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GREENHOUSE GOOD FROM MY HEAD TO-MA-TOES!

In rural St. James Parish, on the east bank of the Mississippi River, sits Romeville, Louisiana. Blink, and you might miss it. Just make sure you turn around and go back... because this small community boasts BIG flavor as the home of Rome's famous hot house tomatoes. One taste and you'll never forget their name.

In the latest episode of LOUISIANA CROP TALK with Commissioner Mike Strain, we visited the greenhouses at Rome's Home Grown Tomatoes. Brothers Fernand and Gayle Rome have been growing hot house tomatoes for almost 60 years and have a loyal following to prove it.

Raised on a farm, the Rome brothers have always grown something. Fernand got into greenhouse farming back in 1967, growing mums for All Saints Day. He did that for 25 years. At the same time, he began growing tomatoes and never stopped, eventually making a name for himself and his tomatoes across South Louisiana.

Fernand was the first of his family to try greenhouse gardening, and it's a good thing he did. Most people think of tomatoes as a summer crop, but with the greenhouse, they can have tomatoes all year, even in cold months when nobody else does. After the spring crop, the Romes start seeds for their fall crop in September and have tomatoes around Thanksgiving through Christmas.

Between all their tomato crops, you can find plenty of other fresh produce in their greenhouses, like shallots, cabbage, turnips, beets, corn, snap beans, cantaloupe, and much more. In addition to selling out of the "tomato



shed" onsite, the Rome brothers sell their tomatoes locally in supermarkets from LaPlace to Baton Rouge. And they have regular customers who won't eat tomatoes from anywhere else.

"My tomatoes have a sweet taste to 'em," says Fernand. "Over the years, we've had

people from all over the world stop in and buy tomatoes." In fact, they once had customers from Australia come by to try their tomatoes.

Gayle says their tomatoes have a good flavor, but that's not all, saying, "People love 'em cause they're juicy, unlike store-bought tomatoes."

There are a million ways to eat tomatoes, and everyone has their favorite. You can't go wrong with the versatile tomato, whether it's sliced raw with a little salt and pepper, tossed in a salad, or cooked into a spaghetti sauce.

"You can't have a sandwich without homegrown tomatoes," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, DVM. "There's truly something about Louisiana tomatoes, especially these grown in the alluvial soil along the river here in Romeville."

So, what's the secret? Fernand says he doesn't know but offers, laughing, "If there is one, I guess the good Lord must have given it to me."

Gayle thinks it has something to do with the soil in St. James Parish but also says they put a lot of time, heart, and soul into them.

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LOUISIANA AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY TODAY

Head's Up: OTC Livestock Antibiotics Will Require Rx Soon

The Department of Agriculture and Forestry wants to make livestock owners aware of an important date coming up. Starting on June 11, 2023, over-the-counter (OTC) livestock antibiotics will require veterinary oversight as a result of a new rule from the Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

The new rule follows the FDA's recommendation that manufacturers of medically important antimicrobial drugs that were previously available over the counter and approved for use in animals (both companion and food-producing, regardless of delivery mechanism) be brought under veterinary oversight or prescription status.

In 2017, OTC antibiotics used in animal feed were moved to Veterinary Feed Directive (VFD) status,



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allowing closer veterinarian oversight of antimicrobial use in animal feeds. At the same time, all over-the-counter antibiotics administered in the drinking water were moved to prescription status.

This new rule concerns the few antibiotics that remained available over the counter in the form of injectables, intramammary tubes, and boluses.

By the June 11 deadline, the labeling of all OTC antibiotics for animal use is required to include the statement: "Caution: Federal law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian," and the purchaser must have a prescription or drug order to buy it."

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Bermuda Small SquarePremium.....	\$250-\$440

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Bermuda Small SquareGood/Premium	\$10-\$13/bale



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ACADIA PARISH

Iota
Iota Farmers Market
Gazebo on Main St, 2nd/4th Sat,
8AM-12PM, closed in Jan

Crowley
Crowley Farmers Market
Located at Tractor Supply
1st Sat, 9AM-3PM, closed in Jan

Rayne
Rayne Farmers Market
Frog Fest Pavilion, 210 Frog Fest Dr
2nd Sat, 8AM-2PM

ALLEN PARISH

Oberlin
Oberlin Farmers Market
228 West 6th Ave
Wed 9AM-12PM, year round

ASCENSION PARISH

Prairieville
Riverside Farmers Market of LA
45020 Manny Guitreau Rd
Sat, 8AM-1PM

ASSUMPTION PARISH

Napoleonville
Barcelo Gardens
211 Franklin Ave
Fri, 11AM-3PM, Jan 14 & 29

AVOUELLES PARISH

Marksville
Marksville Farmers Market
122 E. Mark St
Sat 8-11AM, June

BEAUREGARD PARISH

DeRidder
DeRidder Farmers Market
206 N. Washington Ave
Daily 7AM-6PM, year round

BOSSIER PARISH

Benton
Benton Farmers Market
495 Simpson
Sun 12-4PM

Bossier City
Bossier City Farmers Market
2950 E Texas St
Sat 9AM-1PM, April-Nov

CADDO PARISH

Greenwood
Greenwood Farmers Market
William Peters Town Park
Sat 8AM-12PM, June-Aug

Shreveport
Shreveport Farmers Market
River front at Festival Plaza
Sat 8AM-1PM, May-Aug

CALCASIEU PARISH

Lake Charles
Cash & Carry Farmers Market
801 Enterprise Blvd
Corner of Broad & Enterprise
Tues, 4-6PM, year round

Charlestown
Charlestown Farmers Market
Bilbo St. behind old City Hall
Sat. 8AM-12PM, year round

Moss Bluff
MB Farmers & Crafters Market
Sam Houston Jones Pkwy
Sat. 8AM-12PM, April-Oct

CALDWELL PARISH

Columbia
Columbia Farmers Market
Courthouse Square
Sat. 8AM-12PM, Jun-Aug

CONCORDIA PARISH

Vidalia
Delta Farmers Market
405 Carter St - Old Courthouse
Wed 9AM-1PM, June-1st freeze

EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

Baton Rouge
Red Stick Farmers Market #1
Fifth St & Main St
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Red Stick Farmers Market #2
Pennington Biomedical (Perkins)
Thurs 8AM-12PM, year round

Red Stick Farmers Market #3
EBRP Library, 7711 Goodwood Blvd
Tues 8AM-12PM, Apr-Jul, Oct-Dec

Red Stick Farmers Mobile Market
7717 Howell Blvd,
ExxonMobil YMCA,
Thurs 9AM-12PM, May-Jul, Oct-Nov

Zachary
Zachary Famers Market
City Hall side parking lot
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

EVANGELINE PARISH

Ville Platte
Ville Platte Farmers Market
East Main St
May-Aug, Fri 4-6PM

GRANT PARISH

Colfax
Colfax Farmers Market
8th St near Pecan Festival Building
Sat 9AM-12PM, May-Nov

IBERIA PARISH

Delcambre
Delcambre Farmers Market, Bayou
Carlin Cove, 605 S Railroad St
1st Sat 9AM-1PM, Mar-Dec

New Iberia

Da Berry Fresh Market
520 S. Hopkins St
Wed 10AM-6PM, year round

Teche Area Farmers Market
Main St. Boulogny Plaza
Tues 2-6PM, Sat 7-11AM, year round

IBERVILLE PARISH

St. Gabriel
St. Gabriel Farmers Market
3495 Hwy 75 @ 5755 Hwy 74
2nd Sat, 8AM-1PM
www.stgabrielfarmersmarket.com

JEFFERSON PARISH

Grand Isle
Rotary Grand Isle Farmers Market
Oak Lane
2nd Sat, 8AM-1PM, year round

Gretna
Gretna Farmers Market
Huey P. Long Ave
Sat 8:30AM-12:30PM, year round

Jefferson

Crescent City Farmers Market #1
2614 Jefferson Hwy @ Maine St.
(Ochsner) Wed 3-7PM Oct-Jul

Metairie
Crescent City Farmers Market #2
325 Metairie-Hammond Hwy. @ the
Lake (Bucktown)
Fri 3-7PM, year-round

Lafreniere Park Farmers Arts Market
3000 Downs Blvd, Metairie
Wed, Jan-Nov, 2-7PM
Sat, Dec 3, 10, and 17, 9AM-1PM

JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

Elton
Coushatta Farmers Market
Hwy 190 & Pine St
1st Sat 7:30AM-12PM, Oct-Jun

China Country Farms Roadside Produce
26105 Liberty Cemetery Rd
Seasonal - Call Sarah 337-368-7404

Jennings
Main Street Farmers Market
1333 Elton Rd
Sat 9AM-12PM, March-Dec

Welsh
Welsh Farmers Market
103 W. Grove St
Tues 3:30-6PM, May-Sept

LAFAYETTE PARISH

Lafayette
Acadiana Farmers Market
801 Foreman Dr & Dulles St
Tues & Sat, 5-10AM, year round

Lafayette Jockey Lot Flea Market
3011 NW Evangeline Thrwy
Sat 9AM-5PM, Sun 10AM-5PM,
year round

Farmers & Artisans Market Horse Farm
2913 Johnston St
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

LAFORUCHE PARISH

Raceland
Lafourche Central Market
4484 Hwy 1 at US 90
Sat 9AM-12PM, year round

LASALLE PARISH

Olla
Olla Town Square Market
2990 Front St
Tues 1-5PM, May-Aug 11

Tullos

Town of Tullos Farmers' Market
Corner of S Main & Park St
Fri, 12-4PM, May 1-Aug 28

LINCOLN PARISH

Ruston
Ruston Farmer's Market
220 East Mississippi
Sat 9AM-1PM, year round

LIVINGSTON PARISH

Denham Springs
Livingston Farmers Market
215 Florida St
Sat 7AM-12PM, year round

MADISON PARISH

Tallulah
Tallulah Farmers Market #1
404 N Cedar St, Hwy. 65
Tues, Thurs & Sat, 6AM-5PM
Sat 8AM-12PM, Jun-Dec

Tallulah Farmers Market #2
Court House Square
Tues, Thurs, 6AM-5PM
Sat 8AM-12PM, Jun-Dec

MOREHOUSE PARISH

Bastrop
Morehouse Parish Farmers Market
305 E Madison
Mon-Sat 7AM-5PM, year round

NATCHITOCHE PARISH

Natchitoches
River Front Downtown
Sat 8AM-12PM, Apr-Aug, Oct-Nov

Natchitoches Farmers Market
Mobile Market #1 (City Park)
Tues-Fri 10AM-6PM, Apr-Aug, Oct-Nov

Natchitoches Mobile Farmers Market
Mobile Market #2 (Riverbank)
Mon-Wed 10AM-6PM, Apr-Aug,
Oct-Nov

ORLEANS PARISH

Barcelo Gardens
2301 Gallier St
Sat 10AM-1PM, Jan 22

New Orleans
Crescent City Farmers Market #1
750 Carondelet @ Julia
(Downtown)
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market #2
Uptown Square, 200 Broadway
Tues 9AM-1PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market #3
3700 Orleans Ave
Thurs 3-7PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market #4
Chartres & Piety @ Crescent Park
(Bywater)
Wed 3-7PM, year round

Main gates of Armstrong Park
Thurs 3-7 PM, Mar-Nov

Ouachita Parish

Monroe
Monroe Farmers Market
1212 Washington St
Mon-Sat 6 AM-1PM, May-Nov

West Monroe
West Monroe Farmers Market
1700 North 7th St
Mon-Sat 8AM-5PM, May-Oct

RAPIDES PARISH

Alexandria
Alexandria Farmers Market #1
2727 Jackson St
Tues 3-6PM, year round

Boyce

Boyce Farmers' Market
627 Pacific Ave
Wed 3-6PM, year round

RICHLAND PARISH

Delhi
Delhi Farmers Market
1104 Broadway St
Mon-Sat 8AM-6PM, Apr-Nov

ST. CHARLES PARISH

Destrehan
German Coast Farmers Market 1
Parking lot of Ormond Plantation
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Luling

German Coast Farmers Market 2
1313 Paul Maillard Rd
Wed 1-5PM, year round

ST. HELENA PARISH

Greensburg
St. Helena Parish Farmers Market
6032 LA-10, Greensburg
Fri, 8AM-1PM

ST. LANDRY PARISH

Opelousas
St. Landry Farmers Market
952 East Landry St, Hwy 190
Tu/Th/Sat 6:30-11AM, Apr-Nov

Eunice

Eunice Farmers Market
Second St & Park Ave
Sat 9AM-12PM, May-Nov

ST. MARTIN PARISH

Morgan City
Stephensville Market Rec Park
3257 Hwy 70, Morgan City
2nd Sat, 10AM

ST. MARY PARISH

Berwick
Berwick Town Market
Under bridge at 3rd & Lima St
3rd Sat 9AM-1PM
(Mar-Jun & Sept-Dec)

ST. TAMMANY PARISH

Abita Springs
Abita Springs Farmers Market
22049 Main St
Sun 11-3PM, year round

Covington
Covington Farmers Market #1
609 North Columbia (City Hall)
Sat 8AM-noon, year round

Covington Farmers Market #2
419 North New Hampshire
Wed 10AM-2PM, year round

Madisonville
Madisonville Market
1007 Pine St.
Sun, July 1, 10AM - 3PM
Sun, July 11-Sept 26, 10AM-2PM

Mandeville
Mandeville Trailhead Market
675 Lafitte St
Sat 9AM-1PM, year round

Slidell
Camellia City Farmers Market
333 Erlanger, Old Towne Slidell
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

TANGIPAHOA PARISH

Hammond
Hammond Farmers Market
2 West Thomas St,
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

TENSAS PARISH

St. Joseph
St. Joseph Tailgate Market
Gazebo on Plank Rd
Sat 8-11AM, Memorial-Labor Day

TERREBONNE PARISH

Houma
Cajun Farmers Market of Houma
Naquin St & Martin L. King Blvd
Mon-Sat 6AM-6PM, year round

VERMILION PARISH

Abbeville
Abbeville Farmers Market,
Magdalen Sq, downtown Abbeville
Jun 20, Jul 11, Aug 15, Sept 19,
Oct 17 & Nov 21, 8AM-1PM

