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Mike Strain DVM, Commissioner



Summer is vacation time. Be sure to hydrate and use sun screen.

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# Old Man River

By Sam Irwin

The Mississippi River is powerful. A lot can go wrong on the river.

Barge lines can break, toxic chemicals could be spilled.

The big river can overflow its bank, overtop levees and open a crevasse flooding towns, farm land and pastures.

Steamboats used to run aground on hidden sandbars. Modern barges and tugboats still do.

Like an fickle girlfriend, the river threatens to switch course at its junction with the Atchafalaya River and take the shortest route to the Gulf of Mexico.

Man has tried to bottle it up, channel it here, channel it there, measure it, level it and generally tried to make it bend to our will. We've blocked off access to Bayou Lafourche and Bayou Plaquemine and cut off vital marsh building silt. The weakened coastline is increasingly threatened by hurricanes, salt water intrusion and subsidence.

Despite man's efforts the river will do what it does best: draining water from the high places and depositing it in the low places.

So much can go wrong with the mighty Mississipp' hardly any one takes notice when something goes right.

The Caernarvon diversion project below New Orleans is a shining success story for Louisiana and coastal restoration.

In operation since 1991, the project diverts up to 8,000 cubic feet per second fresh Mississippi River water and sediment through a canal into a 16,000 acre outfall near Big Mar and Lake Lery.

The channel acts like a natural delta-building and wetlands-enhancing river tributary. The river water from the diversion flows over marshland along the St. Bernard and Plaquemines parish line, influencing an additional 70,000 of wetlands.

Four years after the diversion began flooding wetlands with fresh water and accumulating sediment, the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's (LDAF) Office of Soil and Water

*The histories of Louisiana and the Mississippi River have been intertwined for centuries, but man-made flood control and channelization have ultimately had a negative effect on the marshes.*

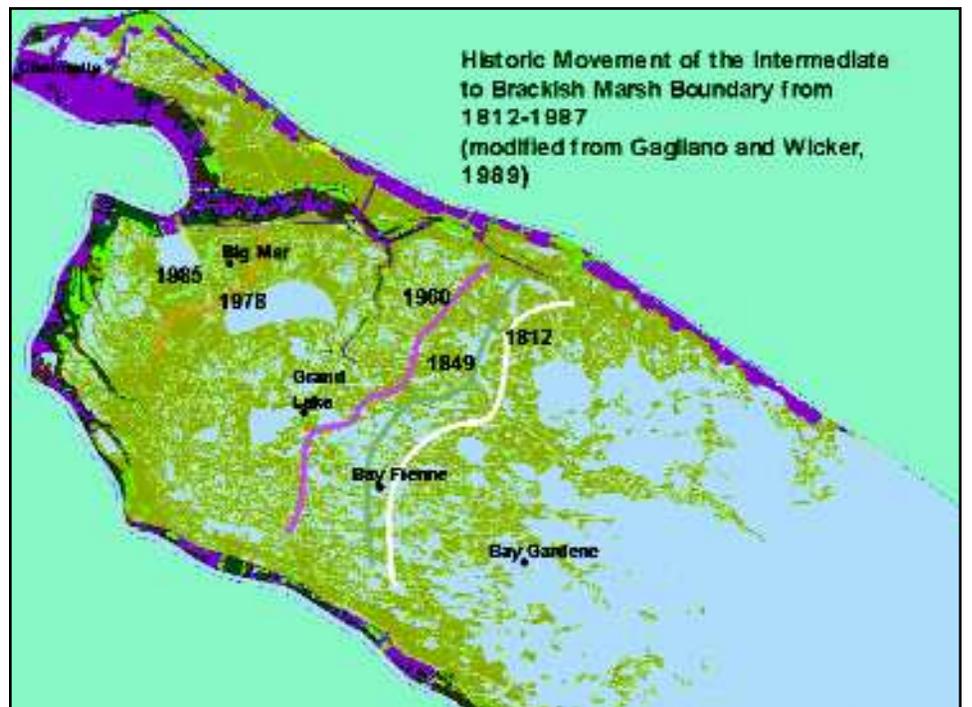
*Only recently have the marshes, once considered wasteland, been given their due and recognized as a vital defender against hurricanes and saltwater intrusion. The Caernarvon diversion project is sending fresh water and silt into the Breton Sound marsh and helping to ensure Louisiana's future with the Mississippi River will remain interlocked.*

Conservation planted native wetlands vegetation to help anchor the new sediment deposits and accelerate additional sediment accumulation.

LDAF Agriculture and Environmental Specialist Manager Joey Breaux said wetlands species giant cutgrass (*Zizaniopsis miliacea*) and Californian bulrush (*Schoenoplectus californicus*) were the plant materials selected not only because they're native to Louisiana but also rapid growers.

"Cutgrass and bulrush are very tolerant of the new environment created by the effects of the diversion," Breaux said. "They're capable of providing the type of natural restoration that could enhance the area most dramatically."

The rapid-growing cutgrass quickly



The white line on the chart above indicates the outermost boundary of fresh water marsh in 1812. By 1985 brackish marsh had invaded up to Big Mar. The Caernarvon diversion has funneled fresh water back into the marsh since 1992. LDAF Soil and Water has planted vegetation into the reclaimed marshes.



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established itself and stabilized the new sediment. The bulrush, capable of growing after planting in two feet of water, proliferated and slowed water current speed, causing sediment to sink and settle on the marsh bottom.

Breaux said the first planting was in 1996.

"Prior to the diversion, Caernarvon was a dying marsh," Breaux said. "The diversion had been in operation for almost four years when the LDAF went out to evaluate the site. We found the area was obviously recovering and the salinity levels were so reduced we decided to try planting fresh water vegetation. The diversion was working and we just helped it along with the plantings."

Breaux said the Caernarvon management team includes Loland Broussard of USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service, Chuck Villarrubia of the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources and the Plaquemines and Crescent Soil and Water Conservation Districts. All of the groups are very pleased with the results.

The project has been so successful Breaux and other conservationists involved with the project want to publicize the results.

The LDAF hosted the Project WET's (Water Education for Teachers) State Coordinator's annual conference this past summer in New Orleans. Breaux arranged a field trip to Caernarvon for the teachers. Broussard and Villarrubia guided the airboat and cabin boat tour.

Broussard led the boats to one of 17 pipe/valve structures that channel fresh water into the 2,000 acre subdivided area of the outfall.

Small trees, cutgrass, bulrush and other vegetation fill the watery plot with green vegetation.

"At one time this was all solid marsh that became open water because of high salinity," Broussard said.



**Project WET coordinators traveled by boat (top) to the Caernarvon outfall to see the effects the fresh water has on the marsh. Water flows through 17 valves (above) into the outfall. Loland Broussard (left) and Chuck Villarrubia guided the tour. The field trip was produced by Joey Breaux of the LDAF Office of Soil and Water.**

"The project has really been a big success."

Both Villarrubia and Broussard agreed the Caernarvon project is much more cost effective than trying to pump silt from the river into depleted marsh.

Breaux said the project is a very important example of what the river can do to help restore the Louisiana coastline.

"Caernarvon is a tiny example of what may be the only long term solution to Louisiana's coastline wetlands dilemma," Breaux said.

## AES management team honored

Commissioner Mike Strain has selected the entire management team of the Office of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences for monthly Living the Values honors.

Strain set forth a policy of values when he took office last January.

Positive response to change is one of them.

"Everyone knew there would be changes," Strain said. "The AES office recognized our workplace, the markets and technology is evolving and acknowledged that change is inevitable."

"I believe the AES office will continue to meet the developing demands and expectations of the public with creative thinking, innovation and more efficient processes."

"I firmly believe that that the AES office response to the changes my administration

brought in has been overwhelmingly positive.

"The value, Positive Response to Change, set forth when I took on this job may be the most demanding value to be internalized and manifested by the staff."

"It's one of those easier said, than done kind of issues."

Strain said the AES office, under the direction of Assistant Commissioner Todd Parker, reviewed every facet of their operation to determine purpose, efficacy, and interrelationship.

"Todd and his directors, assistant directors, state chemist, state entomologist, and whomever else could be pressed into service to read over authorizing statutes, rules and regulations, and policies and procedures," Strain said. "They have essentially reinvented the AES mission."



**The AES staff, front row, left to right, Craig Roussel, Marc Bordelon, Todd Parker, Lester Cannon, Tad Hardy. Back row, left to right, Ansel Rankins, Bob Beine, Mark LeBlanc, Tyrone Dudley, Brady Purpera, Larry LeJeune, David Fields, Bobby Simoneaux. Not pictured, Eric Gates.**

# La. Agriculture & Forestry Today

## *Africanized honeybees found in LaSalle*

Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Mike Strain, D.V.M. said a new report of Africanized honeybees was confirmed near Tullos in LaSalle Parish.

"A sample taken from one of our traps about two miles southeast of the intersection of U.S. 165 and U.S. 84 tested positive for Africanized honeybees," Strain said. "We'll continue to monitor for the bees and move our trap line further east of the find."

Strain said the sample was collected on May 7 by Louisiana Department of Agriculture and

Forestry (LDAF) inspectors and confirmed Wednesday, June 17 by the USDA bee lab in Tucson, Ariz.

"Since there is always a lag time between the initial report and confirmation we suggest everyone should simply leave any feral bee colony they come across alone," Strain said. "There is a possibility the bees may be Africanized."

"Our duty is to notify the public and beekeepers in the area that Africanized bees have been confirmed. People who spend time outside need to be aware that Africanized bees are in

Louisiana."

The Africanized honeybee is smaller than the European honeybee commonly raised for honey production but the size differential can only be measured under magnification.

Though the venom in Africanized bees is the same as that in European bees, Africanized bees will sting in greater masses leading to a toxic reaction in some cases. Seeking cover immediately helps to reduce the number of stings in a confrontation with Africanized bees.

Africanized honeybees were first confirmed in Louisiana in July 2005 from a sample taken from a trap near the town of Rodessa in north Caddo Parish. It was the first case of Africanized bees moving into the state through natural range expansion.

LDAF maintains a line of traps running north and south through the state in order to detect the progression of the Africanized honeybees. The traps are placed roughly two miles apart and contain a queen bee pheromone that attracts swarms of bees.



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Commissioner**

## CATTLE

**Brangus cross** heifers, 18-20 mos., vacc. & wormed, gentle, electric fence & bucket broke, \$675/1-up. Don Barlow, Ethel; 225-683-4177 or 225-610-0257.

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

**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.**

**15 mos.**, Angus/Beefmaster cross bull, \$800. J.H. Celestine, St. Gabriel; 225-642-8439 or 225-453-5685.

**Brangus & tiger stripe** F1s, heifers, very nice, replacement cows, Brangus & tiger stripe, 1 & 2 yr. olds w/calves, exposed to Angus bull (Express), \$800-\$1200/1-up. Charlie Kingrey, Kinder; 337-540-2667.

**Jersey & Holstein** cross heifers, \$200/1. J. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Recip. cows** Jersey & Holstein, \$850/1. Justin Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Jersey & Holstein** milk/nurse cows, \$600-\$800/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Crossbred calves**, \$100/1. Kurt Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Bottle calf**, \$150. Steve McGuffee, Bossier City; 318-453-8899.

**Reg. blk.** Limousin bulls & heifers, gentle w/excel. EPDs, Homo. blk. & polled RADs, Blk. Prodigy bloodline, \$600/1-up. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson; 985-209-0026.

**Angus heifers**, 7-9 mos., \$625. Calvin Waskom, Franklinton; 985-839-6369 or 985-373-2832.

**AMZA reg.** miniature Zebu bull, 3 mos., \$2000. Bleva Brossard, St. Martinville; www.sugarlandfarm.com, 337-394-7265.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bull, 3½ yrs., proven herd sire, \$1800. Blake Broussard, Abbeville; 337-277-7392.

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

**Reg. polled** Hereford bulls, very gentle, lbw, high wnlng. & yrlg., pasture raised, ready to work, (5) 2 yr. olds, \$1400, (5) 18 mos., \$1200, yrlg. bulls, \$1000. Wesley Coffman, Leesville; 337-239-2255 or 337-718-7237.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bull, born 3-3-07, semen tested, \$1500. Shane

Daigle, Eunice; 337-344-2938.

**Simm. & Simbrah** cattle, heifers, bulls, prs., \$850/1-up. B.G. Denton, Jena; 318-992-4504.

**Brah. commercial** JD Hudgins sired, 18 mos., bull, \$950; reg. horned Hereford MDA Mark Arthur sired, 15 mos., bull, \$850; commercial polled Hereford, 11 mos., bull, \$750. James Deshotel, Ville Platte; 337-230-4170.

(7) **Beefmaster** heifers, excel. bred, red in color & from a cert. free herd, \$1100/1. John Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-4518 or 337-363-3208.

**Pb Charolais** heifers & blk. cross heifers, \$750/1-up. Karen Fuqua, Effie; 318-481-2888.

**Reg. Angus**, bull, 5 yrs., sired by 598 Bando 5118, calving ease, bw 1.9 ww + milk + 23 yw + 99, Pathfinder + embryo transplant, \$2500. Roderick Gautreaux, Mamou; 337-599-2907 or 337-360-3048.

