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Commissioner Mike Strain and Susan

Wish you a very blessed holiday season



Photo taken Dec. 2008 in Watson, La. by Bridgette Ott, LDAF Boll Weevil Secretary.

Please mail this Market Bulletin to:

Dear Market Bulletin readers,

During the Christmas season when my family and I remember the days and months gone by, we reflect on the many blessing we have received.

In a country where we have an abundance of almost everything, it's easy to forget there are others not as fortunate.

During these uncertain economic times, many families are finding it difficult to put good nutritious food on their kitchen tables to feed their families. More than 17 million American homes experienced food insecurity at one point or another during 2008. This represents the largest number of families suffering from food insecurity since the United States Department of Agriculture began monitoring those numbers in 1995.

It means more than ever, many Louisiana families must rely on local food banks to help them through the holiday season.

Please be generous in your support of your local food bank and other food charities and donate if you can.

I hope you and your family can spend time together throughout the entire holiday season and take pleasure in remembering your blessings.

Although the farming and forestry communities in this state have suffered from several natural disasters in the past two years, we remain thankful for the help we've been able to secure for them and the prosperity we have been given.

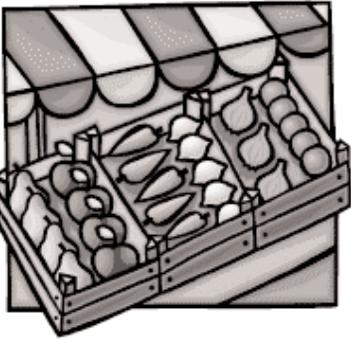
In our country, we are free to seek happiness and prosperity however we choose, and for many of us that involves providing the world's population with life-sustaining food, fiber and energy.

During this period of thanksgiving and rebirth, take time to remember the importance of agriculture in life and history, because on a glorious night more than 2,000 years ago, it was not businessmen and politicians who were present for the event that changed the world, but simple farmers tending their sheep, oxen and donkeys.

That miraculous moment occurred in the most humble of places. A barn, a stable, if you will. A manger. A simple, peaceful place those in agriculture know well.

May peace find you wherever you go.

Mike and Susan Strain



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 Famers 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

USDA declares most of La. agricultural disaster

Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M., said the United States Department of Agriculture has designated 53 Louisiana parishes as primary agricultural disaster areas.

"Extreme weather in early spring in the form of drought and excessive rainfall during the harvest months hurt our farmers," Strain said. "One of the wettest Octobers on record made it nearly impossible for some farmers to recover from the drought.

"Many of our state farmers, foresters and ranchers have been devastated by natural disasters for a second year in a row and we are grateful for the help from the Governor's office and the USDA. A concerted national effort is needed to assist our agricultural

producers so American farmers may continue to produce and compete in the worldwide market place.

"I urge Congress to enact legislation that would allow for an effective delivery of emergency financial disaster assistance that is equitable for Louisiana's unique agricultural needs with a mechanism similar to direct payments

"Many of our producers need assistance within weeks to repay loans and secure new financing in time for spring planting. We do our best to assist our farmers, foresters and ranchers in times of disaster, but our country will continue to lose its ability to produce and compete in the worldwide market unless we can protect our agricultural producers.

"It's important for all farmers in the affected parishes to contact their local FSA offices and apply for aid and get their paperwork in early."

In addition to the 53 parishes named as primary disaster areas, an additional 10 were named contiguous disaster parishes.

The disaster designation makes agricultural producers in those parishes eligible to receive aid from the Farm Service Agency in the form of emergency loans and the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Payments Program.

Farm operators must have incurred losses caused by the combined effect of spring and summer drought followed by excessive rainfall between April 1 and Oct. 30 to qualify for disaster relief.

Strain identified Acadia, Ascension, Avoyelles, Beauregard, Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Calcasieu, Caldwell, Cameron, Catahoula, Claiborne, Concordia, De Soto, East Baton Rouge, East Carroll, East Feliciana, Evangeline, Franklin, Grant, Iberia, Iberville, Jefferson, Jefferson Davis, Lafayette, LaSalle, Livingston, Madison, Morehouse, Natchitoches, Orleans, Ouachita, Plaquemines, Pointe Coupee, Rapides, Red River, Richland, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. Helena, St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Landry, St. Martin, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Tensas, Vermilion, Vernon, Washington, Webster, West Baton Rouge and West Carroll as primary disaster areas.

Designated as contiguous disas-



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ter parishes are Allen, Assumption, Jackson, Lafourche, Lincoln, Sabine, St. Mary, Union, West Feliciana and Winn.

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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
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West, Kinder
337-738-2778

Mansura Livestock
8745 Hwy 1
Mansura
318-964-5330

Dominique Stockyard (#1)
1462 Airline Hwy.
Baton Rouge
225-356-5203

Dominique Stockyard (#2)

3600 N. University Ave.
Carencro
337-896-6995

Dominique Stockyard (#3)
2800 W. Landry Street

Opelousas
337-942-5661

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

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4202 Hwy 1
Raceland
985-446-6540

Amite Livestock Co.
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Amite
985-748-8636

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100 Sale Barn Road
DeQuincy
337-786-2995

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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

Officials announce disbursement of \$44.5 million for farmers, agribusinesses recovering from '08 hurricanes

Governor Jindal joined Agriculture Commissioner Mike Strain and Louisiana Recovery Authority Executive Director Paul Rainwater on Dec. 8 to announce \$44.5 million in grant and loan funding to more than 1,000 farmers and agribusinesses affected by hurricanes Gustav and Ike.

"Agriculture is the lifeblood of Louisiana's economy, providing thousands of jobs and hundreds of millions in revenues each year," said Governor Jindal. "Hurricanes Gustav and Ike caused the industry a \$1 billion loss, and these much-needed grant and loan funds will go a long way to stabilize operations for small farms and agribusinesses across the state."

Funded using Community Development Block Grant funds allocated to Louisiana after hurricanes Gustav and Ike, the Louisiana Farm and Agribusiness Recovery Grant and Loan Program is part of the state's \$54.8 million commitment to agriculture recovery.

"I know our producers and agribusinesses are grateful for the help as this is the first relief money to come to the aid of the agricultural community and it comes from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development," Strain said. "In order to protect our food supply and national security farmers need direct and timely emergency assistance when disasters such as hurricanes, drought and excessive rainfall strike. Nearly two years ago, Louisiana agriculture suffered nearly \$1 billion during the Gustav-Ike event and this is the first federal aid we've seen to help keep them in business."

"And now, for the second year in a row farmers have experienced disastrous crop losses due to drought in the spring and excessive rainfall at harvest time this year.

"We need to have an emergency framework in place to keep our farmers, ranchers, foresters and agribusinesses in good financial health so they may be able to stay



A corn field in Caldwell Parish is under water after torrential rainfall from Hurricane Gustav caused flooding in the area.

in business, replant and provide food, fiber and energy for the country and the world."

The program has two components, including program for farmers and ranchers that offers a mix of grants and low interest loans to help with their production costs in 2009. The program also provides 1.5 percent interest loans to agribusinesses, including aerial applicators and cotton gins and elevators.

"We were proud to partner with Commissioner Strain to fight for funding for the struggling agricultural sector,"

Rainwater said. "This is the first time these type of funds are being used for agricultural recovery, and I can think of no group more deserving of this critical

a third of their cotton crop because some of their fields were completely underwater.

Another long-time farmer, Gary Jones from Tallulah, will use his funds to help pay down loans for seed and fertilizer so he can continue to farm his 1,500 acres of cotton, corn and soybeans. The program also benefits Rickey Nomey Logging in Jackson Parish by allowing them to pay off higher interest loans, which will help him continue to employ his nine employees.

Agribusinesses, including Monticello Gin Systems from East Carroll Parish, also benefit from the program. Owner Mark Raley had considered closing his business because he ginned 200 percent less cotton in 2008, but he will be able to stay open thanks to a low interest loan.

In total, the federal government allocated more than \$1 billion in CDBG funds to Louisiana for Gustav and Ike recovery. The majority -- \$565.5 million - went to local governments to support their rebuilding priorities. A portion of funds stayed at the state level for recovery priorities including agriculture, fisheries and coastal restoration.

Damage estimates from Gustav and Ike in Louisiana show:

"Approximately 12,000 homes flooded;
"Agricultural losses total approximately \$1 billion;

"Infrastructure damages total more than \$1 billion;

"Homes suffering some level of damage total 150,000 to 300,000;

"K-12 and secondary educational facilities received \$100-\$150 million in damages; and

"Business losses total approximately \$2.5-\$5 billion."

recovery aid than our Louisiana farmers."

In total, 1,087 farmers and agribusinesses will receive grants or loans, including 482 in the Monroe area, where program participants will share more than \$17.6 million in recovery funds.

Jindal joined Strain and other officials at Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's Monroe headquarters, where they recognized several program participants, including Terry and Dennis Poland of the Poland Brothers Farm in Richland Parish. These third generation farmers lost

Eat smart and avoid holiday weight gain

If you're one of the many Americans who face the holiday season with some fear of gaining weight, the good news is that although many people gain weight from Thanksgiving through New Year's Day, research suggests that the gain will probably be only 1 pound, not 5, according to LSU AgCenter nutritionist Dr. Beth Reames.

