 16 mos., very gentle, easy to handle, obedience training, good pet or working dog, \$150. R. Robertson, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-443-1211.

Good barn dogs, 6 wks., ½ reg. border collie, ½ rat terrier, blk./wh., very cute, free. Mary Kay Walker, Cade, Lafayette Parish; 337-967-0139.

Blue heeler pups, born 9/22/09, first shots & wormed, tails docked, \$100/1. Richard Charpentier Sr., Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-2285.

CKC Jack Russell pups, born 3/9/09, (2) males, \$200/1; female, \$250, accepting deposits now, new litter expected on 9/15/09. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 504-812-8018.

Squirrel dogs, pups & started dogs, feist & curs, \$100/1. Norman Usie, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-332-1459.

AKC blue heeler pups, champi-

on stock, parents on site, will be ready for Christmas, taking deposits, \$450/1-up. V. Rancher, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-405-2552.

Wanted: great Pyrenees male pup. Crockett or Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

SWINE

Show pigs, York x Hampshire & exotic, some extra muscle w/dimple & length, class champions of Shreveport, Alexandria, Grant, Eunice, Galveston, pigs by War Paint & Cross Fire, \$150/1, family prices avail. Don Woodman, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-793-2532.

Market & breeding show pigs, quality sows, gilts & leading boars, several litters avail. in Oct., \$200/-up. Roland or Patricia Kuehne, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-261-0905.

Hampshire sow, 300+ lbs., used for breeding or to butcher, \$225. Larry C. LeJeune Sr., Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-7929 or 337-246-1826.

Pedigree guinea hogs, AGHA, piglets, will be weaned by mid-November, taking deposits, will have another litter in 2/10, gilt, \$200, (3) boars, \$75/1. Grant Estrade, Metairie, Jefferson Parish; 504-234-3564.

DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

(6) cockatiels, \$35/1 or \$25/1 if all taken; white faced, cinnamon peds, pearls, parakeets, \$10/1 or \$8/1 if more taken, breeder parakeets prs., \$20/1; used cages, \$5/1-up; like new metal nest boxes, \$15/1; Fisher lovebird, \$40/1. Velta Darby, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-893-0971.

Macaw, female, great for breeding, tamed w/cage, \$1000. Robert Dakin, Napoleonville, Assumption Parish; 985-369-8951.

Hf cockatiels, talking males, quality birds, \$65/1. Ellis & Becky Sisk, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-774-7414.

Canaries from award winning line, males & females, \$55/1; opal mosaic canaries \$65/1; Gouldian finches \$55/1; society finches, \$7/1. Carlos Ambrogio, Houma; 985-868-3648.

(3) cages, 4' wide, 7' long, 90" high, \$175/1. Fred Wust, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-892-1957.

(2) gray female Indian ringneck parakeets, DNA tested, '09 hatch, \$120/1; green/blue & blue parrotlets, \$30/1; (3) male Indian ringneck parakeets, gray, blue & cremi-

no, (2) gray females, trade for different colors or \$120/1. Michael Baio, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; baiom@bellsouth.net or 985-851-6904 after 5 p.m.

Lovebirds, proven prs., \$40-\$45/pr., (10) lovebirds, ready for first time breeding, \$275/all; red-faced lutinos, red-faced Australian cinnamons, all split to orange face, normals, orange-face normals, orange-face olives, violets, quality discounts, \$20-\$40/1. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, Assumption Parish; 985-369-6952.

Doves, wh. \$8/1; ringneck & pied, \$5.5/1; tangerine pearl, \$20/pr.; tangerine pearl silky, \$15/1, other colors, \$10/1. Jim Bearb, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-3475 or 337-298-0479.

Indian ringnecks, turquoise, blue, albino, lutino, gray blue & gray lace wings, \$75/1-up; violets, \$600/1-up; Jenday conures, \$175; moustashe, \$150/1. Donald Wease, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-5154.

HF Quaker green, \$175; hf blue Quakers, \$300; split adult Quakers, \$200; hf cockatiels, \$45/1-up; some breeder pairs, green cheek conures & parakeets, many more to pick from. Jane Brown, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-725-3123 or 337-532-5109.

Breeder cockatiels, assorted colors, \$60/pr.; female blue/gold macaw, 4 yrs., tamed & talking w/cage, \$100. Gerald Tauzin, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-367-2508.

Caiques, white bellied, \$750/1; blk. head, \$550/1; white fronted Amazons, \$300/1; Panama female, \$1000; yellow-shoulder Amazon, \$800/pr.; Hispanola Amazon, \$500/1; Timor cockatoo, male, \$900; Lesser cockatoo male breeder, \$500. Ric Flowers, Vivian, Caddo Parish; 318-375-4557.

(3) prs. sun conure breeders, \$450/1; cockatiels, young birds, all colors, \$20/1. Don Leche, Metairie, Jefferson Parish; 504-889-1784.

Female macaw, great for breeding, tame, cage included, \$1000. Robert Dakin, Napoleonville, Assumption Parish; 985-369-8951.

Wanted: greater sulphur-crested cockatoo hens, turquoise green-cheek conures. Ellis & Becky Sisk, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-774-7414.

Wanted: white doves, 2 or 3 prs. Fred Wust, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-892-1957.

Wanted: Paradise Bird Rescue & Sanctuary is taking all unwanted birds, will give them a good home, plenty food & a good environment. Charles Rachal, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-985-2391.

Wanted: domestic birds, fire finch, male paradise whydah, female diamond firetail, Mannikin female blue-headed parrot finch, male combasou, female owl, finch female. Josh Villarreal, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-247-6085.

POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

Wh. silkies, 1 yr., \$8/1; Seramas, smallest chickens in the world, \$1/10. Johan Radius, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-610-4001.

Flying mallards, \$12/1; bantam chickens mixed colors, hens, \$6/1; roosters, \$5/1; wh. leghorn hens, laying, \$10/1; white leghorn roosters, \$8/1. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7176.

Assorted large roosters, \$5/1-up; laying hens, Rhode Island, red sex links, \$10/1-up; bantam pairs, \$10/1-up; assorted young chicks, \$3/1-up; assorted -pullets, \$5/1-up. Larry Carter, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2804.

Baby Georgia giant bobwhite quails, \$1/1-up; grown, \$3/1; jumbo Pharaoh eggs, \$20/100; bobwhite eggs, \$50/100. Shirley Franks, Lena, Rapides Parish; 318-793-8018.

Beautiful chocolate Muscovy breeders, \$15/1; barred rock production red & buff laying hens, \$8-\$10/1; gray call ducks, \$30/pr.; old English game bantams, from show stock, \$25/pr., others available. Chris Theriot, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-394-1542.

White mandarin hen, \$65; horsefield pheasant, \$30, will trade for mandarins or teals. Storm Cangemi, Vidalia, Concordia Parish; 318-336-1224 or 601-807-9744.

Jumbo pharaoh quails, 50¢-\$1.75/1; eggs, \$20/100, boiled eggs \$8/100; pint of pickled eggs, \$6/1. Larry C. LeJeune, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-7929 or 337-246-1826.

Guinea keets, 1 mos.-3 ½ mos., \$3-\$5/1. Joe Gircone, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-5049.

Pharaoh quails, week old, \$1.25/1; adults, \$2/1; fertile eggs, \$18/100. Larry Champagne, Butte LaRose, St. Martin Parish; 337-228-2423 or 337-344-8196.

Indian blue peafowl, 2 mos., straight run, \$30/1; '09 hatch red golden pheasants, \$50/pr.; '09 hatch Lady Amherst pheasants, \$50/pr. Darrell Arabie, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-849-3718.

Large dewlap African geese, males & females, \$25/1. Dalton Morvant, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-643-8459.

Large pharaoh quails, depending on size, call for availability, \$1-\$4/1; eggs, \$15/100. Charles David, Brusly, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-937-6663.

Baby chicks, ducks, turkey, guineas, quail or geese, 12 mos.,

deliv. avail. Gary Chapman, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-272-7144.

Large pharaoh quails, full grown, \$1.5/1; muscovy ducks, males, \$7/1; female \$6/1; bantam Cornish crossed w/jungle fowl, \$5/1. Patrick Thibodeaux, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-684-2013.

Fresh yard eggs, \$2/doz. Gina Cutrer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-229-4477.

Chickens, yard ready, \$2/1; grown chickens, \$5/1. C.J. Hoffpauir, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7495.