**Reg. Angus** bulls, 7 mos. - 16 mos., \$800-\$2000. Ray Geudron, Baton Rouge; 225-819-1354 or 225-931-5751.

**Reg. Beefmasters**, 7 bred cows, 3-4 yrs., due Sept.-Oct. to Red Laster Ranch herd sires, \$1350/your choice, \$9000/if all taken; 2 bred cows, 6-7 yrs., \$1150/1; bulls, 9 mos.-17 mos., \$750-\$975/1, del. avail. J.A. Girgenti, Amite; 985-748-6992 or 985-515-8559.

**Reg. miniature** drk. Red. Zebu bull, \$1500. Charles Hammons, Many; 318-256-2420 or 318-332-2042.

(9) **Brah.** Holstein cross replacement heifers, gentle, dehorned & shots, \$6000/if all taken; 4 Brangus heifers, \$650/1; 2 Braford heifers, \$1400/both. Leon Jarreau, Baton Rouge, 225-261-2077 or 225-328-0960.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bulls, born 3-07, New Design 878 - Traveler bloodlines, \$700-\$1000. Sonny Masters, Jonesboro; 318-259-7747.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bull, born 9-6-05, gentle, \$1500; reg. blk. Angus cow, born 4-4-04, due to calve in November, \$1000. Errol Price, Raceland; 985-448-2771, after 5 pm.

**Blk. Angus/Brangus** bulls, 14 mos. & up, \$750/1-up; reg. blk. Angus bull, 4 yrs., tested, \$1400; pb Charolais bull, 18 mos., tested, all shots up to date, \$1400. Karen Saizan, Opelousas; 337-945-0273.

(50) **Brangus & Braford** heifers, 18-30 mos., exposed to red Angus bulls, \$850/1 or \$800/if all taken; 150 Brangus heifers, 8-12 mos., \$700/1; 15 Braford heifers, 8-12 mos., \$750/1. Troy Thibodeaux, Church Point; 337-684-6615.

(2) **Holstein** heifers, 7-8 mos. bred to reg. Jersey bull, \$3500/pr. Delos Thompson, Jr., Folsom; 985-796-9872.

**Reg. pb.**, Santa Gertrudes heifer, born 2-17-08, Grizzly 3308 bloodline, top & bottom, all shots, papers

in buyers name, \$500/1. Ignacio Valledor, Mandeville; 985-898-0306 or 985-630-1520.

**Wanted: Galva** bull, 14-16 mos., straight back pole, stocky built. Layton Courville; Sunset; 337-280-3306.

**Reg. Jersey** cow, 5 yrs., freshened 5-08, reg. champ. La. Bred heifer, easy milker, good w/nurse calves, \$1200. Kay Aucoin, Walker; 225-664-8593 or 225-278-6299.

**Brangus bull**, 4½ yrs., gentle, approx. 1500 lbs., \$1500. L. Averett, Livingston; 225-698-3296.

**Reg. Angus**, 4 yrs., w/2nd calf on their side, bred back for '09 spring calves, \$1200/pr. Errol Aymond, Effie; 318-447-1206.

(22) **pure** Corriente heifers, (1) pure Corriente solid blk. bull, in pasture w/bull, never been roped buy ready to rope, \$12,500/all; pure Corriente roping & dogging steers, fresh, top quality, ready for the arena, lease, \$40/mo, buy, \$500-\$500. F.A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486 or 318-201-0323.

**Charolais 2** yrs., heifer, bull, no bad habits, \$850; 13 F-1 & cross bred blk. heifers, light bred, \$800/1. Marvin Carter, Pineville; 318-442-1717.

**Reg. Brangus** herd, 14 cows, 1 bull, 10 yrlgs., 10 calves, Transformer, Bright Promise & Cadence bloodlines, \$19,200. Robert Coleman, Franklinton; 985-848-9714 or 985-515-0306.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bull, 6 mos., \$600. Jerry Dison, Bienville; 318-576-8950.

(2) lg. blk. Baldies, bred to Angus bull, 2½ yrs., \$2400; 10 Braford F-1 bred to Angus, 2½ yrs., \$11,000; 2 Braford, 19 mos., bred to Angus, \$2000. Larry Duhon, Kaplan; 337-652-6200.

(1) **F-1** Braford tiger stripe cows, 2½ yrs., bred to reg. Angus bull, \$11,000. Bobby Funeury, Abbeville; 337-654-3122.

**Reg. Angus** bull, small in size, perfect for heifers, calves to show, \$1000. D. Dutil, New Iberia; 337-369-7669.

**Bred cow**, due in Oct., \$1200; 2 bulls, 2 yrs., Robin Hood breeding, \$2000; 3 yrs., \$1600. John Hartman, Kaplan; 337-643-6202 or 337-356-9539.

**Reg. polled** Hereford show heifers, 5-9 mos., excel. quality, great EPDs, gentle, all shots & wormed, \$2000/1-up. Laura Hughes, Zachary; 225-658-5348.

**Reg. Simbrah** bull, 20 mos., gentle, lg. frame w/lots of muscle, \$1200. Greg LaFleur, Opelousas; 337-831-0889 or 337-543-8158.

**Blk. Simm.** herd sire from cert. herd, born 10-3-03, excel. EPDs, listed in '08 sire summary spring edition, 1955 lbs., no bad habits, easy calving, \$2500; cows avail. Harold Landreneau, Eunice; 337-457-0505 or 337-351-8190.

**Charolais bull**, gentle, LBW, semen tested, \$850; Charbray bull,

gentle, lbw, \$650; Charolais cross cow, 2 yrs., w/Charolais cross heifer, \$1100. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte; 337-363-5888.

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

**Blk. polled** Limousin bull, 4 yrs., calves to show, \$1000. Debbie Richard, Evangeline; 337-824-1245.

**Steer approx.** 1000.lbs., ready for butcher, \$900; 3 Brangus cross bulls, 7 mos. & up, \$750-up; cow/calf prs., \$1100-up. Buddy Robinson, DeQuincy; 337-526-8802.

(2) **reg.** blk. Angus, 1 heifer, direct daughter of Future Direction on sire side, Rita of Rito on dam side, 1 cow, N Bar Emulation EXT on sire side, Baldrige Oscar on dam side, both are hvy. bred to Camp Cooley bull, New Design & Blk. Cap bred, gentle, well framed, \$2000/1. Albert Rozas, Eunice; 337-564-6337 or 337-580-4709.

(3) **reg** Angus heifers, 6-9 mos., \$750/1; reg. Angus bull, 7 mos., \$800; reg. Angus bull, 3½ yrs., \$1800. Dwaine Scallan, Bunkie; 318-346-4573 or 318-201-5474.

**Angus & Brangus** cows, bred, 3 yrs., \$1150; Angus & Brangus 1st heifers, \$1000. D. Spears, St. Landry; spears\_farms\_la@hughes.net, 318-729-4069.

**Blk. Simm.** bulls, 24 big stout, thick, good natured, pb, AI sired & DNA tested as Homo. blk., easy calving bloodlines, semen tested, DNA Igenity profile, \$1400-\$2500. Gene Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789 or 985-969-6005.

**Blk. Simm.** bred heifers, 35, pb, most are AI sired some bred to Blk. Irish Kansas & New Design 878, will calf in Sept.-Oct., \$1400-\$2000, will make pkg. deals of 5 or more; 85 pb blk. Simm. fall calving cows, most AI bred & synchronized to calf in Oct.-Nov., \$1000-up. Nell Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789 or 985-969-6007.

**Reg. horned** Hereford bulls, calves-3 yrs., \$800-up. Ray Taylor, Morrow; 318-346-7531, after 7 pm.

**Charolais bull**, excel. bloodline, big, stout & gentle, \$1300. Ashton Thibodeaux, Sunset; 337-662-6330.

**Maine Anjou** bull, 6 mos., polled, solid blk., excel. quality, gentle, all shots & wormed, \$800. Brain Thompson, Zachary; 225-658-5348.

**Blk. Angus** bulls, pb, coming 2 yrs., good EPDs, lbw, \$1200, will deliver, cost per mile. Buck Webb, Choudrant; 318-768-2881.

**Maine Anjou** heifer, 6 mos., excel. quality, can be shown, reg. or as a commercial heifer, all shots & wormed, \$2000. Judy Wiggins, Baton Rouge; 225-752-0309.

(5) **Brangus** heifers, exposed to reg. Angus bull, \$1100/1, 10 fancy

Brangus type heifers, 8-10 mos., \$850/1; 3 Brangus heifers, bred to calf in fall, \$1200/1 or \$3500/all; reg. Angus cow/heifers, 2 cows, 4 yrs., 5 heifers, all exposed to reg. Angus, \$1500/1 or \$9800/all 7. Willie Core, Folsom; 985-335-6406.

(5) **reg.** blk. Angus bulls, all shots, good bloodlines, 10 mos., \$600/1. Ralph Zepp, Natchitoches; 318-356-7519.

**Wanted: miniature** cattle. Sarina Lirette, Bourg; 985-665-0464.

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**Blue roan** mare, ½ Tennessee Walker, ½ Paso Fino, 10 yrs, True Blue, great gait, approx 14 ½ to 15 hands, \$1800. Sandra Craft, Florien; 318-508-1144.

**AMHA**, Miniature horses, one

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**AMHA** reg., Miniature horses, beautiful foals, fillies, colts, mares, champ, stock, \$600/1-up; Pintos, Palominos, Appaloosas, package pricing, donkeys, current coggins, vaccines, herd reduction. Brenda & Michael Hebert, Covington; 985-373-1393, 985-892-6113, www.goldenmeadow-minis.com

(2) **Mares**, AQHA, liver, chestnut, '90, 14.3, rides, bloodlines Double "Three Bars" (TB), "Blondy's Dude," "Poco Bueno," sells open- \$600; rebred cremello for Palomino, \$800; '08 filly sells separate, \$1500; 13.1 Bay Welch mare with '08 filly, rides, 5 yr, pretty, \$1700; others. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; 337-753-2590, 337-370-3479, www.sunkissedfarm.com

(20) **Quality** cutting horse broodmares, outstanding bloodlines, several producers, \$1000/1-up. Dave Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**Quality prospects** by Colonels Lil Scoot, Smart Lil Scoot out of dtr., Colonel Freckles, these prospects are out of good mares and are the "Real Deal," \$1500-\$5000. David Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**Quality cutting** and performance prospects by sons of Smart Plan, Haidas Little Pep, and Smart Lil Scoot, mares are Quixote, Docs Oak, Little Peppy, Young Gun, Snackbox, Haida, Highbrow Hickory, Freckles, etc., some producers, \$1000/1-up. John Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**2007 red dunn** stallion by Holidoc, other bloodlines include Docs Quixote, Brigaboy, & Freckles Playboy, \$5500. Greg Ogea, Big Lake; 337-598-2524.

**11 yr bay** QH mare, filly at side & bred to son of Dualin Jewels, dam by Smart Little Lena, \$3000. Greg Ogea, Big Lake; 337-598-2524.

**12 yr bay** QH mare, Doc O'Lena, Smooth Herman bloodlines, bred to son of Dualin Jewels with filly at side, \$3000. Greg Ogea, Big Lake; 337-598-2524.

**4 yr old** registered gelding, good handle, started on barrels, hauled, great kid horse, \$3000. Vicki Brodrick, Welsh; 337-230-5046.

**Herd reduction**, TW horses, registered and unregistered spotted and solid colors, mares and yearlings starting at \$600-will trade for anything of value-no horses. Ricky Jordan, Oakdale; 318-452-4795.

**2½ yr old** QH, Bay, 90 days training, Doc Bar, Colonel Freckles, Poco Lena bloodline, well mannered and good disposition, clean coggins, \$1500 neg. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles; 337-274-8405.

(3) **Well-bred** mules, (2) weanlings, (1) 2 yr old Molly out of

good qtr mares and our own Black Mammoth Jack, (3) miniature horse foals, Splashy Pawt Filly/Red Sorrel, colt avail. at weaning, \$300/1-up. Debbie Pearson, Zachary; 225-892-5444.

**Registered purebred** Arabian Stallions, mares, colts, fillies, Egyptian/Spanish bloodstock. \*Ibn Halima, \*Morafic, \*Kabull, \*Barich de Washoe bloodlines, \$1500/1-up. Donovan Stoute, Opelousas; 337-351-3815.

**Wanted**, Mammoth Jack donkey to buy to breed mares, interested in a Jack over 14 hands. Bubba Strother, Oakdale; 318-306-0106.

**3 yr old** Red Ruan Gelding; 2 yr old Grulla mare; (2) 3 yr old Buckskin mares, \$750-\$2500 obo. Amanda White, Darrow; 225-505-4792.

**MFT trail** horses, 40 Broke Gelding/mares, also colts, yearling, brood mares, show stallions, current coggins, \$750/1-up. Jim Sullivan, Winnsboro; 318-435-3104, 318-435-4679.

**Registered TW** weanlings, yearlings, mares, geldings, wormed shots, very gentle, \$1000/1-up, lay away. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek; 337-328-7365.

**AQHA '08** Sorrel Stallion, gentle, halter broke, stout grandson of Shining Spark, son of Shining Sneakers, \$1000. G. Perron, Mamou; 337-789-7724, 337-468-5144.