Kaplan
Kaplan Farmers Market
Turnley Park, 119 N Irvin Ave
2nd Sat, 8AM-12PM, year round

VERNON PARISH

Leesville
S. 3rd St
Wed 10AM-2PM, Sat 8AM-2PM
Year round

WASHINGTON PARISH

Franklinton
Franklinton Farmers Market
Washington St & 15th Ave
Mon-Sat, 6:30AM-7PM, year round

WEBSTER PARISH

Minden
Market on Turner's Pond
301 Lakeshore
1st & 3rd Sat, 8AM-1PM, Jul-Oct

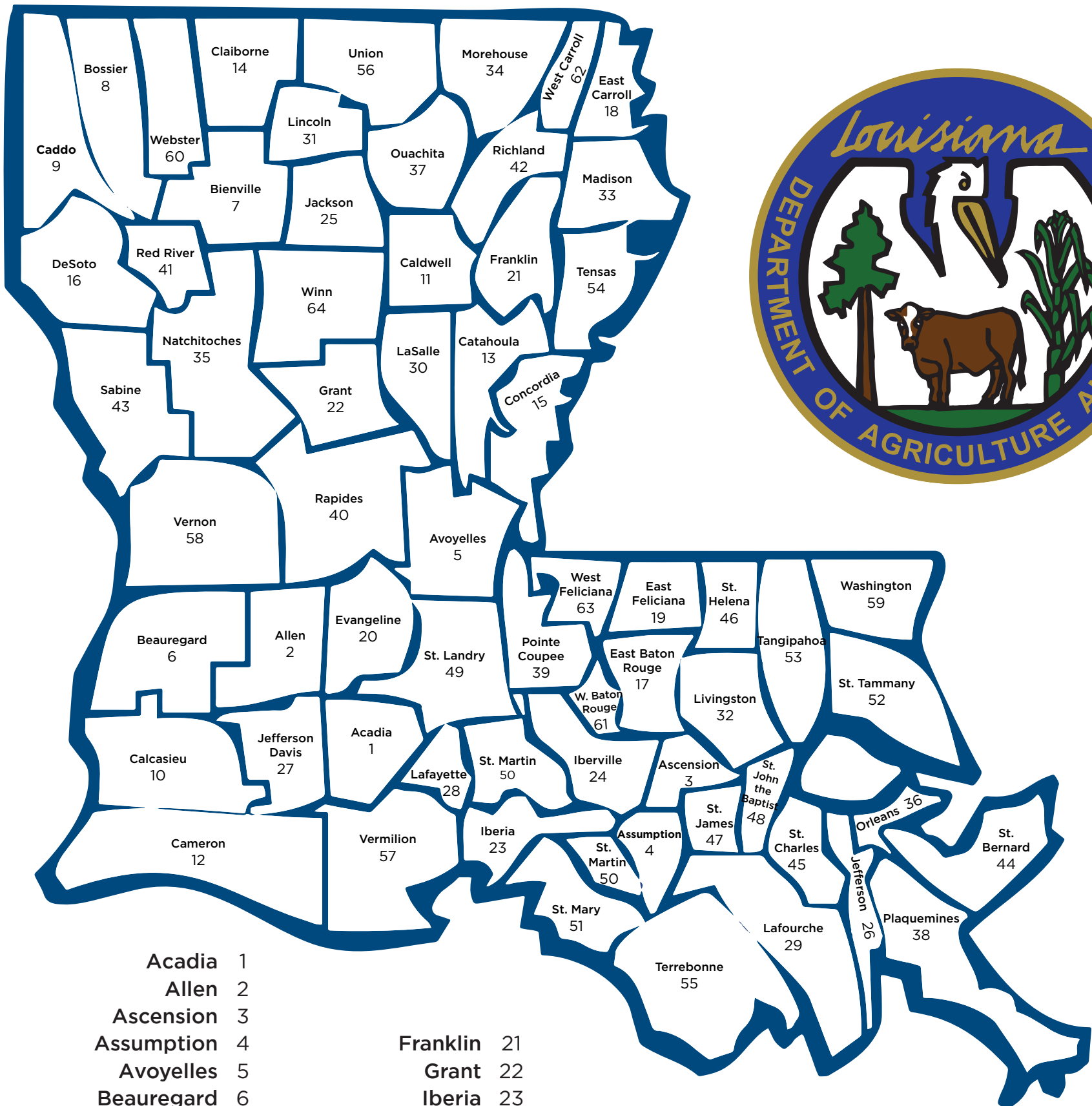
WEST FELICIANA PARISH

St. Francisville
St. Francisville Farmers Market
9992 Wilcox St (Fair Barn)
Thurs 9AM-1PM, May-Nov

WINN PARISH

Winnfield
Winn Farmers Market
301 West Main
Tues-Fri, 7AM-until sold out,
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ATTENTION bull sellers and buyers: All non-virgin bulls and bulls older than 24 months for sale in Louisiana must have a current negative trichomoniasis test from an accredited veterinarian before they may be sold. Virgin bulls must have a breeder's certification of virgin status signed by the breeder, the breeder's agent, or an accredited veterinarian. For more information, contact LDAF Animal Health Services and Food Safety at 225-925-3980 or visit the LDAF website at www.ldaf.louisiana.gov.

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

ANGUS

Reg. Aberdeen angus, (1) bull, \$2,750; (2) cows, \$2,000 each and FB Aberdeen Angus cow, \$1,000. Carla Moore, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-378-7910.

PB Angus, (3)-bulls, 7-9 months old, \$700/each. Clinton Breland, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-515-8883.

Reg. Angus bulls, (6), 16-18 mths., sire Sydgen Trust, Mill Bar, Hickok and Cowboy, up weight 1,100 to 1,250 lbs., all vac., breeding sound tested, \$2,800 and up. Carroll Boudreaux, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-0420 or 337-229-8100.

(2) Reg. Angus bulls, 16-months old, low birth weight, gentle, ready to go to work, \$2,850/each. Eddie May, Caddo Parish; 318-564-3219.

Reg. black angus embryo bulls and heifers, spring 22, top maternal pedigrees Schaff angus valley, Coleman angus and Musgrave, halter broke, \$2,500 and up. Mark Lejeune, Elton, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-526-3520.

Reg. 2-year old Angus bulls, ready for service, pasture raised, limited feed, gentle, easily handled, \$2,500/each. Errol Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

Angus bull for sale, handsome 5-year old, Triple T and Son, semen tested, babies on the ground, \$1,800. Lee Sisk, Saint Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-658-0417.

Reg Angus bred cattle, young, \$1,500/each, up or if all 5 taken, \$7,500. LD Lacour, Robert, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-0441.

BEEFMASTER

Beefmaster bull, 24-mo old Feb 2023, pure bred from registered stock, good bloodlines, top quality and good disposition.

Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

PB Beefmaster heifers, one year old, not registered, \$800-\$1,000. John Belgard, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-286-3010.

PB Beefmaster reg. bull, 8-months, pasture raised, very gentle, top quality. Michael Bergeron, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-423-1324.

Beefmaster bull, pure bred, not registered, 12-months, top quality, great disposition, good bloodlines. Michael Bergeron, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-308-8057.

BRAFORD

Reg. Braford bulls & heifers, 11-months old and up, all vacc. & wormed, home raised, \$1,500 and up. Lloyd Savell, Florien, Sabine Parish; 318-586-7378.

Braford bull, 2-year old, ready to breed, \$2,000. Ryan Danos, Iowa, Calcasieu Parish; 337-304-1262.

BRAHMAN

Reg. Brahman bulls, born 03/12/2021 and 4/22/2021, naturally polled, sired by AI son of LMC Sambo, dams are my two best and most fertile cows, \$2,200 and \$2,400. Clinton Twilley, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-910-0549.

Reg Brahman bulls for sale, 8/12 months old, ready for new home, \$1,800. Jerome Cormier, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-581-8542.

Reg. PB red Brahman cattle, heifers 12-14 months, \$1,800; 20-25 months, \$2,400; bulls 14-19 months, \$1,600; 20-26 months, \$2,500, gentle grain fed. Evert Talbot, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-978-1798.

BRANGUS

(10) Reg. brangus bulls, 2-years old, \$2,750 & up; (10) reg. brangus bulls, yearlings, \$4,000 & up, will deliver. Ronnie Link, Evergreen, Avoyelles Parish; 337-351-2169.

Brangus bull, 5-years old, gentle, \$2,000. Bernard Leger, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-323-9808.

Reg Brangus bull for sale 21 mths, low birth wight bull, never been with cattle, \$2,700. R&R Farms, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-655-9582.

Brangus bulls, 2-3 year olds, dam is a Mound creek cow, sires are MC Revalation 129T and Mr New Blood 50H, \$3,250-\$4,000. Ryan Danos, Iowa, Calcasieu Parish; 337-304-1262.

CHAROLAIS

Charolais bulls, young, for sale Collins, St Landry Parish, 337-277-7375.

Charolais bulls, \$4,000, Charolais cows, \$2,500; pairs \$3,000, Charolais heifers, \$2,000, Charolangus heifers, \$1,500, all vaccinated and branded. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

Reg. Charolais bulls, 18-months old, \$3,500 and up; reg. heifers, bred \$2,500 up; open heifers, \$1,200 and up. Coy Fitch, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-276-5991.

(3) Charolais bulls, 2-3 years old, semen tested, ready for breeding, \$2,500/each. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-6345.

Commercial Charolais, pick up cows, off the top end, \$1,250. Robert Simmons, Noble, Sabine Parish; 318-315-0794.

DEXTER

Mini Dexter, (1) red tipped white heifer, (1) solid black bull, both 13-mths old, \$1,000 for heifer, \$800 for bull, text for pics. Steven Breaux, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-5206.

HEREFORD

Polled Hereford heifer & bull calves, great EPD's, low birth weights, super thick and very gentle, all shots & wormed, 9-17 mos. old, \$1,500-1 & up, delivery avail. for additional charge. Laura Hughes, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-933-2997.

2-year old reg. polled Hereford bull, gentle, \$2,500. Melissa Harris, Trout, La Salle Parish; 318-992-3270.

Reg. polled Hereford bull, DOB 2/2019, LBW, thick stout, easy going, dark red all shots, dewormed, calves on site, \$2,500. Calvin Schenck, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-606-5797.

Reg. Polled Hereford bull, 4-year old, very gentle, great EPD's, sire: R Leader6964 Reg#43500058, \$2,500 firm, calves on farm to view. Shannon Dinger, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-1159.

2.5 year old reg. polled Hereford bull, LBW, very gentle, \$2,500. James Sibley, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-686-2952.

(2) Horned Hereford bulls, born spring of 2022, dark red, nice & gentle, \$1,250/each, call for a view. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.

(15) Reg polled Hereford heifers, 13-14 months old, excellent quality, \$1,675/ each. Jim Fannin, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish; 318-259-4535.

(2) Reg horned Hereford virgin bulls, DOB 12/2020, horns tipped, gentle, easy going, lbw, thick stout, all shots, dewormed, BSE tested, \$3,500/each. Lennie Wales, Hammond, Livingston Parish; 225-294-3198.

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(4) Reg Santa Gertrudis bulls, (1) 18-month old, (1) 17-month old, \$3,250/each, (2) 4.5-year olds, \$2,850/each, all semen tested, vaccinated & wormed, ready to go to work. Saul Broussard, Gueydan, Vermillion Parish; 337-319-5634.

Gentle, Reg. Santa Gertrudis bulls, (2-3) year olds, ready for breeding, excellent bloodlines. Kenny Williams, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-276-6970.

WAGYU

(30) Wagyu, 1 yr. old, 5 mos. old, \$1,000, \$650. W.V. Jackson, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-515-0520.

ZEBU

Reg. mini zebu bulls, cows, calves, show quality, \$500/each. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

DAIRY

5-year old reg. Jersey cow w/ 1-month old Jersey bull calf, three quarter, will raise calves or milk, former 4H cow, \$1,000. Randy Lea, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-5708.

(2) Holstein heifers, 4-months old, off champion bloodline, gentle & halter broke, \$750 for both. Randy Lea, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-5708.

(2)-Reg. jersey bulls, \$900- \$1,200. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

Wanted: 1-2 Holstein cows w/ calf. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

OTHER

Bull calf born Feb 2022, approx. weight is 475 lbs., \$700. Ronald Comeaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-1324.

Butcher calves on feed for approx. 6-months, \$4.25 hanging weight. Gabe Verd, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-264-8448.

(16) heavy bred cross bred young cows, must take 5 or more, \$1,400. Keith Guillory; 337-336-2150.

(2) Angus/Jersey heifers, born on March 2022, (2) purebred Hereford heifers, no papers, \$800/head. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.

Bull calf born Feb 2022, approx. weight 475+ pounds. Ronald Comeaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-1324.

Fresh ground beef, no hormones, vaccines, antibiotics,

4 lbs = \$30, 15 lbs = \$100, 40 lbs = \$265, no shipping available. Keith Guy, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-330-8466.

(1) miniature bull, 4-years old, (3) miniature cows, 5-years old, cows should be bred, \$800 or \$3,000 for all, Dexter highland piney woods cross. Jerry Corley, Trout, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-8101.

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Foundation & Running bred Quarter Horses, imprint as foals, freeze branded & vaccinated, \$3,500-up. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

Young miniature stud horse for sale or trade, \$700. Russell Gautreaux, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-466-2915.

Sorrel, double bred doc olena ranch gelding, 15-years old, \$4,500, call for details. Don Peroyea, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-222-4278.

Very gentle male donkey, 7-years old, great for protecting sheep, goats, & cattle, \$200 cash. Janet Lavergne, 337-230-4167.

Quality cutting & performance prospects by colonels lil scoot, out of good mares, cowy, smart, trainable and athletic, \$2,500-\$3,500. Dave Broussard, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-937-6719.

Reg. (2) AQHA stud colts, very gentle, Royal King top and bottom, \$2,500/each. Errol Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

STALLION SERVICE

(4) foundation bred stallions, \$800/\$10 mare care, before coming mares are required to have a negative Coggins test and vet checked ultrasound. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

(3)-year old chocolate mini/ small jack standing at stud, Elm Grove, LA, \$200 breeding fee, text only please. Sadie Roberie,

Caddo Parish; 318-423-5075.

