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Scenes from Mr. Volpe's South African Trip

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In January, 2000 Vincent R. Volpe, President of Jarvis Products, took a trip to the Republic of South Africa (R.S.A.) to see Ben Myburgh, Manager of Jarvis Products Corporation R.S.A, to receive an update on Jarvis' operations in that country. While in the R.S.A., Mr. Volpe also visited several important customers. Shown below are some pictures taken on this trip:



Mr. Vincent Volpe (on right), President of Jarvis Products, with (from left to right) Ray Senior, Plant Manager, Pat Riley, Chief Engineer and Steve Steenkamp, General Manager in front of the Karan Beef Company located in Belfour, Republic of South Africa.

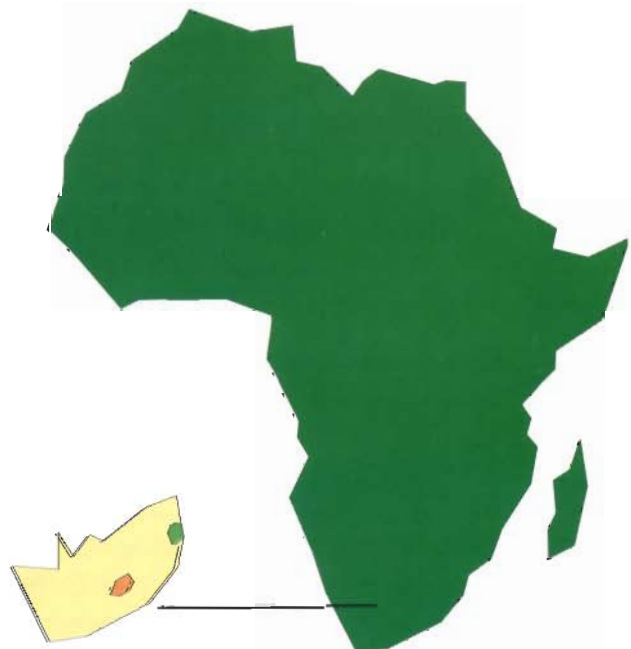


Mr. Ben Myburgh (on right), Manager of Jarvis South Africa with his son Deon, the company's Technical Advisor. Accompanying Deon is his wife Juanita. The three are shown while visiting Robben Island, located off the South African coast. Once an infamous prison which jailed Nelson Mandela for many years, the island is now a historical landmark.



The Jarvis and American flags being flown at the Karan Beef Company. The American flag was flown in honor of Mr. Volpe's January 2000 visit.

Noted for its exceptionally good operation and efficient processing areas, the Karan Beef Company, in Belfour, Republic of South Africa, is probably one of the country's most progressive, modern and outstanding meat processing plants. Karan also owns a feedlot handling 70,000 heads of cattle. The company's future plans include building a state-of-the-art fabrication room, and shortly seeking EC (European Common Market) approval for its kill floor.



Republic of South Africa

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT STUDENTS VISIT JARVIS PRODUCTS

On March 21, 2000 three students and their professor from the University of Connecticut's College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, Department of Animal Science (Meat-Science Program) were given a personal tour of Jarvis' Middletown facility by Mr. Vincent R. Volpe, President of Jarvis Products.

The group included Cameron Faustman, PHD and his students Peter Tomlinson, Luigi Saratori and Mauro Prioli. Two of the students, Luigi Saratori and Mauro Prioli are recipients of Jarvis Product Corporation scholarships, a program which financially supports selected candidates who major in meat-science.



From left to right: Mr. Vincent R. Volpe, President of Jarvis Products, University of Connecticut Meat-Science majors Peter Tomlinson, Luigi Sartori and Mauro Prioli. Luigi Sartori is a four-year recipient of a Jarvis Product Corporation scholarship and Mauro Prioli is a two-year recipient.

AMSA RECOGNIZES UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT STUDENT



Richard Mancini

The American Meat Science Association (AMSA) has named former University of Connecticut student and Jarvis Product Corporation scholarship recipient Richard Mancini to its annual "Rising Stars: The Next Generation" list. Mr. Mancini was recognized for his student efforts in meat-science.

While earning his BA in Meat-Science, Richard Mancini helped teach sausage-processing workshops in the school's outreach program, and also managed the university's noted meat laboratory for two years.

Richard believes teaching is very important in regards to the meat processing industry. Mr. Mancini's long-term professional plan is to teach meat-science at the high school or college level. Richard graduated from the University of Connecticut in May, 1999. He is now attending Kansas State University pursuing a Masters' Degree in Meat-Science.