**2000 AQHA** Dun mare; 93% foundation with Red Dun colt born 3-28-08 by son of Little Bo Badger, \$6000, will separate. Shannon Neveaux, Abbeville; 337-652-2484.

**1996 AQHA** Gray mare; 95% foundation with colt born 2-25-08, in foal to NCHA money earning son of Dual Pep, \$8000. Shannon Neveaux, Abbeville; 337-652-2484.

**Top quality** AQHA reg., black 2 yr old filly, Doc Ware and Boon Bar bloodline, \$2200. Ryan Marmande, Theriot; 985-804-8783.

**New arrivals** Buckaroo, Gen Patton, Sids Rebel, Gold Melody Boy and Zeus bloodlines, broodmares 2 n1 & 3 n1, yearling fillies and colts, \$750/1-up. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton; www.catcawoods.com, 504-812-8018.

**TW bay** gelding, smooth gait, great trail horse, easy to handle, 16 yr old, ladies horse, \$2500. Mable Hubbard, Centerpoint; 318-253-8179.

**Reg. 2008** Jan. filly Palomino, Leo & Boston Mac bred, very thick, must see to appreciate, guaranteed coggins, \$750. Keith Guillory, Ville Platte; 337-336-2150.

**Reg. Thoroughbred** Brude mares, 16 yr old registered mare named Onda Flora w/ 2 yr old filly out of Onda Flora and Trophy Hunter; 11 yr old registered mare

named Del's Special, all for \$4000. Fred Gossen, Rayne; 337-334-3311, 337-334-5417.

**Reg. Bay** (blk) filly, 16 months, halter broke, trailer loads, very gentle, bloodline of Cajun Wargold and Little Solitario, \$2000. Danny Frederick, Abbeville; 337-642-5669.

**2 yr old** Bay Molly mule, very gentle, loves people, easy to trim, clip, load, \$800. Roy Firmin, Zachary; 225-772-2640.

**2007 AQHA** Buckskin filly, out of town daughter of Dual Pep and by own son of N.P. NCHA Futurity Champion Peponitas Acre, neg. coggins and vaccinated, dewormed, and hooves just trimmed, \$1500. Larry Dupuy, Thibodaux; 985-413-0853.

**2007 AQHA** Palomino filly, out of town daughter of Doc's Mahogany and by own son of Smart Lil Uno, neg. coggins and vaccinated, dewormed and hooves just trimmed, \$1000 obo. Kathy Dupuy, Thibodaux; 985-413-0853.

**Miniature horses**, all ages and colors, Pintos and Solios, some mares possibly bred, \$500/1. Charles Hammons, Many; 318-256-2420, 318-332-2042.

**Miniature donkeys**, one Jack, one Jennie, both \$350, firm; three saddles, \$600, firm, some tack. Jim White, Castor; 318-544-2352.

**12 yr breed** miniature mare, gray and white; 4 yr old mini golden Palomino stud; 2 yr tri-color mini paint, \$500-\$1500 obo. Roy Hazelwood, Lacombe; 985-882-3210.

**9 yr old** mare mule, used for pack horse and trail riding, backskin, 12 ½ h, very gentle, \$700. Karen Mixon, Baton Rouge; 225-261-3367.

**Donkeys- Jennies**, Gelding, and Jacks, make good pets or guard animals, different ages and colors, Jennies \$200-\$300, Geldings and Jacks \$100-\$200. Darwin Young, Ville Platte; 337-580-4400.

**Lg. standard** bred pacers on gaited, black geld, 7 yrs; Sorrel mare, 9 yrs, pulls and rides, \$600/1. Littell Mouiller, Mamou; 337-468-3140.

**Paso Finos** reg., preferred Columbian bloodlines, mares, fillies, colts, and stallions, all ages and colors, trail and show quality, \$1000/1-up. M. Clark, Ville Platte; 337-363-9988.

(2) **Nebraska** Bred QH fillies, both 2 yrs old, one blue roan, one liver chestnut, \$1200/1. B. Clark, Ville Platte; 337-363-9988.

**AQHA**, 5 yr old beautiful Palomino gelding, Royal King, Cutter Bill, Poco Pine bloodlines, used for ranchwork, excellent handle, started in roping box, gentle for anyone to ride, \$4500. May Aymond, Effie; 318-447-1206.

**AQHA**, 3 yr old gelding, Royal King, San Peppy, Poco Pine blood-

lines, extremely gentle, calm, easily handled, broke, ready to complete training of your choice, \$2500. E. Aymond, Effie; 218-447-1206.

(2) **Geldings**, ½ brothers, both sired by '02 ACHA and NCHA World Champion cutting horse and out of different mares, one Sorrel with blaze, one bay with star, each just turned 4 yrs old, both gentle and riding around good, call for more info., clean coggins guaranteed, \$2500/ea. F.A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486, 318-201-0323.

**Super nice** APHA registered gelding, dark bay/blaze, 3 socks, black mane and tail, 14.2 hands, 1050 lbs., 4/16/97, excellent conformation, heel, break-away, trail and ranch horse, perfect student horse for boy or girl, clean coggins guaranteed, \$3500. F.A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486, 318-201-0323.

**Real nice** paint mare, 4 yrs old, 14.1 hands, 900 lbs., bay/w/blk, long mane and tail, being trained now, \$850 or trade. F.A. Calcote, Bunkie; 318-346-6486, 318-201-0323.

**Reg. TW** Bay filly, 14 mos., naturally gaited, very gentle, vac. and wormed regularly, can send pictures upon request, email me at timothysoileau@yahoo.com, \$950. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-277-3862.

**Gaited Bay**, 9 yr old, 1350 lbs., geld., ½ Quarter, ½ Missouri Fox Trotter, sure footed and strong, has been ridden on trails in woods extensively, also used for halter breaking colts and road trail rides, can email pictures, \$2000. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-277-3862, timothysoileau@yahoo.com.

**28 mo. old** Grade Sorrel w/ flax mane and tail, TW Gelding, Green Broke, vac. and wormed regularly, can send pictures upon request, \$1,000. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; 3 3 7 - 2 7 7 - 3 8 6 2 , timothysoileau@yahoo.com

**Wanted:** Mini horses & Shetland ponies. Sarina Lirette, 985-665-0464.

**Reg. Black** TW Mare 4 yr old, gentle, smooth gait, experienced woods and trail riding, has shots and wormed, \$1500. G. Welch, Oakdale; 318-335-4208 or 306-1933.

**2002 Sorrel** gelding, licensed with certificate with NRHA, started on barrels, has ran 15.7, knows side passes, roll backs, spins, he is great horse, needs someone to love him and bring out his best. \$6500, will negotiate. Marlene Stewart, 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

**TWHBEA, SSHBEA** Reg., 2-year (2), blk. & wh. gelding, \$1,200 ea, TWHBEA, SSHBEA Reg., 1-year homozygous sorrel & wh stud colt, \$1,400, Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

**TW gray** gelding, 2-year, \$800, L. Rodrigue, Vacherie; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

**10 YR old** reg. sorrel gelding, barrels & poles, experienced rider only, \$4500. Bridget Doucet, Welsh; (337)794-4704.

**1994 Reg AQHA** geld. Sire Doc Sport Model Dam Tye Bar's Mackie. Seasoned barrel and pole horse. \$3500. Rachel Wigginton, Monterey; call after 5, 318-386-4818.

**6 yr. old** geld. Finished barrel and pole horse, needs to be hauled, has current neg. coggins. \$2500. Rachel Wigginton; Monterey; call after 5, 318-386-4818.

**2 yr. old** filly \$2000 Dam is Granddaughter of Dry Doc Sire is Gotta Jerry son of Smart Little Jerry, all above priced OBO; 5 year old APHA mare well started on cattle \$3000, all above priced OBO, many others to choose from all ages. David, Galliano; 985-475-7124 or 985-209-1105.

(1) **reg. AQHA** Doc's Sug broodmare \$1,500. (1) 3 year old filly started on cattle \$3000/1; 2 year old filly Dam is Doc's Sugar Mare Sire Gotta Jerry \$2000; 2 yr. old black gelding unreg. sire is Pass The Chick Dam is Spanish Charge bloodline. \$1000, All of the above are priced OBO. Susan, Galliano; 985-475-7124 or 985-209-1105.

**Dapple Lineback** Dun mare 9 years old, small horse, gentle, good child's first horse, smart, loves people. \$600. Tommy Strain, Greenwell Springs; 225-261-4500.

**QH Sorrel** Geld, large muscular horse, 15 years. Good pleasure but quick response horse. \$999. Tommy Strain, Greenwell Springs; 225-261-4500.

**10 Yr.** old Reg. TW, Beautiful Sorral/white Paint Gelding, white mane and tail, 14.2 hands tall, natural smooth fast gait, very calm and gentle for anyone, very flashy with excellent conformation and style, \$2500.00, Contact Jack, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

**1 Yr.** old Gaited Molly Mule, Will be naturally gaited and have good large size. \$800.00. Contact: Jack, Marksville; 318-253-8981. **2 Yr.** old. Sorral with blaze face TW Stallion, Flax main and tail, 14.2 hands tall now, will mature to aprox 15 hands, nice natural gait and good conformation. unbroke, \$700. Jack, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

**Sorral TW** Gelding, 6 Yr. old 15.2 hands tall, with blaze face and 2 white socks, long mane and tail, beautiful conformation & smooth gait, excellent trail and pleasure horse, \$2000. La Juan, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

**10 Yr.** old black and white saddle horse gelding, 14 ½H, extremely gentle, anyone can ride, \$1350. Jack, 318-253-8981.

## STALLION SERVICE

**Iowna Cleat**, son of Dashing Cleat SI 111, sire of many money earners, Dam Sensuous Sound SI 99, by Sound Venture, Sire of many race money earners, fee for '09 breeding season, 1st 10 clients to book, fee will be \$500, after 1st 10 Fee will be \$700, mare care avail. Marlene Stewart, Albany; 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

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

**Reg. 4 yr.**, 15 H, gray TW stallion, great disp., smooth, naturally gaited, \$250/\$5, mare care. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; timothysoileau@yahoo.com, 337-277-3862.

**Reg. T.W. Stallion**, blk/wht tobiano, by Hand Shaker's Blizzard & Choo Choo's Velvet, naturally gaited & very gentle, \$300/\$5 mare care. Clyde Savage, Plaucheville; 318-939-2170.

**Reg. T.W. Stallion** bright chestnut & wht. tobiano by Sparks of Battle Ready & Conrad's Angel Fire, naturally gaited & very gentle, \$300/\$5 mare care. Clyde Savage, Plaucheville; 318-939-2170.

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

Cremello AQHA, CC Dash of Lightning, 15.2, throws palomins/buckskins with tiny heads and huge butts, bloodlines, Skipper W; Call Me Dash, SI98, LA race accredited, AHA sweepstakes, fee, \$400/1, multiple, \$300. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; www.sunkissed-farm.com.

## SHEEP & GOATS

**Yrlg.**, older ewes, Hamp, Suffolk & cross ewes, \$150. Bill Connell, Provencal; 318-609-0112 or 318-609-0133.

**Percentage Boer** males, 1 red, 1 red/wh., 93%, 4 mos., \$100/1. Lionel Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-7314.

**Nigerian dwarf** goat kids, family pet, very friendly w/kids, \$50/1-up. Ethelyn Raymond, Mt. Hermon; 985-877-5600.

**(3) Boer** goat wethers, 2 mos., \$200/1; Nigerian dwarf bucks, reg., \$75; Nigerian dwarf reg. doelings, \$200; Boer does, reg., \$350.

Dianna Allshouse, Loranger; 985-878-3017.

**Brush goats**, 4 mos., wormed & weaned, tame, \$40/1-up. Jim Falterman, Bush; 985-867-1393.

**Reg. Kathadin** sheep, 7 ewes & 7 rams, born 1-08, \$200-\$500. Randy Fontenot, Sunset; 337-668-4233.

**(3) fb Boer** doe kids, 4 mos., fb Boer Billy, Rambo & Pipeline genetics, color correct, show quality, excel. conform., 4 mos., \$250/1-up. Anthony Mumphy, Eunice; 337-55-0826.

**Nubian doelings**, born 2-08, \$100/1-up. Louis Robert, Hessmer; 318-563-4428.

St. Croix hair sheep, reg. & non-reg., ewe & rams, adults & young, \$50/1-up; proven ewes, \$150. Ovey Viator, New Iberia; 337-365-2559.

**100% fb Boer** buck 2½ yrs., red/paint, gentle, show quality, great bloodline, kids on ground, papers, \$250; show quality Boers, percentages, gentle, on feed & shown before, \$100/1. James Boudreaux, Belle Rose; 225-473-7635.

**(4) kids**, born 6-12-08, mixed bred w/Boer, 3 males, \$40/1, female, \$50. Reba Callahan, Doyline; 318-230-8394.

**Boer goats**, males & females, \$100/1. Steven Caskey, Livingston; 225-910-2900.

**Reg. Boer** goats, 100%, 2 bucks, 4 mos., \$100/1; wether, 3 mos., \$50; doe, 15 mos., \$100. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw; 985-542-0252.

**Fainting goats**, females, 1 blk./wh., 1 brown, 3 mos., \$150/1. David Ellis, French Settlement; 225-698-9611.

**St. Croix** ram, 1 yr., no shearing, no bleating, \$75/OBO. Roy Firmin, Zachary; 225-772-2640 or 225-654-9566.

**Brush goats**, healthy, low maintenance, under fence, will keep property clean, \$40/1-up. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond; 985-345-1498.