The bad news, she adds, is that most people likely will keep that pound during the coming year.

With the average weight gain for most Americans at 1 to 2 pounds a year, Reames offers these tips to help you avoid putting on pounds during the holidays:

– Be realistic. You don't have to lose weight that you don't gain. Instead of trying to lose weight over the holidays, strive to maintain your weight.

– Be selective. Think about what foods you really want to eat, which ones you will just sample and which ones you will skip.

– Watch portion sizes. Three ounces lean meat, chicken or fish measure up to the size of a deck of cards or a checkbook. Check the cooked weight of your turkey portion with a food scale if you have one.

A teaspoon of margarine is the size of the tip of your thumb to the first joint. One cup of mashed potatoes is a tennis ball;

one-half cup is half a tennis ball. One-half cup of vegetables is the size of a light bulb.

– Eat a light, nutritious snack such as soup, fruit or cereal before going to a party to help curb hunger and make better choices.

If you have two parties to attend, choose small portions at each.

To avoid nibbling on food without thinking about it, move away from the food table after filling your plate.

– Eat foods with high water content – salad, soup, fruits and vegetables. These offer a way to cut back on calories and help you feel full and satisfied.

– Try to eat a large salad before meals.

– Aim for making vegetables take up half the room on your plate.

– Don't deprive yourself of your favorites. Make it a balancing act. Cut the salad dressing and go for a small slice of chocolate mousse pie. Or balance your favorites with low-calorie foods, such as vegetables with a small amount of dip or boiled shrimp with lemon.

– Eat slowly and savor each delicious bite of food. This will help prevent overeating.

– If you're in charge of the menu or preparing items for the

meal, make it healthfully delicious – and low-calorie, too.

– When making recipes, substitute lower-fat ingredients for higher-fat ingredients. Using fat-free or low-fat sour cream or cream cheese in dessert recipes is a great way to enjoy holiday favorites that taste delicious but are much lower in fat and calories.

For stuffing, substituting fat-free, low-sodium chicken broth and skim milk for butter or other fat will keep the stuffing moist.

Use skim milk or evaporated skim milk when preparing mashed potatoes. Use herbs rather than salt to flavor.

For holiday gravy, remove the fat from gravy using a fat separator or refrigerate the food overnight and skim off the hardened fat.

Sweet potatoes are a rich source of beta-carotene, the plant source of vitamin A. Bake sweet potatoes and top them with cinnamon and nutmeg. If you want extra sweetness, add a small amount of orange or pineapple juice or a sprinkle of artificial sweetener instead of marshmallows and sugar.

For additional information about eating healthfully using the U.S. Department of Agriculture's MyPyramid, contact the LSU AgCenter office in your parish.

-LSU AgCenter Report-

Coming Your Way

Second Saturday Plant Sale program will be held Jan. 9, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. at the Parkway Partners Greenhouse, 1137 Baronne St. (corner of Baronne and Clío), 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.

Winter Buckle Series Barrel Racing Jan. 9 at the Tip Top Arena in Lecompte.

Ag and novice horse classes offered.

Future dates include Jan. 30 and Feb. 13.

For more information call 318-445-8907 or visit www.rivercities-barrelracers.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 Expositions, at 214-244-0350.

The 28th Annual Ag Expo will be held January 15-16, 2010 at the Ike Hamilton Expo Center in West Monroe. New for 2010 is the concurrent Annual Meeting of the Louisiana Cattlemen's Association to be held across the street at the Hilton Garden Inn. The show features an industry trade show complete with new technologies, products and commodity samples, a Jr. Livestock show, a Forestry Forum (registration required), educational exhibits, antique tractor show, Borden's Elsie the Cow with Beauregard and much more!

Ag Expo 2010 will be the official trade show of the LCA Annual Meeting. Exhibitors are being accepted thru December 18. Complete exhibit details are available at www.agexpo.org.

For more information, call 318-355-2495

Free Equine Education Seminar by the Equine Specialist/Trick Horse Demonstration will be held Jan. 2, 2010 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Magnolia Park in Folsom

For more information, contact Rae-anne Pellegrini at 985-893-3839.

2009 Sugarcane harvest good

Sugarcane farmers are taking advantage of good weather and improving prices as they progress into the more productive phase of this year's harvest.

"Farmers are optimistic that their yields will be better than normal," said Ben Legendre, LSU AgCenter sugarcane specialist. "We have some of the best yields we've seen in terms of tons of cane per acre."

He said higher prices, in the range of 28-32 cents a pound, have improved the outlook, but almost two-thirds of this year's sugar was sold before the harvest started at around 20.5 cents.

The harvest began with unusually wet, muddy fields that lowered quality, he said. But conditions have improved with dry weather.

Farmers have started or are about to start harvesting cane that was planted in 2008. "Yields are coming in on the plant cane better than expected," he said.

J i m m y Flanagan, LSU AgCenter county agent in St. Mary Parish, said tonnage is in the 35-ton per acre range. "Nobody I've heard from so far is doing terrible," he said.

Flanagan said farmers have been plagued with breakdowns and mechanical problems this year.

"These guys have been under economic stress and haven't been able to keep their equipment updated like they prefer," Flanagan said.

He said it's likely that farmers who end the season profitably will use much of that money to buy new equip-



ment or have repairs made.

Flanagan said more farmers planted soybeans this year on fallow ground. "Most of them

did pretty well," he said.

Planting went well this year with ample rainfall, unlike 2008. "We ought to be in pretty

good shape going into the spring," he said.

Al Guidry, LSU AgCenter county agent in St. Martin Parish, said the harvest has improved considerably with the change in weather.

"We've made good progress since the rain stopped," Guidry said.

Rainfall at the end of the summer was good for planting, he said, and the plant cane to be cut this year appears to have good potential. "We've got a beautiful plant cane crop," he said, adding farmers are cutting as much as 34 tons per acre, with recoverable sugar exceeding 200 pounds per ton of cane.

"We've gotten into our better cane and it's looking good," he said.

Guidry said the St. John sugar mill had processed 575,000 tons of cane as of Nov. 24, with a target of 1.1 million tons, which will be reached by mid-January.

Cane grower Chad Hanks of Lafayette Parish said his yields are down this year because his fields didn't get enough rainfall, but others are doing well.

"We didn't catch but one good rain all summer," he said.

Hanks said sugar levels are increasing, and prices are higher with the potential to increase more.

"The economics are changing and it's not just domestically driven. We're seeing a situation we haven't seen

since 1970 in the world market."

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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. red Brangus heifers, weaned, on feed, top bloodlines, \$700/1. Mike Porterfield, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-3767.

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Reg. Brangus bull, blk., 20 mos., gentle, calving ease, high milk bloodlines, very good quality,

ready to work, \$1400. Bill Clattenburg, Montpelier, St. Helena Parish; 225-223-7521.

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. 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.

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

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.

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

(2) Brangus heifers, (2) Braford heifers, 9-10 mos., \$400/1; Braford bulls, 12 mos., all gentle, on feed, \$750/1. Logan Monceaux, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-774-2787.

Reg. miniature Zebu cattle, heifers, some are trained to pull wagons, \$1000-\$2000/1; bull calves, \$500-\$1000/1; steer, \$350. Roger Maxwell, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish; 318-259-3427.

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

Reg. Angus bull, 3 yrs., calving ease, gentle, \$975; (3) F-1 bred Brangus cows, 4-6 yrs., gentle, others avail., \$2700/all. Buck Harris, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-337-3840.

(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; red Angus bull, \$2200. Ron Bearb, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-247-3999.

(4) reg. Char. breeding age bulls, \$1200-\$2000/1; (6) reg. Char. yrlds. bulls, \$900-\$1700/1. Phillip

Plaisance, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-9693.

(6) reg. Brangus cows exposed to Angus bull, 3-10 yrs., (3) w/calves born 10/24/09-11/12/09, (3) will calve in mid Dec., well built, very gentle, heavy milkers, gentle, \$1200/1-up; (2) reg. Brangus heifers, 9-12 mos., \$550/1-up. Danny Tonagel, Abita Springs, St. Tammany Parish; 985-264-0445 or 985-630-8943.

2009 Feb. colt by multi-stakes winner of \$347,0000, out of producing mare by Hesa Crazy Magic, SI 97, by Streakin Jolla, Accredited La. bred, nominated LA QHBA futurity, \$3500; 09' Feb. colt by multi-stakes winner of \$357,000, out of mare by Check the Charts, SI 99, by Buduino, Accredited La. bred, nominated LAQHBA futurity, \$3000. Louis or Sharon Reine, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-241-9725

2009 Jan. filly by winning son of Mr. Jess Perry, out of mare by John Dunit, SI 90, big muscled w/wide blaze, accredited La. bred, nominated LAQHBA futurity, \$2500. Louis or Sharon Reine, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-241-9725

(4) reg. polled Hereford AI sired bulls, 9 mos., grain fed, bloodlines Remital, \$900; 15 mos., \$1500, (4) bulls, 10-21 mos., \$900-\$2000/1. Cheryl Smyth, Leesville, Vernon Parish; 337-238-5111.