AQHA WYO-Blue Buddy, born July 03, 2012, blue roan stallion, Reg.#5505700, \$500. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AQHA horse, Peppi Figure Four, #5403078 BD, foundation bred stud, 4/20/11, bay roan, health cert. & neg. Coggins required, \$500/\$8 mare. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

EQUINE SERVICES

Equine weanling/ yearling desensitization and groundwork, two week sessions. Perry Fontenot, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-3844.

Honey Do Farms, Western lessons, birthday pony parties, traveling petting zoo, summer camps. Kori Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777.

5B Breaking & Training, AQHA Professional Horseman's Team member, specializing in 2-yr. old & problem horses, developing good broke ranch cow horses, 39 yrs. exp. w/references, covered & outside arena. John Brown, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 225-931-9210.

Twisted T Equine Dentistry, full performance float, \$100/horse. Taylor Lewing, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-880-4890.

Russ Mixon training stables, lessons for ages 5 and up, boarding, leasing, horse training & sales, 50+ yrs., exp., located in Pride. Russ Mixon, Pride, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-9254.

Reining & ranch riding training in Iota, colt starting, finishing, tuning, showing, lessons & sales prep, trained under NRHA pros Dean Brown & Terry Gatte & AQHA judge Chele Mcgaully, \$750/30 hay & feed included. Taryn Mcspadden, Iota, Acadia Parish; 337-532-3966.

Ron's Horseshoeing, shoeing & trimming, all breeds of horses over 20 yrs. exp., pro, reliable service. Ron Judice, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-1203.

Free horse training raffle, call me and I will put your name in a jar and randomly pick a winner on April 21!! Calie Chandler, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-451-6764.

TACK

Billy Cook saddle, size 16, used less than 10 times, mint condition, \$1,000. Nell Stuard, Baker, EBR Parish; 225-955-3396.

Show supplies, ropes, halters, load, hay base, etc, make offer. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

Professional saddle repair, custom made tack, used saddles

for sale, cell phone holders, gun holsters, knife sheaths. Ronney Francois, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-945-3628.

Saddle rack, very sturdy, made from 1" & 2" tube steel, holds 6-saddles, 6-blankes, and 5-spots for bridles, \$800. Doug Cornelius, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-301-9859.

SHEEP & GOATS

ADGA Red Nigerian Dwarves, bucks \$200 each, Does \$300 each. Some with blue eyes. Find Megan's Mini farm on Facebook. Megan Bergeron, Pointe Coupee Parish, 225-223-2008.

Nubian Goats, 1 male and 1 female, dairy stock. 2 nubina Saanen mixed dairy stock, both females. Non-registered. The mothers of these are excellent milkers. \$200 per female, \$100 per male. Harry Debusk, Grant Parish, 318-446-1012.

Katahdin/ barbadoe freezer lambs, book now \$110, upon weaning; also, Muscovy ducks for sale, \$30/duck. Sandra Castille, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-7547.

Katahdin ewe, 2.5 year old w/ two ewe lambs at her side, born 3/4/23, \$650, not registered. Rachel Fusilier, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-336-1682.

Katahdin ram, intact, born 05/13/23, nice conformation, pics on request, unregistered, \$200. Rachel Fusilier, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-336-1682.

100% Kiko male goat for sale, solid white w/ blue eyes, micro chipped/tagged, must go, \$800. Steve Lansing, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-931-2856.

2021 Reg Dorper ram, \$400. David Roy, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-4316.

St. Croix sheep for sale. John Bazer, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-9703.

(2) Spanish billy goats, \$250/ each, 1.5 + years old. Aaron Slayter, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

Katahdin ram lambs, (3) super large frame lambs, 4-months old, ready for freezer or breeding, \$160, parents on site. Mike Latiolais, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-7979.e

(2) neutered male pygmy goats, w/ blue eyes, 2-years old, free to good home. Margo Hyatt, Shreveport, Caddo Parish; 318-426-4052.

Katahdin sheep KHSI 100%, registered, 2023, lamb crop, rams, ewes, Midwest champion bloodlines, top genetics, weaned mid to late May, prices vary. Ricky Lobell, Galvez, Ascension Parish; 225-715-9219.

(4) young neutered, small friendly goats, (1) half kiko half brush buck, \$150, young does various ages, some half Nigerian, call for prices. Edsel

Poole, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-630-8144.

2023 Dorper Katahdin lambs, call for info. Harry Latiolais, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-207-9995.

Nigerian dwarf bucks, one proven mature alpine buck, ND bucks are 2-mths old, \$150/each. (text during work hrs please) Eric Jarrell, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 337-353-9550.

Reg. Angora goats, will have doe kids & buck kids available, worm resistant, require shearing, crosses extremely well with typical goats, \$200+ each. Allison Reeves, Dry Creek, 337-375-6364.

Reg. Gulf coast native lambs, will have ewe lambs & ram lambs available, worm resistant, wool sheep, \$250/each. Allison Reeves, Dry Creek, 337-375-6364.

9-month old Nubian boer buck, \$300. Cody Wilkerson, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-379-8938.

Wanted: Toggenburg male goat and a milking nannie goat. Michael Guillot, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-8585.

DOGS

Reg. toy rat terriers, very small, assorted colors, UTD on shots, worming, \$400. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

AKC German Shepherds, born 03/13/2023, parents on site, great disposition, (10) to choose from, \$500/each. Steve Lansing, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-931-2856.

Rat terrier puppies, (10) pups, \$50/each. Greg Perron, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; day-337-789-7724 or night-337-468-5144.

Anatolian shepherd/great pyrene mix puppies for sale, \$200/each. Dennis Lavergne, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Great Pyrenees (7) puppies, DOB 2/17/23, (4) males & (3) females, shots/wormed, \$250/each, \$100 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

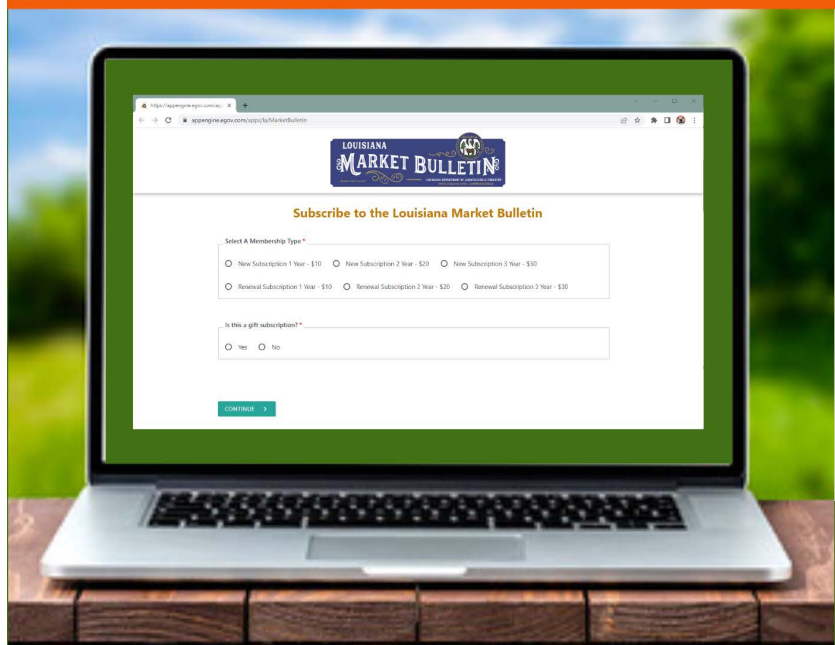
Jack Russell gyp, puppies will be born on 2/18/23, \$150/each, \$50 deposit, will have all shots and wormed, great house or training dogs. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Half Jack Russell, half Rat Terrier puppies, born on 4/9/23, \$150/each, \$50 deposit, 10-in-1 shots. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Reg. Basset hounds, all puppies \$500/each, shots & wormed. Suzanne McAlister, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-0877.

Blue heeler pups, DOB 12/6/22, UTD on shot/worming, ready parents on site, will provide pic. Vic Noto, Blues, Ascension Parish; 225-317-6609.

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AKC European Belgian Malinois pups, excellent bloodlines, easily trained, super well socialized, perfect family protection dogs, \$2,000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

AKC European German Shepherd pups, excellent family protection dogs, easily trained, gets along well with others, \$2000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

AKC small, tri-color male beagle, 3-mths old, silky hair, minimal shedding, loves kids, perfect house dog, \$500. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

Heeler puppies, adorable, smart, making the best companions, first vaccinations, flea treated, & docked tails, \$300 and up. Amber Rabuck, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-4254.

PB CKC German Shepherd puppies, 7-weeks old, first shots, (3) males, (2) females, black & tan or pure white, \$350/each. D. Johnson, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-223-7209.

½ Jack Russell ½ Rat Terrier puppies, brown & white, black & white, silver gray & white, \$100/each. Jimmy Forestier, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-581-9937.

(2) great Pyrenees puppies, 6-months old, \$100/each obo. Arnold Fee, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-451-5277.

Blue eyed gyp Great Pyrenees puppies, (3) males, excellent guard dogs, shots & wormed, \$250/ each, \$100 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AKC Collie (lassie type) tri color, born 1/7/23, great w/ children & adults, mom & dad on site, request pics, \$900 M or F. Dianne Price, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-304-3511.

Reg. Mullin mountain feist squirrel dog, 3-year old male, make offer. Perry Morgan, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-481-8364.

Reg. Mullin mountain feist squirrel dog puppies, 6mths old, (3) males, make offer. Perry Morgan, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-481-8364.

AKC yellow lab born, 7/5/2021, all shots, partly trained, retrievers, geese, ducks, \$1,000. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

F1bb Labradoodles ready to go for February 9th, \$1,200. John Coon, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 985-551-1970.

AKC Golden retriever puppies, vaccinated, healthy and happy, will be ready for Valentines day. Scharrie Robin, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 504-418-6462.

Rat Terrier pups for sale, also have 2-year old, male, Jack Russel looking for a home, free. Harold Vercher, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-447-0244.

Mountain cur squirrel dog. Brenda, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

CKC Shih Tzu pups for sale, 4-mth old, shots & wormed, paper trained, \$600/each. Jean Bradley, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish; 504-737-1234.

Pure Bred collie mother, father is blue merle, puppy is black w/ full white collar, shots, 7 weeks, \$500 firm. 337-466-1445 or 337-457-5467.

Blue/Red Heeler puppies for sale, will be ready around 2/18/23. Bonnie Pontier, 318-359-1757 or 318-359-4519.

AKC Running beagles, off of field champion, come and watch them run before you buy, \$400/each. Albert Poche, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-974-7888.

Anatolian shepherd pups, ready mid-February, \$200/each. Dorsey Dutil, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-967-4000.

SWINE

Reg. Hampshire boar, 7-months old, breeding boar, \$250. Patricia Kuhne, Greenwell Springs, EBR Parish; 225-316-3983.

DOMESTICATED BIRDS

Peacocks, males females, assorted colors, \$200/each. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

Cockatiels \$125, parakeets \$20. Paul Touchet, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-207-7532.

American parakeet breeders, \$20/each, \$30/pair, English budgie young, \$50-\$60, lovebird breeders, orange opaline yellows, blues, and greens, \$90-\$120. Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

Female opaline red rump parakeet, DNA tested, \$200; Blue White tail diamond doves, \$50/each. Donald Jacob, LaPlace, St. John the Baptist Parish; 985-652-6614.

Cockatiels babies in nests, \$75/1, adults, \$100/1, parakeets, \$20/1, fischer love birds, \$100/each, black mask lovebirds, \$100/each, wood nest boxes, \$15/each. Herman Hufkin, LaRose, Lafourche Parish; 985-413-3891.

Ring neck doves, \$5/each, minimum order of 4 doves. Victor Dugas, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-258-7565.

1 oz calcium blocks, \$3/each; 1 oz mineral blocks, \$3/each; 3

oz calcium blocks, \$5/each; 3 oz mineral blocks, \$5/each; unbleached and natural cuttle bone, \$22/lb. Chad Bellanger, Lafourche Parish; 985-387-2580.

Stanleys Rosellas Lutino, \$800/ each; split Lutino males, \$800/each; Golden Eastern Rosellas, visual and split pairs, \$1500/pair. Milford Johnson, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-241-8782.

Green wing macaw, \$2500 and up, Indian Ringnecks, \$600 and up, Quakers Bonded PR \$600, Parakeets, \$25 and up, Button Quail, \$40/PR and up. Dave Kuhnau, Covington, 985-502-4511.

Quail laying pens and homemade raising pens w/ automatic water and feed trays, call for price. Steven Stagg, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-308-0059.

POULTRY & FOWL

Jumbo Pharaoh Quail, starting at \$2 for one yr old. Price increases with age. Contact for more information and what's available. Megan's Mini Farm Megan Bergeron, Pointe Coupee Parish, 225-223-2008.

Barnyard mix chicks, hatching weekly, all come from heavy layers, straight run, \$3/each. Josh Savage, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-2493.

Jumbo Brown Pharaoh quail, 2-weeks old and up, \$2/each and up depending on age. Josh Savage, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-2493.

Jumbo Pharaoh quail, price depends on age. Dennis Lavergne, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

2023 hatched Bourbon Red young turkeys for sale, out of Nashville champion show stock,

\$40. Russel Roy, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-8544.

For sale baby mallard ducks, \$4/each and mixed baby chicks for \$1/each. Natalie Dauzat, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-0382.

Silkies for sale, hatching eggs, \$12/dozen; laying hens, \$35/each; chicks, \$10/each. Dianne Arndt, St. Tammany Parish; 985-630-9558.

Baby Pilgrim geese, \$25/each. Kenneth Fontenot, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-368-3889.

2022 hatch wood ducks, pintail, gadwall and ring teal, \$40/pair; (2) male Canadian geese, \$50/each; extra male ring teal & female galdwell. Russell Bourgeois, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 985-397-0070.

Barred Rock roosters, \$12/ each, Rhode Island Red hens, \$15/each. Kennon Thibodeaux, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2135.

Breeding pair of Chinese guardian geese, 10-mths old, full grown, great for guarding chickens. Sarah Roland, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-324-9664.

Laying hens (3) Rhode island reds, (2) silver laced Wyandotte, (2) barred rocks, \$20/1, chicken coops, \$850 -\$1,000, red metal, wire floor, nest boxes. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Pair white mute swans, 9-mths. Old, \$1500 and extra male for \$800. Skipper Hastings, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-764-3037.

