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Trouble in the trees

By Sam Irwin

They used to say there are two things in life that are given, death and taxes. Add a new corollary to that axiom: hurricanes will hit Louisiana's Gulf Coast.

In 1992 Hurricane Andrew plowed through Florida and to add insult to injury, decided to take a journey up the Atchafalaya River. In the process Baton Rouge and the parishes below took a beating.

Baton Rouge largely avoided the brunt of another hurricane for 13 years until Katrina rolled through in 2005. New Orleans got the beat down that time, of course, but Baton Rouge had its fair share of tree damage.

As far as Baton Rouge is concerned, when Hurricane Gustav darkened the skies of the capital city on September 1, it made Katrina look like a weak sister.

Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry State Forester Wade Dubea said damage to Baton Rouge's urban canopy was phenomenal.

"Baton Rouge was on the eastern edge of Gustav," Dubea said. "We had a lot of rain the night before, the ground got saturated and wind gusts were 70 to 80 miles

per hour for more than 12 hours. That's a lot of stress on the trees."

Windblown trees and falling branches became deadly missiles during the tempest. Trees, usually friendly to man, became his mortal enemy. According to reports from Dr. Louis Cataldie, Louisiana's chief medical officer, at least five deaths were attributed to trees falling on houses.

Baton Rouge City Landscape Architect Greg Bivin said Baton Rouge faced an enormous challenge just to get streets cleared of fallen trees.

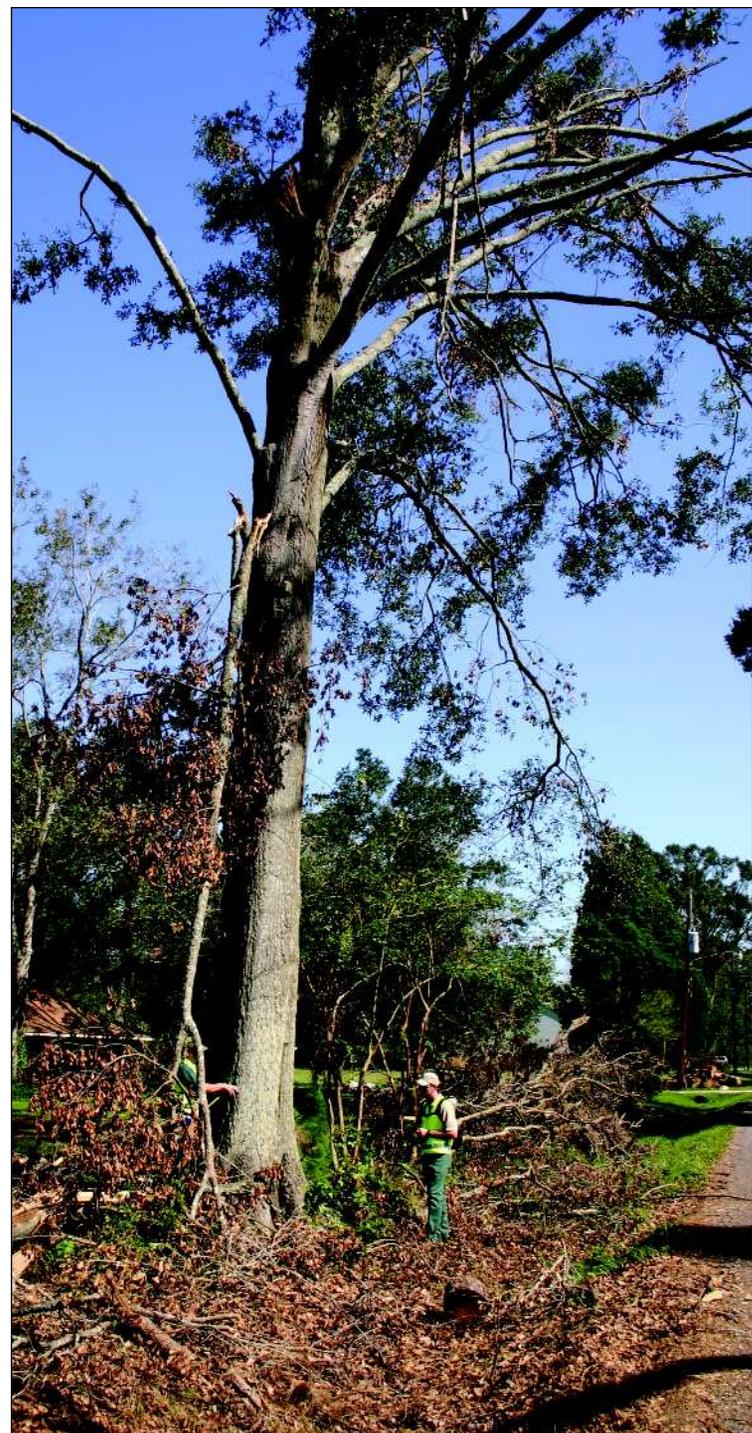
"We received 1,269 calls about fallen trees," Bivin said. "But we pretty much had the streets cleared in a week after Gustav."

True, the streets were cleared but towering piles of water oak and pine trees numbered in the thousands on subdivision yards from Beauregard Town to Broadmoor. The City of Baton Rouge public works department contracted with Ceres Environmental Services to remove the accumulation of downed tree
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Trees are a desired part of the urban landscape but during hurricanes they can become major liabilities. The City of Baton Rouge utilized the Urban Forest Strike Team to assess the urban canopy post-Hurricane Gustav.



Hurricane Gustav destroyed and damaged thousands of trees in Baton Rouge's urban canopy. Forestry professionals from Virginia, Georgia, North Carolina and Arkansas formed an urban forest strike team to assess the damage and mark hazardous conditions like leaning and hanging branches in damaged trees that could pose a danger to the public.



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Baton Rouge city crews worked overtime to remove obvious tree hazards to city streets. Gary White, part of the urban forest strike team, measure the diameter of a tree hazard. The location was entered into a GPS device.

trunks from street curbs but was still collecting debris six weeks after the storm.

Bivin said there was no comparison between the Andrew and Gustav tree waste.

"We've already picked up more than 1.6 million cubic yards of tree debris," Bivin said.

By contrast, Andrew generated less than a million yards of woody waste.

Bivin said the storm debris was transported to six temporary disposal sites and will be recycled into wood chips.

Some of the chips will be sold as fuel or mulch, Bivin said.

Mahlon Doucet, LDAF Urban and Community Forestry Coordinator, said woody debris removal is not the only forestry-related challenge the city of Baton Rouge faced after the Gustav.

"There are a certain percentage of trees that were damaged by the storm that present public hazards to the city," Doucet said. "And in those trees there are hanging branches and leaning branches cradled in the tree that could fall at any time and do property damage or worse."

It would take months for the city to identify these potential hazards let alone the time it would take to actually remove the hangers and leaners, Doucet said.

That's when the Urban Forest Strike Team was called in.

After Hurricane Katrina, urban foresters recognized the need for a quick identification of potential danger in city forests.

Urban Forestry South (formerly the Southern Center for Urban Forestry Research and Information) helped to coordinate a national effort to provide professional arboring expertise to assess tree damage after a major weather event.

With a strong push from the urban and community forestry programs in Virginia and North Carolina, the Urban Forest Strike Team was born.

Armed with global positioning tracking systems (GPS), green and red spray paint, plenty of water and mosquito repellent, two strike teams walked the street of Baton Rouge looking for potential danger.

"The strike team members are all experienced certified arborists specifically trained for this type of disaster response," Doucet said. "They were looking for hanging branches, leaning trees, trees with significant crown loss, split trunks and limbs that could cause damage at any moment.

Preliminary damage assessments were also done in the urban coastal communities of Houma and Morgan City but strike teams weren't assigned to those areas because the urban tree damage was not as severe, Doucet said.

Paul Revell, the Urban and Forestry Community Coordinator of Virginia, managed the strike force.

"It's critical to get rid of these hazards," Revell said. "The City of Baton Rouge just doesn't have sufficient staff to do this type of assessment so it's important we do this for the public safety.

"Pre-Katrina, there was no attempt to assess damage. Removing problem branches could have dragged on for months. What we're doing is an organized way to catalog the damage. The city wants to know where they have problem trees. The city arborist needs to know if he has 20,000 or 2,000 trees to take care of and he can't possibly get to them right away."

The actual identification of the trees quickly became routine for the strike team members.

City of Baton Rouge urban forester Steve Shurtz provided maps of the targeted areas for assessments.

The first wave of the strike team consisted of four two-man teams. Each individual team walked the neighborhoods, their eyes cast upward, looking for tree damage.

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Strain's effort blocked by Sen. Coburn

Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M., said the United States Senate delayed passage of an emergency aid bill that would have provided \$1.1 billion in assistance for farmers in Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Mississippi, Iowa, Illinois, Arkansas and other areas affected by the natural disasters of 2008.

Strain said Senator Tom Coburn of Oklahoma was the only Senator to object to Landrieu's bill and blocked the vote.

"Oklahoma farmers would benefit from Senator Landrieu's bill but Senator Coburn blocked the passage," Strain said. "Senator

Coburn said the 2008 Farm Bill disaster program would take care of the farmers."

Strain said the Farm Bill inadequately provides for Louisiana's farmers.

"The disaster assistance rules of the Farm Bill are yet to be written and will not get money in the hands of Louisiana farmers quickly enough," Strain said. "Gustav and Ike hit at harvest time, the worst case scenario for most of our farmers. They have no money coming in. They'll be strapped to honor their grain contracts and monetary commitments.

"I spent two weeks in Washington, D.C., lobbying on

behalf of Louisiana farmers hurt by hurricanes Gustav and Ike. Senators Mary Landrieu, David Vitter and our congressional delegation lined up the support of other states with severe agricultural losses caused by hurricanes, tropical storms, drought, tornadoes and floods that occurred earlier this year.

"I was optimistic the aid bill would pass but it looks like we'll have to wait for the lame duck session after the presidential election or 2009 when the new administration comes in before we can hope to get help for our farmers.

Strain said he would continue to work with Louisiana's congress-

sional delegation to get hurricane disaster relief for state farmers.

"The agricultural losses from Gustav and Ike are unprecedented," Strain said. "We have more than a \$950 million loss but our farmers can't wait until 2009 to get help. We have to get money in their hands so they can prepare for next year's crop as soon as possible. Our state economy depends on it."

Strain said Senator Landrieu's bill was cosponsored by Sens. Thad Cochran, Miss., Kay Bailey Hutchison, Texas, Blanche Lincoln, Ark., Mark Pryor, Ark., David Vitter, La., and Roger Wicker, Miss.



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CATTLE

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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.

Char. bull, 3 ½ yrs., \$1300; Angus bull, 2 ½ yrs., \$1300, both excel. bloodlines. Ashton Thibodeaux, Sunset; 337-662-6330.

Horned Hereford cows w/calves at side, \$950. Michael Guillot, Mansura; 318-253-8585.

Blk. pb polled Simm. bull heifers, 9 mos., \$800/1-up; bred AI cows, young, \$1200/1-up. Ronnie Duplantis, Houma; 985-594-5065.

Reg. blk. Limousin bulls & heifers, gentle w/excel. EPDs, homozygous blk. & polled RADS Black Prodigy background, \$600/1-up. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson; 985-209-0026.

Reg. Texas Longhorn cattle, top bloodlines & quality, (2) young cows, bred to 73" horn producing bull, \$1500/1; yrlg. heifer & bull prospects, \$600/1-up. Ed Durr Jr., Amite; 985-748-5556.

Reg. Angus bull, born 9/6/05, gentle, \$1500. Errol Price, Raceland; 985-448-2771 after 5 p.m.

(2) pb Char. bulls, polled, gentle, no bad habits, dewormed, 14 mos., ready for service, \$1400; pb Char. heifer, breeding age, \$800. Philip Melancon, Church Point; 337-873-6232.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, 7-8 mos., \$500/1. Clinton Breland, Angie; 985-848-9213 or 985-515-8883.

Reg. 3 yr. old Hereford cow w/2 wk. old reg. bull calf, \$1200. Shane Chouest, Greensburg; 225-573-4713.

Reg. blk. Simbrah bulls, 20 mos., very gentle, large frame & heavy muscle, \$1100. Greg Lafleur, Opelousas; 337-831-0889 or 337-543-8158.

(16) F1 Braford heifers, out of reg. Brahman cows & Hereford bull, \$800/1. Imon Jones, Florien; 318-586-7853.

(26) commercial Brangus, exposed to lbw Angus bulls, top quality & gentle, \$825/1. Orville Gildon, Minden; 318-371-0415.

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Taking orders for butcher calves that are strictly corn fed for at least 120 days on feed, call for availability & to place orders. Benton Broussard, Jennings; 337-912-0560 or 337-824-8697.

Reg. blk. Angus females, from weaning age to bred cows, \$650/1-up. R.J. Needham, Robert; 985-345-9212.

Reg. Angus bulls, born 1/30/06, \$1500. Gerald McDonald, DeRidder; 337-462-2117.

(100) Braford heifers, 5/8 x 3/8 cross, 850 lbs., bred to lbw Braford bulls, \$1000/1. John Boudreaux, Abbeville; 337-893-6743.

Reg. polled Hereford bulls, 7 to 21 mos., \$800/1-up. Nickey Rachel, Mansura; 318-964-2760.

(3) Brangus cows, 3 yrs., exposed to lbw, high wean. weight, Camp Cooley Ranch bull for spring '09 calves, gentle, vacc., dewormed, \$1100/1; (3) Brangus heifers, weaned 40 days, on feed, gentle, vacc., dewormed, \$750/1. John Mailhes, Keithville; 318-925-0898.

(11) Brangus heifers, avg. 7 mos., \$7700/all. Sherman Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-6537 or 337-831-1396.

Brangus bull, 4 yrs., very gentle & proven, \$2000; reg. Angus bull, Bando bloodline, 18 mos., \$2000. Sherman Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-6537 or 337-831-1396.