Angus bull, BR Midland sired, 13 mos., stout, 1300 lbs., halter broke, 2000; Brangus bull, 5 yrs., large frame, gentle, calves to show, \$1500. B. Walker, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-663-9416 or 318-256-6591.

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 & Holstein milk/nurse cows, \$675/1; Jersey & Holstein heifers, 6 mos.-1 yr., \$475/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-4345.

(15) head of fresh Corriente roping steers & heifers, wormed, healthy & good horn, \$300-\$350/1. Jeff LeBlanc, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-368-8773.

(5) bulls reg. blk. polled Simm., (5) bulls, 11-22 mos., bloodlines Black Irish Kansas, good EPDs, \$750/1-up; (6) heifers, 11-21 mos.,

deliv. avail., \$650/1-up. Harold Landreneau, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-457-0505 or 337-351-8190.

Miniature Zebu cattle, (2) red bulls calves, born 5/18/09, \$650; born 8/20/09, \$350. Mike LaFleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

Angus & bull, 3 yrs., fertility tested, stout & gentle, calves on property for viewling, \$1000. Winston Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-257-3458.

(2) reg. red Brangus heifers, born 3/09 & 4/09, halter broke, very good show animals, \$750/1 or \$1400/all. Corey Suire, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-643-2509.

(8) roping steers, 400 lbs., good horns, deliv. avail., \$260/1. Jeff Roach, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-558-5275 or 337-660-6950.

Reg. Texas longhorn cattle, top bloodlines & quantity, beautiful young cows bred to top horn producing bulls, very nice starter package of bred heifer & breeding age bull, \$1500. Ed Durr, Jr. Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-5556.

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

Pb Char. heifers or bulls, born 4/09, \$600/1. N. LeJeune, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-276-5813 or 337-579-1280.

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

Reg. blk. Simm. bulls, yrlds.-2 yrs., multi-gen., AI, will add growth & muscle to calves of Angus/Brangus cows, tested and guaranteed, \$1500/1-\$1800/1. Bubba Perrilloux, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-2832.

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.

Freezer calves, Charolais & Charlangus, \$2/lb. dress wt., \$1/lb. live weight, will deliver to local slaughter house. Frederick Rodusta, 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.

(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.

(3) reg. Angus bulls, large frame, bloodlines New Design and Bando, 13 mos., \$900; 9 mos., \$800; 7 mos., \$700. Norman Coffman, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-526-4097 or 337-725-4151.

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

F1 tiger stripe heifers, \$800/1. Michael Guillot, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-8585.

Blk. pb bull, born 11/10/09, son of Black Irish Kansas, \$700. Ronnie Duplantis, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-594-5065.

Reg. polled Hereford bulls, show quality, gentle, all shots & wormed, top bloodlines, \$800/1-up. John Mackenroth Jr., Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-848-6864.

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

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

(54) red Angus x Gelbvieh x Brahman cows, 2-4 yrs., will calf to Gardiner Ranch Angus bulls; \$1100/1. 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.

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

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

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.

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

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

(2) reg. Angus heifers, 6 mos., \$500/1; reg. Angus bull, 5 mos., \$500; 9 mos., \$600. Wes Gauthier, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 337-319-4526.

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.

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.

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

MFT mare, reducing herd, some training, needs finishing, must sell, \$1500 obo. Paul & Sue Campbell, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-845-9981.

(2) MFT pal. fillies, 3 yrs. & 4 yrs., broke & ready to show on trail ride, blue papers, beautiful colors, clip, shoe, loads easy, 3 yr., \$1000 obo; 4 yr., \$1500 obo. Sid Moreland, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-371-0747.

Geld, 8 yrs., off of Easy Jet, beautiful gray, 14.2 hands, 1100 lbs., registration 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.

AQHA brown geld., 9 yrs., barrel races, trail rides & works cows, bloodline Wonder Seeker on bottom, Old Black Magic Man on top, \$3500; AQHA blk. mare, 4 yrs., good barrel horse prospect, Direct Hit, thoroughbred breeding on top, Wonder Seeker on bottom, \$2000. Debra Lambert, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-2084.

2008 AQHA pal. fillies, Woods Poco x Spin One, Diamond N Jake x Little Barlite, Wimpy Kings Brass x Zans Sunny Miss, Able to Cheat x Bennie Gal, Jack Sprat Supreme x Copper Freckles, Doc Jack Sprat, Colonel Freckles, Shot O Gin, Zans Rawhide, Peppy San & Senor Bailey breeding at its best, \$1500/1. Rene Brown, Newellton, Tensas Parish; 225-766-0061.

Reg. 2009 Rocky Mountain chocolate filly, beautiful, sire is Over The Top, \$2500; reg. '09 SSHBEA brown/wh. stallion, good attitude, sire is Over The Top, \$1000. Dwayne, Larose, Lafourche Parish; 985-632-4968 or 985-859-3588.

Miniature horses, AMHA & unreg., AMHA blk./wh. stallion, \$800; (3) weans., \$250/1-up. Gale Barbo, Olla, Lasalle Parish; www.4miniaturefarm.com or 318-495-3031 or 318-312-1667.

Solid bay mare, 5 yrs., good show quality, cutting horse, bloodlines Freckles Playboy, Docs Silver Bar, \$3000. Vickie Smith, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-683-8818.

(3) Rocky Mountain & Kentucky Mountain reg. & certified to breed brood mares, have produced beautiful chocolate fillies, \$1500/1 or \$3500/all. Vicky

Costanza, Harrisonburg, Catahoula Parish; 318-744-5620.

Yrlgs., wean. & broodmares, Smart Chic Olena, Mr. San Peppy, Hollywood Dun It, will trade for cattle, horse drawn equipment or \$1500 nego. Johnnie or Pam Barnes, Gilliam, Caddo Parish; 318-296-4292.

AQHA '09 sorrel stud colt, gentle, halter broke, stocky, bloodlines Colonel Freckles, 2-Eyed Jack, King, Poco Bueno, \$1000. Randy Turner, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-787-5860.

Miniature pal. filly, 6 mos., starting to do tricks, very gentle, 12 yrs. gray & wh. miniature broodmare, gentle, \$500-\$700/1. Roy Hazelwood, Lacombe, St. Tammany Parish; 985-882-3210.

AQHA, APHA mares & colts, top working bloodlines, many riding colts, \$200/1-up; mares, \$800/1. Gerald Gulotta, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-974-5385.

Miniature horses, blk./wh. stallion & mares, \$1000/1-up. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 504-812-8108.

Reg. Tennessee Walkers, herd reduction, (9) riding mares, (2) gelds., (15) wean., (2) breeding stallions, buckskin, blk./wh. spotted, pal., bay, sorrel, dunn, all gentle, lay-a-way, \$500/1-up. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7365.

Reg. TW, wh. mare, pretty, gentle, rides & raises fine babies, very calm, easy to handle, good family horse, lay-a-way, \$1000. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7365.

2009 AQHA (8) beautiful babies, sorrel, red roan & blue roan, bloodlines Pepto Oaks, Peptoboonsmal, Peppy San Badger, Royal Blue Boon, Smart Little Lena, Cats Rhett, High Brow Cat, Doc Bar, Smart Little Kitty, High Brow Hickory and more, \$1000/1-up. Terry Londerno, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-623-4683.

2002 AQHA mare, La. Senena, grandfather is Spanish Array who won world champion in halter points, she has been shown in halter, has had (1) foal, a great mom, \$2000 nego. T. Londerno, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-623-4683 or 337-592-3000.

Blk./wh. Tennessee Walker weanlings, halter broke, others avail. that are trained & riding, \$350/1-up. Carl Devillier, Chataignier, Evangeline Parish; 337-580-9190.

Sorrel mare, 6 yrs., 15 1/2 hands, used for trail riding, very pretty, \$800. Karen Mixon, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-261-3367.

Arabian mare, 2 yrs., loads & unloads very easy in trailer, ground manners, started lifting feet, all shots & wormed, good cond., bay, dark red, blk. mane & tail, \$400. Randall Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-390-9108.

Reg. quarterhorse mare, 6 yrs., excel. cond., high school rodeo contender, fast, all shots up-to-date, daughter of First Down Laveaux, \$5000. E. LaCombe, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-3628.

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

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

Miniature horses & donkeys, studs & jacks, \$300/1. Jerry Corley, Trout, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-8101.

Reg. sorrel geld., 4 yrs., started on barrels & poles, hauls nice, good disp. \$3000. Vicki Brodrick, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-230-5046.

AQHA pal. stallion, born 4/27/00, 15.2 hands, easy breeder, very gentle. sire Mr. Golden Dish, Arctic Blizzard, The Genuine Article, Moon Deck, dam, Skipas Foxy Lena, Fox Quest, Fox Easter, Doc O'Lena, Doc Bar, Poco Lena, Skipper W, Skipa Star, Leo, Two Eyed Jack, \$1500. Charles Seal, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-748-8572.

1996 AQHA sorrel mare, bred to AQHA pal. stud, sire Doc Bar Bob, Dry Doc, Apprehension, Doc Bar, Poco Lena, dam Dee Bar Midget, O'Quinn's Bar, Jo Dee Cole, Three Bars, O'Quinn Midget, Rooster Cole Toni Jo 6, \$1000. C. Seal, Oakdale, Allen

Parish; 318-748-8572. **2009 AQHA** bay filly, pedigree Watch Joe Jack, Jolly Bar Jim, Spanish Etch, saddle & trailer broke, \$950. Eric Wingate, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-2348.

