The Bossier Banner.

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One year	$1 00
Nine months	80
Six months	60
Three months	30

BENTON, LA. .. .. NOVEMBER 9, 1916.

Local Pickups

At Home and From Over the Parish

Mr. H. N. Cornell of Atkins was an appreciated caller Monday.

Born Tuesday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith, who reside five miles east of Benton, a ten-pound girl.

Rev. James Evans will preach at the Linton Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and at eleven a.m. Sunday. Everybody invited.

Messrs. D. H. Coile and W. I. McClellan of near Cotton Valley were appreciated callers at the Banner office yesterday morning.

Miss Lucy Smith, who some weeks ago left for Brookhaven, Miss., to enter Whitworth College, has returned home because of poor health.

Mr. Whit Vance of Tallulah was mixing with his many old friends in this section the first of the week. He was also in attendance at the State Fair.

Mr. J. W. Faircloth of the Bodcau Bridge community was a visitor in Benton last Saturday. From him the reporter learned that his son, Mr. Claude Faircloth, left the day before for Benson, DeSoto Parish, to seek employment.

But little interest was taken in the election held throughout the parish Tuesday. The party vote cast was: Democrats, 675; Republicans, 9; Socialists, 10. It is not as yet known what the vote was on the amendments if taken separately.

Mr. Robert Strong and his son-in-law, Mr. E. D. Foster, were business visitors in Benton Monday. Mr. Strong was here to make payment in full for a 40-acre tract of land he recently bargained to buy, and which is a portion of the Marks old place—"Forest Home."

Mr. J. H. Simmons, one of the cotton census enumerators for Bossier Parish, reports that prior to October 18th there were 20,086 bales of cotton ginned in the parish from the 1916 crop. The number for the corresponding date of 1915 was 12,439. The total number of bales from the 1915 crop was 19,749.

Rev. J. M. Brown of Haughton has written the Banner: "Please announce that I expect to preach Sunday at the Benton Methodist Church. Morning and evening services will be held—at eleven a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Communion after the morning service. This is my last appointment in Benton."

Up to yesterday morning 209 hunting licenses and twenty-three trapping licenses had been sold at the Sheriff's office since the season opened. A trapper's license costs $2; a hunter's license (not professional) only $1. If you wish to hunt, friend, be open about it. Come in now and secure your license.

Mr. J. J. Farrington, a respected resident of the Carterville community, aged about twenty-nine years, died from hemorrhage of the stomach at his home on October 26th. The burial was in old Salem graveyard, the order of W. O. W. presiding. He is survived by his widow, whose maiden name was Ethel Zackary, and other relatives. Mr. Farrington was born within three or four miles of where he died. His father, Pad Farrington, was an old resident, and the family name was familiar in Bossier Parish even before the war.

Miss Goldye Willer left last Thursday for Amarillo, Texas, where she will spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Sidney Braunig.

Everybody looks prosperous in Bossier this season and the jingle of coin is to be heard on all sides. We have even heard of one colored resident buying an automobile.

Mr. M. C. Durbin, met by the Banner's solicitor at the State Fair, paid in a dollar and again got his name on our subscription book. He is at present overlooking the Havana plantation, located near Gilliam.

A Rocky Mount friend contributes the following paragraph: "Please announce in this week's Banner that a 'box supper' will be given in Rocky Mount on Friday night, the 17th, for the benefit of the school. Everybody come and bring a box."

Rev. James Evans of this place has furnished the Banner the following paragraph: "At the close of the fifth Sunday meeting at Plain Dealing a revival meeting was begun. It lasted for a week, and resulted in giving much strength to the church and added eight members."

In revising the Banner's subscription list Monday for the current month it was only found necessary to drop the names of eight subscribers, and four of those were transients. That's a good showing, sure. The residents of Bossier like the Banner and they cheerfully pay for it in advance.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Sirman of Gandy, Sabine Parish, were week-end visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Simmons, who reside several miles out from Alden Bridge. Mr. and Mrs. Sirmon were but recently united in marriage and are both teaching in their home school.

The colored blacksmith of this place was killed one night last week in Shreveport by another negro. He is said to have been gambling and during the game slapped the face of one of the players. The man went away but shortly returned with a shotgun and fired with fatal result on his assailant. The negro was a transient, but was said to be a good blacksmith.