Reg. blk. Simm. polled bulls, 9-20 mos., \$900/1-up; 4 ½ yrs., sire solid blk., long & tall, thick, easy calving, excel. EPDs, will add lbs. to your calves, cert. herd, \$2000. Harold Landreau, Eunice; 337-457-0505 or 337-351-8190.

Reg. blk. Angus, (5) bulls, (5) heifers, 7 mos., preconditioned, 40 days vacc., \$800/1. Pat Fusilier, Eunice; 337-457-9058.

Reg. Brangus bull, 19 mos., sired by MC New Direction, clean & trim w/plenty of red meat, moderate side w/good muscle, loads of staying power, vacc. & yrlg. ultrasound data, \$2800. Bryan Payne, Lafayette; 337-654-4754.

Reg. Brangus bull, 2 yrs., sired by Brinks Brightside 607L11, come see the bull & his first calves this fall, lbw, 698 WW, 1020 YW, 40 SC, yrlg. ultrasound data, herd bull w/that rugged athletic look, \$3000. T. Payne, Lafayette; 337-654-4754.

Reg. bred Brangus heifers, lbw, ready to calve March '09, vacc. & yrlg. ultrasound data, some prs. also avail., \$1100/1-up. Kevin Payne, Lafayette; 337-654-4754.

Reg. Char. cows, big, calves at

side & rebred, \$1400/1-up. Walter Lemoine, Marksville; 318-253-7939.

Jersey & Holstein milk nurse cows, \$600-\$800/1; crossbred calves, \$100; Jersey & Jersey/Holstein heifer calves, \$200/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

Guernsey heifer, 6 mos., Jersey heifer, 6 mos. old, \$650/1. Justin Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

Reg. polled Char. brood cows, pasture exposed to reg. Char. bull since spring calving, good mother cows w/good milk, 12 yrs., \$1000/1; weaning age bulls & heifers, gentle, good EPDs, from HBR Magnum 93 & HBR Program 297 stock, \$800/1. Joel Pigott, Pearl River; 985-520-0425.

Reg. Angus bulls & heifers, most AI, groups or single, big deep bodied, large frame Angus w/good EPDs, \$1000/1-up. Greg Tate, Ville Platte; 337-363-6606 or 337-360-1632.

(30) Brangus heifers, \$1200; (30) Braford tiger stripe heifers, \$1350, bred to lbw reg. Angus bulls, due Nov., Dec., Jan. Stacy Zion, Wakefield; 225-634-2015 or 225-719-0372.

(12) 3 yr. Braford tiger stripe cows, bred to reg. Angus bulls, \$1250. S. Zion, Wakefield; 225-634-2015 or 225-719-0372.

Reg. blk. Simm. bulls, multi-generation AI breeding, most homo blk., excel. health program, will add lbs. to your calf crop, 18-24 mos., (15) to choose from, \$1500/1-up. Bubba Perrilloux, Hammond; 985-345-2832.

Reg. milking shorthorn bull, 4 mos., dam is Illinois & Kentucky show winner, \$500. Chuck Coburn, Amite; 985-974-2961.

Replacement Hereford bulls, born last year & this year, \$1500 to \$2500; showed at LA 4-H livestock shows. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

Reg. Jersey heifer, show prospect, born 9-1-08, \$750. Kay Aucoin, Walker; 225-664-8593 or 225-278-6299.

Reg. Jersey milk cow, in milk since 9-1-08, 7 yrs., \$1000. K. Aucoin, Walker; 225-664-8593 or 225-278-6299.

Holstein heifer, pb, 5 mos., \$600. K. Aucoin, Walker; 225-278-6299 or 225-664-8593.

Reg. pb Santa Gertrudis heifer, show or breeding quality, born 3-19-08, Grizzly, all shots, brucellosis free, \$900. Ignacio Valledor, Mandeville; 985-898-0306 or 985-630-1520.

(17) Abbi-reg. rodeo bred heifers, 1 ½ yrs., exposed to ABB1 reg., son of Black Scorpion, due to cave in spring, \$1200. Billy Doiron, Greensburg; 225-806-0142.

Reg. Brafords 5/8, 3/8 bulls, 7 mos.-2 yrs., \$700/1-up; heifers 7-9

mos., all pastured raised, \$700. Lloyd Savell, Florien; 318-586-7378 or 318-508-0293.

Blk. & blk. baldies, large 2-3 yrs., heifers bred to LBW reg. Angus bulls, all heifers are calfhood, vacc. & immunized, \$1000-\$1100/1-up. Richard Reed, Independence; 985-878-2330.

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

Polled Hereford bulls & heifers, 6 mos., performance bred, great EPDs, gentle, all shots & wormed, \$800/1 up. Laura Hughes, Zachary; 225-658-5348.

(50) heavy bred reg. pb blk. Simm. cows, most are A.I. bred & synchronized to calve in 30 day period during Nov.-Dec. '08, \$1000.00/1 up. Gene Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789.

(30) heavy bred pb blk. Simm. heifers, most are A.I. sired as well as being bred A.I., group just beginning to calve, \$1200/1-up. Nell Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789.

(18) reg. pb blk. Simm. bull, coming 2 yrs., outstanding bloodlines, most are A.I. sired, \$1400/1-up. Mark Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789.

(25) outstanding open reg. pb blk. Simm. yrlg. heifers, most are A.I. sired, \$1000/1-up. Brad Strother, Amite; 985-747-0789.

(10) open blk. Simm-Angus yrlg. heifers, all are A.I. sired, \$900/1-up. Jill Wright, Amite; 985-747-0789.

(10) 8-10 mos. F1 Brangus heifers, weaned & had shots, from red/gray Brahman cattle of Angus bulls, \$850/all. Sue Zaunbrecher, Eunice; 337-580-2725.

(2) pb Char. bulls, gentle, lbw, polled, (1) 17 mos., (1) 12 mos., \$1000/1-up. Larry B. Lavergne, Ville Platte; 337-277-5767.

Red Brahman bull, 2 ½ yrs., \$1800. Dorsey Dutil, New Iberia; 337-369-7669.

(17) Brangus-type heifers open weaned, all shots, very gentle, hand raised at home, ready to breed in March, \$750/1-up. John Patrick, St. Francisville; 225-635-4814 or 225-721-1478.

(10) reg. blk. A.I. sired Angus bulls 22 mos., ultra sound & semen tested, very gentle, \$2000/1-up. Earl P. Lemoine, Moreauville; 318-452-5503 or 318-985-2034.

(15) heifers from Brangus cow, Char. bull, \$650/1 if all purchased; (4) F1 heifers Hereford/Brahman cross, \$900/1 if take all. Jason Guidry, Abbeville; 337-898-2119.

Blk. Angus/Brangus bulls; 14 mos. & older, \$1000/up. Karen Saizan, Opelousas, 337-945-0273.

9-10 mos. Simangus & Simmental bulls, reg., \$850-1,000. Lynne Satcher, Denham Springs; 225-665-8355.

Char. yrlg. bulls, 8 mos., reg.,

\$800/1. Chuck Hixon, Ruston; 318-251-3799.

Reg. Herefords, cow & calf pairs, cows, bulls, all top bloodlines, \$800/1-up. Ben Monic, Evangeline; 337-824-1199.

Reg. blk. Simm. bull, 2 yrs., \$2000; 8 mo. bulls, \$1,100/1-up, some cows w/calves at side, \$2900/1-up. Oris R. Creighton, Folsom; 985-788-4313.

Brangus & tiger stripe F1 heifers, very nice, replacement cows, Brangus & tiger stripe, 2 yrs. w/calves, exposed to Angus bulls Express, heifers, \$800/1-up; 1-2 yrs., \$1200/1-up. Charlie Kingrey, Kinder; 337-540-2667.

Blk. Angus bull calves, 21 mo., ready to work, \$1500 1/-up. Trent Graves, Prairieville; www.bluebonnetlivestock.com or 225-324-5501.

Blk. Angus bull calves, weaning age, A.I. sired by 004 & Midland, \$900/1-up; Angus bull, 2 yrs., Traveler 6807, son out of Champion Hill Lady 2024, reg. #15440414, calves to show, ready to work, \$2750. T. Graves, Prairieville; www.bluebonnetlivestock.com or 225-324-5501.

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

(5) crossbred cows, exposed to reg. Angus bull, \$650/1. Delos Thompson Jr., Folsom, 985-796-9872.

Reg. blk. Angus, 3/N/1 pkg., 3 yrs. New Design w/Mytty in Focus calf, 6 mo. bred to Gar Predestined, \$2000/1. Albert Rozas, Eunice; 337-546-6337 or 337-580-4707.

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(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 heavy bred to a Camp Cooley bull, New Design & Black Cap bred, very gentle, well framed cattle, \$2000/1; reg. blk. Angus bull, weaned & on feed, New Design 878 & Mytty in Focus, \$750. Robert Rozas, Eunice; 337-546-6337 or 337-580-4709.

(2) **Gardiner Ranch** Angus bulls, born Aug. '05, lbw, EPDs, good for breeding heifers, '08 calf crop avg. weight 575 lbs., \$2100/1. Maxwell Lea, Zachary; 225-654-6858 or 225-933-1072.

BBU Beefmasters, quality, performance bred, red open heifers w/avg. weight 575 lbs., \$1000-1500/1; breeding age bulls, \$1500/1, merit breeder, certified herd #88-691. Mel Jackson, Alexandria; 318-443-0203.

(7) **22 mo. old** Char. heifers, exposed to Angus bulls, \$1000/1; (30) pb Brangus & Angus cattle, \$1000/1; (20) comm. Brangus, Char., Angus cross, \$975/1 or \$950/1 if all purchased. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles; 337-274-8405.

(2) **reg. polled** Char. bulls, sir Mac, born 1-20-07 sired by L&L Sir Drake dam LC Magic \$1400; Sir McGoo 2-5-07 sired by LL Drake Dam SF Miss 66 \$1500.00. Twin Magnolia Ranch, Church Point; 337-364-0626.

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Reg. 3 yr. buckskin mare, rode to pen cows & in pasture, \$1200 obo. Amanda White, Darrow; 225-505-4792.

2004 Appendix bred geld., Go Man Go bloodline, used to pen cows, pasture & trail ride, \$750

obo; 2 yr. buckskin mare, super gentle, \$1200 obo; 3 yr. buckskin mare, roping bloodlines, \$1000 obo, both reg. A.White, Darrow; 225-505-4792.

Young small paint horse, \$895; big 4 yr. blk. stud, very gentle, rids & pulls, \$2500. J.L. Beasley, Baker; 225-775-4355 or 225-276-9410.

AQHA '06 reg. sorrel filly, by Peace & War, Dry Doc & Smart Little Lena, started on cattle, very smart, ready to work, \$1500 obo. J. Dartez, Cankton; 337-290-0865.

Bay APHA, filly, '07 foundation, \$2500; silver buckskin AQHA filly, '08 foundation, \$1500, both reg., have papers, all vacc. & worming. Patricia Markow, Franklinton; 985-839-6597.

TW horses, weans., all paints, starting at, \$350. Carl Devillier, Chataignier; 337-580-9190.

Miniature horse, (1) mare, gentle, possibly bred, \$400. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-1352.

Mr. San Peppy, daughter bred to son of Smart Chic Olena, \$7500. Johnnie Barnes, Gillian; 318-296-4292.

Hollywood Dun It, daughter bred to son of Smart Chic Olena, \$7500. J. Barnes, Gillian; 318-296-4292.

Reg. TW wonderful family mare, anyone can ride, sorrel bred to perlino stallion, many others, all colors, \$2000. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek; 337-328-7365.

Mule Cemon old wh. molly, daughter of beautiful mother, not halter broke, needs work, \$300. Harvey Patty Geisman; 225-673-3579 or 225-246-0108.

Reg. TW & Racking sorrel mare, 5 yrs., 15 hands, reg. TWH chestnut, 7 yrs., 16 hands, gentle, anyone can ride, both exposed to cremello stallion of Trigger Jr., bloodline, \$1600/1. Darin Burge, Walker; 225-335-7780.

(3) **miniature** stud colts, \$400/1; (2) miniature fillies, \$500/1; (2) miniature jacks, (1) spotted, \$400/1; (1) miniature spotted, jenny, \$500. Jerry Corley, Trout; 318-992-8101.

AQHA filly, born '08, bloodlines Impressive, King, Old Man, Two-Eyed Jack, Top Dede, Moon Dede, \$1000. Randy Turner, Boyce; 318-443-3094.

Reg. Arabian geld., 7 yr. bay, 15.1 hands, dbl. Toranado, dbl. Morafic, Toules La Trec, very pretty, quality geld., \$2000, others. Parker Gabriel, Amite; 985-748-7367.

MFT blue paper, 6 yr. sorrel geld., good trail horses, gentle easy to catch, loads, clips, shoes, about 800 to 900 lbs., \$1000. Sid Moreland, Minden; 318-371-0747.

Miniature horses, AMHA, AMHR reg., new arrivals bucka-

roo, Gen Patton, Sid's Rebel, Gold Melody Boy & Zeus bloodlines, broodmares, 2/N/1 & 3/N/1, yrlgs. fillies & colts, \$750/1-up. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton; www.cat-cawoods.com or 504-812-8018.

2008 AQHA bay colt, grandson of Shining Spark on the top & Grandson of Doc Sug on the bottom, \$1200. Marc Browning, Ethel; www.browningquarterhorses.com, 225-683-3627 or 225-405-5133.

2008 AQHA pal. filly, by own son of Shining Spark, out of an own daughter of Bob Acre Doc, her pedigree says it all, she is easy to handle & very friendly, \$1500. Bettye Ann Browning, www.browningquarterhorses.com, 225-683-3627 or 225-405-5133.

2008 AQHA buckskin filly, by own son of Shining Spark & the bottom side of her papers also includes performers, she is stout, friendly, easy to handle, & quit a looker, \$1500. B.A. Browning, www.browningquarterhorses.com, 225-683-3627 or 225-405-5133.