Several nice reg. TW geldings, paints, solids, \$800-\$1000. Jack or LaJuan Johnson, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; johnsonhorse-fa8747@att.ent or 318-253-8981.

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.

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.

1986 AQHA mare, excel. horse for beginners, children or adults, good health, \$500. D. Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

STALLION SERVICE

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. J. 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.

Perlino stallion, 100% producer of buckskins, \$300/\$8 mare. Jane Vidal, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4151.

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.

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.

DOGS

Border collie pups, female & male, fb, no papers, \$75/1. C. Sibley, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-2304.

ABCA reg. border collie pups, parents on site, born 11/15/09, (6) females, (2) males, smart, beautiful, easily trained or very good pet, \$300/1. Charles J. Hoffpauir, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-401-1009 or 337-353-6781.

AKC blue heeler pups, champi-

on bloodlines, out of working stock, parents on site, ready for Christmas, (4) males, (2) females, taking deposits, \$450/1-up. V. Rancher, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-405-2552.

NKC reg. blk. mouth cur pups, born 6/11/09, first shots & wormed, parents on site, three generation papers, \$125/1. Coy Jones, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 985-732-9482 or 985-516-1650.

UKC reg. toy fox terriers, males & females, born, 9/27/09, \$400/1. Bernard & Tina Darbonne, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-765-9415.

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.

AKC reg. beagles, top AKC show champions, home of the famous Parader bloodline hunting stock bred by John Frances Davis & family since '33, fully vacc. & wormed on regular schedule, males, \$200/1, females, \$250/1; top quality litter ready Christmas week, \$200/1; (6) top notch brood females, 1-3 yrs., mothers of large litters, some may be bred, \$500/1; (2) good stud dogs, 1-2 yrs., \$400/1. Wade Davis, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-794-9558.

Australian shepherd pups, born 11/01/09, (5) blue merles, (2) blk. tri males, females great pet for child or family, will hold till Christmas, \$65/1. Dana Latchworth, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-763-1600.

AKC & CKC adults, 2-11 yrs., miniature dachshunds, solids & piebalds, miniature schnauzers & Scottish terriers, \$50-\$200; pups 6 wks.-12 mos., miniature dachshunds, solids & piebalds, pugs, fawn & blk., Scottish terriers, blk. & wheaton, boxers, blk. w/wh. & brindle w/wh., \$100-\$500/1. Gloria Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-1239.

Rat terrier pups, first shots & wormed, tails docked, \$65/1. Tommy Stelly, Arnaudville, St. Martin Parish; 337-754-7563.

Pb blue heeler female, born 2/09, tail docked, had all shots, good disp., out of working stock, cash only, \$100. Kenneth Boone, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-948-1352 or 337-945-9015.

AKC Doberman pups, \$500/1-\$600/1. Stephanie McNeal, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-5842.

¾ great Pyrenees & ¼ Akbash, born 10/25/09, great dogs to keep predators away, ready for Christmas, \$100/1. Todd LaFleur, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-261-0847.

Reg. Catahoula pups, born 8/14/09, out of working hog & cattle stock, \$200/1. Chester Wager, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-845-4764 or 337-412-8545.

Reg. Rottweilers, reg. Jack Russell, ready for Christmas, cash only, \$150/1-\$300/1. Elbert Forest, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-698-3622 or 225-698-3985.

Miniature Rat Terrier, female pup, \$50. Robert Barton, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-659-4672.

Akabash pups, good w/chickens, goats, sheep or anything you put w/them, \$100/1; ¾ Chihuahua & ¼ poodle pups, \$200/1. Rickey Pender, Colfax, Grant Parish; 318-627-3086.

CKC Jack Russell pups, born 3/9/09, (2) males, \$200/1; new litter born 8/31/09, (2) males \$200/1; female, \$250. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 504-812-8018.

Reg. Australian shepherd pups, first shots & wormed, vet tested, tri-color, \$200/1; blue merle, \$300/1. Jimmy Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7220 or 337-351-3094.

(4) CKC reg. beagle pups, 5 mos., small type, straight rabbit stock, \$75/1; 2-3 yrs., reg. brood female beagles, \$50/1. Laver Rester, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-848-8419 or 985-515-7985.

T-cup Chihuahuas, small Chihuahuas, \$300-\$400/1; toy poodles, toy Dachshunds, \$300/1; miniature Schnauzers, \$200; hairless & powder puff Chinese crested, credit, debit or cash, \$300/1. Paul Comeaux, Sr., Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-684-7500 or 337-684-6002.

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

Natchitoches Parish; 318-352-2180.

Miniature Dachshund pups, ready for Christmas, will hold until Christmas eve, CKC chocolate & tan females, \$225/1. Lydia Lambert, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; www.miniweeniedogs.com or 318-481-7225.

Reg. miniature Australian shepherd pups, born 10/24/09, first shots & wormed, parents on site, red tri-color, \$475/1. Rachel Fabacher, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-258-6138.

Miniature rat terrier female puppy, \$50. Robert Barton, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-659-4672.

Catahoula pups, 6 wks., (3) males, (3) females, good bloodlines, free. Amy Hanks, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-250-4996.

Reg. basset hound pups, (4) female (4) males, lemon & wh., ready for Jan. '10, \$200/1. Kurt Courville, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-274-1093.

AKC reg. miniature schnauzers, born 11/22/09, (2) males, (1) female, \$300/1. Carrie Aguillard, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-5298.

Cow dog, 1 ½ yrs., blk./tan, male, cur, working dog, will show on cattle, \$500/1. Lawrence Fontenot, Reeves, Allen Parish; 337-499-9727.

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.

ABCA reg. border collie pups, sire Imported Moss, dam Imported Fly, good stock dogs, rough coat, large, big bone, first vacc. & 3 wormings, w/papers, \$400/1. Rodney Cotton, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-640-2042.

Wanted: young great pyrenees male pups. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-328-7441.

SHEEP & GOATS

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

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.

Brush goats, grown billies for herd breeders, \$50-\$70/1. E. J. Flanagan, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-1498.

SWINE

Potbellied piglets, born 10/30/09, blk./wh., ready for Christmas, depending on color, \$100-\$125/1. Todd Lafleur, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-261-0847.

Pigs ready for slaughter, 100-200 lbs., home raised on natural feed, \$100/1-up. Lillie Howard, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-654-3028.

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.

DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

Red rumps, (6) opaline split males, opaline female, (22) assorted opaline blue & Australian blue, all ready for breeding, \$2000/all. Donald Jacob, Laplace, St. John Parish; 985-652-6614.

Hf baby cockatiels, mostly latinos, beautiful bright yellow w/red eyes, also gray, \$35/1. D. Cobb, Westlake, Calcasieu Parish; 337-494-1155.

Blue & gold macaws, 2 yrs., \$600/1; sun conures \$225/1; lovebirds, 2 yrs., \$25/1. Lance Nelson, Gonales, Ascension Parish; 225-978-0778.

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.

Hf baby cockatiels, mostly lutinos, beautiful bright yellow w/red eyes, grays, \$35/1. D. Cobb, Westlake, Calcasieu Parish; 337-494-1155.

Lovebirds, colony of (14), 1 yr., ready for first time breeding, Dutch blues, normals, normal orange-face, lutinos, split to orange, Australian cinnamon, split to orange, \$400/all obo; young lovebirds, many colors, quantity discount, \$20-\$40. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, Assumption Parish; 985-369-6952.

Lady Gouldian finches, \$65/1-up; hf parrotlets, pastels & blues, \$150/1; yellow-sided green-cheek conure hen, breeder, \$125/1. William Lambert, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-954-0056.

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

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: mature scarlet macaw hen. Ellis & Becky Sisk, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-774-7414.

POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

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

Fresh yard eggs, \$2/doz. Jerry Landry, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-695-3059.

Red golden pheasants, '09 hatch, \$50/pr.; Lady Amherst pheasants, '09 hatch, \$5/pr. Darrell Arabie, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-849-3718.

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, Concordia Parish; 318-758-1288.

India blue & pied peafowl, '09 hatch, \$100/pr.; (4) blk. Spanish male turkeys, \$20/1; pair of Rio Grand, \$40/1. B. Soileau, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-468-5622.

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.

Peacocks, 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; '09 unsexed Indian blue & blk. shoulder peachicks, \$25/1-up. Jeannie, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-677-8964.

(6) geese, \$15/1or \$80/all. C. Sibley, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-2304.

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

Flying mallards, 1 1/2 yrs., trio, \$45, some laying already, expecting 600 hatchlings, booking now, 2 mos., unsexed, \$7/1. Woody Harvey, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-4271.

Old English game bantams, BB reds & others, \$10/1. Billy Ortego, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-436-1902 or 337-884-5122.

Laying hens, barred rock, white leghorns, morans, pullets, young roosters, Rhode Island reds, standard Cornish & Cornish cross w/Australorp, \$6/1-up. chicks, \$2/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

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.

Rhode Island red chicks, \$1/1; blk. sex link pullets, days old, \$1.5/1; fertile brown eggs, per dozen, \$2/1. Ervin Crawford, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-294-3767.