Peacocks for Christmas, great for the holidays, we'll hold & feed yours till the holidays w/\$20 deposit towards purchase, '08 blk. shoulder peacocks in prs., should breed next year, \$100/pr., yrlg. midnight male, \$110; extra-yrlg. blk. shoulder males, \$25/1; extra yrlg. Indian blue males, \$25/1; '09 unsexed Indian blue & blk. shoulder peachicks, \$25/1-up. Jeannie, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-677-8964.

Peacock feathers, wh./India blue tail feathers, 150+ feathers, \$50/100. Jeannie, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-677-8964.

Eastern wild turkeys crossed w/Bourbon reds, depending on maturity, \$15-\$25/1. John T. Bourgeois, Thibodeaux, Lafourche Parish; 985-226-0990.

Georgia giant quail eggs, 16-18 oz., full grown, shipping included, \$50/100. Charles Rachel, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-985-2391.

Pharaoh quail, all birds laying eggs, normals, \$3/1; manchurian golden & Texas A&M, \$4/1; tuxedo & chocolate, \$5/1; button quail, many colors, \$5/1. Josh Villarreal, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-247-6085.

2009 hatch peafowl, blk. shoulder pied, India blue pied, \$40/1; purple blk. shoulder, white, \$50/1; mandarin ducks, \$50/pr. Thomas E. January Jr., Monterey, Concorida Parish; 318-758-1288.

English gray call ducks, hen won grand champ waterfowl at Northwest District Show, drake won champ bantam waterfowl, \$20/pr. Dean Gunter, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-776-9235 or 318-880-6910.

Guineas, some full grown & some half grown, \$6/1. Linda Bourgeois Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-567-6545.

Guinea keets, \$5/1; flying mallards, \$10/1. Ta Lee, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 618-401-5224.

Call duck prs., grays, \$40/1; snowy & butterscotch, \$50/1. Skip Boudreaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-8811.

Barred rock, wh. leghorn, Australorp cross, reds, Cornish pullets & roosters, \$5/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan;

Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Laying hens, \$8/1; young roosters, \$6/1-up; baby chicks, \$1/1-up; ducks, \$6/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Poultry cages, 3'x7'x5', brooder on one end, self-feeder & water trough, \$300/1; cage for chicks or quail, \$400. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Silkie roosters, different colors, adults, \$8/1. Jerry Smith, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-393-2128.

Mandarin duck prs., '09 hatch, \$50/1. Randall Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-6649 or 337-390-9108.

2009 hatched mallard ducks, (12) females, (11) males, \$6/1 or \$5/1 if all taken. Numa LaCaze, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-445-3118 or 318-613-4210.

(20) ringnecked doves, \$5/1. John Gillespie, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-270-5637.

Old English game bantams, blk., BB reds & creles, \$10/20. Hugh Junca, Franklinton, St. Mary Parish; 337-923-7223.

Pharaoh quails, week old, \$1.25/1; adults, \$2/1; fertile eggs, \$18/100. Larry Champagne, Butte LaRose, St. Martin Parish; 337-228-2423 or 337-344-8196.

Guineas, \$8/1; full grown turkeys, \$20/1; ducks, blue & blk. runners, \$8/1; khaki Campbell ducks, \$8/1. Randy Leger, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-2261 or 337-308-3242.

Pharaoh quails, depending on size, \$1-\$2.5/1. Charles Romero, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-478-5757 or 337-660-4747.

Laying hens, buff orpington, \$8/1. Raphael Johnson, Basile, Acadia Parish; 337-432-5073.

Mature geese ready to lay soon, \$15-\$17/1. Roger Young, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-457-5013 or 337-466-1364.

Flying mallards, \$12/1; bantam chickens, mixed colors, hen \$6/1; roosters, \$5/1; gumbo roosters, \$4/1. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte, Evangeline; 337-363-7176 or 337-459-5906.

Wanted: blue old English bantam adults, chicks or eggs. N.E. Williams, Seminary, Miss., 601-722-4582.

Wanted: Sumatra chickens, will travel. Randall Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-6649 or 337-390-9108.

Wanted: assorted ducks, guinea turkeys, geese, bantams, hens & roosters, must be healthy, 40 miles from Rayne. Wilbur Leger, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-334-4949.

Wanted: laying hens, pullets, meat type roosters. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Wanted: large type silkies, not bantams. J. Smith, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-393-2128.

PIGEONS

Helmuts, arc angels, mookees, starlings, Arabian trumpeters, Oriental frills, hubbles, Chinese owls, \$5/1. Floyd LeBouef, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-2251.

Racing homers, red & yellow Trentons, Janssen, whites, fantails, frill backs, nuns, satinettes, \$10-up/1. Joe Swank, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-640-0636.

Beautiful white fantail male pigeons, free. Linda Yantis, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-683-8665.

Fantail pigeons, all young birds, \$20/pr. Jim Bearb, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-3475.

Solid wh. racing homers singles, \$12.5/1; mating prs., \$25/1; solid wh. American fantails, (2) prs. Paul Carlton, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-737-7533.

Racing homer pigeons, show & racing quality, yellow Trenton, blk. eagle, red muelmen & more breeds, \$15/1. Vernon Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-873-8440.

Close out sale, beautiful Oriental frill pigeons, \$10/1; \$18/pr.; \$7/1 if all taken. Mike LaFleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-1625.

Wh. racing homer pigeons, \$15-\$20/1. Paul R. Carlton, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-737-7533.

Wanted: (5) prs. wh. fantails or wh. king pigeons. Morris W. James, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-454-0214.

Wanted: (2) prs. solid wh. American fantails. Paul Carlton, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-737-7533.

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

Male lops, \$9/-up; female, \$12/1-up; large meat rabbits, \$10/1-up; dressed, \$11/1-up; mini Rex, \$20/pr.; male, \$8/1-up; females, \$13/1-up; dwarf, \$10/1-up. Larry Carter, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2804.

Rabbit cages w/3 compartments, \$30/1; 4 compartments, \$40/1. Ta Lee, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 618-401-5224.

New Zealand young wh. bucks, some mature, \$20/1-up; New Zealand wh. does, \$10/1. Lloyd Stakes, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-783-4235.

Pb satins, show & meat rabbits, young & breeders, \$15/1-up. Doug Girard, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-781-2244 or 337-967-3823.

(35) New Zealand bucks, 2 yrs. & under, (90) New Zealand white does, 2 yrs. & under, (92) doe pens w/nest boxes, (30) fried pens w/hay

racks, all pens have feeders & water, every doe produces 8-10 babies, all rabbits tattooed, \$6000 obo. Crocket or Mitch Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

Rex bunnies, Netherland dwarf rabbits, Holland lops, blue Dutch, wh. blue eyed dwarf, \$15/1-up. Farrell Smith, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-393-2128.

New Zealand/Rex, Calif./Flemish giant mix, \$1/-1. Jessica Squyres, Jonesville, Catahoula Parish; 337-393-2128.

Rabbit & chicken cages made w/welded wire, chicken brooders made w/treated lumber, chicken grow cages, \$50-\$100/1. Leroy Boone, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-580-2935.

DEER & EXOTICS

Trophy elk cows & bulls, \$400/1-up; trophy whitetail buck & does, \$300/1-up; trophy red deer, bucks & does, \$300/1-up; water buffalo cows & bulls, \$400/1-up. Herbert M. LeJeune, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 337-639-2953.

Whitetail deer, (3) adult does, (2) doe fawns, (2) buck fawns, must go, will sell separate or \$2000/all. Wade Sullivan, Castor, Bienville Parish; 318-548-0793 or 318-544-7206.

Whitetail buck, 3 yrs., gentle, \$800. Larry Odom, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 318-634-5931.

(2) whitetail bucks, 1 yr., 8 points, \$1500/1; (2) buck fawns, \$100/1; (3) doe fawns, \$500/1; all Texas/northern cross. Jarred Morrow, Pitkin, Allen Parish; 318-634-3463.

Buffalo bull & (3) cows, \$3000/all; buffalo, 2 yrs., \$500; water buffalo bull, over 2000 lbs., trophy head, \$1000. Billy Kalencti, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-0221.

RATITES

Ostrich chicks, wk.-3 mos., \$45/1-up. John Baldrige, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-499-9494 or 337-463-8447.

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

Pond stocking, channel catfish, 30¢/1; blue catfish, 40¢/1; coppernose bluegill, 25¢/1; regular bluegill, 25¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 30¢/1; redear bream 30¢/1; blk. crappie, 40¢/1; bass, 55¢/1, del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-1525.