When one gets $92.04 for a light load of cotton, that when ginned gave a bale weighing only 408 pounds and 800 pounds of seed (Half and Half) the country should be prosperous. Mr. J. C. Holman, a North Bossier farmer, who was a visitor Saturday, reports such figures. He sold the bale of cotton in Plain Dealing, receiving 18.15 cents per pound for it. The high price being paid for cotton and seed this season would incline one to the belief that the 1917 cotton acreage will be unusually large.

Mr. J. W. McCallie, who for two seasons has been the overlooker on the Pandora plantation, located near Vanceville, called one day this week to order his Banner mailed to Caspiana. He has accepted employment on the plantation of Knight Brothers. Mr. McCallie is a Kentuckian and is an experienced handler of horses and other stock. Two seasons in Louisiana has served to convince him that we have a fine state, and he thinks as fine stock can be raised here as anywhere in the Union.

As has before been reported in the Banner, Mr. J. H. Coile, a resident of the Stroud's Bridge community, had his home and other buildings on his premises destroyed by fire on the afternoon of October 28th. Two of his neighbors who called at the Banner office yesterday reported that he was in needy circumstances and that contributions of household necessities, or money, would be appreciated. These may be forwarded to Hon. W. J. Johnston of Plain Dealing or Mr. W. I. McClellan of Cotton Valley. Mr. Coile is the father of five little children by his second wife, and has recently suffered other misfortunes aside from the loss of his home by fire.

A current copy of the Weekly Market Bulletin from the office of the State Commissioner of Agriculture and Immigration reached this office yesterday. It offers for sale anything from well bred stock on down to duck eggs, and its "wants" cover about as wide a range. Farmers and others from many sections of the state are making use of these weekly bulletins in giving publicity to their wants and the things they have for sale, but not once does the writer remember seeing the name and address of a resident of Bossier Parish in the list. Why don't you fellows get in on this? It is a good thing and is free to all residents of the state. If you haven't seen a copy of the Market Bulletin ask to see one when you next call at this office.

Turkey Dinner and Bazaar.

The secretary of the Haughton Women's Home Mission Society has written the editor as follows:

Editor Bossier Banner, Benton, La.

Dear Friend: Please say in the Banner that the Methodist ladies of Haughton are to serve Thanksgiving dinner and have a bazaar, with all kinds of fancy work to sell that day and the remaining portion of the week. The proceeds are to be used in building Sunday school rooms back of the church.

Haughton, La., Oct. 19, 1916.

Cotton Quotations.

No quotations are given in this morning's Shreveport Times. Tuesday's quotations were as shown below:

Ordinary, 16⅛ cents.
Good ordinary, 17⅛ cents.
Low middling, 18⅛ cents.
Middling, 18⅜ cents.
Good middling, 19⅛ cents.
Receipts for the day, 729 bales.
Total receipts, 97,497 bales.
Shipments to date, 66,690 bales.

SEE my **Show Windows** for new goods and prices. The windows are newly decorated each week.

C. O. GAYLE
Benton

The Union Central Life
Insurance Company of Cincinnati
Low Premiums
Low Net Cost
E. MAHNE BODENHEIMER
District Manager Shreveport, La.

For Good Protection
—It will pay you to Insure with
JETER-EMERY-LOEB
Insurance Agency Old 'phone, 87
210 Milam Street, Shreveport

Dr. A. M. EICHELBERGER
Graduate Veterinarian
Shreveport, La.
Ocfile and Hospital Spring and Milam Streets
Telephones: Office, 1453; residence, 1582

People of Small Means

Are as welcome to participate in the benefits conferred by this bank as are men of wealth. Let's get acquainted during 1916.

Those who desire to open a modest checking account, invest money, or embark in a business enterprise, are invited to confer with the officers of this bank.

Interest Allowed on Savings Accounts

First National Bank of Shreveport
Savings Bank and Trust Company

CORRESPONDENCE

Linton.

Tuesday, Nov. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jagers moved to Mr. A. H. Montgomery's place yesterday.

A court is being laid out for volley ball, which is going to be the new game.

Mr. Ernest Keel has had the misfortune of losing his horse. His death resulted from blind staggers.

Mr. J. E. Bundy has lost about thirty head of hogs. People say it is the effect of eating $58-a-ton cotton seed.

Mr. J. E. Jones has sold all but about two head of his horses and mules. Most of them were purchased by residents of this community.

The pupins of our school are very much interested in the new basket ball which came yesterday. Other teams may now get ready to play us match games.