Poultry cages, for poultry or quail, 4'x8'x4' w/self-feeder & water trough, \$400/1; 4'x7'x4' cage, \$300. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

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: laying hens, pullets, young roosters, barred rock, Rhode Island red, standard Cornish and Cornish cross Austrlorp, \$6/1; chicks, \$2/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Wanted: ducks, chickens, pullets, young roosters 6 mos.-1 yr., guineas, turkeys, geese & bantams, must be healthy, 25 miles from Rayne. Wilbur Leger, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-334-4949.

Wanted: affordable chicken plucker machine. Mike Dlugosh, Calhoun, Ouachita Parish; 318-614-5645.

PIGEONS

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.

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

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

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

Mini rex, Calif., Flemish, Holland lop, Netherland & New Zealand, \$10/1-up. Carlos A. Castro, Jennings, Jeff. Davis Parish; 337-275-6663.

Pb satins, young & breeders, blks. & broken blks., \$20/1-up. Doug Girard, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-781-2244 or 337-967-3823.

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

Mini rex bunnies, 8 wks., \$10/1. Ricky Deshotel, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4032.

Wanted: rabbits 7-10 lbs. Calif. & New Zealands, top dollar paid on good #1 roaster. Wade Rodi, Braithwaite, Plaquemine Parish; 504-432-2170.

DEER & EXOTICS

Llama male, 1 1/2 yrs. solid blk., \$300. Darren Davis, Trout, Lasalle Parish; 318-447-6996.

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.

Chinchilla w/large 2-level cage, 2 yrs., friendly, \$150. Rachel Fusilier, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-336-1682.

Wanted: blk. bucks, red deer, axis or whitetail doe fawns off buck scoring 160+, will trade white tail doe fawns off 160+ buck, main frame 12 point. Vincent S. Brocato, Montgomery, Grant Parish; 318-646-1040.

RATITES

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

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

Pond stocking, channel catfish, 30¢/1; blue catfish, 40¢/1; copper nose bluegill bream, 25¢/1; regular bluegill bream, 25¢/1; hybrid bluegill bream, 30¢/1; redear bream 30¢/1; blk. crappie, sac au lait, 40¢/1; bass, 50¢/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 coppernose bream, 30¢/1; also aeration systems, pick up or del. avail. Chris Broussard, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-230-0123.

D15 ac power unit diesel engine w/4 cyl. for crawfish pond, cash, \$1200. Shirles Champagne Sr., St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-845-4450 or 337-845-4450 or 337-523-6861.

Alum. crawfish boat, 4'x12', 11 horse Honda engine w/hyd, \$2000 obo. James Fontenot, Lake Arthur, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-275-0383.

FARM SERVICES

Horseshoeing & trimming, minis to drafts, dependable, certified, educated graduate of Ok. horseshoeing school, servicing the Gulf South region, horseshoeing, \$75; trim, \$30. Rene Petz, Albany, Livingston Parish; 985.320.5515 or 225.567.2839.

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

100% recycled rock, cost effective base material for roads & driveways, per ton for local deliveries within Lafayette &

Acadia Parish, 15 ton minimum, \$28.5/1. John Fell, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-873-6870.

Clear trees, stumps, underbrush & fence line w/no haul-off, burning, disposal or chemicals, impressive right-of-way cutter, \$500/hr. plus mobilization. John Fell, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-873-6870.

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

Fence building, barbwire, 4 & 5 strands, \$1/ft.-up; call for other 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.

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

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

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

All breed dog boarding, 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.

Certified artificial insemination services for cattle utilizing the heat watch system. Bryan 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.

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.

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.

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.

Large stall w/own 1/4-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 1/2'x13 1/2', 8 acres, (4) paddocks, auto water & insect spray, rd. pens, swimming hole, walker, 1/4 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.

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.

(32+) acres fenced farm/ranch, 30 min. from Lafayette, Hwy. 167 frontage, almost new 1260 sq. ft. 3 bedroom & 2 bath home w/9' ceilings, 1500 sq. ft. shop, 600 sq. ft. trac. shed, office & storage bldg., includes all trac./equipment & tools, acre stocked lake, Bahia/Bermuda hay, turn-key operation, \$289,000. K.T. Taylor, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-363-3787.

Wanted: 10-40 acres adjoining Union wildlife hunting reserve in Northwest, La., wooded or pasture land. Antonio Gutierrez, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-474-2240 or 337-302-6670.

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 fert., avail.

statewide, 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

Spider lily bulbs, red, pink & yellow, 35¢/1-up. Mike Delatte, Roseland, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-3745.

Pine straw, longleaf, premium quality bales, very clean, hand raked & hand baled, \$6/bale. Harold Hoover, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-5719.

Camellias, palms, azaleas, shrubs, trees, perennials, all in various sizes, \$5/1-up. Bobby Duncan, Ball, Rapides Parish; www.duncannurseries.com or 318-640-9772.

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

Pure live seeds, wildlife food, native grass/forage/reclamation & wildflower seeds, hard to find species & specialty mixes, \$5/1b. & up. Desiree, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-0975 ext. 5.

Jelly palms, sago palms, \$5-\$20 by size; Japanese plums, Celeste fig, 3 gal., \$8; cast iron plants, 3 gal., \$10; African Iris, \$5-\$10 by size, jelly palms & date palms, \$8-\$25/1 by size; Mamou plants & Boston fern, 1 gal., \$5; truck yucca, 3 gal., \$8; mondo grass, 3 qt. tufts, \$1/1; amaryllis reds & St. Joe's, \$3-\$10 by size. 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.

Red & pink Texas star, yellow candlestick, purple hibiscus, yellow butterfly vine, native yellow daffodils, purple pin cushion vine, red & white cypress vines, bi-color Confederate rose, pink rose of Montana, purple bean vine, yellow & red mushroom peppers,

Peter pepper & birdseye pepper, yellow & red squash peppers, \$2/pkg. w/SASE. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 70601; 337-478-7075.

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.

Wanted: mirliton variety seeds, not imported. Lance Hill, New Orleans, Orleans Parish; 504-220-4609.

Wanted: old time pouting Polly flower seeds. Bettye Efferson, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-698-6375.

TREES & FRUITING VINES

Candy, Oasis, Caddo pecan trees, 3 gal., 2'-4', \$15/1; 4'x6', \$17/1; 6'x8', \$19/1. Bill Beasley, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 318-757-4307.

Fig trees, large Italian & brown turkey, \$6-\$10/1. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-1498.

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

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.

Elliott & Sumner pecan trees, 5 gal., 2'-4', \$10/1; cypress trees 4', \$6/1. Earl Normand, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-876-3346.

Large live oak w/character, shade trees, nut & flower trees, beautiful oaks, 3"-12" trunk diameter, del. & planted, \$350/1-up. Bob Thibodeaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-319-3957.

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.

Meyer lemons, \$10-\$20/1; sweet lemons \$10-\$20/1; rare white peach, \$5-\$20/1-up; Celeste, green Ischia figs, \$8-\$12/1; bush red cherry, \$5-\$12/1; kumquats, \$12/1; pomegranate, \$12/1; yellow butterfly vine, \$10/1; blackberry plants, \$5/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, LA 70601-8742. 337-478-7075.

Live oak trees, 8', in 5 gal. pots, \$20/1; La. cypress, in 5 gal. pots, 5'-6', \$10/1. Rita Nichols, Choutierville, Natchitoches Parish; 318-379-0356.

Evergreen sky pencil holly, 1 yr., will grow to 10' tall & 2' wide, dark green, \$2/1. Bill Deval, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-258-3975.

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.



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 Jiggs Bermuda sq. bales, fert. & limed, in barn, \$4.5/1; Bahia & Alicia sq. bales, fert., in barn, \$35/1. Craig Gremillion, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-922-3719.

2009 Bermuda mix, 4x5 rd. bales, in barn, \$30/1. Bud Gautreaux, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-334-2043.

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.

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 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.

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

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

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

(120) Bahia rd. 4x5 bales, will load, \$25/1. Darrell Richard, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-896-8343.

Argentina Bahia 4x5 rd. horse grade hay, fert., in barn, \$30/1. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-542-0252.

Jiggs Bermuda fresh cut hay, no rain, 4x5 rd. bales, \$30/1. Tammy Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-278-3624.

Cow hay & mixed grass, good clean hay, no weed, in barn, \$30/1; outside, \$25/1. Charles Bell, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-9222.

(39) fresh baled fert. Bahia, Nov. 17-19, 4x5 rd. bales, \$30/1. C.M. Duplechian, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-2989.

Russell Bermuda 4x5 rd. bales, \$20/1; mixed Bermuda/Bahia & Dallas grass, \$15/1. Lionel Miller, St. Landry, Evangeline Parish; 318-838-2332 or 318-201-2683.

(45) bales, under shed, \$28/1. Ernest Spears, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-8430.

(100) bales, Alicia/Bermuda & native grasses mixed, 4x5 rd. bales, \$35/1. Bill Frazier, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-4574 or 985-748-7304.

2009 Bahia 4x5 rd. bales, \$20/1. Daren Vicellio, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-937-7659.

Large rd. bales of good quality grass hay, outside, \$20/1; in barn, \$30/1. Bernard Leger, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-948-9366 or 337-945-2435.



