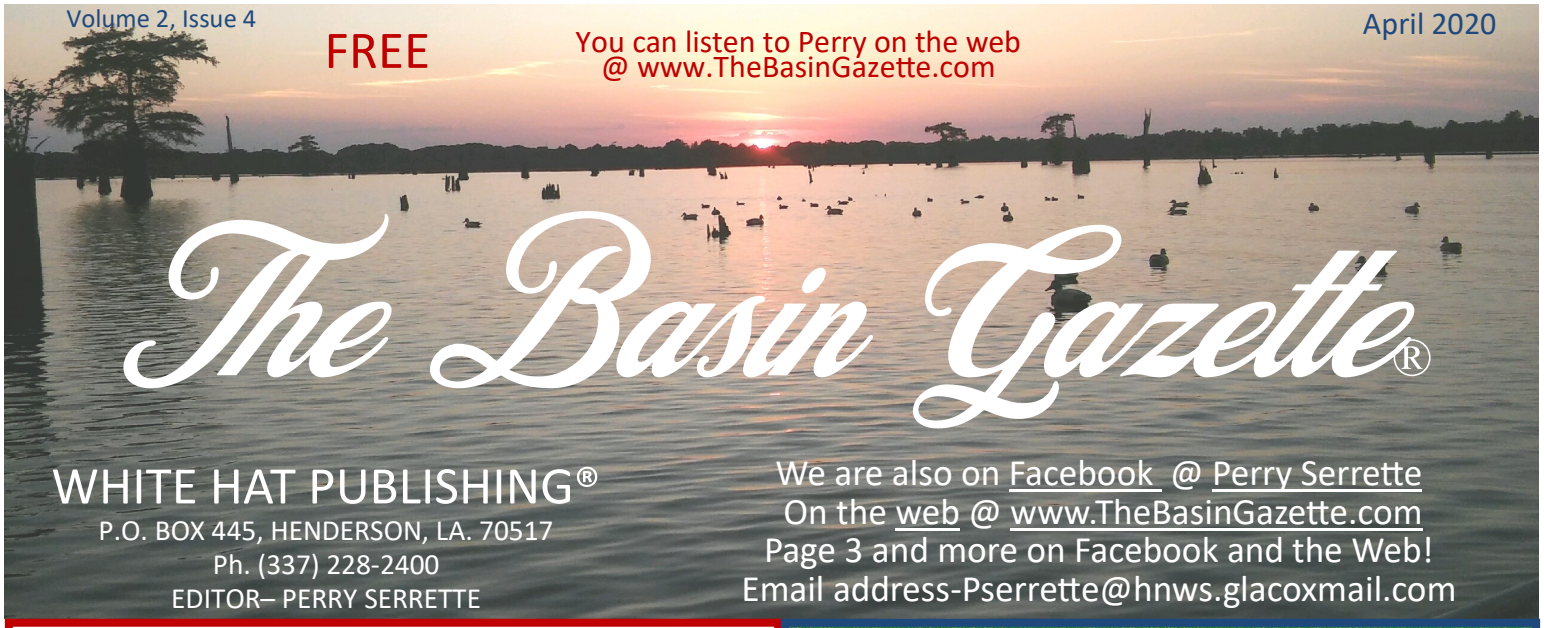
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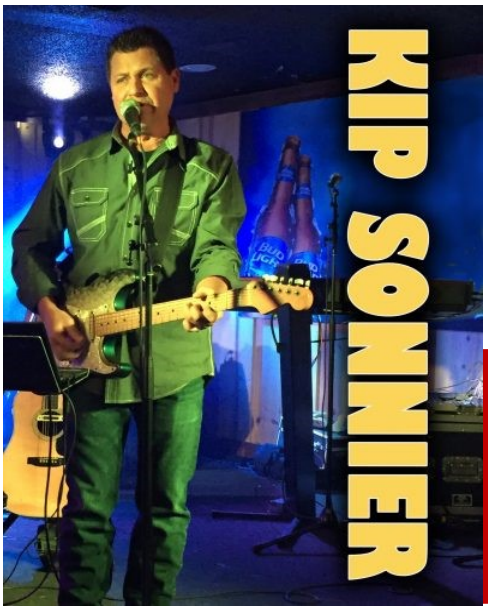


One doesn't have to look deep into the heart of Acadiana, the Cajun country of Louisiana, to find good food, good times and good music. In fact, it can be found in the many festivals, fairs and nighttime hot spots that dot the Central Louisiana map. Here, you'll find, nestled among the steamy swamps and cypress trees, one of the states best kept secrets, Kip Sonnier. As hot as the pepper sauces that spice up the Cajun cuisine, a typical balmy night will offer you something you'd least expect, a not – so – rare helping of hot country music. And on-stage, you'd be likely to find a blistering performance from Kip Sonnier.