2022 grown guineas, keets pearl, \$15/each. Stanley Stewart, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-241-2269.

RR and BO baby chicks, hatching soon, \$4/each. 225-206-3010.

Grown turkey toms, \$40/each, grown Muscovy drakes, \$10/each, ginger red old English bantams, grown, \$20/pair. W. Lee Wise, Saline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-576-3220.

Blue laced Wyandotte chickens, \$50/PR. Dave Kuhnau, Covington, 985-502-4511.

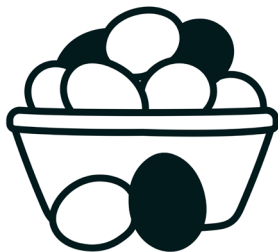
Wanted: Looking for barred rock, Rhode island red, or any common hen ready to lay. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

PIGEONS

Racing Homing pigeons different breeds: Blue Bars and Blue Checks speed birds, Black Eagles, Red, White, and Black and White Blue check Grizzle Trenton birds. \$20/1 Vernon James Champagne Terrebonne Parish 985-873-8440.

Large king pigeons, all colors, \$30/pair. Dennis Lavergne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Pigeons mature birds, \$15 and up/bird, various breeds,



Portuguese Tumblers, Polish Lynx and Prachen Kanix, call for more info. Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

Modena pigeons extra argent males, \$20/1. Steve Pellerin, Abbeville, Vermillion Parish; 337-893-4740.

Racing Homing pigeons different breeds: Blue Bars and Blue Checks speed birds (Janssens), Black eagles, Red and White and Black and white Blue check Grizzle Trenton birds, 20\$ each Vernon James Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish 985-873-8440.

Large pigeons, all mature, breeders, \$10/bird. Larry Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-277-5767.

Mixed breed, king & homer & mondane, \$15/ pairs, \$6/ singles. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Homing pigeons for sale many colors and ages, RED, blues, saddles, stencils, yellow and more colors, PRICE starts at \$20 and up. Larry Landry, Napoleonville, Assumption Parish; 985-414-8220.

Young homing pigeons, banded birds, \$10 for one. Lester Haydel, 225-687-4820 or 225-776-2814.

Pure racing homing, young birds, never let out of pen, \$10/ each. Louis Poche, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-4197.

EGGS

Fresh Barnyard eggs, \$5/dozen or \$7 for 18 count carton. Fertile chicken eggs \$8/dozen. Quail eggs \$4/dozen. Fertile quail eggs \$5/dozen, \$20/50 eggs, or \$40/100 eggs. Megan's Mini Farm Megan Bergeron, Pointe Coupee Parish, 225-223-2008.

Farm fresh chicken eggs, X-large mostly mixed colors, brown, white, pink & green, \$5/doz. Monica Bourgeois, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 504-415-2201.

Fresh farm eggs, \$3.50/doz and med eggs \$2.50/doz. Tracy, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-664-5131.

Quail eggs for sale, fresh are .15 cents/egg, fertile are .20 cents/egg, no deliveries, must pick up, quail chicks available in spring. Larry Champagne, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-332-0622.

Farm fresh chicken eggs, free range, cage free, \$3/doz., quality avail. Barbara Ward, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-576-3639.

RABBITS

Netherland dwarf bunnies, ready for Easter, \$35/1, new zealand bunnies, \$25/1, rabbit hutch 2'6"X5'X5'1/2"X1", wire floor, \$400 cash. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-289-5478.

New zealand & californian, all sizes, live or dressed, virgin breeder does available, \$15 and up. Dale Falcon, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-278-5567.

Bergeron & Borel's Rabbit Ranch, 100% pure large & small rabbits, rabbit cages, also custom builds upon request, text or call before 9.PM.daily. Douglas Borel/Elizabeth Bergeron, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-886-8075.

New Zealand breeding does, \$25/1, New Zealand bucks, \$20/1, Netherland dwarf bunnies, \$25/1, rabbit hutches, 2x5x5, \$400/1. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Flemish Giants for sale, pedigree show rabbits, light gray & fawn. Jeremy Fontenot, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-376-6156.

New Zealand male, 1-year old, \$25/1, mixed breed of different ages. Terry Thibodeaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-7217.

AQUACULTURE

Pond stocking, blue catfish, .45¢/1; channel catfish, 40¢/1; coppernose, bluegill, 35¢/1; Louisiana bluegill, 35¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 40¢/1; red-ear bream, 40¢/1; blk. crappie, 45¢/1; bass, \$1/1; fathead minnows, \$12.50/lb.; del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-1525.

(2) shrimp trolls, w/turtle device, \$375. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

(1) Model L60 Kerian speed sizer, suitable for grading live crawfish. Paul Newton, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-6136.

Crawfish boats for sale, venerable fabricators, older models that need a little work, call or text for pics. Jason Newchurch, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-235-5071.

6" pump, very good condition, \$8,000; 450 gal diesel, \$350/gal; GMC 371 engine, \$4,000, please leave message. Darrell Broussard, Gueydan, Vermillion Parish; 337-224-8517.

Conveyor for Kerian crawfish grader w/drive motor, excellent condition, ready to go, \$5,500. Bill Krielow, Roanoke, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-753-2202 or 337-275-0027.

Wanted: Old shrimp trawls within 30 miles of Hammond, no boards or ropes, no lead line or floats, just the netting, may have tears or holes. Lee, Husser,

Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819 or 985-320-4478.

FARM SERVICES

Stump grinding and ISA certified arborist, consulting, Lic AR1873. James Boureois, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7920.

Rear tire 14.9X24 removed from 580 backhoe, useable, \$175. M. Weeks, Grayson, Caldwell Parish; 318-322-2107.

Fencing & services, installation of farm, agriculture, and commercial fencing, decorative wood, barbed, net wire, pip, pens, etc, will travel to surrounding areas/ out of state. Joe Hensgens, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 985-992-9119.

New slaughterhouse, domestic cattle & hogs, custom slaughter, available by appt. only, state of the art vacuum sealer, call for pricing. Mike Clements, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-726-3946.

Restore pastures & fields, mow, cultivate, eliminate compaction, contouring, plant, install drainage, ponds, roads, paths, walls, fences, harvest & thin trees, stumps, recondition arenas & gravel roads 8" deep. John Cleary, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-634-0074.

Will remove fences for materials, wires, posts, and gates, w/no charge if suitable conditions, locations, and access. George Waltner, Many, Sabine, 318-602-8249.

Cattle penning, working & hauling, portable equip., large or small herd, problem cattle, 50 years exp., will travel. Terry or Jason, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-789-1927 or 337-322-7601.

We build & repair fences, buildings, barns, driveways, & drainage. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

Fence building barb, net, boards, pipe & hotwire, references provided, \$1/ft. and up, fence cleaning, repairs, catch pens, arenas, custom entry ways, free estimates. Ben Baggett, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-370-8254.

Wanted: T.Moise Farms is hiring, looking for individuals who have experience in meat processing, pay based on experience, call today to schedule phone interview. Monica Melancon, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 504-812-1508.

LIVESTOCK BOARDING

Stalls available for rent at the Folsom Training Center in Folsom, stall, walking wheel, breaking arena, feed and tack rooms, use of training track,

\$5/day. Rebecca Mclindon, St. Tammany Parish; 985-237-3950.

Horse boarding, pastures for lease w/ shelter & water. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

Horse boarding, herd environment, \$100/1 per month, multi. feeding options. Kathern Hollifield, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-462-0964.

Horse boarding, pasture & full board avail., new horse facility on 22 acres, vinyl fencing & rope elec. fencing, mare/foal & trailers welcome. Beau or Taylor Fontenot, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-329-5582 or 337-387-9854.

Horse boarding, near Carencro & Evangeline Training Center, 170 acres, feed & hay 2x day, deworming, fly control, covered lighted arena, a/c tack rooms, hot/cold wash racks, wood round pen, walking wheel, outdoor arena, private paddock w/shelter, \$400/month, stalls avail. at additional cost. Bill Langford, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-1535.

Horse boarding, 1.5 miles from I-10, overnight or monthly, 5-acre coastal pasture w/barn, place to work horse & trail ride, \$100/month & up; overnight, \$20/1; two or more nights, \$15/1. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

EQUIPMENT SERVICES FOR HIRE

Forestry mulching, debris clean up, stump grinding and dirt work, will travel, free estimates and reasonable rates. Grizzly Land Services LLC, Quitman, Jackson Parish; 318-533-5097.

For RENT-7-ft till drill, \$100 deposit plus \$8/acre plus \$20/day; feral hog trapping equip w/ camera, \$150 deposit plus \$100/mth. St. Martin Soil & Water Cons. Dist., Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-332-2910, ext 3.

For RENT-7-ft till drill, \$100 deposit plus \$8/acre, plus \$20/day; grass works, 12-ft tractor mount weed wiper, \$100 deposit, \$100/day; feral hog trapping equipment w/ camera, \$150 deposit plus \$100/mth. Lafayette Soil & Water Cons. Dist., Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-262-6601, ext 3.

Brush/land clearing/mulching, stump grinding, dirt work, storm clean-up, call for estimate, will travel. Paul Benoit, Maurice, Vermillion Parish; 337-319-9831.

Dump truck, tractor work, excavator work, limestone, crush concrete, ash, asphalt, dirt, culverts, anywhere, small or big jobs. Alvin Joseph, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-526-1102.

Land prepared, cleared, contoured, fields mowed, mulched, cultivated, trees

removed, recycled on site for mulch, recondition arenas & gravel roads 8" deep, install ponds, roads, walls, fences, sub-surface drainage. John Cleary, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-634-0074.

Dozer & excavator work services, land clearing, limestone, dirt, ponds, crawfish ponds, roads, house pads, culvert settings & level work. Chad Helming, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-5767 or 318-964-2380.

Land clearing, ponds, drainage, bush hogging, and much more, call for a free estimate. Ethan Wilson, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-8489.

Bush-hog & dirt work, clean up brush & fence rows, \$50/hr. John Marcantel, Mittie, Allen Parish; 318-306-1564.

Demo, irrigation, fence line, bush hogging, etc., Mobile Welding or Fabrication. Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadian Parish; 337-368-3624 or 337-526-8825.

Stump grinding, Baton Rouge & surrounding area/parishes, call or text with pictures for details. Peter O'Neal, Baton Rouge, EBRP; 225-715-2284.

Bush hogging, by the hour or job, free estimates. Charles Longino, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-715-4814.

Pasture cutting and small reclaim jobs, reliable, unbeatable price and weekends only, text or call day or night. Derek Schilling, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-939-4402.

Land clearing cleaning, bush hogging, excavator work, price depends on job. John Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777.

Bush hogging, free estimates. Larry Bears, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-501-4349.

Environmental Testing (sewer water & runoff water included), dozer, trackhoe, backhoe & tractor work, \$1000 minimum, state licensed, insured/ bonded. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

NUISANCE ANIMAL REMOVAL

Wooden Armadillo trap, \$40. Don Sayes, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-445-0600.

Hog traps, 8' long x 48" wide x 34" high. (2) push-in gates, \$350. E.E. Colston, Provençal, Natchitoches Parish; 318-472-6490.

Professional licensed trapper, central La. trapping & removal of beavers, coyotes, hogs & other nuisance animals, free estimates. Harry Vermaelen, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-201-5632.

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Must offer 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."

70-acres located west east

Tangipahoa parish, (3) bedrooms house, 30x50 metal building, ponds & creek, hardwood & pines, hunting/farming/ recreation. Jerry Sharp, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-502-4796.

52-acres for sale located in

Washington parish, 90% in open fields and 10% wooded area, great place for a home site and a pond, \$265,000. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

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200 acres of crawfish fishing

waters for rent located in Vermillion. John Miller; 208-354-3571.

Wanted: Looking for 50-100

acres of fenced pasture around Central/ Zachary/ Clinton. Cole Wilson, Baker, EBR Parish; 225-247-3719.

FERTILIZER

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goods by weight or creating packages of commodities to be labeled by net weight must use a legal-for-trade scale. This scale must be registered annually with LDAF Weights & Measures. Call 225-925-3780 or email weightsinfo@daf.state.la.us for more information.

Ag lime, \$30/ton, within a

(100)-mile radius. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

Compost cow manure, \$40/

yard picked up; 18-wheeler loads \$35/yard picked up. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

Chicken fertilizer, call for

pricing, depends on location. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Free horse manure, excellent

fertilizer for gardens, will load in your pick up or trailer w/ tractor. Lloyd Cabellero, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-781-2580.

Cow manure in sacks, call for

more information. Robert, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

Garden compost \$20/scoop.

Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-373-4067.

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Wanted: 2-3 lbs of velvet bean

seed. Jimmie Newsom, Kelly, Caldwell Parish; 318-732-8040.

Wanted: Stephanis seed.

James Gauthier, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-8482.

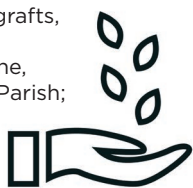
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Ruby Sweet guava, \$10 and up,

grafted pear trees, spalding, leconte, orient, moonnglo & others, \$15, sweet che one year grafts, \$12/ each. W. Lee Wise, Saline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-576-3220



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Measures at 225-925-3780 or weightsinfo@daf.state.la.us for more information.

Taking orders for splits, making

splits first week of April, medium box, bees, queen, brood. Charles Buckner, Webster Parish; 318-562-0887.

(5) bee nucs for sale, nuc

available mid to late April, \$135. Kendall Broussard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-258-9158.

Spring honey bee's swarms,

\$80, taking orders. Stanley Stewart, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-241-2269.

(4) horizontal Langstroth hives

with bees, holds 30 deep frames & feeder, \$300/each. Douglas Harper, Quitman, Jackson Parish; 318-259-8741 or 318-533-0401.

(5) hives with bees, (2) brood boxes, (1) super with honey, inner cover and top cover, \$250/each. Douglas Harper, Quitman, Jackson Parish; 318-259-8741 or 318-533-0401.

HAY & GRAIN

4x5 round bales, baled last year

in barn, Bahia pasture grass, some bales have some Johnson grass in them also, \$25. Andre Billeaud, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-371-9836.

Alicia Bermuda square hay,

fertilized according to soil test, 20 bale min., by appt. only, \$8/ bale. Doug Dorhauer, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-241-0204.