**Spring '08** wethers, banded, disbudded, given CD&T shots, good 4-H or market shows, \$150-\$200. Ashlee Hawkes, Leesville; 337-463-7909.

**Reg. Nubian**, 2 bucks, born 3-3-08, disbudded, vacc. & dewormed, \$250/1. Amber Kibodeaux, Egan; 337-783-1933.

**Myatonic (fainting** goats), born 3-1-08, \$100. Walter Libick, Merryville; 337-208-8444 or 337-825-8937.

**Alpine or Nubian** does, ranging in age, \$150/1-up; Nubian buckling, \$150/1. Mary McMahan, Hammond; 225-567-7048.

**Fb, percentage**, commercial Boer does, 3 mos. & older, La. Bred, tags avail. for showing, \$250/1-up. Robert Richard, Carencro; 337-896-6264.

**Katahdin sheep**, \$65-\$125. R. Robertson, Pineville; 318-443-1211.

**(2) Feb. '08**, pb Suffolk ram lambs, \$150 & \$200/1. Claude Sellers, Youngsville; 337-856-4839.

**(12) Fainting** goats, all ages, males & females, \$100/1. Norma Traylor, Ponchatoula; 985-386-3289.

## SWINE

**Blue butt** x landrace crosses, 10 wks., \$40/1. Brad Bardy, Bush; 985-966-1557.

## DOGS

**Reg. male** Boykin Spaniel, 1½ yrs., partially trained retriever, doves last year, \$500. Terry Fontenot, Roanoke; 337-753-2777.

**Mini Schnauzer**, 1 yr., salt/pepper, very small bloodline, AKC reg. w/show papers, good breeding stock, adorable & friendly, health guaranteed \$250. LaJaun, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

**Taking orders**, 4 wk. old blk. mouth Cur puppies, no papers, very aggressive hear dogs, parents on site, \$150. Glen Leger, Opelousas; 337-945-5158 or 337-543-4303.

**Pb Rat** Terrie puppies, tri color, \$59/1. Sharlene Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3680.

**2 litters:** ½ Border Collie/½ German Shepherd (German bred), pups, both parents herd, \$60; ½ Border Collie/½ Catahoula-Healer cross, blk. & wh., \$30. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; 337-753-2590 or 337-370-3479.

**Reg. Border Collie** pups, blk. & wh., from working stock, born 4-29-08, \$200/1. Pat Boudreaux, Simmesport; 318-941-2614.

**Reg. male** Border Collie, works cattle, \$1000. Shane Daigle, Eunice; 337-344-2938.

**Rare liver** & fawn color German Shepherd pups, parents are very lg., beautiful, \$500/1. Charles Hammons, Many; 318-256-2420 or 318-332-2042.

**Female cur**, 7 yrs., will tree squirrels, \$150; blk. mouth cur, 2 yrs., hunted some but not started, \$150. Eva Knatt, Arnaudville; 337-501-7223.

**Blue fawn** w/blue eyed Dobie/Dane pup, male, dad reg. Doberman, mom reg. Great Dane, \$250/or trade. Charlene Langley, Kinder; 337-582-7677.

**Great Pyrenees**, doge, \$100. Darien Milton, Hammond; 985-320-9937.

**At stud** Border Collie, ABC reg. Head 'N Heels MACK 2002 world champ. cow dog, GCSA open reserve champ. 202, LA Sundowner open reserve champ., 2003, OK Mack's sire is also 3 times US Nat'l champ., \$400/stud fee. Mickey Thibodeaux, Greenwell Springs; www.headnheels.com, 225-261-

3886.

**Reg. NALC** Catahoula pup, born 3-8-08, out of champ. bloodlines, \$200. A. Baham, Jackson; abaham@aol.com, 225-405-1034.

**CKC reg.** Pug puppies, 2 litters avail., fawn in color, taking \$100/deposits, males, \$325, females, \$400. Kim Caldarera, Paulina; 225-869-9803.

**Great Pyrenees** puppies, white, wormed, parents & puppies raised w/goats & poultry, parents keep predators away form flock, \$100/1. Brent Deville, Opelousas; 337-692-6767.

**AKC/CKC** Schipperke pups, small, rare, blk., tailless; AKC/CKC miniature Pinscher pups, colors, shots wormed, \$350/1-up. Pam Galjoun, Duson; 337-873-4141.

**Chocolate Lab** puppies, 5 male, 4 female, AKC reg., whelped 6-21-08, show and field bloodline, vet checked, wormed, ready 8-9-08, \$350/female, \$300/male. Edward Hymel, Vacherie; hymelbkp@bellwouth.net, 225-265-7797.

**Border Collie**, full blood, no papers, 2 males, \$50/1. C. Sibley, Livingston; 225-686-2304.

**AKC Boxer** puppies, shots & wormed, males & females, \$350/1. Howard Spears, Tangipahoa; 985-229-7729.

**ABCA reg.** Border Collie pup, male, blk. & wh., \$200. Marilyn Sveda, Marthaville; 318-256-8192.

**Kennels, 2x4**, welded wire, galv., 5x5x10, \$392; 5x10x10, \$479; 6x5x10, \$439; 6x10x10, \$540. Mike Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Wanted: Female** Doberman puppy, papers not required. Norma Traylor, Ponchatoula; 985-386-3289.

## POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

**(10) Emden Geese** adults \$25/1, (15) African Geese adults, \$20/1, (5) Touke Geese \$25/1. Devin Boutte, New Iberia; 337-359-7660.

**Pullets for sale**, Rhode Island Reds and Black sex links, \$7/1. Floyd Cook, Saint Amant; 225-675-2675.

**White Geese**, \$20/1; Moscovy, \$3/1; Pitkins, \$10/1; negotiable. Sidney Faulk, Abbeville; 337-652-2070.

**Buff Orphanthon** chicks, \$1.5/1, Minus Gisclar, New Iberia; 337-365-6959.

**Bobwhite quail** chicks, .65/1; flight cond. \$4/1; Pharroah quail chicks, .55/1; grown, \$3.5/1. Minus Gisclar, New Iberia; 337-501-2165.

**Wood ducks**, \$40/pr; Mandarins, \$60/pr; Ring Teal, \$50/pr; Rosy Billed Pochard, female only, \$30; Ringneck &

Melanistic Pheasants, \$25/pr; California Valley Quails, \$20/pr. Nelson Simoneaux, Maurepas; 225-698-9497.

**Beautiful, Rare**, Brazilian Chocolate Muscovies, Eat small snakes, mosquitoes, etc. \$12/pr.; \$20/brdr.pr.; \$4/1 baby; French Marans, \$4/1; Jungle Fowl, \$4/1; Baby Chinese Geese, \$7/1. Rob Terrell, Amite; 985-748-3225.

**Guinea bird** keets (babies), unsexed \$2/1-up, will be hatching all summer Jeannie, Gonzales; 225-677-8964.

**Peafowl** 2007 hatch, India Blues male, \$60/1; Black Shoulder split to Midnight, (1) trio @ \$230; Spaldings, \$90/1M; 1 pr @ \$160; Also, 2008 peachicks starting at \$25/1 Jeannie, Gonzales; 225-677-8964.

**Gambel quail** chicks, \$3/1. Mike, Houma; 985-851-6904 after 5:00pm, or baiom@bellsouth.net

**Bantam Chickens**, chicks - grown, \$2-\$5/1; eggs, \$3/dz. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte; 337-363-7176.

**(4) Peacocks**, India Blue, hatched 4-24-08, \$65/1. Charles Boyd, Trout; 318-992-4977.

**Jumbo Pharaoh** quails, up to 9 weeks old, \$.75-\$2/1-up; grown cleaned & dressed birds, \$25/dz; eggs, \$10/100. Jim or Josh Douglas, Pitkin; (h) 318-634-5670 (c) 318-452-0635.

**(2) pairs**, Pilgrim Geese, \$50/pr or \$80/4. Kenneth Fontenot, Roanoke; 337-247-2240.

**Jumbo Pharaoh** & Georgia giant Bobwhite, all size birds & eggs, plenty on hand, Pharoah, \$3/1; Georgia Giant Bobwhite, \$6/1; Pharaoh eggs, \$20/100. Shirley Franks, Lena; 318-793-8018.

**Rare color** standard golden laced Cochins, hens \$6/1, roo's \$5/1; Asst. PB Bantams, \$3.5/1. B. Moss, Jackson; 225-454-8408.

**Blk. Belgian** D'Anver Bantam chicks, \$2/1-up. Ray Vidrine, Washington; 337-230-7726.

**Wanted: trio of California** whites or rooster, within 100 miles. Marvin Carter, Pineville; 318-442-1717.

**Wanted: African geese.** Dalton Morvant, Kaplan; 337-643-8459.

## DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**(30) lovebirds**, lutino/orange face, dbl. factor violet, Australian cinn. Split to violet, wh. face lutino, \$40/1 or \$30/1, if 10 or more taken. Brenda Ardoin, Abbeville; 337-893-0971.

**Canaries**, from award winning line, males, \$55/1, females, \$55/1; shaft tail finches, \$45/1; Zebra finches, all varieties, \$6/1. Carlos

Ambrogio, Houma; 985-868-3648.

**Red sided** Eclectus, born 10-14-00, egg laying, cage w/play pen, 32x40x55, \$1000/OBO. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette; 337-276-6164 or 337-828-0000.

**Green cheek & yellow sided** Conure babies, born 3-08, \$125-\$150/1. William Lambert, Jr., Gonzales; 225-647-0625 or 225-954-0056.

**(14) breeder** lovebirds in avery, orange face green, orange face lutino, orange face olive, red face lutino, pied & more, \$175/1; \$30-\$10/prs. Dale Landry, Painscourtville; 985-369-6952.

**H/f baby** Quakers, blue & green, \$85/1-up. James Anderson, Bossier City; 318-573-9939.

**Cockatiel babies**, pearls, normals & wh., \$20-\$40; baby parakeets, \$8; cages avail., \$15-up. Becky Bergeron, Livonia; 225-637-2890.

**Doves wh.**, \$8/1, tangerine pearl, \$8/1; ringneck & pied, \$5.5/1. Jim Bearb, Carencro; 337-896-3475 or 337-298-0479.

**Yellow nape** Amazon hen, 5 yrs., \$600; pr. Military **macaws**, \$2000. Kevin Johnson, Eunice; 337-564-1903 or 337-305-1399.

**Red rumps**, several mutations splits & visuals, \$100/1-up; split green cheeks turquoise, \$275; w/papers; pineapple green cheeks, \$325/1 w/papers' turquoisines, \$100/1; crimson rosella hen, \$275/1. Donald Jacob, LaPlace; 985-652-6614.

**Pr. Blue** front, \$600; pr. orange wing Amazon, \$500; pr. Red lored Amazon, \$600; pr. blue crown conures, \$350; hf baby goffins, Alexandrian suns, Indian ringnecks, blue & gold, blue front Amazons, \$150/1-up. Louis Pennison, Morgan City; 985-631-2368.

**Hf lovebirds**, variety of colors, \$35/1; hf cockatiels, variety of colors, \$65/1, extra tame. Victor Priez, Waggaman; 504-431-0974.

**Hf blk.** headed cacique, male, very playful, \$650; hf cockatiels, w/f & normal color variety, \$50/talking male cockatiel, \$65. Ellis Sisk, Baker; 225-774-7414.

**Hf cockatiels**, very tame, assorted colors, \$65; breeders, assorted colors, \$65/1. Jerry Tauzin, New Iberia; 337-367-2508.

**Indian ringneck** parakeets, '06/'07/'08 hatch, violet, violet split clear tail, violet split clear head, misty blue, misty turquoise, \$150-\$1500/1. Kent Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248.

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

## DEER & EXOTICS

**Chinchillas**, approx 20 adults and 5 babies, 3 large cages, 3 medi-

um cages, \$3,000. Tracey Freeman, Bogalusa; 985-516-4016.

**Baby Whitetail** Deer, started on bottle, \$150/1, Larry Odom, Pitkin; 318-634-5931.

**Young male** Lama, \$400. Steve McGuffee, Bossier City; 318-453-8899.

## RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**Missouri swamp** and Florida cotton tail mixed, better runners than San Juan's, \$10/1. Moe, Reserve; 985-703-2592.

**Flemish Giant**, \$15/1-up; New Zealand, white, \$6/1-up, Dutch, Netherland Dwarf \$10/1-up. Jimmie or Marie Young, Eunice; 337-457-5053.

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

## AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Pond stocking** channel catfish, 25¢/1; blue catfish, 30¢/1; Coppnose bluegill, 25¢/1; regular bluegill, 25¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 25¢/1; chinquapin bream, 30¢/1; blk. crappie, 40¢/1; bass, 55¢/1, del. to pond avail. David Lowe, Minden; 318-377-1525.

## FARM SERVICES

**Pasture boarding**, horses only, Sixty acres with free running water, plenty of grass and shade trees, \$50 per horse per month, Negative coggins required. Sarina Lirette, 985-665-0464, www.twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com.