Miniature donkeys, spotted jenny, 4 mos., nice & gentle, \$600; gray jenny, 3 mos., \$500; 2 yr. jenny, gray, \$600, others avail. Jay Sims, Oak Grove; 318-428-2677.

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

APHA mares, colts, fillies, '06 splashy sorrel tobiano stud, by Doc Bar, King, Leo San mare, blks., bays, tobianos & overos, Encore, Painted Robin, Skipa Star, Sonny Dee Bar, \$800/1-up. Liz Parker, DeRidder; 337-463-2237.

2001 blk. tobiano stallion, 60% blk., 40% wh., homozygous for tobiano, top Painted Robin, bottom Skipper W, Grand Ruler, Skipa Star, Triples Titan, 16 hands, 1300 lbs., excel. breeder, sound, no bad habits, \$6500, will consider trade for horse trailer. J.C. Parker, DeRidder; 337-463-2237.

AQHA & APHA '06 & '08 colts, fillies & mares bred to perlino AQHA stud, pal., smoky blks., perlino, buckskins, Doc Bar, Tivio, Bueno, Jameen, King, Peppy De Badger, Skipper W, \$1800/1-up. Jessie Parker, DeRidder; 337-463-2237.

AQHA Bar Jack Reward '85 stallion, striking dark chestnut, out of Bars Reward, Eternal Too/Jackie Bee AQHA champ., superior halter & performance bloodlines, greatest disp., carries to offspring, rides like a geld., in great shape, \$850. Jackie or LaRue Cooper, Dry Prong; 318-640-0712.

Yrlg. filly, out of sire AQHA stallion, Reds Dually, Please Send Money, Dual Pep & dam AQHA

LSS Frectsmoke Lena, Freckles Tarismoke, Colonel Freckles, Dry Doc, \$750. Jackie or LaRue Cooper, Dry Prong; 318-640-0712.

Reg. buckskin dun Paso Fino filly, 3 yrs., 2 mos. professional training, 13.2 hands & still growing, all shots updated, teeth floated, \$3500. Cathie Savage, Arnaudville; 337-662-6066.

Sorrel & wh. paint mare, good for anyone to ride, has a good handle & has been used for trail rides, \$800. Phyllis Veillon, Ville Platte; 337-363-4355 or 337-831-3247.

Reg. 2 yr. blk. TW geld., broke to ride & very gentle, Pusher on top & Midnite on bottom, microchipped & tested, \$1400. Blake Veillon, Ville Platte; 337-363-4355 or 337-831-3247.

Rare grulla Kentucky Mountain filly, 2 yrs., 14.2 hands & growing, doing Parelli ground training, side passes, started under saddle, reg. pending, \$3000. C. Savage, Arnaudville; 337-662-6066.

2/N/1 Peruvian Paso Quarter crosses, mom & 1/2 TW colt, both are tri-color paints, colt was imprinted at birth, \$1000. Cathie Savage, Arnaudville; 337-662-6066.

Beautiful blue roan TW mare, in foal for '09 baby, 6 yrs., 15 hands, very calm temperament, green broke, no buck, \$300. Cathie Savage, Arnaudville; 337-662-6066.

QH, 2 yrs., geld., \$800; TW filly, \$800. Karen Edwards, Opelousas; 337-278-0641.

Come & pick your foundation buckskin out of Royal Gypsy Lena, perlino stallion, bloodlines include Doc O'Lena, Gay Bar King, King Fritz, put a deposit until 4 mos., \$800/1-up. Jane Vidal, Lorange; 985-878-4151.

Reg. AQHA Doc's Sug broodmare, \$1500 obo; 3 yr. filly, started on cattle, \$3000 obo; 2 yr. filly, dam is Doc's Sugar mare, sire Gotta Jerry, \$2000 obo; 2 yr. blk. geld., unreg., sire is Pass the Chick, dam is Spanish Charge bloodline, \$1000 obo. Susan, Galliano; 985-209-1105 or 985-475-7124.

2 yr. filly, dam is granddaughter of Dry Doc, sire is Gotta Jerry, son of Smart Little Jerry, \$2000 obo; 5 yr. APHA mare, well started on cattle, \$3000. Susan, Galliano; 985-209-1105 or 985-475-7124.

Miniature donkey geld., brown/blk. w/harness, gentle, \$350. Joan Smitherman, Covington; 985-809-3044.

1998 AQHA good looking sorrel geld., 14.3 hands 1200 lbs., stout, used for ranch work, trail riding, started on barrels & ridden by young girl, gentle for beginner kids or adults, \$2500/obo. D Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

1993 AQHA sorrel geld., 14.3

hands, 1750 lbs., broke & gentle, has a great handle & easy going, used trail riding & working cattle, gentle for beginner kids or adults, \$2200/obo. Dean Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

2004 nice looking blk. & wh. tobiano paint geld., 15 hands, 1150 lbs., gentle & broke, rides bare back, used trail riding, good rope or barrel prospect, ranch branded, not reg., \$1500/obo. P. Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

2006 bay roan filly, son of Playin Stylish & 6666 bred mare, gentle & ready for training of your choice, limited riding, \$2000. Evan Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

2005 bay geld., by Cash Don't Lie & daughter of Pop A Top Pep, well started & used on cattle, will make outstanding rope or barrel horse, \$2000. E. Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

Reg. QH broodmares, cutting/performance bloodlines, bred to a palomino son of He's Dun His Time, performing & producing son of Hollywood Dun It, \$1800/1-up. Johnny Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

1995 own daughter of Pop A Top Pep, NCHA earner, out of Colonel Libby mare, NCHA earner of more than \$65,000, bred to Lucky Sevens Gold, could have a palomino or buckskin in '09, \$4000. Cindy Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

2008 foals, palominos, sorrels & bays, cutting/performance bloodlines, \$800/1-up. C. Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

9 yr. red sorrel jenny, Old Hickory bred, has 2 mo. sorrel jenny colt by her side, \$1300. Dennis Smith, Livingston; 225-567-1891 or 225-413-5967.

8 yr. blonde sorrel jenny, bred to 15 hands sorrel jack, jenny is easy handle, can see jack on farm, \$1100. D. Smith, Livingston; 225-567-1891 or 225-413-5967.

2 mo. sorrel jenny colt, will sell at weaning, \$300. Dennis Smith, Livingston; 225-567-1891 or 225-413-5967.

Reg. QH, chestnut geld, 7 yrs., pasture roping, trail riding, gentle & anybody can ride, \$1300. Al Rozas, Eunice; 337-546-6337.

Bay geld., 7 yrs., gentle, has been roped off of, \$1500. D. Ray, Mansura; 318-563-8170.

2007 buckskin filly, Poco Bueno top & bottom, very flashy, \$1000 obo. Katie Dunn, Lecompte; 318-201-4637 or 318-473-8177.

Finished cutting horse, ready to show, legged up, \$7500. Brandy McBride, Marksville; 318-305-1559.

Quality reg. TW foals, ages, 2-8 mos., \$1000/1-up. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-277-3862.

12 yr. reg. TW geld., 15.5 hands, 8 yr. reg. TW geld., 16

hands, excel. trail horses, \$1400/1. Debbie Lemoine, Bunkie; 318-240-0962.

AQHA cutting bred mares, yrlgs. & weans., by own sons of Freckles Playboy, Doc O'Lena, Boon Bar & Bingo Hickory out of cutting bred mares, \$8000/1-up. John Dupre, Bueche; 225-931-9435.

Pal. stud colt, Mr. San Peppy & Peppy San Badger bred, \$525. Shane Carter, Plaucheville; 318-939-2275.

Reg. thoroughbred broodmares, (1) 16 yr. reg. mare, named Onda Flora w/2 yr. filly, out of Onda Flora & Trophy Hunter, (1) 11 yr. reg. mare, named Del's Special, \$2500/all. Fred Gossen, Rayne; 337-334-3311 or 337-334-5417.

AQHA filly, born '08, bloodline is Impressive, King, Old Man, Two-Eyed Jack, Top Deck, Moon Deck, \$1000. Randy Turner, Boyce; 318-443-3094.

1994 AQHA bay geld., sire Doc Sport Model, dam Tye Bar's Mackie, Doc's all playday events, great kid's horse, \$3500. Rachel Wigginton, Monterey; 318-386-4818.

Reg. yrlg. colt bay, Zippo breeding, \$650; reg. QH broodmares, Mr. Moxie Man, Zippo Coffee Bar King breeding, \$750/1-up. Dennis Crain, Winnsboro; 800-228-8423 or 318-435-4280.

6 yr. beautiful gaited TW geld., 14.2 hands, strawberry roan, blaze face/wh. stockings, very gentle to ride & easy handler, excel. manners, very smooth gait, used for trails & pleasure riding, \$1200; 6 yr. very flashy saddle horse, excel. conform. w/QH looks, 15 hands, smooth gait, blaze face & (2) wh. socks, extreme trail & pleasure riding, \$1500. Jack Johnson, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

5 yr. reg. TWHBEA blk. mare, 15.2 hands, safe for anyone to ride, gentle, \$1000; 5 yr. beautifully marked, blk./wh. mare, has excel. canter, 14.3 hands, used mainly for broodmare, has been ridden, good manners, \$750. J. Johnson, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

15 mo. gaited molly mule, blk. & bay, easy to handle, unbroke but very gentle, 100% Tennessee bred, will mature to be a nice size mule, \$700; 10 yr. reg. TWHBEA sorrel/wh. geld., 14.2 hands, wh. mane & mixed colored tail, used on trails & parades, \$2300; 2 yr. TW geld., sorrel w/flax mane & tail, 14.2 hands, natural, smooth gait, ready to be broke, \$800. La Juan Johnson, Marksville; 318-253-8981.

APHA paint stud, 4 yrs., blue eyes, Three Times the Color, Sugar, King P-234 bloodlines, \$1200 or trade for mare or miniatures. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

STALLION SERVICE

AQHA & IBHA 15 hands, 1150 lbs., buckskin stallion, very gentle & throwing color, \$400/\$5 mare care. Joe Kimble, Ethel; 225-326-9112 after 5 p.m. or 225-683-5873.

Iowna Cleat, son of Dashing Cleat SI 111, dam Sensuous Sound SI99, by Sound Venture, '09 breeding season, first (10) to book, \$500, after first (10) fee will be \$700, mare care avail. Marlene Stewart, Albany; 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

Bay '05, 15.2 hands, Doc Bar, King, proven producer of fine foals, built w/a ton of muscle, \$400/1. Patricia Markow, Franklinton; 985-839-6597.

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

SHEEP & GOATS

Reg. wh. dorper, pb & percentage breeding rams, pregnant ewes & weaned reg. ram & ewe lambs, good bloodlines, from South African breeding, more meat & muscle, less wool & shearing, tolerant to food rot & worms, \$175/1-up. Rodney Cotton, Pineville; 318-640-2042.

Pb Nubian goats, (1) buck, (5) breeding age does, \$500/all. Ronnie Fabachar, Iota; 713-515-8954.

(5) reg. Katahdin hair/sheep ewes, born Feb. & March '08, (2) RR, (2) QR, (1) QQ, (1) ram, born Feb., \$400/1-up. Beverly Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-4719.

Feb. '08 pb Suffolk ram, lamb, \$150. Claude Sellers, Youngsville; 337-856-4839.

(2) fb SA open nanny, color correct, reg., Rambo genetics, \$300/1-up; (1) fb SA doe, large, color correct, wethers, \$300. Anthony Mumphy, Eunice; 337-550-0826.

(2) 75% Kiko buckling, sired by Goats Unlimited, \$60-\$125/1; (1) 5/8, 3/8 Kiko, 2 yr. buck, wh., stout, \$140. Howard Gryder, West Monroe; 318-737-9593.

Percentage Boer does, 3 years, ready for breeding, kidded before with twins, great mamas, \$150/1. A. Hernandez, Erwinville; www.freewebs.com/southlady2

or 225-627-6498.

Katahdin cross lambs, born Feb. & March '08, \$50/1. Jimmy Melancon, Crowley; 337-458-2040 no calls after 7 p.m.

Dorper ram, 2 yrs., \$150; Katahdin cross ewes, \$75/1. Darrel Adams, Singer; 337-515-4342 after 5 p.m.

Nigerian dwarf kids, makes great pet for children, \$50/1-up. Ethelyn Raymond, Mount Hermon; 985-877-5945.

Fb reg. IBGA Boer doe, \$350. Pat Carriere, Carencro; 337-896-3808.

Barbado sheep, (1) female, 6 yrs., (1) male, 2 mos., \$40/1; Boer goats, pr., \$180. Bret Burns, Grayson; 318-331-4843.

Reg. Nubian buck, born 1/08, blk. w/tan trim, wh. ears, last kid from this year, w/papers to reg., \$150. David Rigsby, Converse; david2773rigsby@yahoo.com or 318-796-2796.

Pygmy goats, female, produces triplets, \$60; male, fixed, great pet, \$50. A. King, Church Point; 337-277-3365.

Reg. Nigerian dairy goats, herd sellout, blue eyes, price breaks for purchase of multiple animals, \$40/1-up. Ryan Hutchinson, Thibodaux; 985-688-4571.

Nice ADGA reg. Lamancha & Nubian dairy goats, bucks, \$150/1-up; does, \$250/1-up. W.B. Barras, St. Martinville; 337-394-6683.

Wanted: Saanen milking nanny, bred nanny or bred doeling, animal should be healthy w/no bad habits & reasonably priced, may consider a Nubian. Mike Guillot, Holden; mikolge@yahoo.com or 225-294-3135.

DOGS

CKC reg. Rottweiler pups, 4 mos., (1) male, (1) female avail., quality type, German bloodlines, \$400. Chuck Coburn, Amite; 985-974-2961.

Free, little brown mixed breed dog, spayed, shots, very sweet, kid's dog, smoke gray kitten, free to good home. Mary Vidrine, Eunice; 337-789-9288.