2022 Argentine & Bahia 4x5

round bales covered under a tarp @ \$47/bale, limed & fertilized to a soil test; 2021 square bales at reduced rate. Vernon Russell, Chesbrough, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-6488 or 225-205-0677.

5X6 round bales, mostly bahia,

\$30/each. Tim Gauthier, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3335.

2022 Alicia Bermuda mix,

square bales, heavy, tight, fertilized, cured, no rain, stored in barn, will assist in loading, 30 bale min., \$8/bale, by appt only. Jessie Wheat, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-485-5252.

Mix 30 liquid cow feed, \$1.95/ gallon delivered. Kevin Tyler,



Pine Grove, Livingston Parish; 225-337-3312.

2022 mixed grass cow hay, 4x5 round bales, \$25/each. Dana Guillory, Iowa, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-582-3330.

Bahia grass square bales in

barn. \$8/bale; Bahia grass 5X5 round bales, \$55/bale; under barn, \$65/bale. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-373-4067.

(300) Sq bales, Bahia hay, \$5/

each at barn. Louis Blanchard, St. Amant, Ascension Parish; 225-644-2745.

Clutch for 435 hay bailer,

models that will fit. Ray Lemoine, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-7472.

Round bales \$24/bale, bahia

grass, covered, 2022. Randy Babineaux, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-207-3582.

Bahia hay Pensacola, round

4X5, fertilized to soil test, cut at 6-week interval, stored in barn w/o rain, \$65/roll, square, \$7.50/ bale. Melvin Husser, Loranger, 985-517-1792.

TRACTORS

Ford Tractor - Model 800 Year:

1957. Gas engine, electric start. God condition \$2,800. For more information call Clifton McZeal Lafayette Parish 337-278-9770.

JD 4640 tractor in good shape,

w/ no defects, low hours, w/ (2) spray tanks and duals, very good tires, power shift

transmission, \$16,500 obo. HC Miller, Waterproof, Tensas Parish; 318-481-7270.

2014 JD 5085E-85HP, 12x12 power reverser, JD H240 loader, 6' bucket, 48" pallet fork attachment, dual remotes, 540/540E, PTO, cold AC, heat, Hyd top link, 2005 hrs, \$47,500. Tim Thousand, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-1205.

1979 JD model 2240 tractor, fair condition, runs fine, \$6,500. Thomas Arnold; 225-278-9200.

1942-1956 case VA tractor, 20HP, gas, not running, \$750; 6' land pride box blade, \$950; 8' heavy duty blade, \$350; forks for back tractor, \$450. Shelia Wills, Jennings, West Feliciana Parish; 337-789-0699.

1H Farmall 140 w/3-pt hitch, 4-ft cutter, row builder, middle buster, front & rear cult., fert. distributor, planter, many attachments, \$5,000. Will Plettinger, Weyanoke, West Feliciana Parish; 225-721-4052.

1929 Farmall regular tractor, runs good, on rubber, round spoke front & rear, good tin, needs paint, needed repairs done, very antique, not many around, \$2,900. Phillip Wilkerson, Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-663-0082.

1948 M.moline RTV tractor, restored, excellent trail ride tractor or hobby tractor, has buddy seat, very good rubber, pretty prairie gold color, \$3,100. Phillip Wilkerson, Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-663-0082.

1940 JD B.O. orchard tractor, hand crank, starts easy, runs good, excellent tires, good tin, desirable antique, out of apple orchard, \$6,800. Phillip Wilkerson, Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-663-0082.

1966 Massey Ferguson tractor, 42HP, \$2,000 obo, (4) new tires on wheel, 205x18, \$300. Lurry Laborde, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-9893.

Farmall tractor w/row hippers, cultivators, middle buster, and tool bar, runs very good, excellent for small garden, \$3,500. Jerrold Marks, Arnaudville, St. Martin Parish; 985-991-1991.

White tractor 2155 with cab & air, 160HP w/new allied loader, hay spear, 1,800 hrs, \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Belarus 250 AS, ran fine when put in the barn 20 years ago, low hrs, tires look good, \$1,050 firm. Claude Brody, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-723-4445.

48HP Case 885 diesel & 5' bush hog, \$4,500. Curtis Wittie, Robert, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-662-6142.

Used tractor tires-R1, 2-18.4-30, 50% t, 2-12.4-24. John Smith, Roanoke, Jeff Parish; 337-302-3437.

Ford 3000, diesel, good condition, \$5,000. Dixie Batrous, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-413-7702.

JD 15-ft batwing bush hog, good condition, light farm use, \$6,000. Steve Elkins, Spearsville, Union Parish; 318-245-1453.

1976 Steiger couger 251 III, Cummins, Case HI 496, 32-ft disc, \$35,000 for both. Miranda Fountain, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish; 601-303-3271.

Front grill guard/ bumper for Ford 8 & 9 N and other tractors, heavy duty, in great shape, text or call for pictures, \$80. Linster Guillot, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1705.

706 Farmall tractor, strong tractor w/ heavy 7-ft box blade, \$5,500. Herbert Erwin, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-721-2258.

JD Model D, \$1500, not running, horse drawn sickle mower 350, old 10-ft hay rake, \$800, some old plows. Jimmy Bass, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 337-661-9638.

Case high crop 830 LPG, \$4,500; 1947 JD model H electric start, \$2,500; 1941 JD model B, \$1,200; JD model M. David Bass, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5955.

(1) MV-V-Hi crop; (1)-40JD, for parts; (1) MJD, for parts; (1)-joy air compressor w/70 HP, JD diesel; many JD parts & sheet metal. Paul Miller, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-3777.

Tractor tire 11-2x24 R1, De=horns brand, \$150. Frank Singletary, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-884-0050.

14" bottom plow for cub tractor, fast hitch type, \$150. Joseph Engels, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-1426.

2004 JX75 case tractor/ 7' front loader, 2-wheel drive, low hours, asking \$16,500. Kendall Broussard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-258-9158.

(1) quick hitch, for tractors with category one lower links, \$70. Cecil Clark Sr, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-783-7903.

Ford 2310/Loader 8500. Joe Major, Church Pt., Acadia Parish; 337-945-6960.

For parts or restoration, no implements, \$500. Don Gohmert, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-664-3217.

1952 Super AV Farmall field ready, runs, no smoke, good tires, front & rear cult bars, complete excellent metal, strong tractor, \$4,500, no trades. Kenneth Morris, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-290-5016.

12.4/24 tires on rim, 9.5/24 tires on rim, 11.2/24 tires on rim, for international IH super A and super A 140. Allen Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

International Super and cub (red) for sale, for parts or whole tractor. Allen Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

1984 Kubota L345 2WD tractor, barn kept, roughly 2,000 hrs., runs good, lift arms do not work, paint good, no rust, new seat, \$3,500. Lamar Holmes, Desoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

Massey Ferguson 230, runs good, \$4,000. James Gipson, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-978-3708.

Wanted: 5-ft disc. Raymond Bates, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-5549.

Wanted: Rear tine roto tiller. LeeRoy Duprie, Kirbyville, Newton County TX; 409-423-6778.

Wanted: Allis-Chalmers WD45 (Thomson conversion) for part, s. 21" wheels front, 36" wheels back. Leo Geoffroy, Erath; 337-517-0086.

Wanted: 16.9x30 tractor tires; (2) rear tractor wheels for log

hog tractor. Russell Kettler, Gibsland, Bienville Parish; 318-843-6312.

Wanted: Small garden tractor with all belly mower attachments in good working condition, been kept inside barn. William Palmer, Mansfield, DeSoto Parish; 318-872-0746.

Wanted: (2) rear tires for a late model Farmal Cub, size 8.3-24" on 7"rims. Joe Starkey, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-2962.

CUTTERS & MOWERS

7-ft heavy duty rotary cutter, in good condition, \$2,250. Thomas Arnold; 225-278-9200.

5' Modern cutter for sale, good condition, \$650 cash. Lucius Young Jr, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-937-6294.

15' stalk chopper, 3-pt. rear crazy wheels, extra heavy duty, excellent condition, \$1,999. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

(1) tufline grader blade, GB-4, 7'w/hydraulic cylinder & (2) 6'hoses, excellent condition, \$1,800, nego. John Robin, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-3221.

15' woods mower model, bw 180xHDW, \$7,000. Lester Fournier, Gray, Terrebonne Parish; 985-856-3406.

(2) snapper riding mowers, new tires & battery on one, \$250 for both. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

5' house bush hog, pull type with dual rear leveling wheel, slip clutch, needs tractor end of drive shaft, \$250. Joseph Engels, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-1426.

Woods Model 59C-2, 3-blade finish mower, for cub or low-boy, mower is 8-years old but never used, barn kept, \$500 OBO. Joseph Engels, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-1426.

5' bush hog, excellent condition, \$700. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-356-2094.

Wanted: S-105 5' ditch bank mower, pto, not hydraulic. Michael Duhon, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-298-9952.

PLANTING & TILLAGE

2-row planter, \$500; 2-row hipper, \$500; 5-ft bush hog, \$650; ditch digger, \$450. David McDaniel, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-4079.

W&A 8-row hippers w/Ortham row markers, \$2,000; Taylorway (8)-row cult., 5-plow gangs w/shields, \$800; Ditch Witch w/4-way blade, land boring unit, drill pipe & bits, trailer, excel. cond., \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Sweet potato equipment, 2 and 4 row planters; 4-row hippers rolling cults; lay-by-busters, 20-bushel bins. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

150-gallon single axle pull type sprayer, w/21 folding boom, PTO cast iron roller pump, excellent condition, \$2,800. John Robin, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-3221.

Continental Belton sprayer, good condition, 500-gallon tank, folding boons w/ 30-ft coverage, \$2,500. Steve Elkins, Spearsville, Union Parish; 318-245-1453.

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EASY CRAWFISH DIP

Submitted by Holly Clegg of Louisiana Crawfish Promotion and Research Board

Ingredients:

2 tablespoons olive oil
 1 cup onion, chopped
 1 teaspoon garlic, minced
 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
 1 10-ounce can diced tomatoes and green chilies
 1 cup skim milk
 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
 Salt and pepper to taste
 1 pound Louisiana crawfish tails, rinsed and drained
 1 bunch green onions, chopped

Instructions:

In large nonstick skillet, heat oil and sauté onion until tender, about 5 minutes. Add garlic and flour into mixture, stirring 1 minute. Gradually add tomatoes, green chilies and milk, mixing well. Bring mixture to boil. Lower heat, stirring 5 minutes or until mixture thickens. Add Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper to taste. Add crawfish and green onions, stirring until heated.

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LOUISIANA SPECKLED TROUT AMANDINE

Submitted by Kinloch Plantation

Ingredients:

6-8 10-ounce Louisiana trout fillets
 2 tablespoons creole seasoning
 2 cups flour
 2 cups buttermilk
 ½ cup unsalted butter
 ½ cup blanched and sliced almonds
 1 tablespoon freshly chopped parsley
 1 lemon, juiced
 Salt and pepper to taste
 Kinloch Plantation Pecan Oil

Instructions:

Preheat oven to 350°F. Add ½ inch of pecan oil to cast iron or heavy bottomed pan and heat over medium heat. Season trout fillets with salt, pepper, and creole seasoning. Dredge fillets in flour and shake off excess. Place in buttermilk then back into the flour, shake off any excess. Cook fillets in oil until completely brown, about 5-7 minutes per side. If trout is thick and not completely cooked through, finish cooking in preheated oven for a few minutes.

In a sauté pan, add butter and ½ cup pecan oil over medium-high heat. When butter has completely melted and begins to slightly brown on the sides, add almonds, lemon juice, and parsley. Continue to move butter around until almonds are browned, about 3-4 minutes. Season the sauce with salt and remove from heat. Plate trout and spoon sauce liberally on top.

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PORK ROAST WITH PEPPER JELLY GLAZE

Submitted by Robin's Rockin' Cajun Pepper Jelly

Ingredients:

Marinade:

½ cup apple juice

½ cup cider vinegar

½ cup any flavor Robin's Rockin' Cajun Pepper Jelly

Hot Pepper Glaze:

1/3 cup any flavor Robin's Rockin' Cajun Pepper Jelly

2 tablespoons cider vinegar

Instructions:

Place pork in large self-sealing plastic bag. Heat marinade ingredients together until jelly melts; pour over pork in bag. Seal bag and refrigerate for 12-24 hours. Remove pork from marinade, discarding remaining marinade. Place pork roast on medium-hot grill over drip pan, close grill hood, and grill pork for about 40 minutes, until internal temperature on a thermometer reads 145 degrees F. Stir together glaze ingredients and coat roast with jelly glaze the last 10 minutes of cooking time. Remove roast from heat; let rest about 10 minutes before slicing to serve.

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CLOUDS AND CONFETTI ICE CREAM SANDWICH

Submitted by Mix Makery

Ingredients:

2 baked Mix Makery Clouds & Confetti cookies

1-2 scoops non-dairy ice cream, softened

Toppings such as vegan sprinkles, pecans, or miniature non-dairy chocolate chips

Instructions:

Place one scoop of ice cream between the two cookies and gently press together until the ice cream spreads to the edge of the cookies. Roll the edge of the ice cream in toppings. Eat immediately or wrap individually in plastic wrap and place in freezer bag to enjoy later.

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(1) Mechanical sweet potato transplanter in excellent shape, \$500; (300) plastic sweet potato crates, \$5/each. Todd Cullen, Evergreen, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-3862.

Case IH 3950 (25)-ft. tillage disk, \$17,500. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

New Holland 5' plastic laying machine, \$700. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

Bush hog brand, all purpose, plow, small chisel, model APP60-5-5 shanks, like new, shed cover, can send pics, \$750. Gerald Normand, Evergreen, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-7801.

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4-blade levee plow for sale. Neal Williams, 337-581-5201.

Terrace plow, nine blade, \$6,000. Norman Saltzman, Gueydan, Lafayette Parish; 337-250-7579.

Set of Single row hipers and tool bar, \$250. Joel Tassin, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-9789.

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Rayne grain cart, 248 bushels, \$2,500. Ray Lemoine, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-7473.

3-Grain carts, (2)-Tristate, 250&350bu, (1)-Rayne Grain 250bu, all in good condition, all \$3,000; (2)-combine sieves for JD95, \$250 for both. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

Fuel tank for pick up (100) gal with pump, \$350. Ernie Bruce, Downsfield, Union Parish; 318-366-4525.