Quite a number of the residents of this community attended the State Fair last week. As our school did not have a holiday, the teachers and pupils attended Saturday.

A number of visitors were at school last Friday to attend the meeting of the literary society. At the next meeting there will be a debate by the pupils concerning stock law in our ward.

Rev. James Evans will preach at Red River Church next Saturday night and Sunday. New song books have been provided and we trust every one will come out to help in the song service.

The farmers have about finished gathering and ginning their cotton. There were ginned at Mr. J. E. Bundy's gin 316 bales, with only four more in sight. Last year there were 222 bales ginned at his gin.

Around Adner.

Tuesday, Nov. 7.—Mr. Henry Patterson was among the visitors to the State Fair Sunday.

Mr. R. O. Busbey was a visitor to Shreveport last Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Berry and sister, Mrs. E. L. Davis, attended the State Fair Sunday.

Miss Fleecey Caston of Coushatta is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Vascocu.

Mr. R. A. Gardner and Mr. Bill Johnson were visitors to Bellevue last Wednesday.

Mr. Gordon Vascocu and Mr. Major Bayne were visitors at the fair Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. C. L. Vascocu spent Saturday and Sunday at the fair, remaining Saturday night in Shreveport.

Mr. S. S. Rounsavall went to Shreveport Thursday morning to attend the fair, returning home Sunday night. He took in pretty nearly all the sights and had a fine time, he said.

Mrs. A. E. Berry and Miss Jewell Busbey attended the fair last Thursday and Friday, spending Thursday night in Shreveport. They had a nice time and report the fair to be the best ever held in Shreveport. PET.

Benton High School Notes.

Quite a number of the pupils and all of the teachers visited the State Fair last Friday and Saturday.

The Halloween party, given under the auspices of the Self-Culture Club at the High Schaol Auditorium, was a financial and social success. At the last meeting of the club a rising vote of thanks was given the teachers and pupils for their co-operation in making the event a success.

The recital which was to have been given by Miss Mary Wemple at the High School Auditorium Thursday night of this week has been indefinitely postponed. Miss Wemple hopes to be able to fill the engagement in the near future.

The pupils of the sixth grade are rejoicing because one of their number, Captain Kouns Burt, won first prize in the boys' corn growing contest of the state at the Louisiana State Fair. Captain Kouns' specialty was to show the farmers of the state how to grow yellow corn.

The High School Literary Society will render the following program Friday afternoon:

Roll call—Quotations.
Song, "In the Gloaming."
Recitation—Ruth Smith.
Oral Composition—Fannie Mae Heifner.
Jokes—Ben James, Ike Thomas and Cheatum Spataro.
Debate, Resolved, "That Two Pupils Should Study Together." Affirmative—Calvin Vance and Eula May Dennig; negative—Mastin Henderson and Eva Hoffpauir.
Recitation—Jessie Evans.
Song—Ruth Smith, Clotile Rogers, Pattie Ogilvie and Caro Gayle.
Essay—Jeannette Hill.
Journal—Editor-in-Chief. COR.

Benton, La., Nov. 7, 1916.

Plain Dealing.

Tuesday, Nov. 7.—Bossier has again won the blue ribbon at the State Fair.

Good old ribon cane syrup is being made up now. The crop is short but good.

The agricultural hall and the secretary's office at the Parish Fair grounds were destroyed by a grass fire last Wednesday. The fire was supposed to have been started by a tramp, who had been occupying one of the outbuildings. By hard work on the part of the fire fighters the stables and fences were saved. To replace these buildings will cost a considerable sum.

Senator W. J. Johnston is having a new residence erected.

Next Sunday will be Temperance Day in the Sunday schools here.

Three new residences have been contracted for by Mr. R. C. Purcell.

Allen Brock left last week for Tyler, Texas, to take a commercial course.

Miss Lillian Brock is teaching the Ferry Lake School, in Caddo Parish.

Mrs. T. E. Collins and her little son were visitors here during the past week with Mrs. T. L. Brock, Mrs. Collins' mother.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will hold a bazar for the benefit of their church causes at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wyche, jr., on the 2d day of December. Every one invited.

WEDNESDAY.

Marriage bells for Sunday. Now guess who?

A ten-day meeting at the Baptist Church has been brought to a close. Considerable interest was manifested.

Miss Mary Dexter, teacher of the Midway school, in Caddo Parish, spent Saturday and Sunday here with her parents.