Acadiana has produced its share of country greats in recent times and it boasts a tight knit clan of musicians. They share a common love for country music and have played in and out of each others' bands for years, all looking for that perfect meld; the combination of players that will bring success. And all the while each individual improving and becoming focused, diverting their energies in one direction, upwards.

Kip Sonnier is a product of his environment, the same environment that reared the talents and honed the skills of the likes of Trace Adkins, Sammy Kershaw and Virgin Records newest recording artists, River Road.

Kip's musical career started at 15. Originally a drummer, then a bass player for several years, fate put a six string in his hands that he has yet to put down. In his earliest days he was touring the Texas dance hall circuit with a band called Bayou, a band that included Kip, Trace Adkins and Steve Grisaffe, bass player and lead vocalist from River Road. Someone once said "Success breeds success", which in this case is true, because Sonnier later found himself in Roundup, a concerted effort that included Mercury recording artist Sammy Kershaw. Sonnier returned home, a veteran of the road, with the talents to prove it.



Continued from Lords of the Basin, by Kenneth Delcambre

The houses and buildings in Atchafalaya were synchronized with the period, except many of the structures did not have internal walls and were built on stilts. The walls consisted, in many cases, of studs and weatherboards. This fast became an architectural technique due to the rise of the river and fast drying-out process. Water retained inside the walls would cause rotting to take place, therefore, dwellers had to master the problem. Many of those who were interviewed said, the humidity was great.

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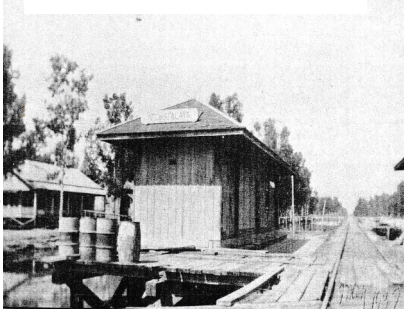
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Lords of the Basin
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The scorching summer heat and air would hover over the basin and the mud was a constant way of life. The winters were cold and very damp. Shoes were not a popular item among the young, therefore much of the pastime of the children was spent removing splinters. Wooden walkways were everywhere. Getting around was like walking on a preplanned, isolated pattern of mazes with the objective to never touch ground but it wasn't always wet and muddy. During the dry spells, the Atchafalaya Baseball Team would practice on a diamond near the businesses and actually participated in league play during the course of the season. The team consisted of: Henry Guidry, pitcher: Tom Bernard, catcher: Dewey Guidry, Xavier Bijeaux, Gus Guidry, Yancy Ramagossa and Bean Bijeaux. Lowell Bernard said, everything there became a way of life. There was nothing to do except work. It was just a handful of people determined to stand their ground and assure themselves that Atchafalaya would prosper and succeed.

But, a new decade was coming in, the 1920's, and Mother Nature's curse of damnation was about to take her toll on the people of Atchafalaya…… and the people chose to stand and hold the ground that had become so parallel to their way of life.