JD 4640, good paint, good trans., runs great, no a/c, \$8500. Jason Tassin, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-0988.

800 Ford trac. w/5' bush hog & toolbar w/ridgers, runs well, needs work, \$2000 obo. J. Holmes, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-9304.

2002 Ford 3010 NH trac., 338 hrs. w/canopy top, first set of remote valves, excel. cond., like new, \$11,000; '07 675 farm track trac. w/front-end loader, 7' bucket, 4 wd, 2 sets of remote valves, 74 hp., 440 hrs., like new, excel. cond., \$20,000. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

4000 Ford diesel trac., recently completely overhauled, hyd. system repaired, excel. cond., \$6000, nego. L. Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

Manure spreader, Knight model 7712 side slinger, ready to work, \$4500. James Casanova, Amite 985-517-0334 or 985-748-7363.

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

JD 4020, ps, column shift, buggy canopy, good paint, good rubber, good power, recent overhaul, \$8000. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-274-8405.

JD 6620 combine, turn the key and use, well maintained, raspbar cyl., 216 flex header, 444 corn header, header trailer, \$11,000/all; JD 8430 '78 model, runs great, 178 hp at drawbar, \$6500; JD 515 grain drill, 15' wide, 7 1/2" or 15" spacing, 3 pt. hitch, 2-wheel dolly & drag harrow attachment, perfect cond., \$8500. Mario Alexander, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-278-0079.

JD 230 disc 21' wide, ready to use with extra parts, \$2800; A & L 450 bu. grain cart, great shape, new tires, \$4500. M. Alexander, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-278-0079.

2003 JD 5520, 4 wd utility trac. w/front-end loader, 4 hyd., remote, telescopic draft link & 3210 bush hog brand, 1100 hrs., \$35,000. Charles Ponthier, Hesser, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-8490.

1480 Int. combine w/2 new 30.5L/32 tires, good motor, new specialty rotor, mud hog, \$5000; 644 JD corn header, good cond., \$4000; 7100 JD 6-row planter w/finger pick-up hoppers, \$2000. Bruce Richerson, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-451-3610 or 318-445-4384.

D-20 Komatsu dozer, new rubber tracks & sprockets, new turning brakes, 6-way blade, 2-post canopy, great for farm, \$12,000 obo. Dennis Bickford, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-0090.

Portable grain cart, 800 bu., augers & flighting, paint in great cond., \$3500; 6-row Amco hipper, \$1200; (4) 6-row, 8-row cult., \$500-\$600/1. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-876-3304 or 318-308-4492.

IH cub trac. w/belly mower, brand new engine, 12-volt system w/electronic ignition, \$2000. Harold Yantis, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-

4220, no Sunday calls. **Ford Jubilee** trac., gas, excel. cond., \$2750. R. A. DuCote, Glynn, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-627-4881.

Pick-up disc, 1-row, good cond., \$600; 7'x3' box blade, heavy-duty, like new, \$700. Charles Leger, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-585-7393 or 337-692-0266.

(3) Farmall tracs., not running, each have extra parts & motor, \$650/1; 4' Howse tiller, 3 pt. PTO like new, \$850. Anthony Potier, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-234-4169.

Int. '93 244 diesel trac., 27 hp, good cond., 4x4' bush hog, draw bar w/hippers & single row to build rows, \$4200. Joe Hebert, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-7398.

Ford 555E backhoe, very good cond., \$16,500; JD 2040 w/easy loader, 50 hp, 8 spds., low hrs., \$7900; JD 2240 61 PTO hp, 8 spds., \$5900. J. Guillot, Hesser, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-4776.

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

JD 3 pt. quick hitch for Cat. to save time attaching equipment, \$300 obo; 1-row JD planter, 3 pt. hitch for farm garden, \$650. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-788-0240, no calls after 7 p.m.

6' rear discharge finishing mower for 3 pt. farm trac., \$1000. Paul Sherman, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-788-0240, no calls after 7 p.m.

2-Bell plow w/3 pt. hitch, \$375; Jeffroy renovator, \$300; JD 602 seed spreader, \$300. Gerald Gulotta, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-974-5385.

Ford TW-20 diesel trac., 135 hp, new motor, excel. cond., \$5975; Ford 3600 trac. w/front-end loader, 48 hp, freshly blasted & painted, new tires, large bucket, PTO & 3-pt. hitch, never used, \$6750; Ford diesel trac., 45 hp, freshly blasted & painted, new tires, strong lift & PTO, \$3950; Ford 3400 w/front-end loader, 95 hp, very reliable, field ready, \$5775; Case 830 diesel trac., new motor, new headlights, 65 hp, barn kept, field ready,

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M670 Super Moline butane trac., 72 hp, \$5000 nego. P.F. Meaux, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-643-2826.

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 bedding hopper, \$2800; fert. mix miser for seed beds, \$400; vine cutter, \$300; (1) 300 gal. chemical tank, \$250. Chad Helminger, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-964-2380 or 318-201-5767.

1993 JD trac., 3600 hrs., model 6300 MFWD, 75 PTO hp, dozer blade & ditching blade & 7' heavy-duty bush hog shredder, \$19,500. Winston Fontenot, Ville Platte, St. Landry Parish; 337-363-2111 or 337-831-5110.

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

NH combination hay rake & fluffer, barn kept, excel. cond., \$1000. Ross Mule, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-4595 or 985-515-5219.

5' 3 pt. hitch, bush hog grader box, \$250; 3 pt. hitch, 4' wide disc, \$100. Ernest Spears, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-8430.

556 JD baler, \$8000. E. Spears, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-8430.

Ford bridger 8-row planter w/row markers, \$1200; Case 14' heavy breaking disc, \$1500; 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.

4-row & 6-row equipment, JD 499 cotton picker, \$1000; 6-row drag, \$1200; JD disc, \$500; Chisel plow, \$1500; V-ripper, \$1500. Rene Brown, Newellton, Tensas Parish; 225-766-0061.

10' Woods shredder w/3 pt. hook-up, ¼ heavy gauge deck, new paint, \$1500; 12' heavy-duty Int. plow, \$900. Oran Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-0973.

1460 combine w/3680 hrs., ac, runs & works very well, \$7500; JD hi-cycle, tracks, 12' clears 8', \$3000 obo; 4"x7" 20' toolbar, \$100. Mike Keating, Broussard, Lafayette; 337-288-3899.

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

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

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

Ford 3000, \$4900; Ford 5000, \$6500; Kubota 50 hp w/loader, \$8500; Kubota 20 hp/w/loader, \$5500; Yanmar, 30 hp, \$4500; IH 484, \$5500; Ford 1720, 28 hp, \$4900. Joe Major, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.

Ford 9N trac., runs, good hyd., \$700. Clyde Myers, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-729-1311 or 318-715-8473.

JD 5400 cab & air, 4 wd w/loader, 2500 hrs., nice trac., \$23,500. Jerry Peloquin, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-540-4556.

706 Int. trac., 95 hp, \$3800; front rims & tires, 7.50-20, \$50/1; 8' heavy-duty blade, 3 pt. hook-up, \$475; small garden disc plow, \$350; Case trac., 25 hp, gas w/plow, \$1800; 2-wheel weights, \$100/1. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

Ford 5000, \$10,500; NH 5610S, \$15,500; NH 3010S, \$12,500; David Brown 1210, \$4500; Bush Hog 315 model, 15', \$4500; Ford TW-10, \$14,500; Log hog 441, \$3500; 76 Versatile 700, \$18,500 obo. Wayne Ward, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-607-5486.

Ford 9N trac., runs good/w good hyd., \$700; single axle rd. baler hauling trac., \$200. Clyde Myers, Glenmore, Rapides Parish; 318-729-1311 or 318-

715-8473.
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Wanted: 3x3 or 3x4 rd. baler, good working cond. Lyle Talbott, Iowa, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-764-5557.

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Wanted: Kuhn 462, 9'-10' hay cutter, good cond. Lyle Talbott, Iowa, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-764-5557.

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Wanted: used rear tires for Ford 8N, 13.6/12-28, good cond. or useable. Randy Deville, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish, 337-543-6489 or 337-212-2173.

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Wanted: IH 1468, IH 1568, IH 1456, IH 1466. Joe Major, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.

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Wanted: front-end loader to fit JD 3010, 10' bush hog, rear trac. tire 18.4x34 or 20.8x34. Larry Leger, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-873-8245.

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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.



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.

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2000 Jeep Wrangler 4x4, red w/top top, excel. cond., \$6400. Logan Monceaux, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-774-2787.

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2003 Honda TRX 250 4-wheeler, good ties, runs good, excel. cond., \$2100. Gina Cutrer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-202-5328 or 225-229-4477.

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1996 Int. cab-over sleeper, 9 spd. Detroit engine, super clean, good cond., '80 Lufkin grain trailer w/roll tarp, \$12,000/all. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-876-3304 or 318-308-4492.

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1977 Chevy trucks, V-6, 80,000 miles, \$5,000. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

1996 Chevy S10 pickup, 4-cylinder, 5 speed trans., runs and drives good, \$1500. Bernard Darbonne, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-765-9415.