Pond stocking, coppernose bluegill, 30¢/1; hybrid bream, 30¢/1; redear bream, 30¢/1; bass,

60¢/1; blk. crappie, 40¢; fathead minnows, \$10/lb.; hybrid copper-nose bream, 30¢/1; also aeration systems, pick up or del. avail. Chris Broussard, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-230-0123.

All welded alum. crawfish boat, rear wheel driven w/20 hp Honda engine & sacker, \$7500. Brent Menard, Rayne, Lafayette Parish; 337-230-1026.

FARM SERVICES

Professional hog removal service, insurance provided to landowners, free service. David Braun, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-806-8246.

Lot clearing, pads built, lime stone driveways, topsoil, will rent out dump truck, in Acadia area. Brian Breaux, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-523-6894.

Wild hog removals, professional animal damage control & consulting by wildlife biologists for agriculture, forestry and wildlife management, state licensed wild hog experts. Buddy Goatcher, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; bgoatcher@cox.net or 337-257-4813.

Tree spade can transplant trees up to 6" diameter. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-356-2094.

Fence building, barbwire, 4 strands, \$1.2/ft.; 5 strand, \$1.3/ft., call for other fence prices, net, hog & ranch style, vinyl, customer supplies all material & must have clear property. B. Long, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-515-2093 or 985-229-7915.

Fence building, barbwire, 5 strands, \$1/ft; plus material, wooden privacy, hotwire & iron, free estimates. Barrett Hebert, Bell City, Calcasieu Parish; 337-912-9699.

All breed dog boarding, brand new indoor & outdoor kennels, \$10/day; obedience & puppy training, 2 weeks & monthly programs avail. Jennifer Young, Zachary; East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-445-5012 or 225-324-6037.

Qualified equine appraiser, #03779 w/American Society of Equine Appraisers, appraisals done for insurance, sales, legal matters, etc., reasonable rates. Sarina Lirette, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-665-0464.

Natural horsemanship training, colt starting, problem horses & clinics, \$600/mo. Cory Bourque, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-298-3073.

Dirt/limestone work, lot clearing, trailer & house pads, top soil, fill dirt, bush hogging, land leveling, driveways, private roads, custom plowing. John Stanford, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-5929 or 337-945-6322.

No till grain drill to rent. B.

Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-552-5452.

Bobcat & tree services, debris removal, lot clearing, dirt/gravel work, trailer pads, etc., reasonable rates. R. Hoover, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-969-7775.

Certified artificial insemination services for cattle utilizing the heat watch system. Bryan Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-552-5452.

Trackhoe/dozer trac. work, land clearing, under brush, ponds, right-of-ways, drives, gravel, bush hogging. David Ellis, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-603-1028.

Stump grinding, tree removal, licensed & insured, free estimates. Milford Johnson, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-241-8782.

Fencing/landscaping, barbwire, 4 strands, \$1.2/ft.; 5 strand, \$1.3/ft., vinyl, wood, chain link, pasture fence, etc., call for details & pricing. Melton Monceaux, Roanoke, Jeff. Davis Parish; 337-329-3039.

Predator hunter, have gun will travel for coyote, bobcat & fox hunting. Doug Tanner, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-302-6239.

LIVESTOCK BOARDING

Stall barns, 5 acres of pasture, miles of wooded trails, 20 miles south of LSU. Justin Haydel, St. Gabriel, Iberville Parish; 225-938-4866.

Large stall w/own ¼-acre pasture, water, you supply feed, hay, elec. fence, nego., recently seeded & fert., room to ride, perfect for the horse that does not play well w/others, no studs, \$300/mos. Lizzy Gomez, St. Gabriel, Ascension Parish; 225-642-5953, no calls after 7 p.m.

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

Horse stables for lease, 14 stalls, 11 ½'x13 ½', 8 acres, (4) paddocks, auto water & insect spray, rd. pens, swimming hole, walker, ¼ mile track, may sub lease, \$1400. Kurt Courville, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-478-9436 or 337-274-1093.

Equine pasture boarding, 1.3 acres each, run-in, sanded riding area, rd. pen, wash area, trailer parking, feed & hay provided, \$300. Holly Parrish, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-298-5552.

Pasture boarding, horses only, 60 acres with free running water, plenty of grass & shade trees, \$50/month. Sarina Lirette, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-665-0464.

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."

50 acres, suitable for cattle or horse farm w/1600 sq. ft modular home \$190,000. Thomas Holmes, Plaquemine, St. Landry Parish; 225-265-2556.

27 acres Vermilion Parish farm land, minutes from Lafayette and Youngsville, SEMCO elec., private sewer, city water w/or w/o barn & house, \$300,000. Victor Bernard, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-989-5263.

10 acres south of hwy. 472, elec., phone, water access, \$25,000; 22 acres w/2 yr. pine plantation, elec., phone, water access, ½ of mineral rights will go, \$42,000. John Martin Jr., Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-628-4286 or 318-471-1181.

120 acres, 100 acres of 4 yr. pine plantation & 20 acres of 12 yr. pine plantation, will let ½ of minerals go, \$300,000. John Martin Jr. Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-628-4286 or 318-471-1181.

19 acres, timber land & pond, been surveyed, black top roads, close to West Bay Game Reserve, nice for a trailer or build a home on. James Perkins, Elizabeth, Allen Parish; 318-634-7319.

Wanted: 1-5 acres of wooded or pasture land, joins union wildlife hunting reserve in Northwest, La. Elton Bernard, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-1990 or 318-876-3315.

Wanted: 100-600 to lease for hunting, will pay top dollar. Cory Vial, Montz, St. Charles Parish; 504-982-1771.

BEES & HONEY

Taking orders for 5-frame nucs & Minnesota hygienic queens, \$15/1. Amy Weeks, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-325-6614.

FERTILIZER

Old horse manure shavings, topsoil & sand mix, good for flower bed, loaded in your truck or trailer, \$18/yard. Lee Cook, Husser,

Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

Advanced liquid fertilizer, designed for high quality hay & crop production, active next day w/o rain, 46-0-0, 30-10-10, 20-20-20, \$22/acre & up. Kevin Nugent, Lena, Rapides Parish; 318-663-4121.

SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

30 gal. used containers, black nursery pots, \$3/1. Tamra Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-278-3624.

Parrot lily, pink or purple Mexican petunia or red Texas hibiscus star seeds, \$2/pkg. w/ SASE. Tim Bills, 234 Hickory St., Mandeville, 70448, St. Tammany Parish; 985-674-0333.

Cushaw, green stripe, birdhouse & dipper gourds, \$2.5/20, SASE. James A. Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy 357, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 70670; 337-407-0188.

Strawberry plants, chandlers, 15¢/1. Sharkey Chaney, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-673-3884.

Pure live seeds, wildlife food, native grass/forage/reclamation & wildflower seeds, hard to find species & specialty mixes, \$5/lb. & up. Desiree, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-0975 ext. 5.

Jelly palms, Canary Island palms, sago palms, \$12-\$30, by size; Japanese plums, Celeste fig, 3 gal., \$8; cast iron plants, 3 gal., \$10; African Iris, \$5-\$10 by size, Mamou plants & Boston fern, 1 gal., \$5; yucca, 3 gal., \$8; mondo grass, 3 qt. tufts, \$1/1; amaryllis reds, \$2-\$10 by size, \$8. James Stelly, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-457-4528.

Giant elephant ear bulbs, \$15/1; small elephant ear bulbs, \$3/1; ginger plants, \$12/1; bay leaves \$4/pkg.; mint plants, \$1/1. John Delphen, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-756-2686.

Dark red & pink Texas star, pink hibiscus, purple hibiscus, native yellow daffodils, purple pincushion vine, red & white cypress vines, bi-color Confederate rose, Jobs tear, yellow & red squash peppers, \$2/pkg. w/SASE. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 70601; 337-478-7075.

Hidden ginger, \$15/1; scented wh. ginger, \$12/1; variegated ginger, \$15/1; pink & wh. bush Ms. Glory, \$12/1; yellow candlestick, \$10/1; Confederate rose, \$12/1-up; yesterday, today & tomorrow, \$15/1; bleeding heart vine, \$15/1; yellow butterfly vine, \$12/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 70601; 337-478-7075.

Large selection of plants, trees, shrubs, palms, azaleas, camellias & perennials, various sizes, \$5/1-up. Bob Duncan, Ball, Rapides Parish; 318-640-9772.