Miss Leslie Banks, of Vivian, now teaching the Lewis School, in Caddo Parish, was a week-end visitor here with friends.

Self-Culture Club Meeting.

The Self-Culture Club met in the afternoon of last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. W. Doran.

When business was taken up the treasurer reported that $23.40 was cleared at the Haloween party. This fund will be used to increase the size of the public library that has been begun by the club. The library already contains something over fifty books and is open to any one who wishes to use it.

There was also a rising vote of thanks extended to the school pupils who so willingly took part in the program and helped in any other way.

After the business meeting the following literary program was rendered:

1. Romance of St. Augustine—Miss Emma Lou Brownlee.
2. The Dixie Highway—Miss Lucille Edwards.
3. The Huguenots—Miss Eulalia Crawford.

Then very delightful refreshments were served and the meeting stood adjourned. SECRETARY.

Emma.

Monday, Nov. 6.—From the looks of the smoke the woods must be afire almost everywhere.

Mr. A. G. McCann is now trying the buffalo. He usually gets the meat, too.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rogers came in from Texas a few days ago and are now visiting at the home of Mrs. Sidney Cozby. Mr. Rogers is Mrs. Cozby's son-in-law. GOOD EYE.

Bossier Gets the Blue Ribbon.

Once again Bossier's parish exhibit at the State Fair has won first place over all competitors for that honor. And thus is the heart of our good friend, Mr. E. S. Burt, and all other public-spirited residents of the parish made to swell with pride.

Once again, Hurrah for Bossier!

The competition this year at the big fair is said to have been keener than ever before. Good crops were made everywhese and good farmers freely participated in the exhibits made by all the parishes and, in as far as their skill as such counted, backed those exhibits to win. So there is good reason for those who contributed to the Bossier exhibit to feel a pride in its score.

The score of points by parishes was as follows: Bossier, 193; Claiborne, 177; Lincoln, 152; Iberville, 128; Terrebonne, 126; Vernon, 125.5; Ouachita, 125; East Baton Rouge, 110.5; Richland, 110; Webster, 96.5. And their displays were all good to look at.

The individual exhibits made by residents of the parish were awarded many prizes. We trust Mr. Burt or some one else officially connected with the Parish Fair will call to at least give in a partial list of these awards in time for the next issue of the Banner.

Duty bent, or pleasure bound,
Promenade your girl around,
And drop in for a Tinkling Glass—
Our Drinks are Best for Man or Lass.

W. I. GAYLE
Druggist Benton

For Sale

53 HEAD of sound young MULES of varying sizes and weights. Prices reasonable. Can be seen at Plain Dealing. 42-tf J. S. RODGERS.

Subscriptions Paid.

The management of the Banner hereby acknowledges receipt of the following subscriptions paid during the past month—OCTOBER, 1916:

M. N. Adair, to Nov. 1, 1918, $2.
J. F. Adair, to Oct. 1, 1918, $2.
Tom Alford, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
E. S. Burt, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
J. A. Bumgardner, to Jan. 1, 1918, $1.
A. J. Burks, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
T. H. Blanton, to May 1, 1917, 60c.
G. W. Bryan, to Nov. 3, 1917, $1.
W. C. Banks, to Nov. 18, 1917, $1.
Mrs. D. C. Bolton, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
W. H. Bishop, to Oct. 30, 1917, $1.
J. A. Byrd, to Oct. 31, 1917, $1.
Mrs. Kate Campbell, Feb. 24, 1918, $1.
T. D. Connell, to Jan. 1, 1918, $1.
S. J. Caldwell, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
Mrs. J. E. Caffrey, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
A. J. Demoss, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
W. H. Demoss, to Oct 1, 1917, $1.
W. S. Dalrymple, to Jan. 1, 1919, $2.
W. H. Davis, to Jan. 1, 1918, 60c.
Mrs. L. C. Davis, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
S. F. Elder, to July 1, 1917, 80c.
J. A. Ford, to Dec. 3, 1917, $1.
E. D. Foster, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
Miss Mercer Gayle, April 1, 1917, 60c.
Mrs. Effie L. Gleason, Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
T. P. Garrett, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
Laura E. Graham, to Feb. 1, 1917, 30c.
J. F. Greenhaw, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
Mrs. M. L. Harrison, Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
R. B. Hill, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
J. B. Hall, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
J. M. Holloway, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
W. C. Haden, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
W. H. Holman, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
S. Hurley, to Jan. 1, 1917, 30c.
F. M. Johnson, to May 1, 1918, $1.
J. G. Jones, to Jan. 14, 1918, $1.
C. B. Kelly, to Feb. 1, 1917, 30c.
Heidt Kendall, to Feb. 1, 1918, $1.
J. P. Keeth, to Oct. 11, 1917, $1.
I. P. Lay, to Oct. 25, 1917, $1.
W. H. Martin, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
Mrs. Viola McCranie, Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
J. G. McDade, to Oct. 25, 1917, $1.
F. L. Neeson, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
T. C. Owens, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
Jim Oliver, to April 1, 1917, 60c.
G. W. O'Daniel, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
F. M. Peas, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
L. A. Pockrus, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
Mrs. L. Parkerson, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
W. C. Raines, to Oct 11, 1918, $2.
S. R. Strayhan, Nov. 10, 1917, $1.
B. F. Shaver, to Oct. 1, 1917, $1.
Miss Lillie Stampley, Oct. 7, 1917, $1.
W. D. Smith, to April 1, 1918, $1.
J. J. Swindle, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
N. W. Stewart, to May 1, 1918, $1.
L. H. Turnley, to balance account, $1.
J. H. Thompson, to Jan. 1, 1917, 30c.
Mrs. C. M. Tucker, to Oct. 30, 1917, $1.
Mrs. Belle Wise, to Oct. 9, 1917, $1.
Miss Minnie Wyche, June 1, 1917, 75c.
R. E. Wallace, Oct. 11, 1917, $1.
Thelma Wilson, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.
W. P. White, to March 1, 1917, 50c.
M. A. Wooten, to Nov. 1, 1917, $1.

In the event you discover an error in your date (if shown above) please make prompt complaint.

Bulletins for Cattle Raisers.

Farmers and others who are engaged in the raising of beef cattle should have full information, not only as to the breeds of cattle but the growing of feed crops as well. The following bulletins on these subjects may be obtained free of charge by addressing the Live Stock Extension Service, L. S. U., Baton Rouge, La.

Farmers' Bulletins, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

No. 612—The Breeds of Beef Cattle.
No. 22—Feeding of Farm Animals.
No. 46—Computation of Rations.
No. 424—Oats; Growing the Crop.
No. 441—Lespedeza, or Japan Clover.
No. 529—Vetch Growing in the South.
No. 550—Crimson Clover; Growing the Crop.
No. 579—Crimson Clover; Utilization.
No. 455—Red Clover.
No. 511—Farm Bookkeeping.
No. 718—Co-operative Live Stock Shipping Associations.

Louisiana Experiment Station Bulletins.

No. 140—Stock Feeding.
No. 151—Cattle Feeding on the Plantation and Farm.
Circular No. 10—Johnson Grass.

To Help Baptist Orphanage.

A number of the railway companies operating in or through this state have agreed to handle free of charge on the 14th donations for the Lake Charles Baptist Orphanage. It is the impression in this office that clothing and food stuffs are what the orphanage is greatest in need of at this time. Residents of Bossier Parish will have a chance to contribute, as the soliciting circular letter states that the L. and A. Railway and the L. R. and N. will give cars for this good cause on that day.

The L. and A. car will leave Taylor, Ark., on the morning of the 14th and be held over at Minden that night. The L. R. and N. car will leave Shreveport at 7:15 on the morning of the 14th.

All packages should be well wrapped, or boxed, and consigned: "The Louisiana Baptist Orphanage, care the Iron Mountain Railway, Alexandria, La."

Benton's New Barber.

Hair cutting and shaving is a luxury. I am going to make it a specialty at Benton Wednesdays and Sundays. The Barber Shop will open at seven o'clock of mornings Wednesdays and Sundays.

I also have a barber shop in Shreveport. Gentlemen, when you are in Shreveport come to the Subway Barber Shop in the Simon Building on Texas Street. I have every convenience there. You can wash your face and brush your hair free of charge. We want your patronage. Don't forget the Benton shop nor the Subway shop in Shreveport.

JOHN CHAVIS is Your Barber.

Mrs. W. H. Scanland, jr., of Dallas, Texas, and Mrs. Dallas Jones of Shreveport, and their children, are guests at the home of Mrs. W. H. Scanland.