Views of Atchafalaya



The Atchafalaya Depot, built in ca. 1912 Photo taken in May, 1937
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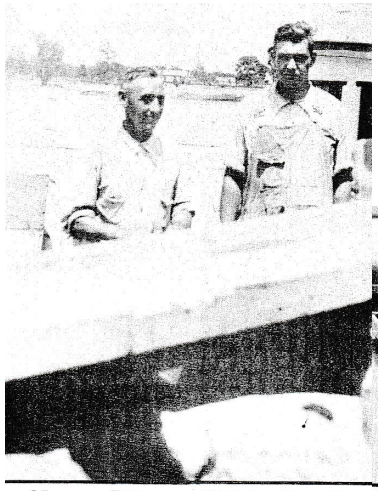
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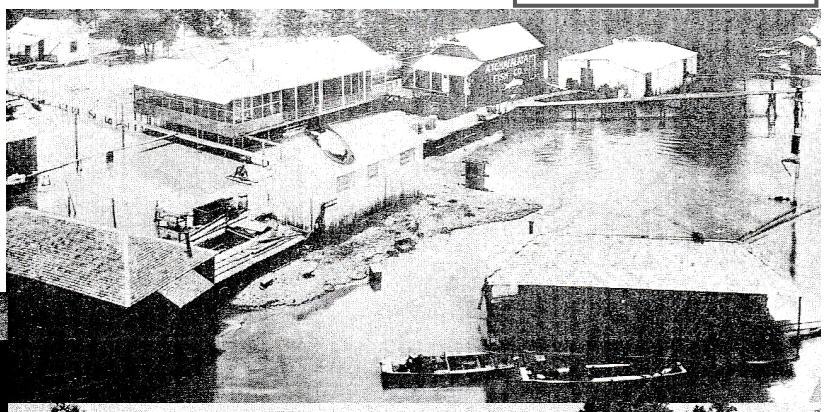
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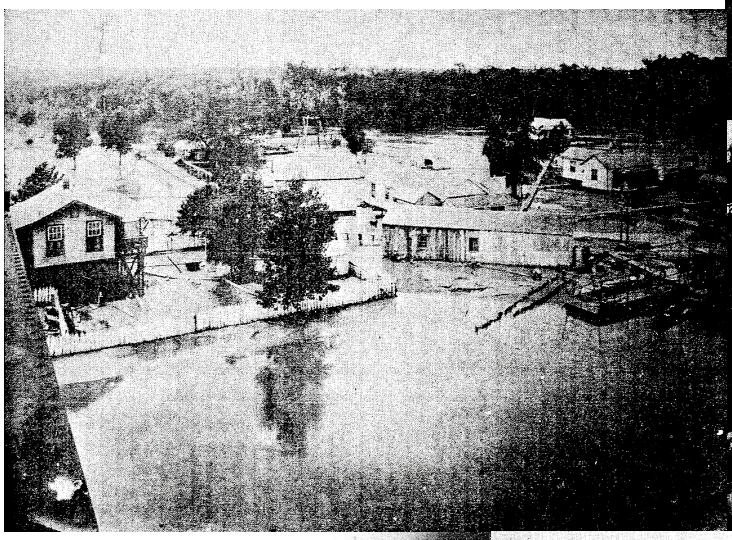
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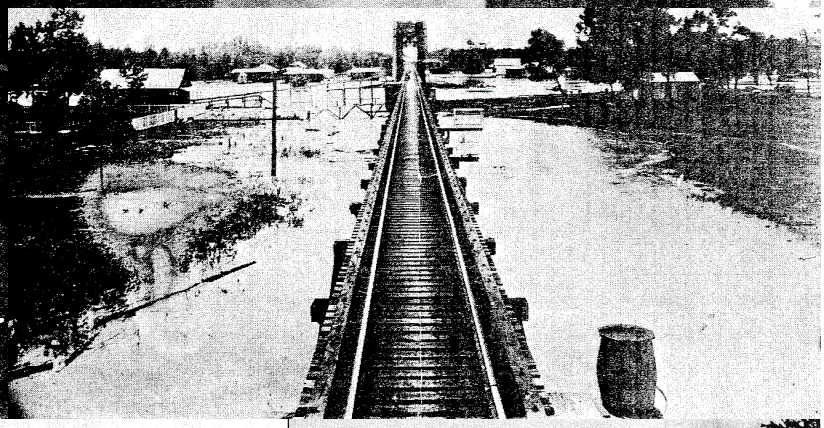


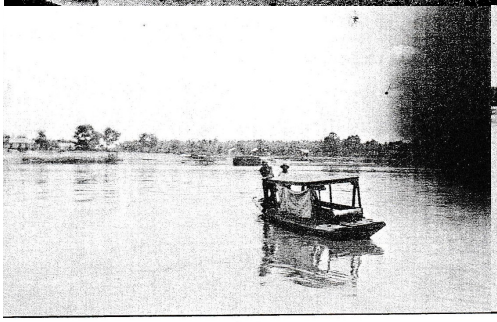
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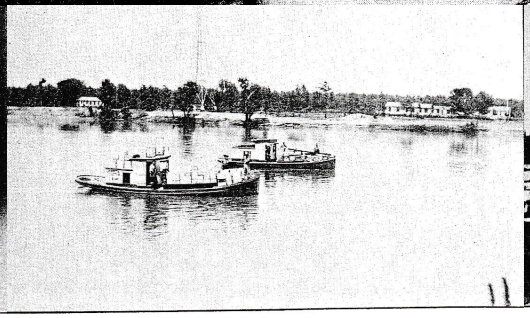