**Qualified Equine** Appraiser (#03779) with American Society of Equine Appraisers, Appraisals done for insurance, sales, legal matters, etc., reasonable rates. Sarina Lirette, 985-665-0464, www.twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com.

**Horse boarding**, Cotile Lake area, feed/hay twice daily, starting at \$175/mo., 120'x 240' arena, 60'round pen, trails adjacent to property, Jane Pierce, Boyce; 318-793-2336 (leave msg).

**Horse training**, breaking & training performance horses, every horse deserves a great start, gentle handler, the best, \$600/30 days. Rachel Bertrand, Crowley; 337-384-6997.

**Natural horsemanship** training, problem horses & colts, starting at \$500/mo. Cory Bourque, Abbeville; 337-298-3073.

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

**Fence building**, 4 & 5 strands barbwire, net, hog wire & ranch style, clear property only, will install for \$1.25-up, customer supplies all materials. B. Long, Kentwood; 985-229-7915 or 985-515-2093.

**Horse facility** for lease, Sulphur area, 8 stalls, 2 apts., (2) 30 am hookups, 15 acre turnout, horse wash area & more, super nice set-up, will consider lease on part or all. Michelle Stutes, Sulphur; 337-515-7625 or 337-583-2815.

**Pulpwood & logs** contract will be up on 10-2-08 & will be ready for 400 ac of fuel clipping @ 65¢/ton. Wayne Ward, Saline; 318-576-3111 or 318-471-9272.

**Cutting & cow horse** training, breaking, \$500/mo., \$550/cattle, can take your horse from breaking to showing, will evaluate your cutting prospects, fresh cattle, well bred cutting & performance prospects. Hana Kay Broussard, Coushatta; 337-298-7455.

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

## 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."

**110 acres**, CRP land, West Carroll parish, soybeans, corn, \$1400/acre. Paul Spillers, Monroe; 318-388-0100.

**Livestock farm**, 110 fenced acres in SW La., \$144,000/down, balance owner financed, photos, description, maps, terms, & survey. Frank Boggs, Sugartown; 337-328-7425, before 8 pm.

**Ascension parish**, 8.9 acres in Brusley McCall, La. Hwy. 943, off Hwy 1, 148.5 W by 2,648.98 D, on blk. top road, \$135,000. Achille Denoux, Gonzales, 225-938-3456.

**13.72 acres**, open land/partially wooded for pasture, home site or recreation, community water & elec., near Plaucheville, \$67,000. A. Wright, Woodworth; 318-290-9979.

The new Market Bulletin fax number is 225-922-1289.

## TREES & FRUITING VINES

**Trees, very large**, all sizes & prices, we deliver & plant; Shade, Flowering shade Pecan, Live Oaks, etc., \$300-\$3500/1. Bob, Church Point; 337-319-3957.

**Wanted:** Seedlings of Bodoc (Osage Orange) trees. Greg Guirard, St. Martinville; 337-394-4631.

**Louisiana Live Oaks**, 1 gal., 2'-3', \$2/1; 5 gal., 6', \$10/1; 24" boxes, 8', \$80/1; good stock, single leader; A.M. Gray III, Patterson; 985-395-5193 or 985-518-4711.

**Trifoliata seedlings**, rootstock for all LA citrus, \$20/100. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond; 985-345-1498.

**Free, ready** to cut, 10-12, 100'+ Pine trees to anyone that will cut it down and haul them off. Dickie Sherman, Crowley; 337-788-0240.

**All kinds** of trees, bushes, shrubs; 30+ varieties of azaleas, fruit trees, citrus trees, lilies; 800 hybrid Amaryllis; knock out roses; 7 colors of Crape Myrtles; all in pots, \$2-\$25/1. send SASE for list & price. Lee Cook, Husser; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

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**Grafted Mulberry** trees, 10 varieties, wild plum, Chinese parasol, pindo palms, Queen palm, American beech, thornless honey locust, native hibiscus, basswood, grafted mayhaw trees, 4 varieties, \$10-\$45/1. Kent Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248.

## SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

**Night blooming** jessamine \$2/1; Turk's cap hibiscus, \$4/1; Chinese parasol tree seedlings, \$3/1; All are healthy and well rooted. Meade Phelps, Metairie; 504-615-4638.

**Daylilies** are still blooming, call of you'd like to select some for the fall, we still have many to choose from, \$5-up, we're open most mornings in June, please call ahead. Dean Stafford, Marksville; 318-253-8384.

**Large Crape** Myrtles- pink; 40'clocks- pink, white, yellow; flowering quice, sword ferns, venegated ivy, Swedish ivy, yester-

## FERTILIZER

**Old horse manure** shavings, top soil & sand mix, good for flower beds, loaded in your truck or trailer, \$18/yd. Lee Cook, Husser; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

## HAY & GRAIN

**4 x 5 1/2 rolls** of Bermuda as well as native grasses. All fertilized and limed. Asking \$30/roll. St Landry, La. Contact D Spears (318) 729-4069 or email spears\_farms\_la@hughes.net

**Jiggs Bermuda** Square bales. Well fertilized and limed. Asking \$ 5.00/bale. St Landry, La. Contact D Spears (318) 729-4069 or email spears\_farms\_la@hughes.net

**4 x 6 horse** quality round rolls Jiggs Bermuda. Stored in Barn. Asking \$40/ roll. St Landry, La. Contact D Spears (318)729-4069 or email spears\_farms\_la@hughes.net

**'08 fertilized**, Jiggs Bermuda square bales. \$ 4.50 behind baler, \$ 4.75 in barn. Steven Doucet, Jennings, LA 70546 337-824-9643

**2007 crop** 5'x5' Round Bales Pensacola and Argentine Bahai, Stored Outside but in very good shape, \$15 / bale loaded. Todd Deville, Ville Platte; 337-363-3094..

**2007 4x5** rd bales, Jiggs Bermuda, \$25/1. Bryan Romero, 337-643-6794.

**Small sq. bales**, cured without rain, you load, \$2/1. E. C. Roge'. Natchez; 318-352-7001 or 318-554-8002.

**Fert., Sept/Oct '07**, 5x6 Bahia rd. bales, reduced to \$25/1, \$20/1 if (10) or more purchased. C.M. Duplechian, Jennings; 337-824-2989.

**2008 sq. bale** horse hay, Jigg or Alicia Bermuda, \$4.5-\$6/1, limed & fertilized. Chad Duhon, Rayne; 337-334-9093 or 337-319-7666.

**2008 premium** quality Bermuda racehorse hay, in barn, you load, hayfield & barn within 1 mile of old Evangeline Downs Racetrack, \$5.5/1. Roy Stokes, Lafayette; 337-247-2141 or 337-237-5771.

**Special pricing** on 2007 Bermuda, sq. bales, \$3.25/1, round 5x5, \$20/1, must make room for 2008 crop. Roy Stokes, Lafayette; 337-247-2141 or 337-237-5771.

**2008 Bahia** grass hay, \$4.5/1, behind baler; Alicia Bermuda grass, \$6/1, behind baler, we load. Delos Thompson Jr., Folsom; 985-796-9872.

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**Argentine Bahia** sq. bales, taking orders, '08, horse quality, fert. & limed, \$4.5/1, if 100 or more taken \$4/1, round bales, 5x6, \$45/1. James Casanova, Amite; 985-517-0334 or 985-748-7363.

**Horse hay**, fert. Russell

Bermuda, \$4/bale in field, \$4.5/bale in barn, call now to order. Randy Dauzat, Lecompte; 318-443-5955 or 337-281-8854.

**Jiggs limed & fert.**, sq. bales, '07, \$4.5/1 in barn, '08, \$4.5/in field, \$5/in barn. Mike Johnson, Oakdale; 318-335-6089.

**Jiggs Bermuda**, '08, fert. 4x5 round bales, \$25-up & sq. bales, \$4-up; sq bale rice & wheat straw, \$3-up, quantity discounts. Aaron Melancon, Rayne; 337-581-1765.

**Fert. Bahia** sq. bales, \$3/bale; 4x4 round bales, \$20/bale. David Moran, Jr., Pride; 225-570-8252.

**Alicia sq.** bales, '08, lg. tight bales of good quality, \$3.5/in field, \$4/in barn, stored on pallets. C. Tassin, Marksville; 318-240-0013 or 318-253-8878.

**Alicia/Bahia/Coastal/Tifton-44/Johnsongrass** mixed hay, 4x5 bales, (383) '07 rd. bales, \$41/1, no hauling; '08 second cutting, in field, \$28/bale in field, \$51/off the field. Wayne Ward, Saline; pteneryginc@bellsouth.net, 318-576-9958 or 318-471-9272

**Tifton 9 Bahia**, '07 crop, well fert., hvy., bales, \$4/bale. Benton Broussard, Jennings; 337-824-8697 or 337-912-0560.

**5x5 bales** of Bahia, well fert., very tightly wrapped on pallets, in barn, \$30, same hay outside on pallets, \$25, del. avail. up to 10 miles. Layton Courville, Sunset; 337-280-3306.

**Jiggs Bermuda**, taking orders, '08, sq. bales in \$4/bale in field or \$4.75/in barn. Bob Murphy, Crowley; big\_country1967@yahoo.com, 337-230-5634.

**Jiggs Bermuda** hay, sq. bales, \$4/in field, call to place orders. Robert Thibodeaux, Breaux Bridge; 337-845-4238.

**Wanted: sq.** hay bales, rye or native grass for cattle. Within reasonable distance from Baton Rouge or del. preferred. Warren Pratt, Baton Rouge; 225-926-3186.

**Bahia squ.** Bales, horse quality, \$3/1, behind baler, \$4/1 in barn. Chuck Bezet, Brusly; 225-939-8504.



**Ford 4000** tractor, 3cyl. Gas, 6 ft. Howse clipper, runs good, looks good, good cond., \$4200, internet pictures available. Dale Sellars, Livonia; 225-573-8443.

**1952 FORD** 8N, \$1200, Sammy Medlin, Eunice, 337-457-2387

**2007 Rowse** 300 Dirt Pan, excellent for building a roadbed or scooping out a pond, pulls easily with 75hp tractor, bought new and used less than 6 months, good

tires, \$5000. Dickey Matherne, Loranger; 985-549-1521.

**2005 Kubota L2800** Four Wheel Drive Tractor with Woods 4' Box Blade and Woods Bush-hog, less than 75 hours of use. \$10,500 for all. Mary McMahan, Hammond; 225-567-7048 or 985-507-5086.

**Ford 4000** 4cyl 55hp 1964 \$3500. BROWN TREE CUTTER bush-hog 5' \$3500.00. Will consider trades for stock trailer or 8-10' clipper. Chris Fry, Denham Springs; 225-667-6622 or 225-268-2710

**350 Farmall** tractor tricycle type on lp gas \$ 1000; old McCormick av about a 1939 need tires to be restored, \$1000. S.W. Gourdon, Glodonna 318-357-0616

**Kubota L3010** tractor, excel. cond., manual transmission, 2WD, 450 hours, \$7,500.00; Woods RD7200 finishing mower, 200 hours, \$1,000.00; grader blade, 6', hardly used, \$200.00 Tom Kopfler, Amite; 985-747-2163.

**I-H 1066** trac., new overhaul on engine, new front end, new paint, new tires, front loader, \$15,200 obo. Jerry Duhon, Sulphur; 337-853-4360.

**Super A** with front culv., \$2500; Red Cub with frt & back cutl arms, \$1600; 5' Bush-hog finishing mower \$425; Extra Cub tools, belly mowers \$200/1- up. Skeet Cooper, Jena; 318-992-2206.

**Ford 5000** Tractor, runs great, recently painted, 6' shredder and 7' box blade, packaged priced \$ 6,500. Ross Carroll, Ville Platte; 337-351-5056.

**Rhino T. W120** Bush Hog "Like New", \$5,500. Gary Anderson, Cloutierville; 318-379-0980.

**Wanted:** Used Case dozers, any shape, whole or in parts. P.R. Krantz, Krotz Springs; 337-592-0170.

**Wanted:** 3 pt. row maker, 1 or 2 rows, Tommy Deshotel, Jennings; 337-824-1977 or 337-658-7305.

**MF 1835**, sq. baler, barn kept, less than 5k bales, excel. cond., \$10,000. Danny or Kim Tonagel, Abita Springs; 985-630-8943 or 985-264-0445.

**Class Rollant** 46, rd. baler, 4x4 bales, good cond., \$5000. Danny Tonagel, Abita Springs; 985-264-0445 or 985-630-8943.

**966 IH**, 105 HP, excel. cond.; 8', 6 way front blade, quick hitch on 3-pt.; 10' JD two-way disk, \$14,500 (all). John Stanford, Church Point; 337-684-5929.

**JD 350** dozer, diesel engine, 6 way hyl. blade, auto shuttle, good under carriage, good pads, 3" pipe cage, does not smoke, runs & looks good, \$12,500. Ronald Sharpe, Springfield; 225-695-3627 or 225-270-3799.

**Ford 601** gas tractor and 5' bush-hog, 48 HP, good tires, new battery, good cond., \$3500. Robert Ruiz, Paulina; 225-869-8425.