TREES & FRUITING VINES

Elliott & Sumner pecan trees, 5 gal., 1'-2', \$10/1; 4', \$15/1; cypress trees, 4', \$8/1. Earl Normand, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-876-3346.

Large live oak w/character, shade trees, nut & flower trees, beautiful oaks, del. & planted, \$350-\$2500/1. Bob Thibodeaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-319-3957.

Fruit trees, pear, plum, 4'-6', \$16/1; persimmon, hachiya & jiro, 5'-7', \$20/1. James A. Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, 70570, St. Landry Parish; 337-407-0188.

Paw-Paws, 2 gal., \$15/1; 5 gal., \$25/1, 4"x14", \$10/1; sassafras, 2 gal., \$15/1; cypress, 2 gal., \$10/1. James A. Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish, 70570; 337-407-0188.

Fig trees, 32 varieties, 2 gal., \$15/1; all LSU O'Rourke, tiger & champagne, \$20/1 w/SASE. James A. Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish, 70570; 337-407-0188.

Living Christmas trees, Leyland cypress, 3 gal., \$10; 7 gal., \$22; 15 gal., \$45; pyramidal hollies, 7 gal., \$22; Confederate rose, 3 gal., \$8; cassia trees, 3 gal., \$8; fig trees, \$12/3 gal., thornless blackberries, gal. pots, several varieties, \$7/1. Derek Moore, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-807-6378.

Ju-Ju trees, planted in 3-4 gal. plastic containers, depending on sizes, \$10/1-up. Numa LaCaze, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-445-3118 or 318-613-4210.

Pindo palms, sago palms, queen palm, native hardy hibiscus, Chinese parasol, grafted, improved paw paw cultivars, rabbit eye blueberry cultivars, mulberry, grafted mayhaw, (4) varieties, Chinese & hybrid chestnut, \$10-\$65/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-0248.

Live oak trees, 3" to 4" trunk diameter, 12' to 15' tall, \$250-\$350/1, del. & planted. John Stanford, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-5929 or 337-945-6322.

Pine trees, ready to cut, (10-12) 100' or bigger, must cut down & haul off. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-788-0240.

Meyer lemons, sweet lemons \$10-\$20/1; white peach, \$10/1-up; bush red cherry, \$10/1; yellow candlestick, \$15/1; bi-color confederate rose, \$10-\$20/1; yellow butterfly vine, \$12/1; loquats (plum), \$10/1-up; kumquats, \$15/1; pomegranate, \$15/1-up; plums, \$10/1-up; Concord grape, \$5/1; golden Muscat, \$15/1; Texas star, pink & red, \$12/1; blackberry

plants, \$4/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish, 70601-8742; 337-478-7075.

All kinds of trees, bushes, shrubs, knock out roses, lilies, fruit trees, citrus fruit, pecan trees, many to pick from, all in pots from 1 gal.-15 gal., \$2-\$45/1. Lee Cook, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

Christmas trees, choose & cut your own, Leyland cypress, silver smoke, Carolina sapphire, open Thanksgiving Day, \$32-\$100/1. Vincent, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-643-6380.

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Beauregard sweet potatoes, 40 lb. box, baking size, \$10/1; graded #1 40 lb box, \$15/1. David Roy, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-8170.

Satsumas, lemons, kumquats, La. sweet potatoes, retail, 50¢/lb.; wholesale, 100 or more lbs., 30¢/lb. Vincent, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 318-548-4379 or 337-856-7065.

HAY & GRAIN

2009 Jiggs Bermuda, fert. & limed, sq. bales, in barn, \$6/1; 4'x6' rd. bales, in field, \$4.75/1; rd. bales in barn, \$50/bale. Mike Johnson, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-6089.

Common, Russell & Jiggs Bermuda horse hay, 39"-40" long bales, heavy, discounts for large quantities, deliv. avail., \$5/1. Craig Soileau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-1366.

Common, Russell & Jiggs Bermuda horse hay bales, we load, \$5/1. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-7983.

Bermuda, Johnson & Bahia mixed grass hay, 4 1/2 x 5 large rd. bales, in field, \$35/1. Victor J. Dugas, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-8724.

2009 5x5 Bahia hay on pallets, well fert., deliv. avail. not to exceed 10 miles from Sunset, outside barn, \$30/1; in barn, \$35/1. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

2009 Jiggs Bermuda sq. bales, fert., \$5/1-up; 4x5 rd. bales, \$20/1-up; rd. bales rice straw, \$15/1, quality discounts. Aaron Melancon, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-581-1765.

Jiggs Bermuda sq. bales, soil tested, limed & fert. to LSU standards, horse quality, very clean, tight heavy bales, in barn, \$5.25/1. Chris Douget, Ville Platte,

Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

2009 premium quality, giant Bermuda & Alicia Bermuda race-horse hay, hay field & barn 1 mile from old Evangeline Downs race-track, sq. bales, \$5.75/1 or \$5.5/1 if (20) or more bales are purchased. Roy Stokes, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-247-2141 or 337-247-2144.

Argentina Bahia, high quality horse grade hay, fert. & cured w/o rain, 4x4 sq. bales in field, \$5/1; 4x4 rd. bales, \$30/1; 4x5 rd bales, \$40/1; 4x6 rd. bales, \$55/1. Richard Reed, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-2330.

High quality peanut hay, comparable to alfalfa, 15% protein, 65% TDN, kept in barn, 60-70 lb. bales, \$10/1. Shannon Gonsoulin, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-7848.

Last cutting of Briggs, sprayed & fert., 5x5 rd. bales, \$35/1; sq. bales in field, \$4/1. Miles Briley, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-363-6767.

Bahia rd. bales, 4x5, clean, cured w/o rain, near Pine Prairie, outside on wooden pallets, under tarp, \$25/1. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-599-2021.

Bahia grass, we load, \$4/bale. Delos Thompson, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-9872.

4x4 rd. bales, just baled, easy to load, discount for quantity, \$15/1. Karen Edwards, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-278-0641.

Alicia Bermuda sq. bales, cured w/o rain, stored in barn on pallets, you load, soil tested, limed & fert. to LSU standards, \$4.5/1. Chris Tassin, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-0013 or 318-253-8878.

Alicia hay, 5x5, \$35/1; Bahia hay, 5x5, \$30/1. Malcom Howze, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-235-6682 or 225-978-1318.

Big fresh Bahia bales, Bermuda mixed, in barn, \$3.75/1. N. Oliver, Arnaudville, St. Martin Parish; 337-278-0792.

Top quality Russell Bermuda hay, sq. bales, \$5.5/1; 5x5 rd. bales in barn, \$45/1. Brent Walker, Many, Natchitoches Parish; 318-663-9416 or 318-256-6591.

2009 common grass hay, 4x5 bales, \$15/1; rice straw, \$15/1; Bahia mix, \$20/1; fert. Alicia, \$25/1. Scotty Lepretre, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-536-7953 or 337-652-5074.

Jiggs Bermuda, fert. & weed-free, 5x5 1/2 rd. bales, \$35/1. Scott Thibodeaux, Iowa, Calcasieu Parish; 337-526-1300.

2009 Bahia, tight bales, 4x6 & 5x6 rd. bales, cut & baled in 9/09, \$30/1; mixed grass hay, \$20/1. Wendall Middlebrooks, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-658-3106.

Bahia sq. bales, stored in barn, \$4/1. Jerry Domengeaux, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-3876.

Bahia sq. bales, heavy, fert. & weed free, excel. quality, well cured, \$4.25/1. Lee Cook, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

2009 horse hay, Pensacola Bahia grass, fourth cutting, limed, fert., weed-free, fine stem, tight sq. bales, in field, \$4.5/1; in barn, \$5/1. David Joiner, Lorange, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-6734 or 985-320-3073.

Cow hay, mixed grass, Alicia, Bahia, rd. bales, 9/09 cutting, \$10/1. Michael Fontenot, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-6928.

Alicia horse grade hay, you load sq., \$4.5/1, we load rd. 5'x5', \$50/1; Bahia fert., sq., \$4-\$4.25/1. David Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4334.

Rye & clover hay, 4x5 rd. bales, \$25/1; Jiggs Bermuda, 4x5 rd. bales, \$35/1. Tammy Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-278-3624.

2009 Jiggs hay, 4x5 tight rd. bales, excel. quality, \$35/1. Ronnie Williams, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-246-1600.

2009 sq. bales, horse hay Jiggs or Alicia Bermuda, \$6/1; Alicia rd. bales, will load, \$40/1. Chad Duhon, Rayne, Vermilion Parish; 337-319-7666 or 337-334-9093.