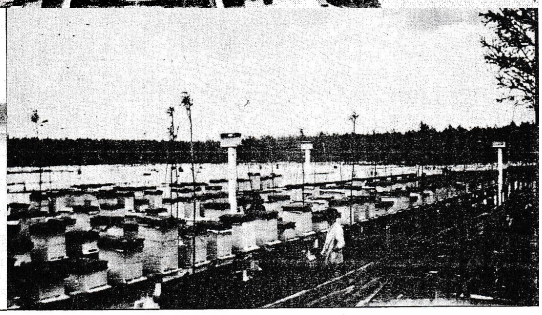




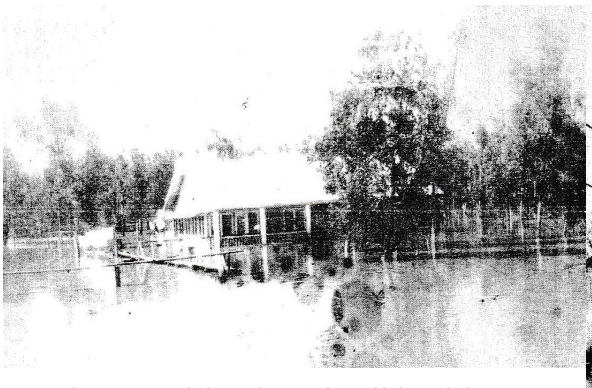
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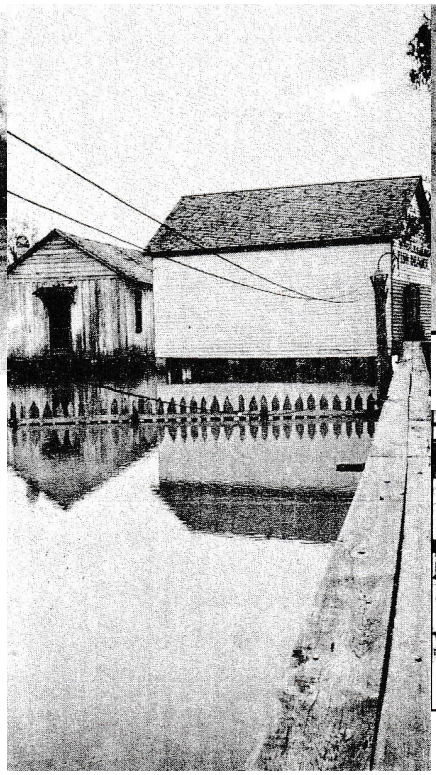


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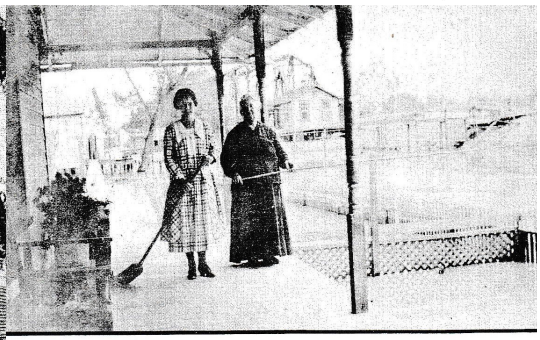