**Red IH cub** tractor with belly mower, good shape, \$1600. ; 3pt.

lift cultivator, \$200.; Steel truck body, 8'x22' with steel roller on back, \$2000. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**MF model 65**, good shape, new paint & clutch, \$5000; 135 MF diesel trac., needs work, \$3700; (2) 6' bush hogs, 1 has new deck, 11 ga., other has hvy. duty ¼" deck, excel. cond., \$1200/1; Farmall trac. w/tricycle front end, gas engine, good solid trac., \$1900; 10' Woods bush hog, \$2400; Model 160 Bush Hog brand bush hog, 13'6" wide, reworked & painted, \$4500. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**One row** riding digger, great shape, \$3000. Daniel Laborde; Mansura; 318-964-2902.

**Ford 4000** tractor, 48-52 HP, runs well, \$5500. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte; 337-363-5888.

**JD 4020**, 95 HP, standard shift, PS, with loader bucket & hay forks, new water pump, starter, alternator and more, good rubber, good power, 1000/540 PTO, new paint, buggy canopy, nice, \$12,800; 2615L Bush-hog, 1000 PTO, 15' cutter, good shape, new paint, new gear box, new gear box seals & bear, cv driveline, field ready, \$5800 or both units for \$17,500. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles; 337-274-8405.

**2006 Komatsu** 200 LC-7 excavator with 130 orig. hrs., cab protection & factory thumb never used, \$142,000. Philip Monteleone, Hammond; 985-345-8845 or 985-507-5743.

**New hay** spear, \$200. J. Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-789-3610.

**Farmall H.** tractor, completely refurbished, 12 volt system with 3 pt. hookup, looks and runs like new, with bush-hog, \$3000. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold; 318-894-9586.

**IH, AV, SuperA** Dist. Drive housing assy., \$385; Ford NRA, 600 head, rebuilt, \$625; used rad., \$125; late 8n steering box assy. \$425, complete trans., \$795; hyd. pump, \$395. James Degeyter, Arnaudville; 337-754-7682.

**2wd 85HP**, white tractor, 2655 Hrs., \$6000 obo; 6' Marangon hay cutter, field ready, used in '07 fall cutting, \$2000. Jerry Cooper, Greenwell Springs; 225-654-8825 or 225-978-9341.

**1989 Case IH** 1680, rice combine, 5400 hrs., cut 2007 crop, 4wd mud hogs, 22 ½', 1010 header, shedded, \$18,500. Tom Compton, Jennings; 337-224-0644.

**Cat D3B dozer**, 6 way blade, 75% undercarriage, 200 hrs on rebuilt engine, new radiator, bolt on shearing blade goes with tractor, \$17,500. Lloyd Clifz, St. Amant; 225-675-5248 or 225-955-3488.

**Hino moto** 4wd, with loader, 22hp, low hrs, \$5900; Shisaura 4wd, with loader, 20hp, low hrs., \$5900. D. Ballere, Moreauville; 318-997-2581.

**Ensley Excavator**, \$6000. L.

Averett; Livingston; 225-698-3296.

**8' 3pt disc**, Athens 55 model, 22" scalloped discs, adjustable, like new, \$2100; 3pt. fertilize distributor, excel. shape, \$225; 3pt, 2 blade turning plow/coulters, excel. shape, \$625; 5' grader box, \$175. Roger Amedee Jr., St. Amant; 225-675-5739.

**2004 JD**, 150KW, Generator, transfer board, 0 hrs, new, under shed, \$15,000. Sue Alford, Marion; 318-368-9347 or 318-235-1612.

**JD 830** diesel trac., '74, 40 hp, new rear tires, \$4000. Ronnie Andrepoint, St. Landry; 337-336-1809 or 337-461-2668.

**Bush hog** Squealer w/slip clutch, 5', good cond., \$600. Thomas Avant, DeRidder; 337-462-6501.

**Reynolds bucket**, 10 yd., excel. cond., \$11,000. Kenneth Bereeron, Church Point; 337-684-2436.

**(2) IH 1460** combines, field ready w/22½ flex headers, \$5500. Jimmy Carriere, Port Barre; 337-298-5943.

**Minneapolis Moline**, '52, not running, \$500/cash. George Demavert, Welsh; 337-734-2407.

**Ford 4000** diesel, low profile, like new, p/s, canopy, new front tires & seat, extra clean, w/5' bush hog & 6' box blade, \$6800. Paula Durr, Amite; 985-748-5556.

**Minneapolis Moline**, 1000 wheat hand, diesel, 100 hp & Minneapolis Moline vista 1500 diesel, both restored, tires are fair, \$3000/both. D.A. Fedele, Kentwood; 985-229-7104 or 985-229-1027.

**Int. 444** gas motor, 38 hp, \$2500. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-1352.

**6' push** blade, pressure up & down, come off Ford 4000, \$500; 3 pt hitch lift boom, hvy. duty w/2cyl. \$350; 10" JD wheel spacers, 10 hole, \$600. Judy Green, Rayville; 318-729-8-6966.

**8700 Ford**, 100 ph, well used, good tires, runs, good hyd., trans. & PTO, seal out in p/s, \$3500; 6 row equip., 2 cult., 1 crop maker, 2 spray lay-by rigs & w belly sprayers, all equip. can be cut down to make 2or 4 row, \$100/1-up. Percell Green, Rayville; 318-728-6966.

**Komatsu D20A** dozer, 6 way blade, 10 hrs., \$12,900; JD 2355, low hrs., 55 PTO, hp canopy, \$11,900. J. Guillot, Hessmer; 318-563-4776.

**(2) 18-4-38 (R-2)** trac. tires on JD rims, 85% rubber, \$1000. Danny LaPoint, Abbeville; 337-522-1292.

**Ford 3000** diesel, \$4790; JD 950 w/turf tires, good cond., \$3995. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**MF 283**, '85, 80 hp, 67 PTO, goo rubber all around w/2426 qt. bush hog front loader, 5' bucket,

Murphy switch installed, 3500 hrs., excel. running cond., \$8000; 6' King Kutter bush hog, excel. cond., \$500. Don LeMarie, Gueydan; 337-536-9443.

**Bush hog** 6' w/stump jumper, adj. up or down, needs work, tires fairly good, \$250; bush hog, 5', good cond., \$500; hvy. duty push blade, fits Crawler dozer, 6' long, good cond., \$700; Model 70, 2 cyl. JD trac., on propane, 3 pt. hitch, fairly good tires, tricycle font end, \$2500; model 60, 2 cyl., JD trac., gas, hvy. duty 3 pt. hitch, rotomatic tricycle front end, \$2000; 3 bushel seeder/fert. spreader, fits Super Cub, Super A, 140, 3 pt. hitch, \$300. N. Nash, Evans; 337-286-5006 or 337-286-5767.

**IH 1420** combine, '82 w/IH 820 15' grain header & IH 4 row corn header, 1150 hrs., cold a/c, ready to work, \$5000/OBO; 22' Shelborne Reynolds stripper header w/trailer, \$5000. Bob Richards, Greenwell Springs; 225-654-3705 or 225-938-0940.

**(4) Gravely**, model L walk behind trac., 3 will run, 1 for parts, 2 bush hogs, sulky, cult. & rotary plow, \$750/OBO. Landon Richards, Zachary; 225-939-6203.

**4000 bushel** grain bins w/augers & blower, disassembled on pallets, \$4000/both. R.W. Richards, Greenwell Springs; 225-938-0940, leave message.

**Yellow & wh.** Int. cub trac. w/belly mower, \$1500. Roland Thibodeaux, Rayne; 337-334-3847 or 337-207-7782.

**846 NH** baler, shed kept, field ready, many extra new parts, \$2500. Keith Andre, Blanks; 225-718-7998.

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

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

**Bush hog** brand 2010, pull type, 10' rotary cutter, hyd., 3 yrs., barn kept, new blades, \$4200. Mike Braud, Prairieville; 225-278-5912.

**NH 575** sq. baler, \$7000; Kuhn GMD, 700 cutter, \$3800; IH 560 diesel, wide /front end w/Doal loader, \$4500; Ford 4600 8 spd. diesel ROPs, RM, \$4250; Ford 3600 diesel, 8 spd., p/s, \$4800; Ford 2600 8 spd., diesel, \$3200; Midland 4.5 yr. scrapper, \$2800; '95 NH 6610s 4x4 w/loader, low hrs., \$17,000. R. Coldiron, Jonesville; 318-339-7876.

**Kubota M9000**, 90 hp front in loader, 4 wd w/cab an air, 2 sets remote, 254 hr. on it, 2 yr warranty, \$36,500; Ford, 72 hp, 4wd, 2 sets remote, front in lower, 7' bucket, still in warranty \$23,500. Layton Courville; Sunset; 337-280-3306.

**NH 355** grinder mixer, excel

cond., \$6000; Mayrath 6'x35', PTO grain auger, \$1200. G. Denton, Jena; 318-992-4504.

**Farmall 140** restored, runs, looks & drives perfect, 3 pt hitch & 540 PTO, \$5500. Chad Fauchex, Donaldsonville; 504-224-8-4681.

**2000 MF**, 1235 w/Rhino front-end loader, 4 wd, 30 hp, hydrostatic, 580 hrs., service & owners manuals, \$10,500. Greg Flitter, Greenwell Springs; 225-936-2693.

**CIH 7130**, 4 wd, \$25,000. Ron Fuqua, Effie; 318-481-1010.

**Vermeer hay rake**, 10 wheel, good cond., \$1475. Carroll Gueho, Baton Rouge; 225-766-2363.

**Ford 6640** cab & air, dual hyd., remotes, cold a/c, good shape, \$15,000. Jeremy Hoffman, Port Allen; 225-806-7592.

**7½ Tuffline** brand gang disc, 3 pt hitch, \$650. Danny Jones, Florien; 318-586-4225.

**Yanmar, 28 hp**, w/5' bush hog, \$3750; 270 gal. diesel storage tank on skids, \$300. Dan Jordan, Crowley; 337-347-1999.

**Case IH 9330**, 96 model, 344 hrs., 3 pt dual, 18.4-38 @ 65%, air ride seat, cold a/c, \$42,500. Kevin Kershaw, Jennings; 337-824-0213 or 337-277-0428.

**510 Long** diesel, runs good, 49 hp, 3 pt lift, need work, \$3500. Sonny Masters, Jonesboro; 318-259-7747.

**Like new JM284LE**, 28 hp, 4x4, shuttle shift, Koyker loader, skid steer, quick connect, p/s, 50 hrs., \$9000/OBO; like new set of AG turf tires, 26x7.50-12 \$ 11.2-20, four tires & rim, \$1000/OBO. Dickie Sherman, Crowley; 337-788-0240.

**851 NH** round baler, reconditioned, bales big tight 5x6 bales, \$3200. Delos Thompson Jr., Folsom, 985-796-9872.

**7720 4x4 JD** combine, 20' flex JD header, \$800; 381 Rayne grain cart, \$3000; 1000 gal water tank, trailer pump, \$700; JD 6 row hyd. fold cult. sweep type, \$800; '99 Komatsu, 200 track how, Billet grabs & w buckets, \$50,000; '93 Austoff combine, new eng., \$2000; 3 side dump Bullet road trailers, \$7000/1. Tommy, Bunkie; 318-452-7945.

**Pasture clipper**, 7' JD model 7-6 drag type w/cyl. & slip clutch, body recently rebuilt, good cond., \$1200; dirt blade, Howse, 5', 3 pt hitch, good cond., \$250. Mark Waller, Amite; 985-320-1030.

**Log splitter**, 3 pt. hitch, works off trac. hyd., works well, \$280. Huey Ducote, Bunkie; 318-346-7556.

**Wanted: Pull** type side delivery rake, good cond.; Ford or JD, not to old, 700-1000 hrs., in good cond., 40-50 hp; 7' or 8' hay cutter, prefer

Kuhn or Vicon, not to old, 3 or 4 yrs. Layton Courville, Sunset; 337-280-3306.

**Wanted: 3 pt.** trencher for tractor. Meaux, Clinton; 225-975-2220.

**(1) 15.5x38 tire**, 6ply, \$355; (1) new 12.4x38 R2 tire, 4 ply, \$90. Clement Lejeune, Oberlin; 337-639-2439.

**(1) JD 12'** do all, \$500; (1) Int'l 15' field cult., \$900; (1) Int'l 18' hyd. fold do all, \$700; (2) Cameco rear drum cane planters, \$600; (1) Cameco chain net tandem cane wagon, \$600. John Falcon, Donaldsonville; 335-473-6162 or 225-717-0296.

**David Brown** Case loader, \$5900; JD loader, \$6900; JD 650, \$4500; IH 484, \$5500; 3 pt. backhoe, \$1800; Clark forklift, diesel, \$6900; Yanmar 180, \$3500. Joe Major, Church Point; 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.



**Int. 9200**, '98, N14 Cummins sleeper, 42' Chamberlin hopper bottom, good rubber, good solid rig, \$28,000/firm. Daniel Fabacher, Iota; 337-779-3391.

**White trk.**, '87, F-250 ELT Lariat, 460 v-8, gas, a/c, stereo, p/s, good tires, tool box, 65,006 miles, \$2000. D.A. Fedele, Kentwood; 985-229-1027.

**Ford F-100** step side, '72 w/6 cyl., auto trans., needs engine rebuilt but will run, \$900; '65 Chev. C-60 bobtail single axle trk. w/fifth wheel hitch, \$650. L.K. Richards, Zachary; 225-939-6203.