Australian shepherd pups, blue merles & blk. tris, \$175/1. Katie Dunn, Lecompte; 318-201-4637 or 318-473-8177.

Reg. pug puppy, shots wormed, vet checked, \$425; reg. Shiz Tu pups, \$350/1-up. Kim Calderera, Paulina; 225-869-9803.

Pups, diff. breeds, small/med. Paul or Mary Comeaux, Church Point; 337-684-7500.

Yellow blk. mouth cur pup, out of hog dog stock, \$200. Miles McNeely, Hornbeck; 318-565-4060.

3/4 French bull dog, 1/2 terrier, 11 wks., must see to appreciate, brindle & wh., light & dark brindle, good farm dogs, females, \$500; males, \$400. Johnny Hebert, Gueydan; 337-536-6612.

Rat terrier pups, born 8/10/08, short lets, tri color, (3) males, (1) female, \$100/1. Ashton Thibodeaux, Sunset; 337-662-6330.

1/2 red leopard Catahoula cur, 1/2 mountain cur pups, 3 mos., hunting & stock bred, \$25/1. Randy Turner, Boyce; 318-443-3094.

Great Pyrenees pups, born 9/19/08 in pasture, parents on premises, \$125/1. Darrell Adams, Singer; 337-515-4342 after 5 p.m.

Reg. Australian Shepherd pups, red and wh., \$150; red merle, \$250, both parents on site, very smart. Sallye Dugas, Dry Creek; 337-499-4427 or 337-639-4263.

ABCA reg. red & wh. border collie pups, both parents are imported from Great Britain & international champ. bloodlines, good working stock dogs & companions, shots & reg. papers, \$400/1. Rodney Cotton, Pineville; 318-640-2042.

Great Pyrenees pups, born 9/2/08, \$75. Darien Milton, Hammond; 985-320-9937.

Adorable Welsh Pembroke corgi, tri, sable, shots & wormed, great w/children, \$350/1. Karen Worthington, Ville Platte; 337-246-1231.

Brindle blk. mouth cur female, 6-9 mos., free to good home, family dog. Randall Baker, DeRidder; 337-463-3894.

(5) male Fila Brasileiro pups, born Aug. 19, 100% Brazilian bloodlines, healthy, stable, livestock & estate guardians, \$500/1. John West, Jarreau; 225-627-4192 or 985-590-9781.

(2) female Jack Russell terriers, 7 mos. & 1 yr., \$200. Shawn Becnel, Garyville; 504-415-4355.

Black Creek Beagles, 6 wks., 125. A. Rachel, Ethel; 225-683-4361.

Reg. border collie pups, out of top working stock dogs, champ. bloodlines, born 8/17/08, wormed & 1st shots, ready to go, \$350/1. J. Thompson, Folsom; 985-796-3601.

AKC beagle pups, champ. bloodlines, first shots & dewormed, well socialized pups from hunting stock, \$150/1. Connie Oaks, Dry Prong; 318-899-3356.

AKC Chinese Shar-Pei wrinkled pups & adults, \$500-\$600. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

CKC reg. Rottweiler pups, 4 mos., (1) male, (1) female avail. quality, German bloodlines, \$400. Chuck Coburn, Amite; 985-974-2961.

SWINE

Late July show pigs, ready now, \$125/1-up; Aug. pigs, ready, by War Paint, Crossfire, Now or Never & Alias, out of sows winning many classes. Don or Ann Woodman, Elmer; 318-793-2532.

4-H FFA show pigs, Hampshire, Yorks, Durocs & crosses, excel. quality. Barrett Courville, Jennings; 337-658-0841.

Male potbellied piglet, blk. & pink, \$60. A. King, Church Point; 337-277-3365.

DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

(5) parakeets, (1) wh., (1) green, (3) mix, (3) finches, blk. & orange, (1) dbl. cage, 6'x4', very large, \$80/all. Ernest Cook, Covington; 985-892-7058.

Young parakeets, \$6/1 if (20) or more purchased; hf cockatiels, \$35/1; young hf lovebirds, \$30/1; zebra, \$6/1, cash only, bring cage. Linda Robertson, Denham Springs; 225-939-9645 or 225-777-4791.

Yellow-sided green cheek split to pineapple, \$175-\$200/1; dusky conures, breeding age, \$100/1. John Gervais, Metairie; 504-737-3272.

Canaries, males, \$50/1; females, \$40/1; female, lizard type, \$30. L.E. Ligon, Clinton; 225-683-9484.

Young parakeets, \$7/1 or \$6/1, if (20) or more taken, cash only, bring cage. A.C. Milton, Denham Springs; 225-665-6754.

Hf Goffin cockatoo, \$750; hb blue headed pionus, \$700; goulds, female, \$85/1; males, \$65/1 or \$130/pr.; cockatiels, \$50/1 or \$75/pr. Jeane Casteix, Jefferson; 504-833-4241.

Pearl & lutino cockatiels, \$10/1; cages, \$50/1. Jacob, Central; 225-281-7715.

Breeder parrotlet, all colors, selling out, \$200-\$350; blue & gold macaw, proven prs., \$2000. Angelina Wallace, Terrytown; 504-394-6756.

Congo African gray, large vocabulary, about 9 yrs., \$600; large parrot cage on casters w/playtop, \$150. Robert Robinson, Covington; 985-705-9506.

(1) pr. blue front Amazon's, \$500; (1) pr. orange wing Amazons, \$500; (1) pr. red lored Amazons, \$600; (1) pr. Wasleri conures, \$300; Goffin's cockatiels, 6 mos., \$700; Alexandrians, 6 mos., \$250; blue fronts, 4 mos., \$600. Louis Pennison, Morgan City; 985-631-2368.

Sulphur crested cockatoo, breeder female, \$600; Timneh gray

breeder female, \$400; Congo gray breeder female, \$800. Lennis Hebert, Duson; 337-981-0574.

Young breeder cockatiels, \$20/1. Andy Delgado, Metairie; 504-465-0055.

Parakeets, good color collection, \$6/1 or \$5/1 if (5) or more purchased. Leonard Walsten, Destrehan; 985-764-7269.

English parakeets, \$25/1; green cheek conures, normal & yellow sided, born March '08, \$100-\$125/1; lady Gouldians, \$50-\$75/1. William Lambert Jr., Gonzales; 225-647-0625.

(150-175) breeder lovebirds, breeder, Fischers, blue/blk. mask, green/blk. mask & lutino, peach face, \$25/1 if buying (6) or more, \$20/1. W.J.D., Raceland; 985-537-7516.

Beautiful canaries, Gloster, red factors & mosaics, many to choose from, \$50/1-up. Ralph Bourque, Lafayette; 337-233-5927.

Lovebirds, beautiful colors, \$20/1; cockatiels, \$25/1. Karla Boquet, Houma; 985-804-8803.

English parakeets, \$25/1; green cheek conures, normal & yellow-sided, born 3/08, \$100-\$125/1; lady Gouldians, \$50-\$75/1. William Lambert, Gonzales; 225-647-0625 or 225-954-0056.

Hexagon apiary w/male & female lovebirds, all supplies, \$300. Tammy, Franklin; 337-828-7038 or 337-828-0697.

Hf blue/gold macaws, 5 mos., \$975. Mary Vidrine, Eunice; 337-789-9288.

Doves, wh., all young birds, \$8/1; ringneck & pied, \$5.5/1. Jim Bearb, Carencro; 337-896-3475.

Wh. tangerine doves, about 14-15 birds, \$1000/all. Lizzy Gomez, St. Gabriel; 225-642-5953.

Parakeets, \$6/1; zebra finches, \$5/1. Jerome Poche, Gray; 985-223-8696.

Wanted: mature male orange-wing Amazon parrot & mature female blue front Amazon. Crystal, Houma; 985-872-3484.

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

POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

Guinea birds, half grown, unsexed, \$5/1-up, discounts on (12) or more chicks. Jeannie, Gonzales; 225-677-8964.

Peafowl, '07 hatch yrlds., blk. shoulder, split to midnight, (1) trio, (1) male, (2) females, \$230; spaldings, male, \$90/1; male & female \$160/pr. Jeannie, Gonzales; 225-677-8964.

Peafowl, '08 hatched, unsexed,

India blue peachicks, \$20/1; blk. shoulder peachicks, \$25/1. Jeannie, Gonzales; 225-677-8964.

GQF cabinet incubators, \$175 & some wire cages. Edgar Richoux, Westwego; 504-436-6265.

Mandarin ducks, \$60/pr.; wood ducks, \$40/pr.; ring teal, \$50/pr.; silver Bahama pintails, \$100/pr.; green wing teal, \$60/pr.; wh. mandarins, \$100/pr.; male Canadian goose, \$100. Nelson Simoneaux, Maurepas; 225-698-9497.

Pullets, blk. Astralorp & Rhode Island reds, 4 mos., \$6/1; old English bantam silver wing, \$10/trio; laying hens, \$7/1; pr. peacocks, 3 yrs., \$125. Robert, Zachary; 225-654-0271 or 225-405-4581.

Pharaoh quail, day old, 50¢/1; 5 days, 60¢/1; 10 days, 75¢/1; full grown male, \$1.5; fert. eggs, 20¢/1, no checks. Blaise Sonnier, Youngsville; 337-856-5884.

Muscovy ducks, \$5/1 obo; Cornish crossed bantams, \$5/1, obo for all. Patrick Thibodeaux, Church Point; 337-684-2013.

Doves, wh., \$8/1; ivory doves, \$20/1; chickens, bantam, wh. modern, \$25/pr. Leo Augustine, Crowley; 337-783-7299.

Baby ostrich chicks, \$125/1. John Baldrige, Deridder; 337-463-8447.

Blue slate tom turkey, about 30 lbs., very tame, \$50. Ethelyn Raymond, Mount Hermon; 985-877-5945.

Rouen hens, \$15/1; Cayuga pr., \$25; khaki Campbell ducks, \$15/pr.; ducklings, \$3/1. D. Guillory, Dry Creek; 337-375-4534 or 337-328-2227.

Rhode Island red chicks, \$6/1. Ervin Crawford, Hammond; 225-294-3767.

India blue peafowl, '08 hatch, \$30/1; straight run red golden pheasant, '08 hatch, \$50/pr.; lady Amherst pheasant, '08 hatch, \$50/pr. Darrell Arabie, Duson; 337-849-3718.

India blue & pied red males, '08 hatch, tame, \$25-\$50/1. B. Soileau, Mamou; 337-468-5622.

Jumbo Pharaoh & Georgia giant bobwhites, all sized birds & eggs, plenty on hand, Pharaoh, \$3/1; Georgia giant bobwhite, \$6/1; Pharaoh eggs, \$20/100. Shirley Franks, Lena; 318-793-8018.

Bourbon red young toms, \$40/1. David Grass, Folsom; 985-796-3522.

Call ducks, gray calls, miniature green heads, \$40/pr.; wh. silkies, (1) pr., \$20; mandarin ducks, \$50/pr. Randall Baker, DeRidder; 337-463-3894.

Bantam, full grown, \$5/1; guineas, full grown, \$81; flying mallards, \$10/1. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte; 337-363-7176 or 337-360-2896.

Blue winged teal, cinnamon teal, Na. pintail, mandarins, wood

ducks, hooded mergansers, ringed teal & others, \$25/1-up. Mike Yglesias, Central; 225-268-7506 or 225-262-0954.

Wanted: GQF incubator w/automatic turner, Amherst Pheasant trio, chucker chicks, bobwhite chicks. Gordon Rivet, Natchitoches; 318-472-4347.

Wanted: chickens, ducks, guineas, geese, turkeys, bantams, game hens, ½ grown or full grown. Wilbur Leger, Rayne; 337-334-4949.

PIGEONS

Large hubble pigeons, \$12/pr. obo for all. Patrick Thibodeaux, Church Point; 337-684-2013.

Wh. homers, arc angels, starlings, Oriental frills, helmets, doneks, hubbles, frill backs, Arabian trumpeters, \$5/1; Norwich croppers, \$25/2. Floyd LeBouef, Church Point; 337-684-2251.

(14) nun pigeons, (5) reds, (5) yellows, (4) blks., purchased from United Nun Club show stock in New Jersey, \$250/all. Lennis Hebert, Duson; 337-981-0574.

Pure American giant homers, show quality, variety of colors, \$7-\$10/1 or \$20-\$25/pr. Dwight Wedlock, Ville Platte; 337-831-6943.

Racing homers, saddle backs, singles, \$5/1; mated prs., \$20/pr.; take all, \$5/1. Randall Baker, DeRidder; 337-463-3894.

DEER & EXOTICS

(15) whitetail does, off 160 class bucks, mature, \$300; yrlds., \$200, price nego. if purchasing all. Vincent Brocato, Montgomery; 318-646-1040.

(8) deer, (1) buck, 5 yrs., (4) doe fawns, (2) buck fawns, \$2500/all. Wade Sullivan, Castor; 318-548-0793.

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

New Zealand rabbits, replacement does, \$35/1; bucks, \$30/1; fryers, \$10/1. Crockett or Mitch Johnson, Pitkin; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

Weaned rabbits, \$5/1; grown rabbits, \$10/1. C.J. Hoffpauir, Dry Creek; 337-328-7495.

Wanted: good used breeder cages for raising rabbits. Josh Evans, Monroe; 318-324-9884.

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

FARM SERVICES

Land clearing, lot grading, dozer work, \$75/hr.; dirt spread, bush hogging, trac., work, \$45 hr. D. Holden, Greenwell Springs; 225-614-6999.

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

Beef carcass ultrasound by a CUP cert. tech., real time live animal carcass ultrasound, offers beef producers a reasonable way to make genetic improvement in carcass traits, will travel, have scanned in LA, TX, ARK, MS & AL. Trent Graves, Prairieville; bluebonnetlivestock.com, 225-324-5501.

Fence building, 4 strands, \$1.2/ft.; 5 strands barbwire, \$1.5/ft., call for other fence prices, net, hog wire & ranch style, must have clear property line, customer supplies all materials. B. Long, Kentwood; 985-229-7915 or 985-515-2093.

