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LOUISIANA STATE ARCHIVES PRESENTS **ROAD SHOW EXHIBIT AND EYE TWENTY ART SHOW**

Secretary of State Jay Dardenne is inviting the public to attend openings of the Archives Road Show exhibit and the Eye Twenty Group Art Show from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, June 7, at the Louisiana State Archives.

The Archives Road Show exhibit will include Louisiana memorabilia and collectibles selected from the Louisiana State Archives Road Show that was held on Feb. 28. It features Lt. Gen. John Archer Lejeune's pack Bible signed and addressed by him. Lejeune was born in Pointe Coupee Parish and is a graduate of Louisiana State University, and is credited with developing the amphibious doctrine which prevented the Marine Corps from being disbanded following World War I. Another interesting piece is an original Clementine Hunter painting on a wooden bread board. The Archives Road Show exhibit will be on display in the Louisiana Room through July 27.

Thirty-five painters, sculptors, photographers, ceramists and printmakers make up the Eye Twenty Group from north Louisiana, based in Shreveport, Monroe and Ruston – all physically connected by Interstate 20. The art show will display the work of 28 Eye Twenty members. Paintings of Joyce Bedell, a local artist from Denham Springs, will be featured in the lobby and the Eye Twenty Group Art Show will be on display in the Art Gallery through June 14.

The public is invited to view the exhibits during regular Archives hours: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free and the building is wheelchair accessible. For more information about the Louisiana State Archives, visit our Web site at www.sos.louisiana.gov/archives.

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