**'96 F-350 SRW**, 7.3 turbo, single cab, 112,000 miles, lot of new parts, \$7900; camper top off '99 Toyota Tacoma 4x4, \$375/OBO. Calvin Waskom, Franklinton; 985-839-6369 or 985-373-2832.

**32' Coachman** motor home, '94 model w/26,000 miles, like new tires, 460 Ford chassis w/hyd. leveling jacks & generator, two a/c units, in good cond. \$29,000. A.J. Bradley, Transylvania; 318-552-6265.

**Chevy ¾ ton Silverado**, '95, 4x4, extra cab, lwb, 208,000 miles, everything works, power W & L, automatic trans., \$2000. William Lormand, Crowley; 337-581-6600.

**Chevy Tahoe**, '00, 78,000 miles, new tires, excel. cond., \$10,800/OBO or partial trade for yng. lbw Charolais bull. Steven

Martin, Ringgold; 318-423-0681.

**Chev C-60**, '76, grain trk., 350 bushel steel bed, no dump, \$2500; Ford F-700, '71, grain trk., 350 bushel steel bed, no dump, \$1500. Tommy, Bunkie; 318-452-7945.

**Mazda**, '95, 4 WD, single cab trk., 5 spd., good cond., \$3500. Errol Aymond, Effie; 318-447-1206.

**Int. model 4300**, '02, 466 diesel, 6 spd., 18' twin cyl. dump, single axle, excel. cond., \$28,900; '07 Int. model 4900, 466 diesel, 6 spd., 20' dump bed, \$25,000. Danny Choquette, Marrero; 504-382-6633.

**Ford F-250**, '01, 5.4, v-8, loaded, very clean, 90,000 miles, \$9000; Utility trk tool bed, very clean, \$800. R. Hodge, Farmerville; 318-726-4646.

**Ford dump** trk., '96, Cummins 8.4, 6 spd., factory installed 10' bed, cold air, PS air break, out-board hubs, 46,000 miles, new steering, tires, other tires 95%, excel. cond., \$16,500. Tom Hollenshead, Leesville; 337-238-2824.

**Int. single axle**, '92, 10 spd., 330 hp Cummins, air ride, a/c, wet kit & more, good rubber & power, \$11,000. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles; 337-274-8405.

**GMC ¾ ton**, '78, four on floor granny gear, does not run, whole truck for parts, \$350. Mike, Slidell; 985-290-8881.

**Wanted: late** model S-10 or S-15, low miles, very clean. R. Hodge, Farmerville; 318-726-4646.



**Lance trk.** camper, lg., long wheel base, self contained, good cond., propane generator, jacks, hold downs, etc., \$7000/OBO. Charles Calloway, DeRidder; 337-463-9756.

**Enclosed V** nose Hallmark trailer, 24', outstanding cond., front & rear ramp door & side walk door, \$5900. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**8'x18'** GN, triple axle, 21,000 lbs., 8'x24' GN, tandem axle, \$1850/1. Steve McGuffee, Bossier City; 318-453-8899.

**Alum. 2** horse trailer, excel. cond., straight load w/ramps, \$4500 or trade for excel. 4 horse open horse gooseneck trailer. Sandra Craft, Florien; 318-508-1144.

**16' homemade** cattle trailer w/tarp, good shape, \$2800. Shane

Daigle, Eunice; 337-344-2938.

**Gooseneck cattle** trailer, 16', new tires & axles, \$1800. Keith Andre, Blanks; 225-718-7998.

**Hale cattle** trailer, new floor & paint, 16', good cond., \$3000. C.M. Duplechain, Jennings; 337-824-2989.

**Flatbed trailer**, 20', single axle, \$250. D.A. Fedele, Kentwood; 985-229-7104 or 985-229-1027.

**Featherlite**, '04, 4 horse slant, 6' short wall, weekend package, a/c, heat, microwave, shower, sink, toilet, sofa, hay rack, like new, \$23,000. Chip Fontenot, Lake Charles; 337-831-4462.

**Old iron** wheel wagons, good shape, can use single or dbl., \$5000. Samuel Roland, Pineville; 318-4453244.

**Load trail** dump trailer, 14', (2) 6000 lb. 8 lug axles, elec., hyd. dump, pulls w/2 5/8" ball, \$4500. Darwin Steadman, Independence; 985-848-9333.

**Silver Star** 4H slant load, '88, rear tack, drop down windows w/4.5 short wall, weekend package, a/c, heat, trailer is insulated, good cond., \$12,850. Wes White, Melville; 337-308-0165.

**Wanted: low** boy trailer, 16' or 18' w/500 lb. axles w/ramps 6'10" W, in good shape; cattle trailer bumper pull or gooseneck trailer 14' or 16' w/gate in side, 6' W w/canvas top, in good cond. Layton Courville, Sunset; 337-280-3306.

**Wanted: gooseneck** dump trailer 14' long. Dickie Sherman, Crowley; brick21@cox.net, 337-788-0240.



**Wood shavings** for horse stalls: bags are lg. & packed tight, each bag weighs over 80 lbs., \$6/bag. Rhonda, Independence; 985-878-3717 or 985-969-0123.

**Hvy. duty** 2" box steel pipe rack w/2removable cross bars, 4 hand winches, 13'6", \$500. Larry Bordelon, Alexandria; 318-452-8767.

**Hvy. 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 axel feeders, \$1950; hvy. duty pasture gates, 10'-16', all include threaded hinges, \$7/foot. Jimmy Carriere, Port Barre; 337-298-5943.

**1000 gal.** fuel tank, hvy. thick wall, propane tank converted to fuel storage w/elec. fuel pump.

\$750. Ed Durr, Jr., Amite; 985-748-5556.

**New 14"** Billy Cook/Lynn McKenzie bbl. saddle, deep floral stamped w/silver trim, \$750 or trade. Paula Durr, Amite; 985-748-5556.

**(44)** 2x4x11' cypress lumber, \$220/323 board ft.; (6) 2x6, 7'-20' long, \$60/88 board ft.; (6) 2x4, oak \$20/12' long; 35 creosote 8' post, used, \$1.5/1 or \$50/all. A.J. Bradley, Transylvania; 318-552-6265.

**Paul cattle** scale, 3000 lb. cap., reconditioned, \$1000. Benton Broussard, Jennings; 337-824-8697 or 337-912-0560.

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**20 ton** feed bin, \$1500. Paul Fussell, Kentwood; 985-229-5212.

**Blacksmith** coal sock, \$30/per 100 lbs. Buddy Leonard, Covington; 985-892-1137.

**Wood splitter**, \$1000. Darien Milton, Hammond; 985-320-9937.

**Saddles:** 15", 16", 17" & 18", \$150-\$400. Kline Daigrepoint, Lacombe; 985-882-7278 or 985-707-3608.

**Hay conveyer**, 20' w/gas powered engine w/extra extensions, (1) 12', (1) 10', (2) 8', sections for small bales, \$500/OBO. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold; 318-894-9586.

**Blacksmith** forge, \$200; anvil, \$150; lg. hand grinder on frame, \$200; blacksmith vice, \$60; gas welder, 2 cyl., \$400. R. Hodge, Farmerville; 318-726-4646.

**Ridgid 300** pipe threader & cutter, thread & cuts 3/8" through 2", machine is on a tri-stand, \$600. Ulysse Menard, Erath; 337-937-5681.

**English saddle**, 17" Corona forward seat w/knee rolls, stirrups & leather included, \$80. Karen Mixon, Baton Rouge; 225-261-3367.

**Gates: galv.**, pasture 10', \$77; 12', \$89; 16', \$108; 4x4 welded wire filled gates, 4', \$57; 6', \$75; 8', \$78; 10', \$87; 12', \$100; 14', \$110; 16', \$121, all galv.; new galv. horse panels, 5'Hx10'L w/mud boots, 40' round pen, \$800, 50', \$990; 60', \$1160, all include a 4' bow gate;. Mike Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Three old** iron, branding irons, \$20/1. R. Rice, Lena; 318-715-9484.

**Saddle, like** new, saddle blanket, bridle & girt size 24, \$300. Karen

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Soileau, Reddell; 337-599-2129.  
**'06 - 800** Suzuki Boulevard, low miles, chromed out, lots of extras, great cond., \$8000. Marlene Stewart, Independence; marlenestewart07@bellsouth.net, 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

**Welding rig**, big 40 G machine, 1400 hrs., 100' of line, cutting torch w/100' of hose, all mounted on trailer, complete outfit, \$6500. Edward Troha, Bunkie; 318-346-2945.

**Cherokee brand** 13" leather saddle, new cond., \$250. Barry Wilcoxon, Plaquemine; 225-659-5833.

**Steel farm** gates, 11'W, 2 good cond., 2 slightly damaged, \$170/all; shed, 8'H, 10'L w/feeder, tin rood, on skids, \$80. Ernest Cook, Covington; 985-892-7058.

**Wanted: used** livestock port-a-hut housing. Sarina Lirette, Bourg; 985-665-0464.

**Wanted: Dadant** honey extractor & uncapping tank in good cond. Howard Dean, Oak Grove; 318-428-1250, leave message.

**Wanted: aluminum** irrigation

pipe, 6" or 8", not gated, dirt scoop 3 or 4 yd. in usable cond. Terry Fyffe, Marshall, TX; 903-930-6294.

**Wanted: 2** livestock head gates; 2 used creep feeders, single or dbl. axles, any cond. Bert Lavergne, Scott; 337-269-1881.

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

**Wanted: 3** or 4 wheelers & dirt bikes, reasonable. Brock Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**Wanted: welding** machine, gas or diesel, reasonable. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3680.

**Wanted: 4** or 6 horse walker. Candi, Many; 318-256-5110.



**All natural** goat milk soap, really good for your skin, long lasting bar, no petroleum or artificial ingredients, various scents, \$5/bar.

Melanie Blackmer, Lake Charles, www.hometown.aol.com/pdav-enp913 or 337- 478- 2208.

**Homemade** goat milk soap made from 100% pure, farm fresh goat milk and pure essential oils, proudly certified as a Louisiana Product by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture, contains no artificial preservatives, colors, fillers or water, we do not use fragrance oils or SLS, aromatherapy formulas and unscented available. \$5/bar plus shipping. Marguerite Constantine, Moreauville; 318-985-2095 or WesMar.Farms @cebridge.net

**Red Wiggler** worms for fishing, compost, gardening, 14 gal. container, \$20/1 or 1 lb for \$10. Must be picked up. Jimmie or Marie Young, Eunice; 337-457-5053.

**1999 Class C Motorhome**, fixed income bargain, like new, clean, 28.5, 46,000 miles, triton V10, generator, non-smoker, no pets, garage kept, \$20,000. B. Simmons, Florine; 318-586-7177.

**2001, 17.5 Bayliner** sport, in board/ out board Mercruise, less

than 50 hrs, like new, \$7,500. B. Simmons, Florine; 318-586-7177.

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

**7' BBQ pit** on wheels, 2 doors & 4 slide out trays, \$2000; shop made steel outdoor fireplace w/expanded metal cover for cooking, \$300. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**QH reference** books, '74 edition, supplement books, '75, '76, '77, '78, '79, '80, excel. cond., \$300; AQHA stud books & registry 1-27,000; 27,001-60,000, 60,001-70,000, 70,001-87,000, 87,001-109,000, 100,001-137,000, excel. cond., \$200. Carolyn Carter, Pineville; 318-442-1717.

**Old Quarter** journal magazines from '71-'82 including annual racing editions & annual stallion editions, \$200/for all or individually priced. Marvin Carter, Pineville; 318-442-1717.

**Fire wood**, oak, cut & split, \$135/cord. Curtis Stelly, Fordoche; 225-637-3375.

### AgCenter biodiesel workshop returns

The LSU AgCenter will host another set of one-day workshops on how to make your own biodiesel. The choices are July 29, 30 or 31 at the W.A. Callegari Environmental Center in Baton Rouge.

The workshops are free, but this time around, registration is required. People are to register on the Internet by going to <http://biodiesel.eventbrite.com>.

Each workshop begins at 9:30 a.m. and ends at 11:30 a.m. People can return at 1 p.m. for questions and answers and watch a demonstration of how to use the equipment to make biodiesel.

A batch of biodiesel will be made as part of the series of workshops.

LSU officials said it takes a minimum investment of \$800 in equipment to make batches of 25-30 gallons. Handouts with information about getting the equipment and supplies and with the steps involved in biodiesel production will be provided.



Perfect summer recipes from AllRecipes.com.

### Summer Squash Bread

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| 3 eggs, beaten              | 3 teaspoons baking powder     |
| 2 cups white sugar          | 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon   |
| 1 cup vegetable oil         | 2 teaspoons ground nutmeg     |
| 2 teaspoons vanilla extract | 2 cups shredded summer squash |
| 3 cups all-purpose flour    |                               |

Preheat oven to 325 degrees F (165 degrees C). Grease a 9x13 inch baking dish. In a large bowl, use an electric mixer to beat the eggs until fluffy. Beat in the sugar, oil, and vanilla. Gradually mix in the flour, baking powder, cinnamon, and nutmeg. Fold in the squash. Transfer to the prepared baking dish. Bake 45 minutes in the preheated oven, until a knife inserted in the center comes out clean.