Hay rd. bale, dozer, bush hogging, small discing, small grading, backhoe, cutting, raking, baling, hauling, egg's soil. Wayne Ward, S a l i n e ; pteneryinc@bellsouth.net, 318-576-3111 or 318-471-9272.

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

Antique Louisiana built 8' boat w/new 32 hp turbo diesel, \$2500. Robert Mayeux, Pineville; 318-442-0677.

Pond stocking copper-nose bluegill, 25¢/1; hybrid copper-nose bluegill, 30¢/1; red ear bream, 30¢/1; bass, 60¢/1, aerators & fish feeders avail., pick up or del. avail. Chris Broussard, Lafayette; 337-230-0123.

21' Kenner built fiberglass w/175 Mariner motor, biminy top, troll motor, \$6000 or trade for travel trailer of equal value. Leon Williams, Marrero; 504-328-6076.

Pond stocking, channel catfish, 25¢/1; blue catfish, 40¢/1; copper-nose 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.

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

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."

10 acres for lease for hay production. Bruce Donnell, Carencro; 337-896-8678.

31.84 acres in Chenneyville behind cotton gin, farmland, excel. dove hunting & waterfowl potential, \$5000. John Ray, Forest Hill; 318-452-7239 or 318-748-6514.

(2) tracts in Evangeline Parish, near I-49, (1) 20 acres w/\$50,000 timber value; (2) 17.5 acres w/2 acre lake, cleared for reforestation, tree seedlings purchased, waiting for planting season, both border a La. wildlife management area on one side & leased property on other sides, leased property will be made avail. to buyer, excel. deer, hogs, ducks, squirrel & rabbit hunting, must sell tracts together, \$100,000/both. James, Rowles, Turkey Creek; 337-268-3317 or 337-461-2754.

168 acres pasture, hay field & timber, hay, frontage, year rd. stream, barn, pond, well, elect. & access to community water, \$2500/acre, 735 acres adjacent hunting lease, goes w/sale. B.D. Burns, Simpson; 337-383-7805.

12 acres, 1 acre cleared, 11 acres mixed pine & hardwood, 10 miles south of Winnfield on Hwy. 34, \$42,000. Joe Shively, Quitman; 318-265-1561.

64.558 acres of land only, no mineral rights, \$5000/acre. Wayne Ward, Saline; 318-576-3111 or 318-471-9272.

Wanted: 2 or 3 bedroom home w/acreage, 4-10 acres, in Avoyelles Parish, mostly cleared, high land, no flood, ready to buy, reasonably priced, will consider acreage alone w/nice home site. Mike Guillot, Holden; mikeolgee@yahoo.com or 225-294-3135.

Wanted: to lease 25-50 acres fenced for cattle in Livingston, St. Helena or surrounding areas. Bobby, Denham Springs; 225-603-3451.

**Questions about
circulation or lost
bulletins?
Contact the Circulation
Department
at 225-922-1267.**

**SEEDS,
FLOWERS &
ORNAMENTALS**

Begonias, evergreens, aluminum plant, crotons, scheffleras, ivy, shamrocks, gingers, shrimp plant. Patsy Cook, Covington; 985-892-7058.

Shallots, cleaned & separated, LSU variety, small due to weather cond., \$3.5/lb. will not ship. Joseph Costanza, Hammond; 985-345-6743.

Shallots, cleaned, ready to plant, \$3.5/1 at place. Leon Chambers, Independence; 985-878-4949.

**TREES &
FRUITING
VINES**

Pine timber, truckload, large, tall pine trees, free to anyone that will cut, haul & cleanup. Robert Williams, Zachary; 225-654-0271 or 225-405-4581.

Large live oaks, shade, nut & flowering trees, del. & planted, \$350-\$3500/1. Bob Thibodeaux, 74050 Main St., Church Point, LA; 70525; 337-319-3957.

Citrus trees in 3-gal. containers, Satsuma, naval orange, Meyer lemon, kumquat, mandarin, grapefruit & calamondin, \$10-\$15/1; several varieties of persimmons & pears, \$10/1. Jimmy Cooley, Longville; 337-725-3587 or 337-802-7641.

Windmill palms, 3 qt., \$10; pindo palms, \$10 to \$25/1; sago palms, \$10 to \$20/1; cast-iron plants, 3-gal., \$10; monkey grass, 3 qt. tufts, \$1/1; Japanese plum, 3-gal., \$6/1; Mamou plants, 1-gal., \$5/1. James Stelly, Eunice; 337-457-4528.

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

China ball umbrella trees, in 5-gal. container, \$7/1; catalpa trees, 2-gal. container, \$7/1. P.J. Dominique, Church Point; 337-789-3453.

All kinds of plants, trees, bushes, shrubs, lilies, ect., 300+ knock out roses, chrysanthemums, 4-colors, crape myrtles, 8 colors, azaleas, 30+ varieties, citrus trees, 6 varieties, fruit trees & much more, all in pots, \$2-\$40/1, send SASE for list. Lee Cook, Husser; 56463 Hwy. 445, Husser, LA 70442; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

Louisiana live oaks, good stock, single leader, 1-gal., 2'-3', \$2/1; 5-gal., 6', \$10/1; 24" boxes, 8' tall, \$80/1. A.M. Gray, III, Patterson; 985-395-5193.

Pecan trees, Elliott, 6 gal, 8' tall, \$60/1; candy & Sumner, 4 gal., \$35/1. Betty Robin, Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

Satsuma, kumquat, Meyer lemon, \$15/1; sassafras, \$8/1; fig, 2 gal., \$15/1; muscadine bronze, self fertile, \$7.5/1; banana, pomegranate, paw-paw, Mamou & bay leaf, \$6-\$15/1. O. Robin, Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

Edible nut trees, Chinquapin oak, sweet acorn (Quecus Meuhlenbergii), \$15/1. James Robin, Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

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.

400 acres of timber for fuel chipping, 85¢/per ton. Wayne Ward, Saline; pteneryinc@bellsouth.net, 318-471-9272 or 318-576-3111.

**FRUITS &
VEGETABLES**

Beauregard sweet potatoes, 40 lb. boxes, \$10/box. David Roy, Mansura; 318-563-8170.

**HAY &
GRAIN**

4x4 rd. bales, in field, \$15 & \$20, discount on large quantities. Mike, DeQuincy; 337-786-2066 or 337-786-2316.

Fert. Sept./Oct. '07, 5x6 Bahia rd. bales, reduced to \$20/1 or \$15/1 if (10) or more purchased; fert. Oct. '08 4x5 Bahia, \$25/1. C.M. Duplechian, Jennings; 337-824-2989.

31 acres, you cut hay, 26 acres, pure Bahia, 5 acres, 75% Jiggs/Bermuda, ready to cut, \$20/acre. Elwood McGee, Church Point; 337-380-4108.

Large rd. bales, good quality hay, \$20/1. Bernard Leger, Opelousas; 337-948-9366 or 337-945-2435.

Tifton 9 Bahia sq. bales, fert. & limed, heavy, green in color, \$4/1. Benton Broussard, Jennings; 337-824-8697 or 337-912-0560.

4x5 rd. bales, fert. to soil test, cured w/o rain, clover & rye, in barn, \$45; Bahia in barn, \$45; Bahia in field, \$30 to \$40. Daniel, Husser; 985-748-7663.

2008 Bahia, 4x4 1/2 hay, good quality. Louis Smith, Marksville; 318-253-7679.

Bahia hay, 5x6 rd. bales. Mike Patanella, Independence; 985-878-9765 or 985-687-5030.

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

2008 Bahia grass hay, 4x5 rd. bales, net wrapped, cured w/o rain, in field, near Franklinton, \$40/1. W. Appel, Metairie; 504-454-1543 or 504-831-7419.

4x5 rolls fert. Bahia hay, excel. horse quality hay, under barn, \$45/1; sq. bales of Bermuda hay, in barn, horse quality, del. avail., \$6; cow hay, net wrapped stored outside, \$30/1. Joe Pieri, Folsom; 985-981-2427.

Bahia, '08 cut, 4x3 rd. bales, \$15/1. B.J. Sonnier, Duson; 337-230-3301 or 337-873-8886.

(200) 4x5 rd. bales of excel. quality Bahia hay, '08 season, well fert. & cured w/o rain, in barn, \$40; outside, \$35. Ike Nichols, Kinder; 337-636-2140 or 337-302-7894.

4x5 round bales, '07, fert., rye grass, \$12/bale; fert., mixed grass, \$15/bale; fert. Bahia grass, \$20/bale, hay located in St. Francisville. Daren Vicellio, Zachary; 225-937-7659.

Hay 4x5 rd. bales, Jiggs Bermuda mix, 60 bales, \$30/1. Preston Gaspard, Arnaudville; 337-280-5070.

2008 (476) rd. bales of 4x5 Alicia/Bahia/Coastal/Tifton-44, some Johnson grass, hay is weighing about 1100 lbs., \$55/1, hauling \$4.85/mile one way. Wayne Ward, Saline; pteneryinc@bellsouth.net, 318-471-9272 or 318-576-9955.

Jiggs Bermuda horse hay, clean, fert. sq. bales, in field, \$4/1; in barn, \$4.5/1. David Hickman, Alexandria; 318-445-8907.

Special pricing on '07 Bermuda sq. bales, \$2 & \$3/bale depending on quantity, must make room for '08 crop. Roy Stokes, Lafayette; 337-247-2141 or 337-237-5771.

2008 premium quality Bermuda racehorse hay, in barn, \$5.25/1; 5x5 net wrapped rd. bale, kept outside, \$30/1; 5x5 net wrapped, high quality Bermuda broodmare hay, in barn, \$60/1; hayfield & barn 1 mile from old Evangeline Downs racetrack. Roy Stokes, Lafayette; 337-247-2141 or 337-237-5771.

Jiggs Bermuda fert. as per LSU, '07 sq. bales, in barn, \$4.25/1; '08 sq. bales, in field, \$4.4/1; in barn, \$4.9/1; discounts for 100+ bales, from barn. Keith Cahanin, Rayne; 337-873-6607 or 337-257-2469.

2008 Bahia grass hay, well fert. & in barn, 1200 lb. rd. bales, \$35/1. Crockett or Mitch Johnson, Pitkin; 337-328-7441 or 337-375-4367.

2008 mixed Bahia grass hay, 4x5 net wrapped rd. bales, \$25. Brad Leger, Iota; 337-581-1266 or Blaine; 337-781-9929.

Jiggs Bermuda, '08 fert., 4x5 rd. bales, \$25/1-up; sq. bales, \$4/1-up; sq. bale rice & wheat straw, \$3/1-up; quantity discounts. Aaron Melancon, Rayne;

337-581-1765.

2008 sq. bales, Alicia, in field, \$4.5; in barn, \$5.5/1; Jiggs Bermuda rd. bales, \$45-\$50/1. Bradley Duhon, Maurice; 337-230-9226.

Bahia grass, sq. bales, behind baler, we load, \$4/1; 5x6 rd. bales, \$50/1. Delos Thompson Jr., Folsom; 985-796-9872.

Rd. bales, 4x5, 5x5, \$30/1. Trey Peck, Sicily Island; 318-389-6894.

2007 string wrapped 5x5 grass hay, \$15/1. Dennis Crain, Winnsboro; 800-228-8423 or 318-435-4380.

**TRACTORS
&
EQUIPMENT**

9'2" Morra hay cutter, \$2500; 9'10" FC 300 G Kuhn hay cutter, \$4500; IH grain drill, 14' w/8" spaces, \$1500; IH 485 21' disc, excel. cond., \$4000; (2) IH 475 21' disc, \$2500 & \$1800; 15' service bush hog, \$2500; (5) NH Greenchop machines, \$4500/1; 20' hay trailer, \$1000; Greenchop wagon, \$2000. Brent Duncan, Franklinton; 800-839-1290.

15' Bush Hog brand cutter, new cutter gearbox, new cut driveline, new seals, paint & bearings, new center deck, wings are good, 1000 PTO, field ready, \$6000 neg. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles; 337-274-8405.

NH 2001 rd. baler, excel. cond. & always barn kept, field ready, auto wrap w/bale size adjustment, \$13,000. David Smith, Golden Meadow; 985-475-5333.

Cub trac. w/tools or belly mower, \$1500; sickle mower for Cub \$250, extra Cub tools, belly mowers \$200/up; 2 pt. hitch for 200 Int., \$350. Skeet Cooper, Jena; 318-992-2206.

MD 65, good shape, new paint & clutch \$5000; 160 Bush hog, 13'5" completely reworked & painted \$4,500; (2) 6' bush hog, (1) has new deck 11 ga., (1) has heavy-duty 1/4" deck, excel. cond., \$1200/1; 135 MF diesel trac., needs some work, \$3,700. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

Farmall trac. w/tricycle front-end, gas engine, good, solid tractor \$1900; 10' Woods bush hog \$2400; red IH cub trac. w/belly mower, good shape, \$1600; 3 pt. lift cult., \$200. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

Melrose grain drill to plant rye grass & pasture wheat, very good shape, cut your seed cost in half, 10' 6" in spacing, \$1000. Don Anderson, Simmsport; 318-452-4773.

6' Bush hog w/stump jumper, adj. up or down, needs work, tires fairly good, \$250; 5' bush hog, good cond., \$500; heavy-duty

push blade, fits crawler dozer, 6' long. good cond., \$700; model 70 JD trac., 2 cyl., on propane, 3 pt. hitch, fairly good tires, tricycle front end, \$2500; model 60 JD trac., 2 cyl., gas, heavy 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.

NH M 850 hay baler \$2000; NH M 56 rake 500 Kuhn GMD 66 8' hay cutter \$2000.

Robert Ortego, Washington; 337-826-5245.

JD 15' disc, \$1800; 8' IH disc, \$1000. Steve Tate, Ville Platte; 337-501-8084.