Mixed grass hay, tight bales, heavy plastic string around bales, \$25/1. Terry Duhon, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-344-9890.

TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

Versatile 835 trac., runs well, a/c cab, good tires, good cond., & field ready, \$16,500. Clifford or Larry Myers, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-9546 or 337-356-5366.

1953 VAC Case trac., wide front, runs great, good metal, fair paint & tires, \$900; '52 Farmall Super C trac. w/belly grader, runs & works great, light smoke, \$900. Jack Sisco, Longville, Franklin Parish; 337-912-0833.

2440 JD 60 hp trac., '81 model w/canopy, \$8000; 2940 JD 85 hp trac. w/canopy & loader, '81 model, \$10,500; PK JD offset disc, 10", \$3000; 5240 Case MFD, cab, 4960 hrs., \$19,500. F. Perritt, Rayville,

Richland Parish; 318-728-3035.

Farmall Super A trac., front & rear accessories, not running, good cond. for restoring, \$1200. Adrian Landry, Pierre Part, Assumption Parish; 985-226-1480.

JD 2520 diesel trac., serial #022308, wide front, syncro-trans., 1-remote hyd., \$7500. Robert Belvin, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-6565.

(2) trac. tires, 11.2-28, excel. shape, \$350/2. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

2002 Daewoo forklift, 4000 lb. capacity, lp gas, solid rubber tires, no leaks, good cond., \$5800. Kendall Miley, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-516-9259.

2750 JD 4 wd diesel trac., high-crop 70-75 hp, very good cond., 90% rubber tires, \$7800. Champ Champagne, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-845-4450 or 337-523-6861.

Ford front-end loader, came off a Ford 3600 trac., \$1600. Mahlen S. Harrington, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-643-8549.

1977 JD 4630 trac. duals w/7800 hrs., 20.8 tire, Quad-Range trans., a/c, runs well, \$11,500. Raymond Matthews, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 318-757-3180.

NH combination hay rack & fluffer, barn kept, \$1100. Ross Mule', Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-4595 or 985-515-5219.

IH 1486 cab tires, 80%, a/c, excel. pull trac., PTO does not work, \$6000; 5585 Hesston rd. baler, 5x5 bales, \$3500; NH 316 sq. baler, field ready, \$4000. Lamar Holmes, Keatchie, DeSoto Parish; 318-933-3144 or 318-286-7406.

Allis Chalmers HD 6 dozer, needs rings & radiator, \$2000. Bobby P. Wales, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4464.

Ford NH hay cutter, model #462, oil changed, new blades, good cond., \$2400. Ponk Landy, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-802-1343.

Ford 445 back hoe, runs good, few leaks, great for farm use, \$7500. Mike Chesson, DeQuincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-786-2316 or 337-786-2066.

JD 5400, 4 wd, cab & air, front-end loader, excel. cond., 2300 hrs., \$23,500. Jerry Peloquin, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-485-3301.

JD 4400 combine, ac, power steering, runs & works very good, \$2000. Elton Bernard, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-1990 or

318-876-3315.

Cub belly mower, good cond., \$350; red cub tractor w/belly mower, runs, needs a little work, \$1200. Sal Mistretta, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-386-9224.

21' JD 1010 field cult., gauge wheels, 3 pt. hitch, hyd. fold, good shape, \$1000; 6-row JD RM cult. spray fenders, overhead spray, \$300; 6-row Lilliston rolling cult., gauge wheels, middle sweep, \$500; 2-row crop maker, 3 pt. hitch, \$250; will trade for 3 pt. hitch post-hole digger w/6" & 10" auger. Judy Green, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-728-6966.

Front mount push blade, pressure up & down, angles, fits 50 hp trac., \$500; (2) JD rear wheel spacers, 10" 10-hole w/bolts, \$500. Percell Green, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-728-6966.

NH rd. baler 855, \$3000; Kuhn GMD 700 multi disc cutter, \$2500; hay rake, \$500. Marcus Fils, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-288-0425.

2003 JD 5520 4-wd trac., front-end loader, 4 hyd. remotes, telescopic draft link, 3210 brand Bush Hog, 1100 hrs., \$35,000. Charles Ponthier, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-8490.

2000 Ford diesel trac., good cond., no power steering, new seat, new front tires, used to work riding arena, \$3500. Barb Anderson, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-5070.

Int. 440 sq. baler, barn kept, excel. cond., spare baler for parts, \$4250/all. Cedric Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-964-2971.

Int. cub w/belly mower, needs a little work, \$1500. Will Trahan, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-898-8374.

Woods 5' finishing mower, rear discharge, \$1000; 5' box blade, like new, \$300. Bill Pellerin, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-445-3713.

1-row Oliver corn picker, new tires, good cond., hook-up behind trac., wagon attached to corn picker, \$500. Albert Howard, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-658-2830 or 225-223-0916.

5' box blade, HD 3 pt. hitch, \$125. Mike DeLatte, Roseland, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-3745.

Grain carts, JD, 350 bu., Rayne, 300 bu., Eddin, 300 bu., good cond., \$850/1. Dudley Dauzat, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-729-0341.

Caterpillar 416C backhoe, 4x4, 4000 hrs., 95% rear tires, 24" bucket, great cond., \$21,000. Jim Hatfield, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-2020.

322BL Caterpillar trackhoe w/new thumb, in shed, records avail., will deliv. within 100 miles, \$52,500. Ray Gremillion, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-939-5711.

Priefert hay ring, \$125. Darrell Adams, Singer, Beauregard Parish; 337-515-4342 after 5 p.m.

JD 2240 8 spd. trac., power steering, 61 PTO hp, \$5900; Ford 3600, 8

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spd., power steering, 40 PTO hp, \$4900. J. Guillot, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-4776.

Kubota L1500 w/ new 4' Howse bush hog, 31 hrs., \$3400; gang reel mower, 6' 10," \$1075. Kevin Kleveland, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-412-5498.

Bush Hog brand MS60, sliding arm shredder, good cond., \$3000. C.M. Duplechian, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-2989.

JD 375 rd. baler, \$4000; mounting brackets & control valve w/joy stick for JD 2440, \$500. Danny Clark, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-876-2980.

D-17 Allis Chalmers, 50 hp trac. w/loader, \$6500; new 3 pt. backhoe, \$3500; hyd. hay forks, \$500; pasture aerator, \$3500. Mike Beaux, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-8830.

JD 2150 trac. w/bush hog, \$12,500. Glenn F. Tyner, Natalbany, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-3473.

D-15 diesel power unit, cash only, \$1200. Champ, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-845-4450.

4440 JD combine, good cond., good motor, everything works, cold a/c, ready to work, \$2000. Elton Bernard, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-1990 or 318-876-3315.

Ford 75 hp trac. w/loader, \$16,500; 15" heavy-duty batwing, like new, \$9500; 6640 Ford trac. w/heavy-duty loader, 1760 hrs., all original parts, \$16,900. Jackie Tucker, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-349-8851.

1998 Ford 1725 4-wh. drive trac., w/loader & box blade, 5,000 hrs, 27 hp., \$7500; 2-ton roller, needs work, \$1000. Alvin Joseph, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-437-1143.

Sq. bale loader attaches to trailer, picks up & loads small sq. bales, you stack, cash, \$500. Johnny Tolbert, DeQuincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-786-2727.

2005 JD 5420 65 hp trac. w/loader mounts only, joy stick w/elec. CLT valve, \$1000 optional, 388 hrs., original owner, \$22,500. Philip Monteleone, 985-345-8845.

851 NH rd. baler, reconditioned & baling well, makes 5x6 bales, 1 field ready, Delos Thompson, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-9872.

Ford 6610 cab & air, 83 hp, w/loader, \$11,900; Ford 4600 w/loader, 61 hp, \$7500; Ford 4600, 8 spd., 61 hp, \$5900; JD 2240 8 spd. trac., power steering, 61 PTO hp, \$5900; Ford 3600, 8 spd., power steering, 40 PTO hp, \$4900. J. Guillot, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-4776.

Ford bridge 8-row planter w/row markers, \$1200; white 2-155, 160 hp, C&A trac., new Allied loader w/bucket & hay spear, 1800 hrs., \$15,500; R-40 Ditch Witch w/4-way blade, hyd. boring unit, trailer, excel. cond., \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

W&A 8-row hipers w/Orthman row markers, \$2000; Taylorway 8-

row cult. 5 gangs/shields, \$800; Case 14' heavy breaking disc, \$1500. B. Denton, Jena; 318-992-4504.