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1986 F-250 Ford, 6.9 diesel, 4 spd., \$850. Robert Barton, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-659-4672.

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Drawtite bumper w/receiver hitch for Silverado, \$50. Lloyd Crawford, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-519-5600.

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1972 Dodge truck w/grain brd \$2500; '69 Ford truck w/grain bed, \$1500. Rene Brown, Newellton, Tensas Parish; 225-766-0016.

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1986 F-250 Ford truck, 6.9 diesel, 4-spd., \$850. Robert Barton, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-659-4672.

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2000 Ford F-150 super cab truck, 4-door, V-6 w/5 spd., cruise control & working a/c works well, 157,000 miles, \$3800. James Fontenot, Lake Arthur, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-275-0383.

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2003 Honda TRX 250-4 wheeler, good tires, runs good, excel. cond., \$2100. Gina Cutrer, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-202-5328 or 225-229-4477.

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1992 Chevy utility maintenance truck w/V-8 auto trans., 153,000 miles, \$2500 obo. James C. Hilton, Anaacoco, Vernon Parish; 318-565-4368.

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



Trailer used for carpenter tools, 8'x4' w/compressor, (2) nail guns, good roof, \$1250. Darnell Guillory, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-599-2420.

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Priefert head gate, \$200. Scott Dupre, Ville Platte, Evangeline

Parish; 337-459-1131.
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Dump trailer, like new, 20'x6' 10"x4', Teflon liner, big toolbox under bed, spare, screen tarp, walkway on each side, 2 yrs., \$7000. Ellis Myers, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 225-695-6203.

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30' gooseneck trailer, good cond., \$2000. Ray Benoit, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-315-4954.

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2005 Integrity 3-horse slant alum. trailer, 4' short wall, rear tack, excel. cond., \$13,800 obo. Todd Joiner, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-2800.

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1968 flatbottom alum. grain trailer, made by American, \$2000. Bruce Richerson, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-451-3610 or 318-445-4384.

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2006 Exiss alum. 2-horse trailer, gooseneck, fully loaded living quarters w/rear tack room, used only a few times, \$20,000. Tammy Coco, Hamburg, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-8776.

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House trailer axles, \$40/1. Earl Townsend Jr., Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-628-7569 after 6 p.m.

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Wagon iron/wood wheels, antique, used on trail rides, \$1500. Donald Meyers, Perry, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-9522.

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4-horse trailer Hale, bumper pull, 16', good floor, \$1200. Donald Meyers, Perry, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-9522.

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4-wheel Amish horse buckboard large wagon, iron rim wheels, 2 extra wheels, excel. cond., \$650. R. A. DuCote, Glynn, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-627-4881.

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4'x 8' trailer w/4 wheeler tires, winch/tilts, removable seats, great for hauling deer stands, feeders & corn, \$330. K.T. Taylor, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-363-3787.

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Dump trailer, like new, 7'x14', \$4000. K.T. Taylor, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-363-3787.

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Ornamental 1 or 2-horse hitch-

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ing wagon, red w/chrome embellishments, wh. spoke wheels, resembles a beer wagon, 12' long, \$5000. 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, \$5000. Pete Rudesill, Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish; 985-863-2155 or 225-610-4959.

Original Amish buggy, 1-seater, headlights, blinkers, emergency flashers, interior lights, excel. cond., \$1800. Buddy Payne, Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-567-5002.

Trailers, 16' gooseneck stock trailer, all metal, excel. cond., \$3200; 20' gooseneck cattle trailer, good cond., \$1750. Errol Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

2006 WW alum. 2-horse slant w/tack room, bumper pull, used 2 yrs., excel. cond., \$7000. Bridget Doucet, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-794-4704.

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



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.

Central air conditioner w/heat, all elec., 2 1/2 tons, heat & cool, new, \$800. Donald Meyers, Perry, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-9522.

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.

Utility poles, 15'-20' long, 10"-12" long, good for barn building or will sell separate, \$4/ft. Dana Letchworth, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-763-1600.

Unique Western breast collar & head stall, never used, Alamo Saddlery, \$150. D. Letchworth,

Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-763-1600.

Cambridge Int. English saddle, 16"-17" seat, stirrups & wh. saddle pad, no girth, 5-6 yrs., used less than ten times, kept indoors, \$250 obo. D. Letchworth, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-763-1600.

150 gal. butane tank, \$75. Jerry Landry, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-802-3505 or 225-695-3059.

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

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

(5) pasture gates, (4) 8', (1) 4', new 10' powder coated bunker feeder, new PTO drive line, elec., dehorner, (50) T-post, misc. numbered ear tags, (2) Y-Tagging guns & head gate, \$550/all obo. Fred Johnson, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 985-414-9624.

Petroleum bulk plant equipment, tanks from 4500-18,000 gal., \$1200/1-up. Bud Gautreaux, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-581-1829.

Fairbanks platform scale w/rack to weigh sheep, goats & hogs, \$150; shearing table w/height adjustment, \$50. Claude Sellers, Youngsville, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-4839.

2000 hp sprayer, extra-large, \$200; front bucket for JD front-end loader w/quick disc, \$400. Ellis Myers, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 225-695-6203.

Tex Tan roping saddle, 16" seat, excel. cond., new fleece, stirrups, girth & cinch, \$500. Ed. Durr, Jr., Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-5556.

Fiberglass 1/4 camper, fully enclosed top & bottom, 27" high, (3) 4" deep, 72" wide, opens from rear, \$150. Ross J. Mule, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-4595 or 985-515-5219.

2007 swamp cat elec. with dump bed, \$2000; 20" chrome wheels w/tires, \$850. Edward Pontiff, Chauvin, Terrebonne

Parish; 985-860-3791 or 985-594-7866.

12' self feeder w/4 new tires, excel. cond., \$1950. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

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

Water trough, 1000 gal., blue poly stock tank, 28" deep, 9' diameter, 2 yrs., like new, \$150. Kurt Courville, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-274-1093.

Blk. steel classic saddle, size medium, slightly used, \$1950. Fran McPherson, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-613-1990.

(2) sheep clippers, Lister & Stewart, 3" blade w/11 sets of blades, \$350/all; goat dehorner, \$20. Claude Sellers, Youngsville, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-4839.

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. Arian Landry, Pierre Part, Assumption Parish; 985-226-1480.

Western show saddle, 16.5" congress leather, lite oil, good quality, basket stamped & 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.

V-shaped hay racks, \$250; wooden mineral feeders, \$250; 12' Ranchers Pride feeders, \$1300. Bryan Payne, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-552-5452.

(2) milk pasturizers, home health, 2 gal., Sears, 2 gal., cash only \$80/1; (4) ham operated grist & corn mills, can be converted to operate w/elec. motor, cash only, depending on size, \$100-\$200/1. Kenneth Boone, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-948-1352 or 337-945-9015.

Equipment shop, 30'x50'x15' enclosed, 30'x20'x15' open, 15' slide end doors on both ends,

7'x8' roll-up doors, (1) walk-in, top insulated inside, \$10,000. Robby McGrew, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-398-9895.

Elect. converter, use 3-phase motor on 1-phase line power, \$575; water pump & motor, 3/4 hp, \$49; steel tubes, 1" od x 12' long, sch. 80, \$4.8/1. John Ramey, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-926-1628.

Heavy-duty steel corral panels, 5x10, \$50; 5x12, \$62; 4" bow gates, \$90; 10", \$130; rd. pens, 40', \$690; 50', \$840; 60', \$990; 70', \$1140; 8' dual axle feeders, \$2100. Jimmy Carriere, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-298-5943.

Goat dehorned, \$20. Claude Sellers, Youngsville, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-4839.

Leather work, chaps, tack, repair tooled belts, all custom work & guaranteed. Anna Belle Umberger, Iowa, Acadia Parish; 337-582-1881.

Old type disc. on wheels w/cyl. to operate, good cond., \$300. Jean W. Romero, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-937-6777.

Grist mill Sprout & Waldon 24" stones, mill ready to grind w/homemade shaker for cornmeal, \$3200. Mario Alexander, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-278-0079.

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

Wanted: trac. tires, 13x6x38 w/60% rubber, used T-post, fork w/grabber to fit Bobcat steer steering. Loyton Courville, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-3306.

Wanted: horse drawn equipment, sulky plow or riding plow, cut-a-way, sicklemore, riding moline. Joe Hebert, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-7398.

Wanted: old corn mash whiskey kettle still, any cond. Harold Hunt, Kenner, Jefferson Parish; 504-458-1151.



Wood Mizer sawmill blade, self sharpener & Wood Mizer blade

tooth setter, \$500. Larry Welch, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-986-5587.

Colorado Aspen lumber, great for interior walls & ceilings, 1x6 tongue & groove w/V-groove, 6', 70¢ L/F, 8'-10', 79¢ L/F and 1x4 -8', beaded, 72¢ L/F. Jason Curtis, Grand Cane, DeSoto Parish; 318-201-7049.

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.

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.

Antique cypress barn wood, boards & timbers, pecky & clear, \$3/BF. Craig Neveu, Youngsville, Vermilion Parish; 337-856-6364 or 337-247-6364.

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



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

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.

Crochet king size bed spread, \$300. Treace Smith, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-3227.