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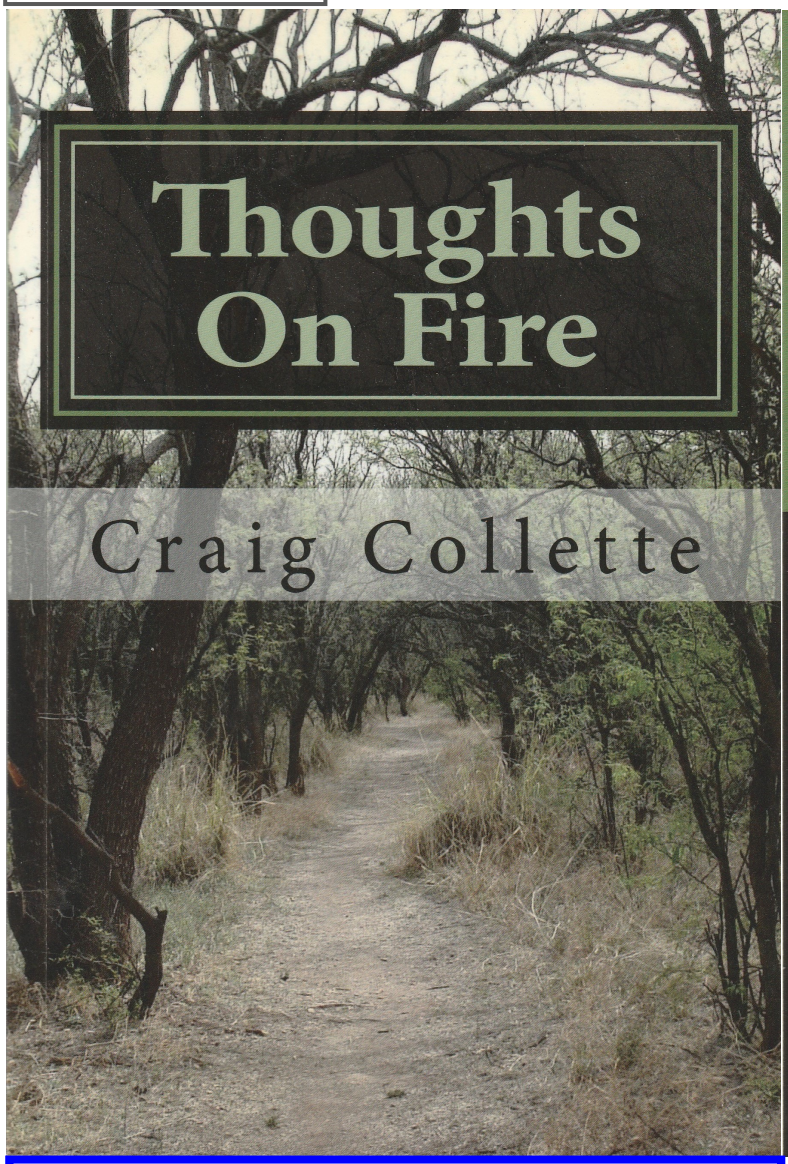
The Neighborhood. All buildings were built on stilts (pilings). At times there was no land to stand on. Some pictures didn't come with explanations. The top three were some. In one you can see the railroad going right through the area. You can see the bridge all the way in the back. It was definitely a water world.



Mrs. Gus Bernard & Mrs. Dora Jackson Bernard



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Atchafalaya children pose for a picture



Life is a journey down many different roads, which like a mosaic, when pieced together make up who we are. Some roads are filled with joy and laughter, others are filled with tears and pain, yet on we travel.

While on this journey we are ever engaged: we dance, we dream, we fly, we paint, we explore, we communicate. In our communicating we put letters together and fashion words. For some of us life weaves these words into poems. They speak of where we've been, what we've seen and heard and felt, and how we are in part shaped by these different stimuli. These poems end up being a big part of our life story. We write them because we must, because we are compelled by something greater than ourselves and because our thoughts are on fire.

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Craig Collette has been writing poetry since first picking up a guitar in 1979 and penning his first song. He enjoys writing in a variety of styles from haiku to free verse, as well as short stories. His topics range from family to fantasy to social issues. While appreciating the art of academia and the technical aspects of writing, his desire is rather to stimulate thoughts and emotions.

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Put me out on the ice to die. Let the snow fall all around me and on me until at last I become a real snowman.

Let the winds of Thor howl and the seal and the walrus cry. Let the great white bear come and carry my soul away.

I have fulfilled my destiny and my purpose and lived the way of my fathers. Never again will my spear pierce flesh, or my lips taste blood and blubber.

Let another have my igloo; I no longer need its warmth and comfort. My woman is gone, I'm not even half of a man; I have outlived both valor and desire.

May my sled carry my children's children and the memory of me live on forever. I'll miss those that I've loved and nourished; I'll miss the feel of the cold sea on my face.

Alas, I go the way of all flesh. I go to the great igloo of my forefathers, But I give myself freely to the cold and die with a frozen teardrop upon my cheek.