Portable grain cart, 800 bu., augers & lighting, new paint, good cond., \$3500; 6-row Amco hipper, \$1200; (4) 6-row, 8-row cult., \$1000/1. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-876-3304 or 318-308-4492.

5' modern box blade, \$350; 6' bush hog pull-type cutter, \$750; Ford 340 backhoe/loader, \$8500; 5' new Kodiak cutter, \$800; 5' 3 pt. disc, \$750; 8' landscape rake, \$600; NH sq. baler, \$1500; Ford 4000 diesel trac. w/power steering, \$6000; Vermeer 605F rd. baler, \$2000. Matt, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-419-5494.

Kubota 2550 trac., 25 hp diesel w/5' bush hog, shed kept, 1180 hrs., good cond., \$4500. Bill Waters, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-933-0100.

Super M Farmall, \$1700; yellow & white cub w/full set of cult. tools, \$1800; red cub w/full set of tools, \$1400; belly mower, \$200-up; cult. tools & planter fert. hopper, \$850. Skeet Cooper, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-2206.

1953 Ford Golden Jubilee trac., runs great, excel. cond., \$3500; 200 IH trac., fully restored, new starter, fresh paint, runs like new, \$2000. Davis Manual, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-2823.

Farmall Super H trac., runs great, good cond., \$1200. Craig Manuel, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-2876.

JD 2040 clean trac., \$6500; Case IH 1594 clean trac. & 8430 baler, \$6500; Ford 1710 clean 4' cutter, \$5500. Kelvin Sandifer, Dry Prong, Grant Parish; 318-899-5800 or 318-446-4411.

JD 4240 cab w/cold air, power shift w/loader, good rubber, excellent hay trac., \$22,500. Wayne McKnight, Tallulah, Madison Parish; 318-574-3614.

Excel. running 6-71 Detroit diesel power unit w/starter kill switches, PTO gauges & tach meter & many other engines & parts, \$4800. Glenn Gotreaux, Iowa, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-526-3712 or 337-582-7363.

(2) 4020 JD trac., (1) w/front-end loader & standard shift, (1) w/push blade, power shift, \$9000/1. Blake Kratzer, Roanoke, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-496-9904.

4000 Ford diesel trac., recently completely overhauled, hyd. system, excel. cond., \$6000 nego; '02 Ford 3010 NH trac., 338 hrs. w/canopy top, first set of remote valves, excel. cond., \$11,000; Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

Seedling tree planter, \$800. Herbert LeJeune, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 337-639-2953.

Shredder for 35-50 hp trac. Cat I hitch, 5', fair shape, 3 pt. hook up, \$350. David Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4334.

Ford 445 backhoe, runs good, few leaks, great for farm use, \$7500. Mike Chesson, DeQuincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-786-2316 or 337-786-2066.

Jubilee Ford 8N trac. w/front loader, \$900. Jerry Chaudoir, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-445-3337.

2002 L-2500 Kubota trac., 600 hrs. w/5' box scraper, excel. cond., \$7000. Gerald Lanerie, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-277-1880.

8' drag disc, \$175; 2-row 3 pt. turning plow, \$250; 1 pt. hitch & plow for cub, \$250; antique horse plows, \$100/1-up. Harold Thompson, Bentley, Grant Parish; 318-899-1633.

Ford 5000, \$6500; JD 1050, \$5500; 3-pt. backhoe, \$1900; Ford 1720, \$5300; Yanmar 30 hp, \$4500; Eseki 1610, \$3500; Kubota M-4050 w/loader, \$8900. Joe Major, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.

Ford NH 462 hay cutter, oil change, new blades, good cond., \$2400. Landry, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-780-1343.

Ford 4000 diesel trac., 55 hp, power steering, strong lift PTO, new paint, tires & battery, remote hyd., cranks immediately, no smoke, \$4950; Deutz 3006 30 hp diesel trac. w/Kubota front-end loader, joystick control, no smoke, strong lift & PTO, cranks immediately, runs great, no bucket or loader, new battery, good tires, \$3550. Walter Buller, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-439-0357.

MF 60 hp 265 diesel trac. w/6' box blade, multi-power, strong lift & PTO, power steering, good tires, remote hyd., new battery, no smoke or drips, \$4950. W. Buller, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-439-0357.

Vermeer 504-super elec. tie 4x5 rd. baler, good cond., \$6700; Krone KR-250-B 4x5 elec. twin tie, good cond., \$5500. Jack Johnson, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; johnsonhorsefa8747@att.net or 318-253-8981.

Caterpillar 924F wheel loader w/ROPS, good cond., \$25,000; MF 165 diesel w/remote, new injection pump, canopy top & lights, good cond., \$5500. Matt Finch, Tickfaw, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-1560.

Tiller, 5 hp, Yardman w/tines, 5 hp Lazyboy tiller w/buster & choppers, \$150/1 or \$300/all. Jules LeJeune, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-258-6193.

Ford 3000 trac. w/power steering, almost new back tires, new paint job, looks & runs great, \$5500. Floyd Rideau, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-882-2805 or 337-661-4246.

851 NH rd. baler, reconditioned & baling well, makes 5x6 bales, field ready, Delos Thompson, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-9872.

3-pt. hitch lift pole, no cyl., 80-100 hp trac., \$150 obo. Richard Price, Sicily Island, Catahoula Parish; 318-389-5562 or 318-758-5562.

2-row hyd. digger, new chains, rollers & shakers, \$14,000; 1-row hyd. digger, new chains, rollers & shakers, \$4500; (1) set 4-row mechanical potato planters, \$3500; seed-bed bedding hopper, \$2800; fert. mix miser for seed beds, \$400; (1) vine cutter, \$300; (1) 300 gal. chemical tank, \$250. Chad Helming, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-964-2380 or 318-201-5767, after 5 p.m.

Kubota 3010, 4 wd loader, 875 hrs., new, \$12,500. David Willis, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-453-7300.

NH 575 backhoe, great shape, \$17,300; Case 485, older but good shape, \$10,500; Yanmar 4x4, 17 hp, bush hog, disc, blade, \$4750. Jackie Turner, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-349-8851.

2007 trackhoe, 30,000 lbs., excel. shape, \$59,500; Komatsu mini trackhoe, 8000 lbs. w/hyd. blade, articulating boom, \$12,500; Bobcat S300S, skid steer, cab, air, \$19,500; 2001 Kubota 90 hp trac., 4x4, loader, cab, air, 1000 hrs., power shift, \$27,500. W.A. Lucky, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-453-5786.

21' water level, medium duty, \$2000; 11' 235 JD disc, \$1500. Tim Mier, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-536-9988 or 337-523-7978

Wanted: Oliver super 44 trac. for parts. Joe Cortez, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-942-6114 or 337-826-4411.

Wanted: 595 Case Int. for parts w/manual trans. Roger Whatley, Trout, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-5455.

Wanted: front-end loader for JD models 143 & 146 for JD model trac. 2630 trac., must be in good cond. Richard Reed, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-2330.

Wanted: Ford, Fordson, any Ford hi-crop, Ford 5000 4-wd Fordson-Major 4-wd, IHC trac., 1468-1568, in good cond. Paul Miller, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-3777 or 225-610-9400.

Wanted: trans. parts & gears for 2-cyl. 1500 Mitsubishi trac. Jim Kelly, Keithville, Caddo Parish; 318-925-1304 after 7 p.m.

Wanted: 4' bush hog, reasonably priced. Sal Mistretta, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-386-9224.

Wanted: 2, 3, or 4 bottom plow, 3 pt. hitch. Mike Hanson, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-625-7830.



1998 Peterbilt extended hood trac., 63" standup sleeper, 500 Cat., 18 spd., 355 rears, 412,000 miles, \$27,000 nego. T.W. Graham, Pine Grove, St. Helena Parish; 225-324-5528.

1996 Toyota pickup, 6 cyl., auto & 4-wh., drive, no dents, new red paint

job extended cab, \$3995. Elton Bernard, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-1990 or 318-876-3315.

1997 Ford dually, \$2500. Marcus Fils, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-288-0425.

1990 Int. 18-wheeler, 9400 series, Cat. 3406 engine, 7 spd. trans., flat top sleeper, good cond., \$7850. Mark, Krotz Springs, St. Landry Parish; 337-566-3349.