Opportunity Is knocking at your door. Seize it before it is too late. Now is the time to buy that property in SHREVEPORT. Lots sold for $150 five years ago are now worth $500, and these same lots will be worth $1500 in five years from this time.

¶ I will sell you Shreveport lots on terms of one-third cash, the balance in one and two years. You have the money to make the first payment and the sooner you buy the more you will make on your investment.

¶ I have some choice property which I will sell very cheap if sold at once. Will accept Bossier property as part payment on same.

J. E. JOHNSTON, jr.
508 Hutchinson Building Shreveport, Louisiana
Telephones: Office, 103; Residence, 3167
40-tf

Lumber Notice

¶ If you are going to be in the market for LUMBER this fall, we would appreciate a call from you. We made a lucky purchase of a TRAIN LOAD OF LUMBER before the advance of price and are now receiving same as fast as cars can be secured.

¶ For the next **thirty days** we will offer extra low prices. We can give you from the cheapest to the highest grades. Have just the Lumber for a new home or for remodeling your old one. We also offer extra low prices on Lumber for your Garage, Barn or Fences. Now is the time to buy.

¶ We claim to sell more LUMBER to planters than any other two yards in the city. We make a specialty of the country business.

¶ We are located on the River Front, Shreveport end New Red River Bridge, with a paved street into our yard. We have both phones. Courteous treatment to your teamsters is guaranteed. Prompt and careful attention given to all orders, small or large.

TEXAS LUMBER COMPANY
The Place to Save Money Phones: Old, 318; New, 1330
43-tf

Farms For Sale

The man who owns no land will never have a more favorable time to buy a home for himself than NOW. Land will never be cheaper, and the terms will never be better with us than NOW. Crops are good, the prices they are demanding are fine, and money is plentiful.

¶ People of North Louisiana need not go elsewhere to secure a home and expect to be better satisfied than right here. If you do, you will be disappointed, and will be back later. stay here and get a home of your own. Invest in a piece of land. There is NOTHING like a HOME OF YOUR OWN. Every one should own one. Every one can own one if they start RIGHT NOW.

Land is too cheap for you to say you cannot buy. Buy it! Buy it now while you have the money to begin the payments.

SEE US. We have OVER 100 FARMS for sale on easy terms. If you want 40 acres, we have it. If you want 2000 acres, we have it.

Ask about our easy buying plan. Come now while you can get what you want. To-morrow may be too late.

S. H. BOLINGER & COMPANY
Plain Dealing, Louisiana
37-tf

Mares and Mule Colts for Sale Cheap

¶ I have for sale twenty nice young Mares and Mule Colts. The mares weigh from 800 to 1000 pounds. The colts are from three to six months old. Come and see me. I have what you want and will sell you.
40-4 A. P. BUTLER, Belcher, La.

Groceries ...and Prices

Higher prices for both shelf and staple groceries are sure to come. No well posted dealer will deny that. The housekeeper who needs groceries of any kind should buy now while the benefit of present prices can still be enjoyed. My stock is full and priced to your interest. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

R. E. WYCHE
Benton, La.

Now You Get It— Now You Don't——

Even now it is a question of what the merchant can and cannot secure when offering to buy in the open market. Staple articles are scarce everywhere and the prices are soaring. Just now in BENTON there is one place where you can still enjoy the benefit of prices that prevailed some months ago, when a big order for dry goods, hats, shoes and notions was given. Where?

—at Wyche's
of course
44-3-p

For Sale

¶ My home place, consisting of 160 acres, about 30 acres under fence and 130 acres timbered (pine timber cut off now seventeen years ago) located within three miles of Red Land Graded School, and school transfer wagon runs within a half mile of the place. Four-room residence and other buildings. Plenty of good well water. Take the entire tract at $5 50 per acre, cash. Address, Plain Dealing, La., Route 1.
45-8 J. C. HOLMAN.

Estrayed or Stolen

On September 18th last, a BAY MARE MULE, six years old, 15 or 15½ hands high, long mane and tail; few gray hairs on top of neck; small collar knot on right shoulder; weight 900 or 950 pounds.
J. E. ATKINSON, Bradley, Ark.
44-2-p

For Rent

Two brick business houses located in the heart of the downtown district of the growing town of Plain Dealing. Will be ready for occupancy by January 1st. Apply at once to R. C. Purcell, Box 112, Plain Dealing, La. 45-7-p

Estrayed or Stolen

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