(2) 4000 bushel grain bins w/augers & blower, disassembled on pallets, \$4000 for both. R.W. Richards, Greenwell Springs; 225-938-0940 leave message.

JD 990, 40 hp, 2wd, 265 hours, \$12,000. Gerald Crooks, Deville; 318-448-4355.

Ford 4000 diesel tractor, 50 hp, p/s, 2 rear remotes, new paint, seat & tire, rear tires have 90% rubber, runs & looks great, \$5500; heavy duty 8' Amco offset disc w/wheels & lift, \$1500; small 3 pt. hitch disc, \$300. Ed Durr, Jr., Amite; 985-748-5556.

4600 Ford trac. w/frontend loader \$8500. Edrick Fontenot, Kinder, 337-738-5809.

(4) Gravely model "L" walk behind tracs., (2) will run, (1) for parts, (2) bush hogs, sulky, cult. & rotary plow, \$650 obo. Landon Richards, Zachary; 225-939-6203.

22' Shelbourne Reynolds RX6 stripper header w/header trailer, & extra parts, set up for JD combine, \$5000 obo; '82 IH 1420 combine w/IH 820 15' grain header w/IH 4-row corn header, 1150 original hrs., cold a/c, ready to work, \$5000 obo. Bob Richards, Greenwell Springs; 225-654-3705 or 225-928-0940.

Swister 60" pull mower to pull behind 4-wheeler or riding lawn mower, mower will offset to give extra cut behind riding mower, \$800. Dickey Matherne, Loranger; 985-549-1521 or 985-974-6982.

JD 2005 650J LPG dozer with cab, air & heat, trac. fully screened, has 2000 hrs. & 95% undercarriage with new sprockets. \$75,000. D. Matherne, Loranger; 985-549-1521 or 985-974-6982.

Kuhn 700 HD hay cutter, hay fluffer & 660 JD side delivery hay rake, \$5,500. Mike Guy, Greenburg; 225-222-6067 or 985-320-7353.

Swisher 44" trail mower, Briggs engine, can be pulled behind atv strait or offset, pulled offset adds 44" deck to your lawn tractor, \$375. Bill Garland, Natchitoches; 318-352-9778.

JD 922 header, \$2000. Justin Bruce, Ragley; 337-884-0257 or 337-217-2920.

2004 bush hog tiller, \$2700; '05 Rainflo model 345 flat bed plastic mulch/drip tape layer, \$1300; 2006 Rainflo model 1600 water wheel transplanter, \$1800. Dempsey Parden, Bogalusa; 985-515-9739.

2002 MF 441, 52 hp diesel, 4wd, MF 1050 front-end loader, industrial tires, 650 hours, good cond., \$16,500 obo. Bruce Wilson, Livingston; 225-686-9081 or 225-317-2474.

2007 Kawasaki 3010 Mule, windshield, roof, 2" lift kit, 27" tires & rims, set of brand new original tires & rims, excel. cond., \$9500. Bruce Wilson, Livingston; 225-317-2474 or 225-686-9081.

706 JD pasture clipper, 7' drag type w/cyl. & slip clutch, body recently rebuilt, very good cond., \$1000; Howse 5' dirt blade, 3 pt. hitch, good cond., \$150. Mark Waller, Amite; 985-320-1030.

2-row hyd. digger, new chains, rollers & shakers, \$16,000; 1-row hyd. digger, new chains, rollers & shakers, \$5000; (1) set 4-row mechanical potato planters, \$4000; set of 4-row 5-tine rolling cults. w/extra parts, \$500. Chad Helming, Mansura; 318-964-2380 or 318-201-5767.

Seed-bedding hopper, \$3500; fert. mix miser for seed beds, \$500; sub-soiler, \$800; 7100 JD planters, narrow row, \$1300; seed-bed plastic pulling machine, \$500; vine cutter, \$300; 300-gal. chemical tank, \$300. C. Helming, Mansura; 318-964-2380 or 318-201-5767.

Vermeer 605C rd. hay baler, makes 5x5 bales, always shedded, good belts, ready to bale now, extra pick-up reel & other spare parts, \$2000. George Banks, Bogalusa; 985-732-3950.

JD 2755 cab/air w/245 JD self leveling loader, 4400 original hours, \$21000. Ted, Ville Platte; 337-523-6174.

2030 JD diesel, 60 hp, p/s, new tires, hyd. pump, excel. cond., shed kept, \$9000. John LeBlanc, Maurice; 337-288-3464.

Komatsu D-31-A power shift, good cond., \$12,500; Ford 3000 w/front loader, bush hog & box scrapper, good cond., \$9,200. Maurice Castania, Arnaudville; 337-754-5510.

6' Cycle mower for Farmall, Super A or 140, like new w/extra parts, shed kept, \$300. Percy Thibodeaux, Arnaudville; 337-879-2668 or 337-254-7268.

8N Ford \$1800; Farmall M 3 pt., \$2500; 830 Case high crop gasoline \$3500; 830 Case high crop lp, \$4000; JD 534 60 high seat lp, \$3500. David Bass Jr., Longville; 337-540-5023.

NH 355 grinder mixer, excel. cond., \$6000; Mayrath 6" x 35' PTO grain auger, \$1200. G. Denton, Jean; 318-992-4504.

20 MF industrial front-end loader trac., 4 cyl, diesel, manual

shuttle shift, live pto differential lock, p/s, \$4000. Mike Martin, Lake Charles; 337-855-9396.

6' Woods finishing mower, good cond., \$1500. Floyd Gotte, Iota; 337-824-6661.

JD 7720 combine 222 flex head, field ready, \$8000. J. Bordelon, Moreauville; 318-305-8329.

Clark fork lift modified for tracs. w/3 pt. hyd., 45 hp, good cond., new hoses, \$1400 neg. Pat Bertrand, DeRidder; 337-462-5172.

Ford 3000 diesel trac., 42 hp, p/s, new head, 2-stage clutch, new muffler, turf tires, runs great, \$2700; MF 135 diesel trac., 28 hp, new tires, live PTO, no smoke or drips, 5' bush hog, \$3500; Farmall Super A gas trac., 21 hp, \$1200, 5' bush hog, \$385; 6' bush hog, \$485. Walter Buller, Amite, 225-439-0357.

1998 Cat 312BL track hoe, wide pad, thumb, 70% undercarriage, new bucket teeth, 4950 hrs., ready to work, must sell, try on my farm. Joe Pieri, Folsom; 985-981-2427.

AGC hay rake, heavy-duty 8 wheel V-rake., excel. cond., bought new in '04, has Tonutti wheels & heavy duty caddy. Mitch Holden, Independence; 985-302-4816 or 878-4816.

CASE 550H dozer, 20" pads w/457 hrs., like new, \$49,000. Michael Quebedeaux, Alexandria; 318-201-8246.

Ford 610SU, 61 hp diesel trac., new tires & battery, looks & runs like new, but PTO needs work, \$6500 obo. Dudley Hartz, Waggaman; 504-436-8145.

Woods DS120, 10' cutter, still under warranty, not used in a year, pull type, airline tires, great shape, like new, \$4700 obo. Pat Burmaster, Folsom; 985-796-5123.

Ford 600, gasoline, excel. cond., completely overhauled, good tires, 3 pt hitch, ready to work, \$2900. John Dallas, New Iberia; 337-364-9103.

DT 466 International engine, complete, on test stand, come hear it run, \$1800. Henry J. Amato, Independence; 985-878-6566.

Chopper disc, 9', attaches to 3 pt. hitch, 4 yrs., homemade, tow behind, 9' harrow free w/chopper \$900. Jules Lejeune, Church Point; 337-258-6193.

Front bucket for Kubota tractor, bucket only, 66" wide, fair cond., will swap for box blade or you make offer. Pedro Cardona, Hammond; 225-610-7933.

Model Fed-8W, 8-wheel rake, excel. cond., was \$2600. Preston Gaspard, Arnaudville; 337-280-5070.

Ford 3000-\$5500; Ford 5000, \$7500; NH TC-18 groomer, \$5500; Case David B-885/loader, \$5900; 3 pt. backhoe, \$1800. Joe Major, Church Point, 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.

Golden Jubilee model Ford

trac., 4' box blade, 4' bush hog, \$1000/1. James Landry, Erath; 337-937-6423.

JD single row corn picker, good working cond., barn kept, \$700. Ronald Chiasson; Larose; 985-523-5924.

1-row riding digger, \$3000. Daniel Laborde, Mansura; 318-964-2902.

JD 375 rd. baler, good cond., 5x4 bales, \$5000. John Briscoe, Elton; 337-584-2751 or 337-526-1560.

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

5' Disc on 3 pt hitch, needs a few bearings, but still works, \$250; 4' bush hog \$250. Danny Tonagel, Abita Springs; 985-630-8943/264-0445.

Mitsubishi BD2G dozer 6-way blade, good cond., \$12,900; Komatsu D21A dozer, 6-way blade, 90% undercarriage, \$13,900; Ford 3600 w/Ford loader, 42 PTO hp, 8 spds. \$6900. J. Guillot, Hessmer; 318-563-4776.

3 point pan hook-up fert. disc, \$500; 20' gooseneck trailer, \$1400; Wood splitter, \$650. Gerald McDonald, DeRidder; 337-462-2117.

706 Int. trac., 95 hp, \$3,500; trac. weights, \$300/6; heavy 8' blade, \$250; Case trac. '50s, 25 hp w/old plow, \$1,800; small garden 4' disc plow, \$300. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

Cat. engine, 4 cyl., diesel, \$1800. Grady Dugas, St. Martinville; 337-845-4774.

Ford diesel lawn & garden trac., 14 hp, 48" mower, attachments, good cond., \$2900; Sprank pressure washer, water blasting equip., 1500 p/s, Briggs Stratton, 5 hp, good cond., \$250. Russell Bonnet, Scott; 337-235-1296.

Kubota garden trac., TG 1860 diesel, model RCK54TG, \$2950. Richard Reeve, Kinder; 337-639-2602.

5' bush hog, grooming mower, good cond., kept under barn, good cond. Thomas Tynes, Ethel; 225-719-0654.

2003 MF 471, 2 wd trac., 8F, 2R 600 hrs., new quick trac. loader, email for pics, \$16,000. Lynn Phillips, Monroe; lynnthq@hotmail.com or 318-680-9212.

JD 990, 40 hp, 2 wd, 265 hrs., \$12,000. Gerald Crooks, Deville; 318-448-4355.

1976 Ford 5000, \$19,950; '69 truck bed trailer, \$250; '06 Rhino DM-124 disc mower, 10', \$17,950; '01 NH 5610S, \$37,950; 15' batwing 315 bush hog, \$17,950; '74 David Brown 1210, \$16,950; '69 Dunham Log Hog 441, \$13,950; '75 Versatile 700, \$67,950; '82 Ford TW-10, \$47,950; '82 Ford series, 241 pull-

type harrow, \$24,950; '02 NH 3010S, \$32,950; '02 Big Tex gooseneck trailer, 24', \$18,755. Wayne Ward, Saline; 318-471-9272 or 318-576-3111.

4020 JD trac., \$7500. Darien Milton, Hammond; 985-320-9937.

Wanted: plastic mulch layer that lays plastic, drip tape, make bed in one pass, reasonably priced. Jefferson Davis, Prentiss, MS., 601-692-8410.

Wanted: old JD 450 dozer for parts in any cond. Kevin Murphy, Folsom; 985-796-9681.

Wanted: Ford, Ferguson or Dearborn, 2-row middle buster. Cecil Clark Jr., Crowley; 337-783-7903.

Wanted: used tracs. combines, salvage or needing work. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer; 318-563-8478 or 318-201-0697.

Wanted: old trac., to restore, prefer JD high-wheel, but will consider any. Lee White, Madison, AL; 256-656-7089.

Wanted: 450 Case dozers, any shape, whole or parts. P.R. Krentz, Krotz Springs; 337-592-010.

Wanted: Int. Farmall 460 high crop trac., running or for parts, any cond. W. B. Brown, Wesson, MS; 601-833-5183.



1978 GMC motorhome w/generator, \$2000; fiberglass camper shell, sport side, \$475; rims, 15"x8.5, 6-hole, \$375/1; 16" alum. rims, \$400/4; new mobile home tires & rims, \$100/1. Shelia Wills, Jennings; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

1995 F-800, flatbed, air ride seat, air ride suspension, a/c, p/s, radio, toolbox, 5.9 Cummins engine, burns little oil, \$7000. Terry Rider, Eunice; 337-789-1927.

2002 Ford F-250 diesel, 7.3 ext cab, long wheel base, lariat, leather, loaded, only 98,000 miles, excel. cond., \$9950. Terry LeBlanc, Kinder; 337-738-3743 or 337-224-8182.

(3) Perkins diesel engine, running, \$300/1 or \$800/all. Malcolm LaBorde, Waggaman; 504-432-8740.

Mini Japanese truck, good cond., \$3500. Will Davidson, Welsh; 337-370-9121.

School bus '84 Int. S1800 diesel, auto, low mileage, runs great, \$3500; '83 mobile home, Freightliner, 6V92 diesel w/extra hyd. hitch, \$6500. Gerald Gilbert, Sulphur; 337-583-4548.

1990 Ford F-700 dump truck, 6 cyl. diesel engine, 6-yard body, in good shape, has good tires & runs

well, \$7700. Jimmy Williams, Kentwood; 985-229-2682 or 985-517-0913.

1986 Int. 9670, 802,000 miles, Cummins engine, ready to work, must see to appreciate, \$5500. Steve, Cottonport; 318-876-3304 or 318-308-4492.

7' x 16' truck body cooler, in working cond., elec. powered, \$2000. Henry Amato, Independence; 985-878-6566.

Toolbox for '91 Chevy S-10, alum. diamond plate, 1 door across box, will fit other same size trucks, good cond., \$150. Jules Lejeune, Church Point; 337-258-6193.

2000 Freightliner FLD-120, engine has 340,000 miles, 10 spd., a/c, 60" sleeper, good shape, must go, \$10,000. Dirk Leblanc, Lafayette; 318-455-2761.