3-pt hitch grader blade for 50HP tractor, swivel and tilt. Jim Terry, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-4086.

AMCO ditcher, excellent condition, shed kept, requires a 30HP tractor on up, \$950. Janet Lavergne, 337-230-4167.

2-axle trailer mounted hydraulic seed mixer & loader, used to mix chemicals & auto load seed hoppers on planters, \$2,000. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

1976 Ford F600, bulk grain truck, 30-ft reach boom auger, 10-ton bulk load bed, \$5,000. Tim Gauthier, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3335.

20-bushel sweet potato bins, \$20; chain binders, \$10 and up; gates, 4'-12'-16'. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

Ford 134 cu in gas block, \$195, 8N trans, assy, \$250, new long power steering pump, TX17112, \$170, used 8N-9N parts, \$20 and up. James Degeyter, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-754-7682.

Manure spreader, may be pulled by ATV or lawn mower, \$1,350. Harry Latiolais, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-207-9995.

Cat dozer, D-6C root rack dirt blade, K-Z blade, 9090 under carriage, ready to work, new batteries. Dennis Wink, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 769-232-0963.

Wallenstein BX42 wood chipper, 4-inch capacity, 20-50 HP, gravity feed, \$2,900. Jude Lemoine, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-664-3577.

100 HP International Harvester motor, radiator, and power take off, all self-contained, \$5,000 Gilbert Bordelon, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish, 318-359-3836.

Spray boom, 18' wide, w/(2) 9' hydraulic folding wings, 3-point hitch, broadcast spray rig, \$300. Dale Moreau, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-290-2917.

5th wheel hookup for your pickup, \$80. Delos Thompson,

Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

Front end loader, Buhler Allied 595 loader, single joy stick, 6-ft bucket comes off, very little usage, JD 4020 \$5,200. Dale Denais, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 331-561-9922.

Wanted: Bonic blades, 6-7 ft, at least (3) blades. Will Plettinger, Weyanoke, West Feliciana Parish; 225-721-4052.

Wanted: Old fashioned wooden cistern to be used for educational programs at Westwego Historical Museum. Donations welcome. Contact Museum with questions. Loretta Brehm, Westwego, Jefferson Parish; 504-341-3161.

Wanted: Pecan limb rake. Sam Ringo, Torbert, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-637-2425.

Wanted: PTO post hole digger. Todd Trahan, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-528-3456.

Wanted: Tractor pull behind lime cart, 3-6 ton in rebuildable condition. Larry Bordelon, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-452-8767.

HAY EQUIPMENT

Vermeer R2300 Hydraulic Rake excellent condition \$8,500 Johnny Caraway Lincoln Parish 318-548-6567.

Vermeer Hydraulic Bale fork heavy duty, 3 pt Cat 2 Good

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Hay fluffer FANEX 400, 4-basket, 3-point hitch, \$600 or trade for 2-basket. D. Leger, Hayes, Calcasieu Parish; 337-515-7707.

Hay drum mower mag T-190, 6'3" cut, excellent shape, shed kept, used less than 100 hrs., extra blades included, \$2,800. Janet Lavergne; 337-230-4167.

336 baler, new knotter frame & parts, knotter on baller almost new, parts manual, operator manual & a few extra parts, worked 2-seasons ago, \$1,400. Erik Himmel, Schriever, Terrebonne Parish; 985-226-6196.

NH 273 square baler, bales great, barn kept field ready, \$1,000; NH 451 sickle, mower, great shape, new knife, \$1,000. Chuck Simon, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-5175.

Hay forks, 3-point, \$150; JD hay rake, 662 on dolly gear box, needs to be rebuilt, w/new fingers in box, \$150 (leave message). T. Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

JD 435 round baler, new belts, great shape, \$6,500; Vermeer 7030-9.11 cutter, \$1,500; durbilt 8-wheel rake on catty, \$800, (\$8000 for all). Kenneth Gunter, Tallulah, Madison Parish; 318-282-5564.

Hay forks, 3-point, \$150; JD hayrake 662 on dolly needs

repair, \$150, leave message. Terry Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

Vermeer R2300 hydraulic rake, excellent condition, \$8,500. Johnny Caraway, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-6567.

3-point hitch hay spear for back of tractor, heavy duty, \$150. John Belgard, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-286-3010.

(2) farrowing crates, \$200/ each. Aaron Slayter, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

JET JDM-18 vertical bench milling machine w/h 21 bits, used, good working condition, \$1,500. Aaron Slayter, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

AD, Vermeer hydraulic bale fork, heavy duty, 3-pt cat 2, good condition, \$1,000. John Swindler, New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-937-4694.

NH sickle mower, 7' kept in shed, excellent shape, \$3,800. Wayne Reiners, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-0107.

Vicon RV5101 round baler, has extra wide pickup and a new set of belts put on last hay season, 800 bales on new belts, \$6,500. Jimmy Detillier, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 985-278-2721.

Hay equipment and 895 care inter tractor & other. Frank Singletary, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-854-0050.

3-point quick hitch equipped rd. bale spear, \$150, work saver 3-pt hitch hydraulic rd bale forks, lifts rd. bales, 6-7 ft above ground level, \$1,200. Carroll Trahan, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-3932.

JD 348 sq baler, 9K, JD 630 MOCO cutter, 10K, fella fluffer, \$3500, stackliner 3000, 300 gallon sprayer, \$1,500, negotiable, discounts considered. Carl Stevens, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-505-0706.

10-wheel hay rake for sale, \$500. Richard Leblanc, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-207-9517 or 337-207-9518.

Viking hay cutter, good condition, \$4,000 OBO, Sunset area, David 337-278-0872.

CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

Pipes, 32-ft, 2 7/8", \$1.50/ft; 31- ft, 4", \$2/ft; 33-ft, 5", \$3/ft; channel iron 21-ft, 3/8", \$200; (5) pulling post, 4"x2 7/8", \$10/each. Thomas Harrison, Thibodaux, Terrebonne Parish; 985-448-2349.

(1) Miller bobcat 225 stick welding machine, 11,000 watt generator, 2012 model, 170 hours, \$3,800. Paul Newton, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-6136.

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6.5' cleanout bucket, \$650. Phillip Lamartiniere, Marskville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-1132.

Milwaukee 8" metal cutting saw, new, never used, hard case is dirty, \$240. Joseph Engels, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-1426.

Chicago bricks, \$1/each, 16'galvanized roof siding panels, 29-gauge, \$100/each. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-356-2094.

Miller welding machine w/ trailer. Dennis Wink, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 769-232-0963.

Welding machine, electric, 250 Lincoln, a/c-d/c, 30-feet of leads, \$500. Donnie McManus, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-381-6584.

55 ton press/air over hydraulic, Williams brand, \$600 obo, pictures available. Tommy Pommier, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-5901.

FARM TRUCKS

(4) Dodge Ram factory 18" steel wheels, plus chrome Ram logo, \$100. Gary Horne, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-5251.

New never used fender flares, fits 2010-2017 dodge 2500 & 3500 models, hardware included, \$45. Gary Horne, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-5251.

One 18.4-38 R2 rear tractor tire, one or more 18.4-38 R2 Bias tire rear tractor. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

Tire-LT 275X70X18 Mickey Thompson 75% 10Ply, \$75. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

2002 Dodge dually 3500, 5-speed, cummings diesel, 177K miles, excellent condition, everything works, great tires, ball in bed, power w/l/cruise, leave message. T. Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

Deutz diesel stationary engine 125HP runs good, \$500; Deutz

diesel stationary engine 100HP low hours, \$3,000, screen grinder 16" inlet \$300. David Nichols; 337-302-0434.

Ford F250, 04 Diesel, 4X4, crew 356K miles, bad motor, \$3,200; Toyota Tundra, 06, 4X4, crew, 186K miles, bad motor, \$2,500. Buddy Elliott, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-324-6843.

(4) tires, 275-60R20, taken off new 2023 F150 King Ranch, less than 100 miles on tires, \$600 for all 4. Debra White, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-776-9166 or 318-229-5744.

2002 Dodge dually 350, cummings diesel, 177K miles, excellent condition, great tires, ball in bed, w/l cruise, call for pics, \$17,000, leave message. Terry Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

2007 Allison transmission, 2000 series, only 70K miles on unit, price 550 firm. Larry Bordelon, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-452-8767.

93 Ford, 2-ton trucks, 20-foot, bed with dump for beans or flat bed, \$7,500. Ray Lemoine, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-7473.

1982 351 Peterbuilt for salvage/ parts, \$3,500. Ricky Williams, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 601-810-0735.

98 F700 dump truck, 7-yard bed, \$15,000; GMC 3500 4-door dually w/tool box bed, \$6,000; automatic 2002 Dodge single cab truck, \$4,000. Alvin Joseph, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-526-1102.

1999 freightliner e160 w/40' drop deck trailer, \$30,000. Mona Elkins, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-7792.

Corn wagon for corn pickers, sweet potato crates, single row hipers for super A, produce scale (LDAF approved), lime/fert pull applicator small older type. Kenneth Morris, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-290-5016.

90000 lb B & W fifth wheel hitch, \$650; 25,000 lb. Reese gooseneck hitch, hardware included, was on a Ford F350, \$150. Eric Broussard, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-288-0243.

Chevrolet Silverado 2002, excellent condition, electric seats, windows, everything works, \$4,500. Bob Stevens, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-447-5015.

Wanted: 1.5-2 ton used truck, 4WD, prefer military issue, gas engine, in working condition, body not an issue, price range around \$3,000, within 100 mile radius of Slidell. Ferenc Hajdu, Lacombe, St. Tammany Parish; 985-237-9414.

TRAILERS, WAGONS, & EQUIPMENT

8-ft steel I-beam chassis, many possibilities for use, even a float, tires included. Loretta Brehm, Westwego, Jefferson Parish; 504-340-2198.

10' tilt trailer, \$1000; 91 Firebird V8 motor & transmission parts; old Ford flat-head motor V6 & transmission, best offer; parts for 1977 triumph spitfire convertible car, best offer. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

Large animal trailer, fifth wheel, Bonanza, 16-ft, plus overhead sleeper or storage space, 1996 model, \$5,000. Nell Stuard, Baker, EBR Parish; 225-955-3396.

(8) 5x8 ft trailers, decked, 3.5K axle, new tires & wheels, good for welding machine, BBQ pit, power plant, \$1,000. Ben Clark, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-527-9764.

(1) 70-ft truck dump scale with oil tank, cylinders, \$4,000. Tim Gautreau, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-365-7007.

(2) trailers for sale, (1) 20-ft livestock trailer w/center gate & escape door, \$2,500; (1) 16-ft 2-axle utility trailer w/ramps, \$1,650. Houston Penn, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-355-4891.

Tandem axle trailer w/ 600-gallon tank, good condition, 3.4 HP transfer pump, used to haul liquid cattle feed, \$2,500. Steve Elkins, Spearsville, Union Parish; 318-245-1453.

Truck flatbeds available, bradford built brand, steel and aluminum, skirted and non skirted, New beds in stock, \$5,500. Lacey Mouton, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-250-1810.

Tophat 2005 40-ft gooseneck trailer, with fold down ramps, good condition, for sale as is, \$6,750. Keith Hogan, Baton

Rouge, EBR Parish; 504-495-2200 or 225-938-2620.

16-ft hay trailer, has high front railing for stacking square bales & round bales, dual axles, metal floor & brakes, \$2,500. Mike Bergeron, Ventress, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-324-4225.

Curt 5th wheel hitch, fits GM trucks with puck system, \$300. Phillip Lamartiniere, Marskville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-1132.

20' gooseneck trailer, tandem axles, good condition, \$2,500. Wayne Reiners, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-0107.

14' utility trailer, tandem axles, good condition, \$800. Wayne Reiners, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-0107.

Gooseneck brand brand cattle trailer, 32' long, all redone, like brand new, \$14,000. David Pondville, Donaldsonville, Assumption Parish; 225-413-6449.

White 3-horse w/dressing room, AC unit gooseneck trailer, good condition, 1992, TRMG, well made trailer, solid, hardly any rust, \$4,000. Neil Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-945-9049.

Interstate equipment trailer 19' w/ 5' beaver trail, 25,900 lbs, GUV, needs new deck & lights, \$4,750, pintle hitch, tandem tires. James Bourgeois, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 985-537-3750.

Wanted: Enclosed utility trailer with rear ramp door. Kathy Schexnayder, New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-1116.

Wanted: bumper pull cattle trailer, 12'-16'; 4-wheeler trailers, 4X8-5X10 any condition. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

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Sewing hooks, simplicity's simply the best singer, sewing secrets fitting finesse, sewing with Nancy, sewing step by step, \$10/each. Earline Landry, Roanoke, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-275-8741.

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Black walnut lumber for sale, priced by size, call for more information. David Wood, Ashland, Natchitoches Parish; 318-544-2481.

Cypress wood duck nest boxes, \$45/each; predator guards, \$25/each. Greg "Red" Vidrine, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-230-7295.

Wood duck nesting boxes, all made of cypress, \$40/each. Jimmy Laborde, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-4772.

Giant bamboo for crafts, movie sets, plays, etc., 1.5"-3" diameter up to 40' length, .50 cents/foot. Martin Peacock, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-547-8971.

LUMBER & SAWING

10" industrial delta unisaw, 36L31 w/ saw lift, w/2-factory and (1) custom table add ons, 52" rip capacity, \$2,500. Thomas Marcotte, Marskville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-715-6771.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

Food Grade barrels, blue plastic \$20, metal removeable lid with locking ring \$40. Non food grade barrels (metal solid top) \$20. Burn barrels \$10 Josh Savage Avoyelles 318-359-2493.

Electric fence sucker rods, w/ wire and connectors and electric box, \$375; (2) heavy duty trailer axle for mobile home, \$250; for mobile home tires & rims, \$100/1. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

Factory built portable animal steel & wire cage, 3'x4'x5', excellent condition, \$425. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Gehl silage cutter, Model CB800, 7-ft hayloge header, 2-row corn header, \$3,500. Tim Gautreau, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-365-7007.

1997 Cleaver brooks boiler model, CB-700, 100HP, 480 volts, 3-phase, \$25,000. Tim Gauthier, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3335.