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Another poem-by DEXTER DUGAS

Down a long and lonely road,
Just a man trying to find his soul

Looking back on things in my life,
Who knows what's wrong or right

You think you're the exception
All a part of your own deception

Searching for relief when
you learn not to trust your beliefs

Now he still reaches for the bottle
The only friend he has left

Loving his demons same ones
that will stab him in the chest

Lord I'm looking
Looking for love
Looking for anything from up above
Lord I need you
Lord please give me a clue

A tear after every drink
He now knows he's wrong

A tear after every loss
He now knows he's gone

Without a fear in the world
He doesn't care anymore

Nothing left to lose
After everything gone

And a tear in his eye
And a bottle in his hand

He ends what may be his last night
Searching for what he can't withstand

Lord I'm looking
Looking for love
Looking for anything from up above
Lord I need you
Lord please give me a clue

And they tell me
A man must crawl before he can walk

Yes they tell me
You have to learn before you can yearn

But I don't want to remember
And I don't want to fight

I just want to search for what's right
Forget the past
Forget what's in store for the night

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Military court
In this July 2, 2019, file photo, Navy Special Operations Chief Edward Gallagher, center, walks with his wife, Andrea, as they leave a military court on Naval Base San Diego.

JAG REVIEW RESULTS

MARINE AND NAVY JAG REVIEW ORDERED AFTER GALLAGHER TRIAL SHEDS LIGHT ON ETHICAL, SYSTEMIC ISSUES

By Philip Athey
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A review of the Navy and Marine Corps legal Judge Advocate General's Corps community, ordered after the turbulent SEAL trial of Special Warfare Operator Chief Edward "Eddie" Gallagher, shed light on several ethical and systemic issues that occurred in the community and in some high-profile military cases.

The review, released Jan. 10, broke down issues with the Navy and Marine Corps JAG community and came with several recommendations on how to retain talented Marine lawyers and prevent some of the issues ingrained within the community.

The review was ordered in August by then-Chief of Naval Operations John Richardson and was done by an executive review panel. “What we found was encouraging," Marine Maj. Gen. Gregg Olson, the assistant deputy commandant for plans, policies and operations, told reporters at the Pentagon Jan. 10. "That said, we're a learning organization we find areas for improvement in management of the community, we certainly got a demand signal for better development, training, education and how we manage the assignments."

But improvements on the legal community preparing itself to support law requirements needed by the Corps as it is "going to fight as part of a naval expeditionary support force in support of the fleet" also are necessary, he said.

UNLAWFUL COMMAND INFLUENCE. Unlawful command influence has been a major issue in the Marine Corps and Navy legal world, occurring when someone with command authority influences or appears to influence the outcome of a trial.

Instances of unlawful command influence have played a

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part in several high-profile cases failing apart during the past few years, such as the case against several Marines with 1st Battalion, 5th Marines, who were arrested at battalion formation and accused with various crimes relating to an alleged human smuggling ring.

A military judge eventually ruled that the public arrests and the comments made by the unit's battalion commander - calling the arrested Marines a "cancer" on the battalion—amounted to unlawful command influence. The Corps had to stop pursuing courts-martial and instead discipline the Marines administratively.

To help prevent future issues, the report recommended increasing annual training for unit commanders, focusing on the difference between lawful command influence used to maintain good order and discipline and unlawful command influence.

"There's lawful command influence and commanders are responsible for good order and discipline," Olson said. "So I've need to make sure that they're educated and how they can ensure good order and discipline in their units without prejudicing future potential military justice matters."

The culture within the Marine legal community also was pointed to as an area where improvements could be found.

While the report found that the Marine Corps, unlike the Navy, actually had a "healthy learning culture" within the judge advocate community, it suggested that more structured and regular training could benefit lawyers with both services.

The report also suggested the Marine Corps be more proactive at incorporating lessons learned from past mistakes and disciplinary actions received by other judge advocates within the Corps into the training of the Marine lawyers.

A unique Marine Corps problem, pointed out in the report, was the requirement for a Marine judge advocate to be both a good uniformed lawyer and a good Marine officer.

"The most competitive officers complete service-wide resident professional military education requirements and serve in assignments outside their military occupational specialty," the executive summary of the report read.

"Thus it is a challenge to develop officers who are, simultaneously, fully-ready to serve as both legal professionals and as Marine Air-Ground Task Force officers," the summary stated.