CRAFTS & WOODWORK

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

Christmas tree ornaments cut from gourd wood, snowmen, rocking horses, angels, Santa, gingerbread men, reindeer, teddy bears, hand crafted & painted by gourd artist, (6) assorted or same, \$30 + postage. Cora Overby, Oak Grove, West Carroll Parish; oak-

grovegourds@yahoo.com or 318-428-9452.

Handcrafted jewelry items, earrings, necklaces, bracelets, rosaries, glass, crystal, semi-precious stones, depending on type of piece & 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.

FROM THE FARM

Fresh ground red pepper in bottle, \$7/1. Octave LaCaze Jr., Colfax, Grant Parish; 318-627-3416, after 5 p.m.

Pecan cracking, 35¢/lb. Jeffrey Young, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-324-6037.

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; 337-478-2208.

Barn plans, \$60/1; farm house plans from our stock collection, \$1500; custom plan prices upon request, animal coop plans, \$50/1. John Delphin, Baton Rouge; 225-756-2686.

T-post pullers for metal fence posts, \$60/1. Rob Jordan, Robeline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-472-9309.

Wanted: old syrup kettles, crackling pots, tea kettles, cotton wagons. Floyd Foti, Breaux

Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-332-4636.

Wanted: cast iron wood burning heater, good cond., reasonably priced. Doyle McManemin, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-640-8627.

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

Wanted: good power cane mill, prefer Goldens 27 or parts for Goldens 27 Peter, Leesville, Vernon Parish; 337-328-0105.

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



"Egg"cellent holiday recipe ideas

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Cheese Puffs with Crabmeat Filling

Part 1 - cheese puffs

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| 1 cup water | 1 cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese |
| ½ cup butter | 2 tablespoons chopped chives |
| 1 cup all purpose flour | 4 eggs |
| ¼ teaspoon salt | Crabmeat Filling |

In a medium saucepan bring water and butter to a boil, stirring until butter melts; remove from heat. Add flour and salt, stirring vigorously until mixture forms ball, about 1-2 minutes. Add cheese and chives, stirring until cheese melts. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Chill batter in refrigerator for 20-30 minutes. Drop batter by slightly rounded tablespoons onto cookie sheets, allowing a 2-inch space between each. Bake in preheated 400 degrees oven until lightly browned, about 20 minutes. For firmer cream puff, pierce side of each with tip of sharp knife and bake 5-10 minutes longer. Cool on wire racks. Cut off tops and fill each with 2 tablespoons Crabmeat Filling. Replace tops and chill before serving.

Meringue Kisses

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| 2 egg whites | ½ cup dark, semi-sweet, raspberry chocolate pieces, etc. |
| ¼ teaspoon cream of tartar | ¼ cup toasted pecans, almonds or walnuts |
| 2/3 cup sugar | |
| ¼ teaspoon vanilla | |

Beat egg whites and cream of tartar with electric mixer on high speed until soft peaks form. Add sugar gradually, 1 tablespoon at a time, beating until stiff peaks form. Beat in vanilla. Fold in chocolate pieces and nuts. Drop meringue batter by rounded teaspoons on a parchment covered cookie sheet. Bake at 300 degrees for about 20 minutes or until firm. Remove from pan to wire rack and let cool completely. Yield: about 3 dozen cookies.

Cheese Puffs with Crabmeat Filling

Part 2- crabmeat filling

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| 6 hard-cooked eggs, finely chopped | ½ cup reduced-fat mayonnaise |
| 1 (6 ounce) can crabmeat, drained and flaked | 1 teaspoon dry mustard |
| ½ cup finely chopped celery | ½ teaspoon salt |
| ¼ cup chopped green pepper | |

Mix all ingredients in a large bowl. Chill until ready to add as filling to cream puffs.

Honey Bun French Toast

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| 6 eggs | 1 cup chopped pecans |
| 2 cups fat-free half and half | 12 slices loaf bread (white or whole wheat) |
| 2 t vanilla | 1/2 cup powdered sugar |
| 1/3 cup sugar | 1 tablespoon milk |
| 1 cup dark brown sugar | |
| 1 tablespoon cinnamon | |

In a medium sized bowl beat together eggs, half and half, vanilla and sugar; set aside. Mix together in a small bowl brown sugar and cinnamon. Spray a 9 x 17 inch baking dish with vegetable spray and place 6 slices of bread in bottom of casserole dish. Sprinkle with half of brown sugar mixture and top with half of pecans. Pour half of egg batter mixture over bread, pressing liquid into bread slices. Place remaining bread slices on top and repeat layers. Press liquid into bread slices to make sure all edges are covered. Refrigerate overnight. Bake in a 350 degrees oven for 40-45 minutes or until French toast is puffy. In a small bowl combine powdered sugar and milk; using a wire whisk beat until smooth. Drizzle glaze randomly over top of toast. Yield: 6 servings

Landscapes can be created as bird habitats

There is a gardening philosophy that is becoming increasingly influential in American gardens. Often called sustainable gardening, the concept involves native plant materials well adapted to the local environments, reduced pesticide use, reduced maintenance and an attempt to create a more natural habitat rather than a decorative garden.

Inviting wildlife into the landscape is an important part of sustainable gardening, and hummingbird gardens are



photos by Sam Irwin

fairly common in Louisiana. As new subdivisions reduce the amount of available habitat, inviting other types of birds becomes increasingly important. Although Louisiana gardeners often provide birds with food and water, shelter and nesting sites should not be overlooked. Difficulty in finding natural shelter near the food and water sources you supply may tempt birds to look elsewhere for a more promising environment. If you can provide a place for birds to nest, you'll have the pleasure of seeing them fre-

quently at close range and the advantage of allies in controlling insects.

If you're interested in creating a garden habitat that welcomes birds, "Attracting Birds to Southern Gardens," by Thomas Pope, Neil Odenwald and Charles Fryling Jr., Taylor Publishing, \$24.95 hardcover, will tell you how.

This book provides detailed information on creating beautifully planted bird habitats especially for the South – habitats that help replace the natural ones that have been disappearing and continue to disappear. A habitat can be as simple as placing a rustic feeder in your backyard or creating a container hummingbird garden on an apartment balcony. Or it can be as complete as designing a formal garden with a balanced arrangement of plants or planning a more naturalistic, wild habitat full of native Southern plants.

The book contains extensive information on 69 birds that frequent and feed in our state. The section on plant materials that provide nesting sites and food for birds is outstanding, and the color photographs and descriptions are excellent. Other sections include landscape plans and information on birdbaths, feeders and the proper seed mixes to attract the birds you want.

The chapter by J.V. Remsen Jr. on common myths about Southern birds is particularly fascinating. Did you know, for instance, no evidence supports the idea that the first purple martins to arrive are "scouts" that inform the rest of the population concerning suitability of nesting conditions? According to Remsen, as far as anyone knows, the first birds to arrive do not return south to the main population and lead them to nesting sites here.

What makes this book particularly useful is that the authors are Louisianans. Tom Pope, Ph.D., a retired specialist with the LSU AgCenter, has written more than 40

publications on gardening in Louisiana. Neil Odenwald, Ph.D., is a retired professor of landscape architecture at LSU and author of "Southern Plants" and "Live Oak Splendor." Charles Fryling Jr. is a professor of landscape architecture at LSU and past president of the Delta Chapter of the Sierra Club and the Baton Rouge Audubon Society.

This is a book that is extremely useful to all Louisiana gardeners with an interest in creating bird habitats and sus-



tainable landscaping. With holiday gift giving right around the corner, it would also make a welcome present.

Visit LaHouse in Baton Rouge to see sustainable landscape practices in action. The home and landscape resource center is located near the intersection of Burbank Drive and Nicholson Drive (Louisiana Highway 30) in Baton Rouge across the street from the LSU baseball stadium. For more information, go to www.louisianahouse.org and www.lsuagcenter.com/lyn.

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La. Dairy Promotion Board sponsors Disney World vacation for four giveaway

Everyone knows that mice love cheese. Well, it turns out the feeling is mutual. One lucky family of four will win a trip to the park that Mickey built—Walt Disney World Resort in Florida. The Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board and the Louisiana Dairy Farmers are partnering with Radio Disney to help promote the contest.

"We believe that one original deserves another," said Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry

Commissioner Mike Strain. "Kids love dairy and they love Disney. So we're promoting this special trip and we want the winners to milk it for all it's worth!"

The magical trip giveaway package includes airfare for four from New Orleans, hotel accommodations (5 days, 4 nights) at a Walt Disney World resort, and Park Hopper tickets (4 total, meal plan included) for 5-day access to all of Walt Disney World's parks.

To register, participants may visit

GeauxDairy.com and click on the Walt Disney World banner on the homepage. The contest will run until May 31, 2010, and is open to Louisiana residents only. The winner will be selected June 11, 2010, during the Tangipahoa Parish Dairy Day.



Mickey and Minnie Mouse could not be reached for comment, but sources close to the couple report they are energized by the announcement.

The Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board is a unit of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry, charged with promoting knowledge of the health-giving qualities and dietary values of milk and other dairy products and effectively promoting the consumption of Louisiana milk and other Louisiana dairy products.

For more information about the Board, contact Glenda English at 504-915-1552 or Michelle Estay at 985-345-9483.