### Summer Style Chicken

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| 4 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves | 1 medium zucchini, thinly sliced      |
| 1 14.5 oz. can stewed tomatoes             | 1 1/2 cups shredded mozzarella cheese |
| 1 yellow squash, thinly sliced             |                                       |

Preheat oven to 375 degrees F (190 degrees C). Lightly grease a medium baking dish.

Arrange chicken in the prepared baking dish, and top with the stewed tomatoes. Arrange squash and zucchini slices around the chicken. Sprinkle with mozzarella cheese.

Bake 45 minutes in the preheated oven, or until chicken is no longer pink and juices run clear.

### Summer Salad

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| 1 yellow squash, diced       | 1 tomato, chopped               |
| 1 zucchini, diced            | 1/2 cup fat free ranch dressing |
| 3 green onions, sliced       | salt to taste                   |
| 1 carrot, cubed              | ground black pepper to taste    |
| 1/2 green bell pepper, diced |                                 |

Toss vegetables with dressing, and chill for at least 1 hour. Season with salt and black pepper, and serve.

### Firecracker Burgers

- 1 pound ground beef
- 1 (4 ounce) can diced green chilies, drained
- 1 teaspoon beef bouillon granules
- 4 slices Monterey Jack cheese

Preheat grill for high heat.

In a medium bowl, mix the beef, diced green chilies, and bouillon. Shape into 4 patties.

Lightly oil the grill grate. Grill patties 5 minutes per side, or until well done. Top each patty with cheese about 2 minutes prior to removing from grill.

# Coming Your Way

**Silver Spur Riders Club monthly show** will be held July 19 at the DeRidder Arena in DeRidder.

Classes offered are peewee, junior, senior and open in English, Western, Arabian, halter, showmanship, speed and lunge-line events.

All shows are APHA, PAC, PtHA and OCAP approved.

Future event dates are Aug. 23, Sept. 20, Oct. 19 and Nov. 22.

Warm up areas, RV spots, stalls and hotels are available.

For more information, contact Dan Morgan at 337-540-0565 or Michelle Seaman at 409-423-6783.

Information may also be found at the Web site [www.silverspurridersclub.com](http://www.silverspurridersclub.com).

**Atchafalaya Bit & Bridle Club** will host a horse show Aug. 9 at Youngs Road Horse Arena in Morgan City.

Future horse shows will be held Sept. 20 and Oct. 4.

Six high-point saddles will be awarded at the end of season awards presentation Nov. 15.

For more information, contact Mike Mancuso at 985-518-2492 or Donna Fitch at 985-397-3833.

**The South Louisiana Team Sorting**

**Association** will hold a competitive cattle sorting event at 9 a.m. Aug. 9 at the C.M. Zito Arena in Plaquemine.

Classes include open, mixed, pro/am/novice, junior youth, senior youth, amateur and novice.

For more information, visit the Web site [www.sltsa.org](http://www.sltsa.org) or contact Lisa Diez at 225-715-3180.

**The Louisiana Cutting Horse Association** will hold a competition at 10 a.m. July 19 at the Rice Festival Arena in Crowley.

Practice begins at 8:30 a.m.

Future dates are Aug. 16, Sept. 20, Oct. 11 and Nov. 15.

For more information, call Mary Kay Walker at 337-967-0139.

**Louisiana Stock Horse Association** has upcoming show dates scheduled for the spring and summer.

Show dates include Aug. 16, Shivers Arena, Jonesville and Sept. 6, New Roads.

For more information, contact Judy Weisberger at [jweisger@bellsouth.net](mailto:jweisger@bellsouth.net).

**Zachary Christian Riders** host a Western horse riding drill team patterns practice at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Greenwell Springs Arena on Park Dr. in Greenwell Springs.

For more information, contact Duayne at 225-654-9304 or James at 225-261-8696.

**The Calcasieu Horseman's Club** will host an All Breed Open Horse Show series at the Crowley Rice Arena.

Dates include July 20, August 24, Sept. 21 and Oct. 26.

Four age divisions will be offered and classes include halter, color, showmanship, leadline, Western, English, gaited and speed events.

Stalls, camper hookups and concessions will be available. Overnight stay welcome.

For more information, call 337-515-3836, 337-515-1764 or 337-794-0662.

**The Camelia City Market** in Slidell is open each Saturday, rain or shine, from 8am to 1pm.

The market is located at 333 Erlanger St. (near the Post Office) in the heart of Olde Towne Slidell at Griffith Park.

The market features more than 20 vendors with yard eggs, honey, baked goods, capanata, tomatoes, summer squash, zucchini, corn, snap beans, eggplant, blueberries, blackberries and fresh herbs including rosemary, tarragon, parsley, cilantro, dill, thyme, sage, bay leaf, catnip, lemon thyme, fennel, mint, oregano, lemon balm and other hard to find potted, dried herbs, kid's

activities and music.

For more information, call Camellia City Market Coordinator Dana Fatic at 985-285-3699 or visit the website at [www.camelliacitymarket.org](http://www.camelliacitymarket.org).

**The South Louisiana Saddle Club** is holding a Fun Horse Show with barrels, poles and 8 other events at 1 p.m. Aug. 9 at Churchill Arena, 10205 Lapalco, Westwego.

Entry fees are \$4 or 8/\$20. Membership is not required.

Future event dates are Aug. 23, Sept. 6, Sept 13, Sept. 20.

For more information, contact Dudley Hartz at 504-436-8145 or visit Website [www.southlouisianasaddleclub.com](http://www.southlouisianasaddleclub.com)

**The State Fair of Louisiana** is hosting a cooking show and contest Nov. 2 through 8 at the Agriculture building on the State Fairgrounds in Shreveport.

Categories include beef stew, pecan cookery, chili and others.

Entry forms will be available beginning Sept. 22 and returned by Oct. 13. The contest is open to everyone. For more information, contact Jeannie Crnkovic or Terry Foster at 318-965-2326,

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portion of the retail florist examination.

SB 497 by Senator A. G. Crowe allows a licensed retail florist who owns his/her own business to operate up to five floral design climate-controlled vending machines at remote locations.

SB 635 by Thompson combines the horticulture service license and landscape contracting license into one landscape horticulturist license.

SB 623 by Thompson clarifies enforcement procedure and the levying of fines, including increased maximums, against those who advertise, solicit or engage in a regulated horticulture profession without proper licensing or violate horticulture law.

SB 550 by Thompson made a number of technical changes referring to enforcement of fertilizer law, revises the list of fertilizer law violations and provides that local regulation of fertilizer is preempted by the fertilizer law.

SB 198 by Thompson allows Louisiana to participate in the Interstate Pest Control Compact and creates a pest control insurance fund to help deal with destructive plant pest outbreaks.

SB 641 by Thompson outlines the powers and duties of the LDAF commissioner and Boll Weevil Eradication Commission and provides for travel expenses for commission members to attend meetings.

HB 1355 by Representative Noble Ellington funds the Aquatic Chelonian Research and Promotion Board's efforts to promote and expand Louisiana turtle markets.

SB 592 by Senator Neil Riser requires all private rural residential railroad crossings to remain open when ordered by the LDAF.

The bills become law when signed by Governor Bobby Jindal. In the event the governor does not sign one or several of the bills, the measures will become effective on August 15.



Strain met with as many legislators and constituents as possible at the State Capitol during the recent session. Strain conferred with Senator Francis Thompson (above left) and Senators Jack Donahue and Mike Michot (top left) and an unidentified constituent. Nearly all of the LDAF-backed bills were passed.

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**ASCENSION PARISH**  
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 Ascension Fresh Market  
 14046 Airline Hwy.  
 Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

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

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

**CADDO PARISH**  
**Shreveport**  
 Shreveport/Bossier Farmers Market  
 river front at Festival Plaza  
 Sat. 7 - 11:30 a.m. / Tue. 4 -7 p.m.  
 May 31-Aug. 30  
 Oct. 18-Nov. 22, 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.  
 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.  
 Red Stick Farmers Market #3  
 LDAF parking lot Florida Blvd.  
 Thurs. 8 a.m.- noon May-Aug.

**EVANGELINE PARISH**  
**Ville Platte**  
 Ville Platte Farmers Market  
 11 East Main Street  
 Fri. 5 p.m.-7 p.m.

**IBERIA PARISH**  
**New Iberia**  
 Teche Area Farmers Market  
 Boulogny Plaza  
 Tues. 4-6:30 p.m., Sat. 7-10:30 a.m.

year round

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

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

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

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

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

**LIVINGSTON PARISH**  
**Denham Springs**  
 Livingston Farmers Market  
 New Covenant Church parking lot  
 Hwy. 190  
 Sat. 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., 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. 8 a.m.-5p.m., April-Dec.

**NATCHITOCHE PARISH**  
**Natchitoches**  
 Cane River Green Market  
 Downtown Natchitoches riverbank  
 Tues. 4-8 p.m., June 5-July 25  
 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  
 Crescent City Farmers Market #2  
 Uptown Square, 200 Broadway

Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round

**QUACHITA PARISH**  
**Monroe**  
 Monroe Farmers Market  
 1212 Washington St.  
 Mon., Wed., Fri. & Sat. 6 a.m.-1 p.m.  
 June - Aug. 19

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

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

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

**ST. TAMMANY PARISH**  
**Covington**  
 Covington Farmers Market  
 City Hall, 609 North Columbia  
 Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m.,  
 Wed. 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Jan. - Dec.

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

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

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

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

**WINN PARISH**  
**Winnfield**  
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# LDAF administration finishes first session

## *New legislation helps farmers, foresters*

by Sam Irwin

Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M. said his first regular session with the Louisiana Legislature was an overwhelming success for farm and forestry interests.

"It's been a great session," Strain said. "We had an aggressive package of 24 bills which will change the way a lot of our boards and commissions do the public's business."

Twenty-three bills championed by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) were approved by the legislature, Strain said.

"I'm extremely happy with the backing agriculture and forestry received from the legislature," Strain said. "A number of pressing issues confronting Louisiana farmers and foresters were resolved in this session."

Particular among Strain's concerns was passage of HB 633, sponsored by Representative John F. "Andy" Anders, which limits liability for farmers and other rural-life tourism professionals engaged in agritourism.

"It's an important issue," Strain said. "To make ends meet, more and more farmers are opening their land to the general public for corn maze, pumpkin patch, field tours and other guided activities. High liability insurance costs were reducing opportunities for farmers to turn a profit and stay in business."

A key measure in Strain's overall package was the reform of public bidding procedures (SB 133) for the Louisiana Agriculture Finance Authority (LAFA).

"The public told us they wanted LAFA business to be transparent," Strain said. "Senator Jack Donahue led the fight for the measure which now requires construction projects undertaken by LAFA to be in full compliance with state public bid laws."

Another issue on Strain's agenda was the

creation of a grain elevator and cotton warehouse indemnification fund (HB 1253).

"In the last 11 years there have been seven grain elevator insolvencies," Strain said. "The money owed to farmers averaged \$482,000. In the last insolvency, farmers were owed just about a million dollars and not paid."

"Not being paid for their grain crops can bankrupt a farmer."

Strain said an assessment of 1/25 of one percent of all grain and cotton sold in the state will be collected until the indemnification fund reaches \$6 million.

"It was extremely important to the grain and cotton farmers to get this kind of protection," Strain said. "Representative Scott Simon and Senator Joe McPherson were instrumental in helping us with this issue."

HB 1253 also corrected outdated terminology and functions pertaining to the LDAF.

"We looked at every aspect of what every board, every commission and every office of the LDAF does and studied the law governing our department," Strain said. "We wanted to update the law to reflect our mission, its scope and what's going on in today's agri-business environment. HB 1253 does that."

Other major legislative accomplishments for Strain

and the LDAF were the procurement of boll weevil eradication commission funding (HB 1287, by Representative Jim Fannin) and the assigned responsibility of collecting timber severance taxes for the state.

"The boll weevil bill gives us the funding to finish this year," Strain said. "Our mission is to radically decrease the presence of the boll weevil in Louisiana in the next three years. We have a quarter billion dollars of

cotton planted in the state and needed the funding to complete our course."

Strain said the LDAF collection of state timber severance taxes will be more efficient as a result of Representative Harold Ritchie's HB 1381.

"The Louisiana Forestry Commission asked the LDAF to begin collecting state forestry severance taxes and remit them to state and local government," Strain said.

"Since we have personnel in the field who monitor the timber all the way from the point of harvest to delivery, we can better ensure that those taxes are properly remitted."

Strain said 75 percent of state timber taxes are remitted locally. The majority of the remaining 25 percent goes back into the state forestry productivity fund which manages a cost share program for replanting timberland and other ecologically friendly programs.

With regard to its budget, the LDAF was not completely successful in getting the full complement of funding for its mission, Strain said.

"Louisiana has a \$20 billion agriculture and forestry industry," Strain said. "One in six residents work in agriculture, but despite the critical needs of our industry, some of our funding requests came up short. We must now resolve to do more with less."

Other legislative highlights benefiting Louisiana agricultural and forestry interests are:

SB 627 by Senator Francis Thompson requires the Horticulture Commission to adopt rules and regulations regarding the demonstration *See First session, page 10*



Strain testified in front of as many as 16 committees per day during the recent legislative session. The key legislation, a bill to limit liability for agritourism businesses, passed easily.