Headgate, \$400; joy stick for front end loader w/ 3rd function on handle, never used, \$200 (leave message). T. Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

Headgate, \$400; joystick for front end loader w/3rd function on handle, never used, \$200, leave message. Terry Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

Squeeze chute new economy plus chutes available, all basic functions, manual, smooth operating and built well, \$3,000. Lacey Mouton, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-250-1810.

Solar feeder, tilt table, & sweep chute, \$4,000. Natalie Mills, Lottei, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-4586.

Miller bobcat welding machine w/365 hours, very good condition, \$3,000. Todd Cullen, Evergreen, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-3862.

Red River galvanized roping chute, never used, barn kept, \$1,800. Kirk Racca, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-501-1786.

Man Saver t-post driver, works with air compressor, \$350; 16' heavy duty pasture drag, \$1,000. Donald Richardson, Winnfield Parish; 318-471-1627.

Windpower 25 K generator, PTO power, original owner retiring, original operational manual, PTO shaft alternator, \$1,350. Clayton Knight, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-3600.

Sucker rods 24' in length, 20 rods @ \$10/each. Tommy Montgomery, Lottie, Pointe Coupee; 225-718-5724.

Chain Link gates (galv), heavy welded pipe frames, 44"Wx71"tall-\$75, 10'Wx68"tall-\$125, hinge/latch hardware included, pics available. Jim Thom, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-983-5006.

Cage 2.6x5x5 tall, on skids, for chickens, quail, or rabbits, ½" x ½" wire floor, pics to show. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

FROM THE FARM

Wanted: Looking for old split rail fencing in any shape, willing

to pay a fair price. Marc Harris, St. Landry Parish; 337-315-1102.

HUNTING, FISHING, & CAMPING

Classified advertisements in this category include ATVs, archery/accessories, boats and equipment, fishing tackle/supplies, sportsmen's leases, fishing/hunting leases and memberships, and guns/accessories.

32 + 3-ft custom built toy hauler camper, built to use as hunting camp (never used), all comforts of home included. Robin Prince, Labadieville, 985-637-6151.

2017 Heartland Prowler 272LX, sleeps (8), clean and well maintained, \$13,000, serious inquiries only, for pics text. James Rogers, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-1995.

Toledo commercial meat saw, excellent cond., new motor, \$1,500; 2-door cooler, excellent shape, \$1,500. Perey Thibodeaux, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-254-7268.

(3) dog box w/storage on tog, \$600 cash. Ray Boudreaux, Leblanc, Allen Parish; 337-658-4391.

1997 Jayco camper, 28', needs tires, last used as a hunting camp, includes (2) 8x30 canopies, \$2,000. Wayne Reiners, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-0107.

Transit City Bus will make a great fixer upper for a camp, \$7,500. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

Deer hunting club near Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish, \$1,200/year and 598 acres, deer, hogs, turkey, rifle & archery hunting, camping allowed. KJ Lodrigue, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-789-1000 or lease@kjun.us.

ATV

2019 CRF 125F dirt bike, excellent condition, \$2,500. Richard Rome, East Feliciana Parish; 225-226-6705.

2002 Honda Foreman 4x4, red, excellent condition, front/back baskets, gun case, winch, steel footrests, 5,400 miles, 862 hours, \$4,000. Randy Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 318-451-2941.

Kawasaki 4010 mule 2009, always kept in garage, good condition, everything works, 860 original hours, \$6,000. Lamar Holmes, Keatchie, Desoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

2011 Polaris 800 side by side w/trailer, \$9,500, clean title, viper mud grip tires, excellent shape. Michael Boone, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-613-6505.

2021 Polaris Northstar Ultimate 1000, AC/heat, AM-FM, navigation, winch, F/R bumpers, LED, 6-seater, camo, 39 miles, electric windows, new, \$32,000. Bob Stevens, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-447-5015.

Wanted: ATV Kawasaki motor for mule or mule parts. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

GUNS & ACCESSORIES

Browning gold camoa, 10 gauge, like new, case 10 gauge shells, \$800 cash. Ray Boudreaux, Leblanc, Allen Parish; 337-658-4391.

Remington SP-10 magnum, \$900; M1 garande springfield, \$1000. James Snell, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 318-623-1984.

10 boxes 45ACP ammo, 250 rounds., hollow point -250 rounds., full metal jacket, \$250 for all; ruger 22 single six pistol, \$325. S Webb, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-254-2265.

50 rounds of 300 weatherby magnum 180 gr. Ammo, \$125. S Webb, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-254-2265.

410 single shot salvage shot gun, old model, like new, \$200. Stanley Stewart, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-241-2269.

Wanted: Stevens Model 177 pump shotgun, 20 gauge or 16 gauge, prefer 16 gauge. Russell Gautreaux, EBR Parish; 225-335-7834.

Wanted: Old Benjamin and Sheridan pellet guns only, working or not working. Russell Gautreaux, EBR Parish; 225-335-7834.

Wanted: M1 carbine 30 cal and accessories. Monica Bourgeois, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 504-415-2201.



BOATS

Push boat for crawfishing, 3'wide, flat bottom, 5'long, 1'high sides, tray to grade crawfish 1" by 7/8", hole at bottom, few cracks. Allen Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

12' long Canaca (green) 32 inch wide bottom rated for 3 persons, good shape. Allen Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

Outboard motor, 25 Merc, 2-stroke, \$1,000. James Payton, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-245-3358.

Wanted: I am looking for a v bottom aluminum 12-14-15' long. Allen Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

AGRITOURISM

Camper/tent rental by day, 1.5- mile woods trail, catch and release fishing, kayaks, waterfall, picnic areas, birthday parties, flowering plants, sinage throughout, professional photographers welcome. Lee, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819 or 985-320-4478.

Farm Bus tour, \$1,000, all inclusive ticket, the tour will go to multiple parishes in Louisiana (EBR, Rapides, Acadia, St. Landry), four day/ three-night tour to six agricultural locations, purchase tickets at heartlandtoursla.com. Taylor McCann, Pineville, Point Coupee Parish; 225-240-3376.

Honey Do Farms offering Western lessons, ages 4 & up, we supply everything, summer camps & birthday parties. Kori Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777 or 337-316-4619.

Gov. Edwards Announces Appointments to Louisiana Rice Research Board

The Louisiana Rice Research Board was created by statute to conduct a program of research for the benefit of the Louisiana rice industry. Rice producers are assessed five cents per hundred weight at the first point of sale. The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry collects the assessments and remits to the Board.

- **Mr. Seth A. Brown** of Cheyenneville was appointed to the Louisiana Rice Research Board. Mr. Brown is a general partner at S&W Brown Farms in Cheyenneville. Mr. Brown was nominated by the Louisiana Rice Growers Association.
- **Mr. Hunter K. Luquette** of Abbeville was appointed to the Louisiana Rice Research Board. Mr. Luquette is with Luquette Farms in Abbeville. He was nominated by the Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation, Inc.
- **Mr. Connor T. Popeck** of Gueydan was appointed to the Louisiana Rice Research Board. Mr. Popeck is the owner of CL Berry Farms LLC in Gueydan. Mr. Popeck was nominated by the Louisiana Rice Growers Association.

LIVESTOCK ANTIBIOTICS, continued from page 2

Prescription-only items will include injectable tylosin, injectable and intramammary penicillin formulations, injectable and oral oxytetracycline, sulfadimethoxine, sulfamethazine, and cephalixin intramammary formulations.

Individuals with veterinary-client-patient relationships, VCPR, may purchase antibiotics directly from their veterinarian or from a distributor with a prescription. Producers who already have a VCPR in place and purchase their animal health products through their veterinary office, or through other distributors under an existing prescription system, will likely notice little change.

However, this may have significant impacts on how the livestock owners can access antibiotic therapy for their animals, so contact your local veterinarian as soon as possible.

It is not advised that you stock up on these products as they have expiration dates and are sensitive to storage time and conditions.

Most vaccines, dewormers, injectable and oral nutritional supplements, ionophores, pro/prebiotics, and topical nonantibiotic treatments will not require a veterinary prescription. However, there are some exceptions.

For more information about the change, visit www.fda.gov to review the FDA's guidance document GFI#263, which includes frequently asked questions.



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1-800-273-TALK (8255)

suicidepreventionlifeline.org

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Call or Text 1-800-985-5990

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Suicide Prevention: Do You Know QPR?

Free Online Training Could Save a Life

Stay Rooted Louisiana is an LDAF program aimed at reducing farm stress. In addition to raising mental health awareness, we provide training and resources to assist with common stressors in agriculture communities. One resource that's good for everyone is QPR training.

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QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer...

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- How to Question, Persuade and Refer someone who may be suicidal
- How to get help for yourself or learn more about preventing suicide
- The common causes of suicidal behavior
- The warning signs of suicide
- How to get help for someone in crisis

The QPR Gatekeeper course is taught in a clear, concise format using the latest in educational technology and practices. The course takes approximately one hour to complete. The training is FREE and open to anyone.

Start the course today:

- Go to qprtraining.com/setup
- Enter the organization code LDAF
- Select "Create Account" and complete the quick registration form to create a Username and Password.
- Once logged in, you can begin training at qprtraining.com

Geaux Book

We've also created the Stay Rooted Geaux Book to help farmers, ranchers, and landowners keep personal and business information in a unified place.

The Stay Rooted Geaux Book is a preformatted Excel spreadsheet that can easily be modified for your operation. Download a free copy today at www.ldaf.la.gov/stay-rooted-louisiana.

Telehealth counseling

Another resource is telehealth therapy and/or counseling. Connect with a licensed therapist from the palm of your hand, and experience the most convenient, flexible way to improve your mental health.

Telehealth can be an effective and practical approach for communication and counseling, especially for individuals living in rural areas where accessing mental health care can be difficult.

Of course it's important to make sure you connect with a licensed therapist. To find one, visit www.lpcboard.org/licensee-search.

Taxes & USDA Programs: Get Help at FARMERS.GOV/TAXES

Filing taxes can be challenging, especially if you are new to USDA programs or running a farm business.

To support farmers and ranchers, USDA is partnering with tax experts from across the country to connect producers to information and resources related to taxes and USDA program payments.

Visit www.farmers.gov/taxes to try the new tax estimator tool. You'll also find resources like pre-recorded webinars on topics such as "Crop Disaster Payments" and "Assistance for Distressed Borrowers" as well as guidance on selecting a skilled tax preparer.

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ROME'S HOME GROWN TOMATOES

continued from front



Aside from that, Gayle admits, “We spend so much time in those houses; we often talk to the tomatoes.”

We may never know what sweet nothings get whispered in that greenhouse, but you can be sure it takes constant care to keep that many tomato plants thriving all year long.

The Romes tend to over 3,000 plants in their seven greenhouses and keep plants at different stages throughout the year. As with any kind of farming, it's a lot of hard work. Especially in the greenhouses, and especially with tomatoes—pruning, staking, tying, checking, spraying—it's time-consuming, manual labor. But the two men say it's in their blood.

“Being a tomato farmer grows in you,” says Gayle. “We ate tomatoes all our lives. It's a nice crop to make.” Fernand agrees, saying, “I love what I do. That's why I do it.”

No doubt many Louisiana home gardeners can relate. Tomatoes are one of the most popular and beloved plants grown in home gardens. And for good reason! Even in a small space, including containers, a tomato plant is a gift that keeps on giving. And there are so many varieties to try and enjoy. Jet star, big beef, fantastic, better



Everyone has their favorite way to eat tomatoes, whether it's chopped in a salad or cooked in spaghetti sauce. For many, it doesn't get better than simply sliced and eaten plain, or added to a BLT or ham sandwich.

boy... there are thousands of different types of tomatoes in all different colors, shapes, and sizes. You can pick and choose the characteristics you prefer and find the ones that grow best for you.

If you're on the hunt for the perfect tomato, be sure to seek out Louisiana specialty crops at grocery stores and farmers' markets near you. When you buy Louisiana crops, not only are you supporting local producers and communities, but you're also getting the freshest, finest, most delicious products out there.

We all know Louisiana is where the good things grow. So, when you shop your favorite grocery stores, roadside stands, and bustling farmer's markets, look for locally grown Louisiana specialty crops like Rome's Homegrown Tomatoes. To find a farmer's market in your area, visit www.usdalocalfoodportal.com.



Go-To Tips for Tomato Success

By Kathryn Fontenot, LSU AgCenter

If you aren't growing tomatoes, you don't know what you are missing. Home-grown, Louisiana-grown are the best! Try at least one plant this year.

Water consistently. Inconsistent water leads to blossom end rot, a disorder that causes the blossom end of a tomato to rot.

Give tomato plants extra nitrogen at the first and second bloom set.

One teaspoon of calcium nitrate or other 15% nitrogen source per plant is adequate. Nitrogen is the first number of the three listed on a bag of fertilizer. The number 15 indicates that the bag contains a product with 15% nitrogen.

Mulch tomatoes heavily to prevent weeds from growing under the plant.

Mulching heavily also prevents soil from splashing onto the lower foliage. Soil that contacts foliage may introduce new diseases to the plant.

Space tomatoes 18 inches apart.

Prune the lower suckers on tomato plants.

On determinate bush types, prune all suckers up to the first flower cluster. On indeterminate vining types, prune all suckers from the ground up to the third flower cluster. Pruning helps increase fruit size and opens the foliage canopy.

Harvest orange to light red tomatoes before heavy rain

especially, if you are a home gardener or small grower not using plastic mulch. Heavy rain will cause maturing fruit to split.

Early blight, a disease that affects tomato foliage, is almost a definite problem every year. To help delay problems, spray copper fungicide on the bottom of foliage for the first two to three weeks that tomatoes are in the ground.

Kathryn Fontenot is an assistant professor and extension specialist in the School of Plant, Environmental and Soil Sciences.



LOUISIANA CROP TALK with Commissioner Mike Strain is LDAF's latest storytelling video series that spotlights our state's unique specialty crops and the amazing people dedicated to bringing us locally grown produce and horticultural products.