Steel truck body, 8'x22' w/steel roller on back, \$2000. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

1972 Ford F-100, step side w/6 cyl., auto trans., needs engine rebuild, but will run, \$850; '65 Chevrolet C-60 bobtail single axle truck w/fifth wheel hitch, \$500. L.K. Richards, Zachary; 225-939-6203.

1997 Ford F-250 xlt power stroke turbo diesel, extended cab, p/w, p/l, bed liner and running boards, auto trans., along with towing pkg., all maintenance records, 149,950 miles, \$7700. Bob, Crowley; big_country1967@yahoo.com or 337-230-5634.

2002 Int. model 4900, 6x4 w/22' metal dump, flatbed tandem axle, wh., 177,000 miles, excel. cond., \$35,000; '94 Int. model 4700 w/metal dump bed, wh., 446,000 miles, good cond., \$7500; '04 Chevrolet Silverado, wh., 1/2-ton pickup w/rack, 94,000 miles, good cond., \$6500. C. Rodney McNeal, Alexandria; 318-443-0411.

Wanted: Toyota pickup, '95 to '98 w/extra cab, 22R 4 cyl. motor, 5 spd. manual trans., low miles, excel. cond. Robert LeMaster Sr., Summit, MS; 601-684-4540.



2003 galv. steel, 24' 3-horse gooseneck trailer w/12' living quarters, shed kept, very nice, lots of extras, lots of storage, \$15,000. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-277-3862.

2006 model 6'x24' gooseneck grand stock trailer, (2) cuts, gates, canvas top, no rust, in excel. shape, good tires, \$6500. Terry Rider, Eunice; 337-789-1927.

32' gooseneck w/dovetail, dual tandem axles, \$4000. Ted, Ville Platte; 337-523-6174.

Wh. camper top for 8' bed pickup truck, good shape, \$300. Duane Ledet, Ama; 504-431-1743.

3 axle equip. trailer, \$1895; tandem cattle trailer, \$895. J.L. Beasley, Baker; 225-775-4355 or 225-276-9410.

2007 2-horse bumper pull, red, never used, new, \$3800 or trade for anything of value. Celia Juneau, Hessmer; 318-563-8478.

2008 Ponderosa 6'x6½'x16' bumper pull livestock trailer, new, \$3950. C. Juneau, Hessmer; 318-563-8478.

Large single axle trailer, 10'x13', good for hauling hay bales, \$500. Bruce Donnell, Carencro; 337-896-8678.

WW brand horse trailer w/dual function gate, dual axle, 5' wide, 6' high, \$700. B. Donnell, Carencro; 337-896-8678.

10' homemade flatbed trailer, camping trailer frame, needs inspection stamp & license, good four wheeler trailer, \$250. Randy Turner, Boyce; 318-443-3094.

1995 CM 3-horse slant load gooseneck steel trailer, dressing/tack room w/ac, \$3500 obo. David Stroughter, Ethel; 225-719-2527.

Commercial 300 Lincoln diesel welder, good cond., \$3500; 2 axle trailer for welder, \$250; welding bed for truck, \$500. Mike Martin, Lake Charles; 337-855-9396.

2007 Stream Lite by Gulf Stream, 26' bumper pull, 12' super slide, used 3-times, garage kept, \$19,500. Jerry Landry, Killian; 225-695-3059 or 225-802-3505.

2006 Featherlite 3-horse trailer, custom living quarters, oak cabinets, shower, toilet, sink, cooktop, awning, excel. jack & more, excel. cond., used very little, barn kept, \$28,900 obo. Jeannie Rotolo, Folsom; 985-796-9350 or 985-630-8538.

1988 Featherlite, 3-horse bumper pull, slant, alum., rear tack, front dressing room, 6000 lb. axles, great cond., \$6000. Pat Burmaster, Folsom; 985-796-5123.

Like new, CM 3-horse alum. trailer, drop down windows on front & rear, stepup tack, split doors open to load 4-wheeler, \$10,500. Karen Worthington, Ville Platte; 337-246-1231.

Car tow dolly, '06, Stehl brand, bumper pull, never used, 7000 lb. winches, 6000 lb. tire nets, 13" 8-ply tires, powder coated finish, DOT approved lighting etc., \$625 obo. J. Thibodeaux, Church Point; 337-684-5544.

35 cotton trailers, 8'-10' wide, 24-40' long w/3 & 4 axles, in good to excel. cond. for hay trailers or storing crawfish traps, del. avail., \$750-\$2050. T.L. Enright Sr., Sicily Island; 318-389-5395 or 318-282-6299.

6'x10' hyd. dump bed, setting on gooseneck trailer, new tires &

new axles, both for \$4500. Gene Barber, Bentley; 318-452-9287.

53' dry van air ride, 102" wide, 110" high, wood floors, swing doors, \$8000 firm; '00 Freightliner FLD-120 engine, has 340,000 miles, 10 spd., a/c, 60" sleeper, good shape, must go. Dirk Leblanc, Lafayette; 318-455-2761.

Equip. trailer, 18,000 cap. tandem axle, 20' deck, 5' dovetail, elec. brakes, made by Hudson Co, good cond., \$3000. E.C. Bryan, Pineville; 318-640-1598.

1974 40' Lufkin flatbed trailer w/steel sides, \$4500. Chad Helminger, Mansura; 318-964-2380 or 318-201-5767.

1 spoke wheel, 2 seat cart with tack for 12 hand horse, \$300 obo. P.J. Dominique, Church Point, 789-3453.

Wanted: 60,000 lb. capacity equip. movement trailer w/pindal tong hookup. Mike Johnson, Oakdale; 318-335-6089.

Wanted: clamp on metal 3/8" cold roll tarp frame for top of old type 14' Hale stock trailer. R. Rice, Lena; 318-715-9484.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

Heavy-duty steel corral panels, 5x10, \$50; 5x12, \$62; 4" bow gates, \$90; 10" \$130; rd. pens, 40", \$690; 50", \$840; 60", \$990; 70", \$1140; 8" dual axle feeders, \$1950; heavy-duty pasture gates, 10"-16", all include threaded hinges, \$7/foot. Jimmy Carriere, Port Barre; 337-298-5943.

Hay ring, \$20; gates, 4', 8', 12', 14', \$3/ft.; gate latches, \$5/1; shock box, \$25; water level valves, \$10; 6" auger, \$25; 24" auger, \$75. Bruce Donnell, Carencro; 337-896-8678.

Shamford generator w/JD engine/ 0 hours, single phase, \$15,000; 600 amp Cutler hammer transfer, \$4000. Sue Alford, Marion; 318-368-9347/235-1612.

Hog traps, 4'x8' heavy duty, self contained, \$400; large old log barn, to be removed from premises, hand hewed, \$8000. Miles McNeely, Hornbeck; 318-565-4060.

8 hp yard machine, 3-way shredder, chipper like new, \$300. Eugene Wing, Sulphur; 337-528-9393.

Panels, 8'x16', \$65/1-up; gates, 4'-18', \$60/1-up; water troughs 70-gal. to 300 gal., head gates, auto, \$450; hay rings, open, \$185; closed \$195; creep feeders 650 lb., \$665; 1000 lb., \$850. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer; 318-563-8478.

Blacksmith coal, 100 lb. sacks, \$35. Buddy Leonard, Covington;

985-892-1137.

300 gal., fiberglass waste processing tank. Richard Reeves, Kinder. 337-639-2602.

Propane tank, 500 gal. w/regulator, excel. cond., \$850. J. Bourgeois, Hammond; 225-567-6545.

Roping saddle, 15 1/2", quality made, Santa Fe maker \$625, reining saddle 15 ½", quality made, very good cond., \$350. John Boudreaux, Abbeville; 337-893-6743.

1990 250 Polaris ATV, 4x4, rack, gator tires, never in mud, under shed, good cond., \$1800. Reginald Robertson, Pineville; 318-443-1211.

2006 800 Suzuki Boulevard, low miles, chromed out, lots of extras, great cond., extended warranty, \$8000. Marlene Stewart, marlenestewart07@bellsouth.net or 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7981.

3/4", 7/8", & 1" sucker rods; \$10.50, \$11.50, \$12.50 each @ farm, delivery available. T.L. Enright, Sr., Sicily Island. 318-389-5395/282-6299.

Paul hog & sheep scales, good cond., \$800; ground hog portable post-hole digger w/6" auger, good cond., \$1250; 5" pull-type bush hog, good cond., \$300. Mike Morgan, Rayville; 318-728-3207.

1978 Ford F-150, 4x4 for parts or fixer upper, 6" lift 456 positive traction, front & rear end, \$1000. Mike Morgan, Rayville; 318-728-3207.

Heavy-duty steel corral panels, 5'x10', \$50, 5'x12', \$62; 4' bow gates, \$90; 10' \$130; rd pens 40', \$690; 50', \$840; 60', \$990; 70', \$1140; 8" dual axle feeders, \$1950; heavy-duty pasture gates, 10'-16', all include treaded hinges, \$7/ft. Jimmy Carriere, Port Barre; 337-298-5943.

Grooming Mower, 6' side discharge works well, \$350. Bret Burns, Grayson; 318-331-4843.

Electronic livestock scale up to 3000 lbs., on 2'x8' wood platform, can be used on any type of platform, \$600. Danny & Kim Tonaguel, Abita Springs; 985-630-8943/264-0445.

Super shock (2) 55-1000 elec. fence energizers, misc standoffs, wire & insulators \$100/all. Danny & Kim Tonagel, Abita Springs; 985-630-8943/264-0445.

Troy Bilt tiller, 6 hp rear tine, older cast-iron style, was running when put up, 5 yrs., needs belts & some engine work, \$100. Danny & Kim Tonguel, Abita Springs; 985-630-8943/264-0445.

(200) 1x12x12, (600) 2x6x14 band saw cut pine, cured under cover, all boards 40¢/ft. Oris Creighton, Folsom; 985-788-4313.

Shock box, \$25; water level

valves \$10; 6" auger \$25; 24" auger \$75. Bruce Donnell, Carencro; 337-896-8678.

Hay ring \$20, gates 4', 8', 12', 14', \$3/ft.; gate latches, 5/1. Bruce Donnell, Carencro; 337-896-8678.



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

Handmade call ducks, deer, elk & others, made w/local wood & deer horn, deer horn duck call, \$30 to \$75. Buford Day, DeRidder; 337-463-5781.

Gas heaters \$50/1; crocheted afghans, \$50/1-up; hand quilted queen size dbl. wedding ring, yellow w/brown backing, \$400; king

size scrappy patch quilt, w/off wh. backing, \$400. M.A. Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-7428.

148F Cobra CB w/good mic, \$100; BC 780XLT scanner, \$200; newer used HP fax machine, \$50; Troy Bilt tiller, 11 hp, \$1300. Brenda Smith, Kentwood; 985-229-6622.

Bat houses, 4 & 6 chambers, \$50; 24" tall, Craftsman tool chest, \$40; band saw, drill press & many other tools. Brenda Smith, Kentwood; 985-229-6622.

7' barbecue 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.

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, 337-478-2208.

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posted on the Egg Commission's Web site for voting.

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The Louisiana Department of Agriculture & Forestry staff have narrowed down the entries to Egg McMan, Chef Pierre Eggeaux and Thibodeaux D' Eggeaux.

The Top 3 Names selected are

After online name voting has been finalized, cash prizes will be distributed as follows: 1st place winner: \$250, 2nd place winner: \$175 and 3rd place winner: \$100

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Coming Your Way

The Wild and Woolly Alpaca Expo will be held October 25-26 at the Fendlason Community Center at Magnolia Park, 13296 Hwy. 40 in Folsom.

For more information, visit web-site www.wildwoolyalpaca.info.

Silver Spur Riders Club monthly show will be held Nov. 22 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.

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.

The South Louisiana Team Sorting Association will hold the finals of its competitive cattle sorting event Nov. 15-16 at 9 a.m. at the Lamar-Dixon Expo Center in Gonzales.

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

For more information, visit the

Web site www.sltsa.org or contact Lisa Diez at 225-715-3180.

The Louisiana Cutting Horse Association will hold a competition Nov. 15 at 10 a.m. at the Rice Festival Arena in Crowley.

Practice begins at 8:30 a.m.

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

Louisiana Stock Horse Association is sponsoring a show on Nov. 8 at the Shivers Arena in Jonesville.

For more information, contact Judy Weisberger at jweisger@bellsouth.net.

The Calcasieu Horseman's Club will host an All Breed Open Horse Show series on Oct. 26 at the Crowley Rice Arena.

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.

Second Saturday plant sale program will be held Nov. 15 at 9:00 a.m. at the Parkway Partners Greenhouse, 1137 Baronne St.

(corner of Baronne and Clio) New Orleans.

A variety of guest speakers will lecture on horticultural issues.

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

Lyon's Den Ranch Horses and V-Cross Ranch will host the second annual production sale and futurity will be held Saturday, Nov. 1 at the Acadia Multi-Purpose Facility, Crowley.

Futurity begins at 9 a.m. and sale begins at 1 p.m.

There will be more than 25 head of quality weanlings, yearlings, and started 2 and 3 year olds and broodmares offered for sale.

For more information, contact Daniel Lyons at 337-945-0364 or Barrett Lyons at 337-288-0887 or visit www.lyonshorses.com.

Florida Parishes Beef Improvement Association will hold their first Select Heifers Sale Nov. 1 at the Amite Livestock Barn, 58499 Hwy. 51

The sale begins at 4 p.m.

For more information, contact Kenneth Sharpe at 225-686-3020.

The Jena Annual Fall Fest Antique Show will be held Nov. 14 & 15 at the Jena Fair Grounds in

Jena.

Events include a swap/trade meet, tractor pull, tractor games and antique car, truck, tractor and motor show.

For more information, contact Roselea Cooper at 318-992-2206.