2006 Chevy Silverado 2500 Dura Max diesel w/Allison trans., 64,450 miles, silver birch, mint cond., original owner, \$27,500. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 504-812-8018.

Ford motor 5.0 & auto trans., \$450; complete 304 Int. truck motor, \$150. L.B. Wiley, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 318-757-2245 or 318-719-2245.

Dump truck, like new, 20'x6' 10"x4', Teflon liner, big tool box under spare, screen tarp, walkway on each side, 2 yrs., \$7000. Ellis C. Myers, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 225-695-6203.

Wanted: Toyota Tundra trucks, 2 or 4 wd, low mileage, under 2 yrs. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.



Ornamental 1 or 2-horse hitching wagon, red w/chrome embellishments, wh. spoke wheels, resembles a beer wagon, 12' long, \$4500. Pete Rudesill, Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish; 985-863-2155 or 225-610-4959.

10' 2-seat covered carriage, blk. w/natural wood spokes & tongue, single horse pull, great for parades or Sunday ride, \$4500. Pete Rudesill, Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish; 985-863-2155 or 225-610-4959.

Priefert head gate, \$200. Scott Dupre, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-1131.

20' trailer w/gooseneck dual axle, \$2500. Marcus Fils, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-288-0425.

2003 Cherokee Santa Fe goose neck trailer, all alum., 3-horse, dressing room, (2) 7000 lb. axles, \$8000. Danny Miller, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-281-7193.

1992 Golden Eagle Kieffer built, 3-horse slant-load trailer, bumper pull, \$2950. Peter Feringa, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 504-812-3218 or 985-871-0317.

Cotton trailer, 10'x40' front & rear tandem axles, good cond., \$1500. Larry Robinson, Wisner Parish; 318-342-4664.

40' Big Tex w/dovetail, \$7500. Kevin Sandifer, Dry Prong, Grant Parish; 318-899-5800 or 318-446-4411.

Alum. 3-horse slant rear-tack trailer, 6' short wall, a/c, new tires, great shape, \$8500. Steve

Holsombeck, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-623-3937.

Horse carts, factory made, good cond., new model w/rubber on wheels, \$800; no rubber on wheels, \$600. Littell Mouiller, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-468-3140 or 337-277-5635.

Flatbed gooseneck trailer, 20' wide, 5' dovetail x8', (2) 7000 lb. axles, excel. shape, \$2000. E. Myers, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 225-695-6203.

20' gooseneck w/(2) 7000 axles, removable sides, 12 volt winch, ramps & spare tire, good cond., \$2600. Noah Pellerin, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-654-5385 or 337-662-6177.

Van trailers, 48' & 53', \$4000-\$7000/1. Ray Gremillion, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-939-5711.

36' Mate alum. tri-axle alum. dump trailer, new cyl. w/extensions, \$15, 500. Ray, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-939-5711.

Wanted: 14' gooseneck cattle trailer w/canvas top & center gate. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

250 gal. fuel tank on skids, \$175. Judy Green, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-728-6966.

Blacksmith coal, \$35/100 lb. sack. Buddy Leonard, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-892-1137.

Heavy-duty squeeze chute, very nice, never used, \$1950. Philip Watts, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-1306.

30" pipe, \$21/ft.; 12" pipe, \$8.5/ft.; 3" pipe, \$2/ft.; 2 7/8" tubing, \$1.5/ft.; 2 3/8" pipe, 90¢/ft.; 16" pipe, \$12/ft.; 20" pipe, \$15/ft.; sucker rods, \$10/1; 1" pipe, 50¢/ft. Adrian Landry, Pierre Part, Assumption Parish; 985-226-1480.

Air conditioner w/3-ton package unit, new, heat & cool, ideal for barn or workshop, \$950 obo. Johan Radius, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-610-4001.

Roping saddle, 15 1/2", quality made, Santa Fe maker, \$650. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-893-6743.

330 gal. tow tanks, valve on bottom, heavy plastic, excel. cond., \$115. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

Billy Cook barrel saddle, half breed basket stamped, like new, 15" seat, '06 model, \$595. Anna Tobler, DeQuincy, 337-786-2727.

Western show saddle, 16.5" congress leather, lite oil, good quality, basket stamped and loaded w/silver, dbl. skirted & blk. suede seat, pre-turned stirrups, kept in bag in closet, \$1000. Tammy Payne, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-278-3624.

17" collegiate close contact English saddle, regular tree w/padded leather knee blocks, excel. for riding or jumping, slightly flatter seat w/wider weight bearing area, excel. cond., stored in the house, \$385. Kylie Payne, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-278-3624.

Western saddle, blk. w/silver corner plates & conchos, 15" seat, Circle Y brand, very good cond., \$350. Bill Clattenburg, Montpelier, St. Helena Parish; 225-223-7521.

Cattle grooming chute, perfect for upcoming 4-H shows, excel. cond., \$100. Mary Michelli, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-658-8581 or 225-315-0434.

V-shaped hay racks, \$250; wooden mineral feeders, \$250; 8' Apache feeders, \$1700; 12' Ranchers Pride feeder, \$2800 & \$1900. B. Payne, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-278-3624.

Snapper riding lawn mower, 33" cut, 14 hp Kohler engine w/elec. start, \$800; JD 216 riding lawn mower w/16 hp Kohler engine & 39" mower deck, \$500. Jake Nichols, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-351-7194.

Cattle feeders built on skids w/treated material, metal tops built w/galv. nails, 4'x6", \$2.65/1; 4'x8", \$2.80/1. S.W. Gourdon, Goldonna, Natchitoches Parish; 318-357-0616.

Nylon or leather bullwhips, \$10/ft., also repair whips. Billy Anderson, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-274-7360.

Homemade fertilizer seed spreader, made w/metal drum & axle, \$150. Timmy Ferris, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-258-4260.

Stainless steel pasteurizer, brand new, excel. cond., \$250; surge vacuum pump, old type w/new belt & vacuum, gauge needs part for threads, \$200; 100-gal. skid tank w/elec. motor & pump, \$500. D. Rogers, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-974-7994 or 985-351-5443.

Bio-diesel processing plant, 2400 gal./per day capacity, 3 phase elec. motors, (2) 500 gal. wash tanks, (2) 500 gal. dryer tanks, \$150,000. Dennis Hymel, Vacherie, St. James Parish; 225-715-0071.

Large Peter Wright anvil, \$700, cast iron forge, \$350; blower on stand, \$175; drills, shears, post vico, \$100-up. Pete Firmin, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-454-0616.

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

(2) cages for poultry, 4'x8'x4' w/self feeder & water, brooder on end 30"x48," all new, deliv. avail., \$400. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478

12' self feeder w/4 new tires, excel. cond., \$1950. Loyton, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-

280-3306.

Woods 5' finishing mower, needs belts, \$275. Joey Zito, Montpelier, St. Helena Parish; 225-777-5054.

Antique combination safe on wheels, very heavy, \$750; Winter upright piano w/ bench, excel. cond., \$650; Sears seeder/spreader, new, \$75; Blue Ox tow hitch, \$75; a/c manifold set, \$40; Porta-cable ac/dc Rorter w/case & some bits, 7.5 amps, \$50. Janice Pitre, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-543-7289.

3 phase elec. motor 20-50 hp, \$6/hp; 6"-12" pine in different lengths, \$4.5/ft-up; acteylene/oxygen hose, 3/16", 75¢/ft.; 30' wooden extension ladder, \$50; 12' alum. extension ladder, \$25; B&D workmate, \$40. Morris Pitre, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-543-7289.

Red Face Lincoln welding machine, completely overhauled, 21 hrs., Perkins diesel engine, \$9750. Brian Bays, Summerfield, Claiborne Parish; 318-927-9883.

Reddy Forced heater, 30 RLP, 30,000 BTU runs off propane tank, newer used, \$80; Cub Cadet INT riding lawn mower, 10 1/2 horse Kohler engine, 38" cut, \$850. H. Ardoin Ville Platte, Evangeline; 337-363-7176 or 337-318-459-5906.

2 3/8" tubing, 85¢/ft.; 2 7/8 tubing, 95¢/ft.; Shaver hyd. 3 pt. post driver, \$1200. Bobby Denton, Jena, Lasalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Old time chicken brooder, 5 levels, works good, feeders & lights included, \$250. Harry Ardoin Ville Platte, Evangeline; 337-363-7176 or 337-459-5906.

Wanted: trade ATV 250 CC/08 model for weaned calves or hay equipment. S. Agnello, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-3735.