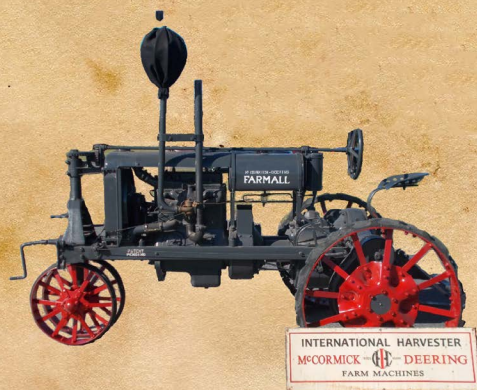
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The annual antique tractor, engine, and truck state show, hosted by International Harvester Collectors Louisiana Chapter 31, is coming up. Head out to the Washington Parish fairgrounds in Franklinton on Friday and Saturday, May 5-6. The event starts at 8 AM each day, and admission is free.

This year, they're celebrating 100 years of the Farmall Tractor, which is an iconic model introduced in 1923 as an all-purpose tractor. In addition to antique and restored tractors and engines of all kinds, you'll find demonstrations, a swap meet, local arts and crafts, Louisiana food, and lots more.

For more information, visit www.IHC31.org or find them on Facebook.



USDA Seeks Nominees to Advisory Committee on Minority Farmers

The USDA is seeking nominations for individuals to serve on the Advisory Committee on Minority Farmers. This committee recommends solutions to challenges faced by minority farmers and ranchers, and is part of USDA's commitment to advance equity for all, especially for farmers and producers in underserved communities. The Committee is administered by USDA's Office of Partnerships and Public Engagement (OPPE).

The Committee was established in the Food Conservation and Energy Act of 2008 to ensure that underserved farmers have equal access to USDA programs. Advisory Committee members will represent underserved farmers and farming communities and should also reflect the diversity of agriculture in geography, size, scale and type of production. Members will include: six or more farmers or ranchers; two or more individuals from minority-serving institutions of higher education; two or more individuals from community-based nonprofit organizations; and two or more individuals with civil rights and equity expertise. Interested candidates may nominate themselves. The Committee consists of 15 members who serve two-year terms and may be reappointed for an additional two terms.

The Advisory Committee will meet no less than once per year to advise the Secretary of Agriculture on: (1) implementation of the Outreach and Assistance for Socially Disadvantaged and Veteran Farmers and Ranchers Program (aka the 2501 Program); (2) ways to maximize the participation of minority farmers and ranchers in USDA programs; and (3) civil rights activities related to participants in such programs. Advisory Committee public meetings may be held in hybrid style giving participants the choice to attend in person or virtually.

All nomination packages received by April 24, 2023 will be considered.

Nominations may be submitted electronically to the Advisory Committee's dedicated email inbox at acmf@usda.gov. Nominations may also be sent via first-class mail to: Advisory Committee on Minority Farmers, Office of Partnerships and Public Engagement, 1400 Independence Avenue SW, Mail Stop O601, Washington, DC 20250.



For more information about nominations, email acmf@usda.gov or visit www.usda.gov/partnerships/advisory-committee-on-minority-farmers.



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POULTRY SALES & SHOWS

Hammond Poultry Swap will be held 1st Sat. of the month at Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd. Only healthy animals. For more information, call Jenna at 225-439-9024.

Poultry Swap and Farmers Market every 1st and 3rd Sat. from 7AM until at the Moss Bluff Tractor Supply. For more information, call Joyce Conner at 337-391-1790.

Abbeville Poultry Sales and Swap will be held every 4th Sunday from 8AM until noon at the Tractor Supply, 3410 Veterans Memorial Drive. No sick animals and no dogs or cats. For more information, call Kenneth Richard at 337-319-5669.

Denham Springs Poultry Swap will be held every 2nd Sat. from 9AM until 1PM at the Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd., only healthy animals, no dogs or cats. For more info, call Daniel at 225-665-9042.

Opelousas Poultry Swap and Sales every 1st Sunday from 8AM until noon at the Tractor Supply, Hwy. 190. No sick animals and no dogs or cats. For more info, call Larry at 337-945-2804.

Reeves Auction and Livestock every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 3PM. Located at 9271 Hwy 190 in Ragley. Includes general merchandise and poultry. For more information, call Danny Reeves at 337-309-9679.

BIRD EVENTS

Acadiana Bird Fair will be held April 15-16, 2023, at the District Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. Admission is \$5 for adults and free for children under 6. For more information, call 337-212-6581 or visit www.acadianabirdclubinc.com.



Mike Strain, DVM Commissioner

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225-952-8143

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337-788-7529

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337-463-7801

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985-543-4057, 4024

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318-949-3225

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Cotton Country Open Horse Show Association — All shows are held at the NE LA Exhibition Center on Hwy 33 in Ruston. For more information, visit www.ccohsa.com.

Deep South Stock Horse Show Association — All shows are held at the covered Clinton Arena in Clinton, with exception of the March and November, which are held at the Pointe Coupee Multi-Use Center. Show dates for 2023 include April 15, May 13, June 24, August 19, September 9, October 21, and November 11. All shows begin at 9AM. For more information visit www.dsshsa.org or find us on Facebook or Instagram. Email: dsshsa@gmail.com

Jeff Davis Riders Club — All shows are held at Crowley Rice Arena and begin at 9AM unless otherwise noted. For more info, call Cathy Meche (337-526-2281) or visit www.jeffdavisridersclub.org.

Livingston Horse Show Association — All shows are held at South Park Arena in Denham Springs unless otherwise noted. For more information, visit www.livingstonhorseshow.weebly.com or call 985-507-0605.

Louisiana Little Britches rodeo — All events are held at the West Cal Arena unless otherwise noted. For more information, visit lalbra.weebly.com or email lalbra@yahoo.com.

Louisiana Stock Horse Association — All shows start at 9AM each day. November 19 & 20 — LaSH Finals, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish Arena For more information, visit www.louisianastockhorse.com or call 337-208-2336.

Louisiana Polled Hereford Association The Bayou Classic Sale will be held Sat., April 8, 2023, at the Tiger Lake Livestock in Mansura, LA at 1PM. To request catalog for the Bayou Classic Sale, contact Dr. Ronnie Bardwell (985-320-8978 or ronniebardwell@gmail.com)

LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

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Kinder Livestock (MON)

13008 Hwy. 190, West Kinder
337-738-2778, www.cattleusa.com

Dominique Stockyard (MON)

1462 Airline Hwy. Baton Rouge
225-356-5203

Amite Livestock Co. (TUES/SAT)

58449 Hwy. 51 Amite
985-748-8636, www.cattleusa.com

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2800 W. Landry St, Opelousas
337-942-5661

Mansura Livestock (WED)

8745 Hwy. 1 Mansura
318-964-5330, www.cattleusa.com

Red River Livestock Auction (WED)

P. O. Box 456 Hwy. 1, Coushatta
318-932-5691, www.cattleusa.com

Delhi Livestock Auction (WED)

774 Hwy. 80, Delhi, 318-878-2394

SHOW ARENAS, BARNES, ETC.

Acadia Parish Rice Arena
159 Cherokee Drive, Crowley
337-783-1442 or 337-384-4500
ricearena@appj.org

Assumption Parish Ag Complex & Arena

119 Robin St., Napoleonville
www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex

Bogalusa Community Arena

20239 Airport Road, Bogalusa

Clinton Covered Arena

14730 Hwy. 10, Clinton
225-316-6779
www.clintonarena.com

D'Arbonne Range Riders Arena

202 Rodeo Rd. Farmerville
www.darbonnerangeriders.com

Morehouse Activity Center

9525 Marlatt St., Bastrop
318-281-3164
www.morehouseactivitycenter.com

SugArena at Acadiana Fairgrounds

713 Northwest Bypass (Hwy. 3212)
New Iberia 337-365-7539
www.sugarena.com

Sweetwater Campground & Riding Stables Arena

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985-878-6868
www.sweetwater-campground.com

Terrebonne Livestock

Agricultural Fair Assoc. Arena
221 Moffet Rd., Houma
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Natchitoches Arsonist Apprehended in NOLA

On March 17, 2023, a Natchitoches Parish man was apprehended in New Orleans by the United States Marshal Service Violent Offender Task Force.

Billy Ellerbe, Jr., of Natchitoches, was apprehended as a result of warrants for separate counts of arson by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) and the Natchitoches Parish Sheriff's Office (NPSO). These charges resulted from a multi-agency investigation between the LDAF Forestry Enforcement Division and the NPSO.

During January 2023, multiple roadside and forest fires were set in Natchitoches Parish. These fires not only threatened timberland, homes, and a cemetery but also obstructed the flow of traffic on I-49 and surrounding roads and overpasses.

Investigators from the LDAF and NPSO made multiple separate attempts to apprehend Ellerbe before he eventually fled the parish. Investigators learned of Ellerbe's location in New Orleans, and the United States Marshals Violent Offender Task Force was called in to apprehend him.

"Arson is a very serious crime and poses a great risk to both life and property," said Louisiana Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Mike Strain, D.V.M. "Whether the arson is unintentional or deliberate, LDAF's Forestry Enforcement Division works closely with partner agencies across the state to bring offenders to justice."

Ellerbe was booked in the Orleans Parish jail as a fugitive and extradited to the Natchitoches Parish jail. He is charged with one count of arson by LDAF investigators for multiple fires set on January 27, one count of simple littering, and an additional count of arson by NPSO investigators for a fire set on February 10. At this time, no bond has been set for the LDAF charges. However, a \$25,000 bond has been set for the NPSO charges.

All persons accused of any crime are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

The public is urged to report all forestry-related crimes to LDAF's 24-hour hotline at 1-855-452-5323.





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LDAF hosted another successful Unwanted Pesticide Pick-up event last month in Napoleonville. In collaboration with the LSU AgCenter, we collected approximately 66,000 pounds of unwanted pesticides that will now be safely and appropriately disposed of through Pollutions Control, Inc.

Bottom right: Jason Anderson, Macy Vizier, and Girus Johnson from LDAF's Office of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences

Below: LDAF's Girus Johnson (center) assisted in pick-up efforts with Bryan Gueltig and William "Tad" Kivett of the LSU AgCenter.



LDAF holds several unwanted pesticide pick-up events each year. Look for the next date here, and be sure to follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/LaAgandForestry.

EVENTS

Moon Trees LIVE video series

Join us every Friday in April for a special video series to learn more about Moon Trees. Three content episodes and a LIVE Q&A on April 28. Send in your questions by filling out the form on the Natural Inquirer website at www.naturalinquirer.org. Learn more at www.facebook.com/NASA

Louisiana Women in Agriculture Conference & Expo

- April 13-14

Randolph Riverfront Center, Alexandria, LA, louisianawomeninag.com

Ponchatoula Strawberry Festival

- April 14-16

Ponchatoula Memorial Park, North 6th St., Ponchatoula, LA. www.lastrawberryfestival.com

**10th Annual Louisiana Farm Bureau LA Land Bank Youth Livestock Show**

- April 21-22

The show will take place at the Lamar Dixon Expo Center, 9039 S St. Landry Ave, Gonzales, LA. Early check in will take place on Friday afternoon from 4-8 PM, Showmanship registration is from 4-6 PM, and Showmanship will begin at 6:30 PM. Check in time will be on Saturday from 7-8:30 AM, with the show beginning at 9:30 AM. No registrations will be accepted on Saturday.

Louisiana Master Gardeners Spring Plant Sale

- Sat., April 22, 8 AM to 1 PM

Annuals, perennials, herbs, pollinator plants, and more! The Bridge Community Church, 2301 N. Trenton, Ruston, LA

Southern Christmas Tree Association (SCTA) workshops

- **April 15, 2023** — SCTA Grower Workshop 1 (LA) at Curry Farms near Rayville with LSU AgCenter.
- **April 22, 2023** — SCTA Grower Workshop 2 (AL) at Wadsworth Farm near Wetumpka with Auburn University.

For more information on SCTA, visit www.SouthernChristmasTrees.org.

LSU AgCenter Sweet Potato Researcher Villordon Receives National Award

Arthur Villordon, a researcher at the LSU AgCenter Sweet Potato Research Station in Chase, has received this year's National Sweet Potato Impact Award for his accomplishments and contributions to the sweet potato industry.

This award was presented recently at the annual meeting of the National Sweet Potato Collaborators Group.

Villordon said he has been involved in growing sweet potatoes since he was a child working in his mom's garden.

"My mom showed me how to plant sweet potatoes when I was in third or fourth grade," he said. "And I have been working with them since."

Villordon said the sweet potato is a challenging crop to work with because it can't be seen until harvest.

Villordon said one of the most exciting findings of his research has been determining which sweet potato roots will become storage roots versus sweet potatoes to be sold on the market.

It takes 120 days from planting to harvest, so having an idea of the crop's potential takes a lot of the suspense out of the grower's life.

"Our studies show that inputs such as fertilizer and water can make a difference in the number of storage roots produced during that 15-day window," he said.

**Central America Inbound Trade Mission to Florida & Summer Fancy Food** Miami, Florida & New York, New York
June 22-24, 2023

Central America and the Caribbean, with their close geographical and economic ties to the United States, have always been an important market for U.S. agricultural exports. U.S. market share in this region averages more than 40 percent, the highest outside of Canada and Mexico. The CAFTA-DR agreement was implemented on a rolling basis between the United States and six Central American and Caribbean trading partners: El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua in 2006; the Dominican Republic in 2007; and Costa Rica in 2009. At a combined \$4.4 billion, the CAFTA-DR countries rank as the seventh-largest agricultural market for U.S. exports. These markets offer great opportunity for Southern U.S. exporters.

Registering for this event will allow companies to meet one-on-one with qualified buyers from Central America in either Florida or those participating or visiting the Summer Fancy Food Show in New York the opportunity to explore these markets at a very low cost.

Participation Fee: \$25.00 – One-on-One Meetings in Miami, Florida (June 22nd)
\$12.50 – One-on-one Meetings in New York, New York (June 24th)

Fee Includes:

- Pre-arranged matched one-on-one meetings with key buyers, importers, distributors, and/or brokers from Central America

Registration Deadline: April 22, 2023 (No refunds for cancellation after this date)

Industry Focus: Food Service Products, Ingredient, Natural/Health, Organic, Produce, Retail Products
Product Description: Suitable products include, but are not limited to: Meat, Snack Foods, Dairy, Tree Nuts, Fresh and Processed Fruits and Vegetables, Prepared Foods, Condiments and Sauces, Pet food

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