The Cajun Canary and Finch Club will host its Big Bird Fair Dec. 13-14 at the VFW Hall, 3314 Richland Ave. in Metairie.

A wide variety of birds, bird seed, cages accessories and crafts will be available.

Admission is \$2 for adults; children under are admitted free.

For more information, contact Pete Foret at 504-835-0805 or Irwin Bourgeois, 985-790-0913.

Carencro Country Christmas Fair and Dance will be held Dec. 6 at the Carencro Community Center, 5115 N. University Ave. in Carencro.

Hours for the fair are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; dance is 8 p.m. to midnight.

Children's parade, arts & crafts, food and entertainment will be available.

For booth rental and entertainment registration contact Margaret Rozas at 337-896-6686 or 337-896-6685 or ptcarencroxmas@aol.com.

Men of St. Joseph's Trail Ride

will be held Oct. 25-26 in the LeBleu Settlement.

The ride will start at 9 a.m. at Adam Chaisson's barn.

Ride entry is \$5. Lunches will be sold, bring your own beverages, auction at noon, wagons welcome.

For more information, contact Jimmy Armentor at 337-912-0101 or Angie Savant at 337-570-7070 or wtrailriders@yahoo.com.

The North Louisiana Vintage Tractor Club will be riding in the Louisiana pecan Festival Parade in Colfax on Nov. 8.

Anyone interested in antique tractors may contact Bill Campbell at 318-627-3552 or bill_camp@bellsouth.net or Bill Little at 318-343-6115 or wvlittle@comcast.net.

Beauregard Parish Surplus Auction will be held Nov. 15 at 9 a.m. at the DeRidder Airport in DeRidder.

Pedersen & Pedersen and Havard Sale Management are the auctioneers.

Heavy equipment, trucks, trailers, industrial and farm machinery will be available.

For more information, call 337-494-1333 or mikepedersen1@aol.com.

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The team of Daniel Westcott and Gary White, certified arborists from the Georgia Forestry Commission, didn't have to walk very far in the Magnolia Woods neighborhood before they spotted a tall pine tree with broken branches hanging in a tree over the sidewalk of Boone and Daventry Drive.

"We have to take note of what a city would call a public tree," White said. "It could be a tree that's located on private property but the hangers may be a hazard to the public area."

Westcott is carrying a knapsack on his back that contains a small, but powerful GPS device. Using a hand-held data recorder, Westcott notes the GPS location. He also enters the genus of the tree, size and other information that will help the arborist that will come later identify the tree. For good measure White marks the tree with a green fluorescent paint dot. Trees and stumps slated for removal were dotted with red paint.

"We noted that this hanging branch is 4 to eight inches in diameter," White said. "It's also 26 inches in diameter."

A couple of blocks away on Rodney Drive, Westcott and White identify a large water oak with sizable crown damage and a large hanger stuck in the top branches.

"This is a water oak," White said. "It's the bad boy of Baton Rouge."

"There are a lot of water oaks in the Baton Rouge area and they took a heavy

hit," Revell said. "Water oaks are a problem tree because they are fast growing and tend to break easily."

Revell said the water oak in question was hosting a hanger large enough to do bodily harm should it fall on a passing vehicle or pedestrian.

"It's major hazard," Revell said. "On a clear sunny day big limbs can fall out of a tree. These damaged limbs are definitely something we need to check and there are hundreds in Baton Rouge that need to be identified."

The survey was completed in two and half weeks, Doucet said.

Doucet said the urban forest strike team identified more than 7,000 potential tree hazards in Baton Rouge.

"They either need to be pruned or removed," Doucet said. "There weren't that many damaged trees that had heart rot or decay. The vast majority of trees that fell in Baton Rouge were good healthy trees."

Doucet said the assessment went very well.

"The team was enthusiastic," Doucet said. They met with many homeowners who indicated they were glad the work was being done."

Bivin was grateful for the help. "It was really a big task for us, with all the other emergency situations we're having after Gustav," Bivin said. "We're glad this service was available."

For more information on the Urban Forest Strike Team, visit www.ufst.org.

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"We've come to expect unusual requests, simply because Louisiana has such a reputation for the exotic," Guilbeau said. "Helped arrange an alligator hunt for Jamie and even arranged for him to borrow my cooking pots, burners, charcoal pit and utensils."

"The chef was looking for authentic Cajun cooking vessels and the like. You know those great big pots that every good ol' Cajun family has? That's the authenticity Jamie was looking for," Guilbeau said. "He liked them so much he wants to buy some of his own and ship them back to England."

Oliver and his production crew planned a trip to the Acadiana region to pay a visit to McGee's Landing in Henderson. After Hurricane Gustav ravaged the area Oliver and his crew helped the restaurant get back on its feet.

Oliver teamed up with restaurateur David Allemond and hosted a benefit to help the restaurant reopen. McGee's Landing, a rustic restaurant nestled inside the boundary of the West Atchafalaya Protection Levee, is also a bona fide Cajun boat landing and was one of the first to offer guided swamp tours.

Allemond was forced to shutter his restaurant for more than a month after high winds from Hurricane Gustav caused serious damage to the building.

"After the hurricane I didn't think they were going to come at all," Allemond said. "The roof was completely torn off. The canopy, deck and the east wing of the restaurant were completely destroyed."

Oliver decided to come and help out.

"We were planning to visit Dave anyway but after the hurricane hit I thought it was even more important to go," Oliver said. "So I thought maybe we could go and help him reopen."

More than 150 attended the gala event which was highlighted by the special menu prepared by Oliver and Allemond.

The menu included a sumptuous lump crabmeat salad, followed by the main course of pork loin, sweet potatoes laced with rosemary sprigs, green beans (that's *haricot verts en Francais*), rice dressing and for dessert, a sinfully delicious chocolate bread pudding topped with vanilla ice cream and fresh berries.

Oliver will continue his culinary journey to seven other states. Oliver's documentary, tentatively called "Down and Dirty with Jamie Oliver," is set to air in 106 countries.

Assistant Commissioner of Marketing and Agro-Economic Development Michelle Estay said she was pleased with the effort of the marketing specialists.

"Chef Oliver's visit is exactly the type of thing our marketing department excels at," Estay said. "The LDAF Office of Marketing is here to assist Louisiana businesses and others in product promotion in an effort to expand market share of Louisiana products."

"Whether it is helping a film crew with securing props or filming locations, our marketing office is experienced and knowledgeable. It's what we do. We're here to promote Louisiana agriculture products and expose the rest of the world to our diverse agricultural commodities."

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<p>ASCENSION PARISH Gonzales Ascension Fresh Market Lamar Dixon Expo Center Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p>BEAUREGARD PARISH Ragley Ragley Farmers Market Ragley Historical Square, Hwy. 12 Sat. 8 a.m.- 1 p.m., during peak growing season</p> <p>BIENVILLE PARISH Gibbsland Gibbsland Farmers Market Assoc. Main Street Wed. & Sat. 7 a.m. until sold out June - Oct.</p> <p>CADDO PARISH Shreveport Shreveport/Bossier Farmers Market river front at Festival Plaza Wed. & Sat. 7:00 - 11:30 a.m. June 3-Aug. 26 Oct. 21-Nov. 18, Sat. only</p> <p>CALCASIEU PARISH Lake Charles Charlestown Farmers Market 1001 Ryan Street Sat. 7 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p>Moss Bluff MB Farmers & Crafters Market Sam Houston Jones Pkwy. Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, April-Oct.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>EVANGELINE PARISH Ville Platte Ville Platte Farmers Market 11 East Main Street Fri. 5 p.m.-7 p.m.</p> <p>IBERIA PARISH New Iberia Teche Area Farmers Market Bouligny Plaza Tues. 4-6:30 p.m., Sat. 7-10:30 a.m. year round</p> <p>JEFFERSON PARISH Gretna</p>	<p>Gretna Farmers Market 300 Huey P. Long Ave. Sat. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., all year</p> <p>JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH Jennings Main Street Farmers Market Founder's Park Sat. 7 a.m. - 10 a.m., year round</p> <p>LAFAYETTE PARISH Lafayette Acadiana Farmers Market 801 Foreman Dr. & Dulles St. Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 5 - 10 a.m. Jan. - Dec.</p> <p>Lafayette City Garden Market River Ranch Town Square Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p>LAFOURCHE PARISH Thibodaux Thibodaux Main Street Market La. 1 and Maronge Sat. 7 - 11 a.m.</p> <p>LIVINGSTON PARISH Denham Springs Livingston Farmers Market Municipal Building parking lot Sat. 7 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p>MADISON PARISH Tallulah Tallulah Farmers Market 408 N. Cedar St., Hwy. 65 Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, May-Aug., Oct.-Dec.</p> <p>MOREHOUSE PARISH Bastrop Morehouse Parish Farmers Market 305 E. Madison Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-5p.m., April-Dec.</p> <p>NATCHITOCHES 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</p> <p>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</p> <p>OUACHITA PARISH Monroe Monroe Farmers Market</p>	<p>1212 Washington St. Mon., Wed., Fri. & Sat. 6 a.m.-1 p.m. June - Aug. 19</p> <p>West Monroe West Monroe Farmers Market 1700 North 7th St. Mon. - Sat. 6 a.m. - 7 p.m., April 1 - Nov. 23</p> <p>ST. CHARLES PARISH Destrehan German Coast Farmers Market Parking lot of Ormond Plantation Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p>ST. LANDRY PARISH Opelousas St. Landry Farmers Market 952 East Landry St., Hwy. 190 Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 7 a.m.-11 a.m. Jan.-Dec.</p> <p>ST. MARTIN PARISH St. Martinville St. Martinville Creole Market Evangeline Blvd. & Main St. Sat. 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m., May-Dec.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Mandeville Mandeville Trailhead Comm. Market 675 Lafitte St. Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round</p> <p>TERREBONNE PARISH Houma Cajun Farmers Market of Houma - Terrebonne Tunnel Blvd. & Naquin St. Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-6 p.m., year round</p> <p>WASHINGTON PARISH Bogalusa Bogalusa Farmers Market 500 Block of Columbia St. Sat., 9 a.m.-noon, Jun. - Aug.</p> <p>WEST FELICIANA PARISH St. Francisville St. Francisville Farmers Market agricultural pavilion (4-H Barn) Thurs. 1-5 p.m., May 25-first frost</p> <p>WINN PARISH Winnfield Winn Farmers Market 301 West Main & St. John St. Tues. & Fri. 7:30 - 11 a.m. April 18-Aug. 11</p>
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DOWN AND DIRTY WITH JAMIE OLIVER

By Laura Pursnell-Lindsay

Agriculture and Forestry Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M. said chef and Food Network star Jamie Oliver's trip to Louisiana was a fruitful one.

Oliver, an England native, visited Louisiana's Cajun country as part of an eight-part documentary series he is filming about cuisine in the United States. Each part of the series will feature a different state and he chose Louisiana as his first stop.

"Any time someone is here filming a television program about Louisiana it's exciting, let alone a world renowned chef and TV personality of Chef Oliver's caliber," Strain said. "We know how unique and wonderful the people, culture and food in our state is, but it's great that people around the world will discover what we already know."

Oliver has hosted more than 10 television shows including "The Naked Chef," the program that put him on the map, along with others like "Jamie's Kitchen," "Jamie's School Dinners," "Jamie's Great Italian Escape" and "Jamie at Home." In addition to those programs, Oliver has penned books, owns several restaurants and always has other projects in the works.

Oliver's mastery of global cuisine is well known. The Independent (London) newspaper offered a positive review of one of Oliver's restaurant ventures. "All you need to know about Jamie's Italian - cheeky, practical, good-natured, unpretentious and quality driven

.... It shows you can mass produce the flavours of Italy for the happiness of the high street."

What approach would Oliver take to master the Acadian stylings of Louisiana cuisine?

"My job is to get under the skin of what really is going on and what the people are really like and what the food is really like," Oliver said. "Louisiana has been beautiful, the food has been wonderful and I've learned a lot. The people have been just lovely."

The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry marketing staff along with the state office of Culture Recreation and Tourism (CRT) and others assisted Oliver and his crew along with their endeavor. The veteran marketing staff helped Oliver's crew scout possible locations for shooting the program several weeks prior to Oliver's arrival.

Wayne Guilbeau, marketing specialist for the LDAF was assigned to the task.

"We took Oliver and his crew all over south Louisiana," Guilbeau said. "From Tony's Seafood in Baton Rouge to Poche's Market and Restaurant in Breaux Bridge, Cypress Briar Alligator Processing in Catahoula and other locations in and around New Orleans."

"We have good working relationships with many Louisiana businesses eager to show off their seasonings, products and cuisine."

Guilbeau said no request was too arcane or bizarre.

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Chef Jamie Oliver dishes out the dinner he and David Allemond prepared for a special benefit held at McGee's Landing (top). Oliver and Commissioner Mike Strain take a moment to pose for a photo at Cafe Des Amis in Breaux Bridge.

Now playing at the Pumpkin Patch Theater

The Louisiana Agriculture State Fair Hall is proud to announce the addition of the Pumpkin Patch Theatre, a visual arts feature just for kids, to its array of entertainment features at the State Fair. The film "Hurricane on the Bayou" will be screened at the top of each hour from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

"Hurricane on the Bayou," a documentary directed by Greg MacGillivray, written by Glen Pitre, and narrated by Meryl Streep, offers an emotional, music-driven ode to the vital swamps of Louisiana and undying spirit of New Orleans.

"Hurricane on the Bayou" carries audiences deep into the soul stirring heart of Louisiana — before,

during and after the unprecedented devastation of Hurricane Katrina. Unfolding against the poignant backdrop of the most costly natural disaster in America's history and featuring state of the art CGI special effects depicting Katrina's fury, "Hurricane on the Bayou" follows a group of four musicians, both legendary and rising, as they uncover the electrifying culture of New Orleans, explore the beautiful, alligator filled bayous on airboats, recount their personal stories of Katrina, and most of all, bring focus to the rapidly disappearing wetlands that are New Orleans' first line of defense against deadly storms.

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