In other words, every Marine is a rifleman, even if they also are a lawyer.

"Overwhelmingly people join the Marine Corps to be Marines, to have a successful and rewarding career as a Marine," Olson said.

But he did acknowledge that the Marine Corps should look at ways to allow certain Marine lawyers to specialize in a specific location and job, forgoing career promotion opportunities in order to gain job expertise, a concept considered force wide inside Marine Commandant Gen. David Berger's planning guidance.

LACK OF CAPTAINS

The report found that the rank most lacking in Marine judge advocates was captain, with the Corps hitting only 79 percent of its target for lawyers at the rank.

More troubling, the study found that the Marine Corps will continue to have an "unhealthy" number of lawyers at the captain rank through fiscal 2025.

"What we found is that we need to work harder on retaining sufficient numbers of captains," Olson said.

The issue was attributed to the decline of lawyers joining the Marine judge advocate program since fiscal 2016, mixed with the relatively high rate with which captains in the judge advocate program decline career designation.

Between 2017-2019, 84.3 percent of Marine officers offered career designation accepted, the study said, but for captain judge advocates that number was only 70.9 percent.

Captain judge advocates face

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the same questions as other Marine officers about staying in the Corps or leaving for the civilian world — but for judge advocates those factors are compounded by law school debt.

"That's about the time that your families start to come together and the other pressures are, 'Do I stay? Do I go? Do I move my kids every couple, three years," Olson said. “And if you look at what percentage of a captain salary that would cause somebody to have to pay back if they say had $150,000 law school debt, that's not an insignificant factor bearing on the problem."

To counter the deficiency of captain judge advocates, the study recommends using financial incentives to help Marine lawyers pay off debt and fees that are almost unique to their position within the military.

In addition to paying for their own law school, military lawyers are expected to pay their own state bar dues to keep their law license.

"I don't pay for my infantry certification every year, but they do pay to remain in standing with their state bar," Olson, who rose through the ranks as an infantry officer, told reporters.

The report recommended the Corps consider paying those bar dues as well as going back to a program that allowed the Marine Corps to pay off the law school debt.

As of now the report's findings are just a recommendation to the Marine Corps and there is no indication on exactly what from the report will be implemented or when.

The recommendations have been brought to the service headquarters, Olson said.

A poem by Dexter Dugas

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Living day by day
He goes about his life

A never ending fight for his soul
Unanswered questions drag him through the earth

And he wont stop until he’s found
Why he loves what put him in the dirt

Lord I’m looking
Looking for love
Looking for anything from up above
Lord I need you
Lord please give me a clue



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12:00am	Festival Grounds Close

Saturday, May 2

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12:45-1:45	Cajun Dance Lesson - Breaux Bridge Tent - Cal & Lou Courville
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2:00pm	Crawfish Eating Contest - Breaux Bridge Tent*
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4:15-5:15	Cajun Dance Lesson - Breaux Bridge Tent*
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7:45 - 9:45pm	Lil Nate & the Zydeco Big Timers
10:00 - 12:00am	Wayne Toups & Zydecajun

FESTIVAL STAGE

5:15 - 7:00pm	Cajun Stompers
7:15 - 9:15pm	Soul Creole
9:30 - 11:30pm	Chubby Carrier & the Bayou Swamp Band

Saturday, May 2, 2020

BREAUX BRIDGE TENT

7:30 - 9:30pm	Alex Touchet

CRAWFISH STAGE

10:00 - 11:30am	Poisson Rouge
11:45 - 1:15pm	Hi-Performance
1:30 - 3:00pm	Jambalaya
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7:45 - 9:45pm	Jamie Bergeron & the Kickin Cajuns
10:00 - 12:00am	Nik-L-Beer

FESTIVAL STAGE

10:15 - 11:45am	Forest Huval
12:00 - 1:30pm	Chris Ardoin & Nustep Zydeko
1:45 - 3:15pm	Huval Family Band
3:30 - 5:00pm	Geno Delafose & French Rockin Boogie
5:15 - 7:00pm	Steve Riley & the Mamou Playboys
7:15 - 9:15pm	Horace Trahan & the Ossun Express
9:30 - 11:30pm	Travis Matte & the Kingpins