Wanted: used pea sheller in good cond. Brenda, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-978-9534.

Wanted: used tin. Bob, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-230-5634.

Wanted: old grist mill or old mill stones, any size. Richard Eaves, Demopolis, AL; 334-289-8906.

Wanted: used blacksmith equipment. Allen Lassere, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish; 504-737-3794 or 504-388-3794.

Wanted: wooden cistern. Anthony Fernandez, Chalmette, St. Bernard Parish; 504-279-4260.

Wanted: 3 pt. hitch, 6'-8" set of dics. Charles A. Methvien, Holden, 985-687-4050.

Wanted: corn/grain cracker to make corn chops for chicken feed, manual or mechanical operation. William Jowers, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-793-5684.

Wanted: broken or old saddle, repairing saddles also. Charlene Langley, Kinder, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-582-7677.

Wanted: used T posts, fork w/grabber to fit Bob Cat steer steering. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

LUMBER & SAWING

(44) 2"x4"x11' long cypress lumber, 290 bf, \$220, (18) 2"x6", 7' long lumber, 126 bf, \$50; (6) 2"x6" x 7'-20' long cypress boards, \$20/1; (6) 1"x4", 12' long oak boards, \$20/1. A. J. Bradley, Transylvania, East Carroll Parish; 318-552-6265.

Sawmilling services, on or off-site avail., prices per board, foot based on type of tree. Tony Fontenot, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-873-3807 or 337-280-3326.

Kiln drying services, 15¢ bd/ft. Bart Anderson, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-654-3236.

Logs to lumber, your place or mine, per 1000 for 1xs, \$300; per 1000 for 2xs, \$250; pine lumber avail., 50¢ bd/ft. for 1xs; 35¢ for 2xs. Glenn Dixon, Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-209-5451.

Cypress 1"x12"x8' long, \$8 bf/ft.; 1"x12"x10' long, \$10 bd/ft. Alan Dayton, Jena, LaSalle, 318-992-6962 or 318-715-6962.

Sinker cypress boards, blue & red, solid & pecky, \$5/1-up bd/ft. Leroy M. Foret, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-922-3861.

Cypress lumber, tongue groove, (30) 1x8x14, \$500. L.R. Reed, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-445-0605 or 318-623-6722.

Cypress swings, 1" lumber, screwed w/decking screws that are plugged in, contoured back & seat, 2', \$90; 4', \$120; 5', \$140. R.J. Arceneaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-981-5816.

SEWING & FABRICS

Quilts, all sizes, baby to king, \$60/1-up; quilt tops, \$20/1-up; king size afghans, \$75/1; Mary Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7428.

Crochet throws for wheel chairs, \$15/1; crochet hanging towels, assorted colors, \$2.5/1; small crochet butterfly magnets, \$2.25/1. Margaret Sisson, Grayson, Caldwell Parish; 318-649-7684.

Crochet blankets, baby to adult sizes, \$30-\$50/1. Theresa Primeaux, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-2468.

Handmade baby quilts, \$20/1-up; pot holders, \$6/2. Doris Hall, Leesville, Vernon Parish; 337-239-6480.

CRAFTS & WOODWORK

Handcrafted jewelry items, earrings, necklaces, bracelets,

rosaries, glass, crystal, semi-precious stones, depending on type of piece and content, \$7 - \$30/1. Linda Ewalt, Lacassine, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-588-4255.

Cedar patio furniture, 3" cedar log rockers, 2", 3" & 4" sq. & rd. post rockers, \$125-\$295; baby & youth rockers, \$45-\$50; 4', 5' & 6' swings & glider swings, \$110-\$295; cedar chest, \$250-\$350; picnic tables & dinette sets, \$275-\$1500. Wayne Schultz, Clearwater, Evangeline Parish; www.thecedartrunk.com, 318-776-9429 or 318-613-2281.

Homemade picnic tables, all treated wood, \$165; youth & baby tables, \$60 & \$65. Kerry Vallet, Maringouin, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-625-3239 or 225-718-4506.

Children's rocking chairs, \$35-\$40/1; wooden hand-made rocking horses, \$40/1. Michael John, Rayne, Vermilion Parish; 337-893-0259.

FROM THE FARM

Barn plans, \$60/1; farm house plans from our stock collection, \$1200; custom plan prices upon request, animal coop plans, \$50/1. John Delphen, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-756-2686.

All natural goat milk soap, good for your skin, long lasting bar, no petroleum or artificial ingredients, various scents, \$5/bar. Melanie Blackmer, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-478-2208.

Bayou Gourd Farm, clean dry gourds, all types, thousands to chose from, gourd art for sale, call ahead, \$1/1-up. Tom & Zeld Hornsby, Pineville, Rapides Parish; www.bayougourds.com or 318-445-3969.

Reddy Forced air heater, RPL 30, 30,000 BTUs, to connect on a propane tank, never used, \$80.

Kolpak walk-in freezer, 8'x8'x9', 6 1/2" tall, 220 volts, manufacture's date '06, used less than one year, \$3500; Kilpak walk-in cooler, 6'x6'x7', 6" tall, 110 volt, manufactures date '06, used less than 1 yr., \$2500. Mark, Krotz Springs, St. Landry Parish; 337-566-3349.

Wanted: old sugar kettles or syrup kettles, any size. Kathy, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-938-9366.

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Still in the saddle at 100

He's done many jobs during his lifetime. He worked in the timber, tung oil and parish road maintenance businesses, but if you ask Mr. Philip what his profession is he will say he's a cowboy.



By Sam Irwin

Many folks wish for a long and productive life but few ever reach the century mark.

Philip Sharp of the Blonde community north of Covington will tip that magic mark next month on December 21.

He's done many jobs during his lifetime. He worked in the timber, tung oil and parish road maintenance businesses, but if you ask Mr. Philip what his profession is he will say he's a cowboy.

Mr. Philip was the primary cowboy for

the Louisiana Tung Farm cattle operation in the 1950s

The tung nut produced an oil that was used in varnish and paint and was a valuable Louisiana crop. In between harvests of the tung nut, the farm owners double cropped their land with cattle. The cattle herd at its peak was 2,021 head and Mr. Philip mainly worked it with a good horse and dogs. The company always gave him extra helpers when necessary to do round up and branding but pretty much it was Mr. Philip who was responsible for every cow, calf, steer and bull.

"I done it all," Mr. Philip said. "I vaccinated, did the round up, castrated. If I got something I couldn't handle I called the vet."

Mr. Philip said because the herd was so large it served as a sentinel herd for Louisiana state agencies working to improve cattle health in the state.

"If the state was working on something they always called us," Mr. Philip said. "They were looking for tuberculosis in cattle and they called us. I remember hauling a bull to Opelousas to be tested for TB. They asked us where we got it, we told 'em and then they traced it back to a ranch in Texas."

While Hollywood has depicted cowboy life as idyllic and easy going Mr. Philip can attest that it's not all a rodeo.

"People think it's easy," he said. "It's not. If you worked cattle, you worked hard."

He grew up poor in a family of ten children in St. Tammany. Every family member had his or her own special duty to per-

form. Mr. Philip, the second to oldest, always helped with the cattle.

"My daddy always had a small herd of sheep and cattle," he said. "And we trained our own horses."

Mr. Philip paid attention and learned how to make a few dollars in the cattle business.

"I never kept a cow unless she was a producer," Mr. Philip said. "I didn't keep boarders."

A boarder?

He grinned. "A boarder is a cow that doesn't produce. It would be like you were paying the cow to stay on the place," he said.

Mr. Philip still attends the weekly cattle sale at the Amite Livestock Company sale barn in Amite. His knowledge of cattle is paramount and prospective buyers often ask his opinion on the livestock before making a purchase.

He admits that he misses being waist deep in the cattle business.

"I'd rather be working cows," he said. "But people ask me all the time if I miss my cows. I miss 'em, but I miss that check for the cows more."

Reaching age 100 is not as uncommon as it once seemed. Modern medicine can cure many ailments and help preserve life, but Mr. Philip doesn't credit his longevity to doctors. To be sure, a doctor would have grown poor as Mr. Philip's primary physician.

At 99, Mr. Philip's health is much better than one would expect. He takes no medication—nothing for blood pressure, nothing. **See Cowboy, continued on page 6**

99-year-old cowboy Philip Sharp tightens the saddle girth before mounting the sorrel. Commissioner Mike Strain and Sharp compare notes on cattle quality.