Sunday, May 3, 2020

BREAUX BRIDGE TENT

2:00 - 4:00pm	Brazos Huval School of Music

CRAWFISH STAGE

9:00 - 10:30am	Treble on the Teche
10:45 - 12:15pm	La Recolte
12:30 - 2:00pm	Nathan Williams & the Zydeco Cha-Chas
2:15 - 4:00pm	Richard LeBeouf

FESTIVAL STAGE

10:30 - 12:00pm	Donny Broussard & the Louisiana Stars
12:15 - 1:45pm	Radio Zydeco
2:00 - 4:00pm	Corey Ledet

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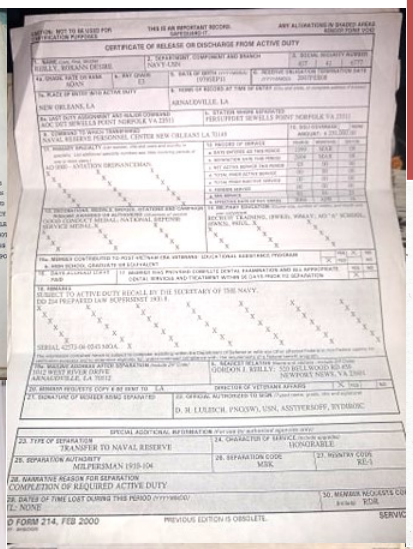


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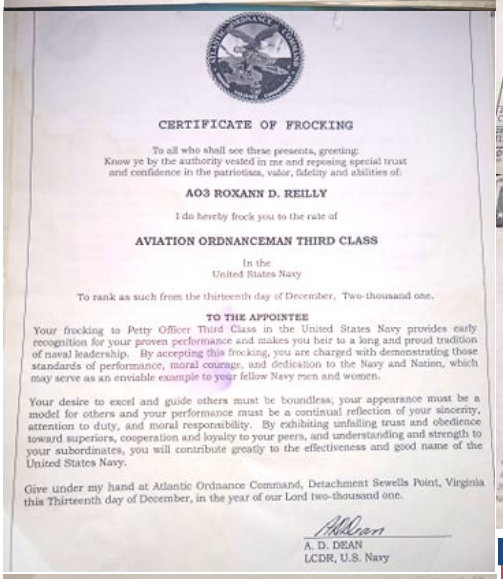
More NAVY Training for Roxann Boudreaux–Reilly



Commanding Officer
USS GEORGE WASHINGTON (CVN 73)
takes pleasure in presenting a
Letter of Commendation
TO
AVIATION ORDNANCEMAN AIRMAN RECRUIT ROXANN D. BOUDREAUX
UNITED STATES NAVY
FOR
PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT IN THE PERFORMANCE OF HER DUTIES WHILE SERVING IN WEAPONS DEPARTMENT BOMB ASSEMBLY DIVISION IN USS GEORGE WASHINGTON (CVN 73). FROM 14 TO 17 MARCH 2000. AIRMAN RECRUIT BOUDREAUX'S DEMONSTRATED ABILITIES AND DETERMINATION WERE CRITICAL TO THE SUCCESSFUL RECLAMATION OF A FLOODED ORDNANCE MAGAZINE IN LESS THAN 72 HOURS. HER TIRELESS EFFORTS AND HARD WORK WERE INSTRUMENTAL TO THE QUICK RESTORATION OF THE SPACE TO FULL SERVICE. HER DEDICATED ASSISTANCE WITH EMERGENCY RECLAMATION PREVENTED THE LOSS OF THE MAGAZINE'S ORDNANCE AND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT. THIS TREMENDOUS EFFORT WAS CONDUCTED WHILE SUPPORTING AN AGGRESSIVE AIR WING FLIGHT SCHEDULE DURING THE COMPREHENSIVE UNIT TRAINING EXERCISE, 00-02. THESE ACTIONS NOT ONLY SAVED THE NAVY THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS IN REPLACEMENT COST, BUT ENSURED THERE WAS NO DEGRADATION OF COMBAT READINESS. AIRMAN RECRUIT BOUDREAUX'S PROFESSIONAL AGILITY, LOYAL DEVOTION TO DUTY, AND EXCEPTIONAL PERFORMANCE REFLECTED CREDIT UPON HERSELF AND WERE IN KEEPING WITH THE HIGHEST TRADITIONS OF THE UNITED STATES NAVAL SERVICE.
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Commanding Officer



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2. DEPARTMENT, COMPONENT AND BRANCH: NAVY-USN
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