

Plain Dealing Department

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Pay your poll tax!
 —Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals.
 —Mr. J. W. Ramsey visited friends in Shreveport Sunday.
 —Messrs. Arthur and Ben Turney spent Sunday in Bradley, Ark.
 —Mrs. Barton Purcell was a visitor to Shreveport Sunday and Monday.
 —Mrs. John Scripture and Mrs. Harry Bailey went to Shreveport Monday to spend a couple of days.
 —Miss Dessie Mae Cochran spent the past week-end in Bradley, Ark., with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Cochran.
 —Miss Mary Gilmer, of Shreveport, came in Monday night and is spending some time here with old friends.
 —Mrs. Lamar Hogue (and baby) of Conshatt, came in Monday evening to visit her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boggs.
 —Mr. "Dutch" Brock, of the Cotton Belt construction corps, spent last Saturday night and Sunday in this place with his family.
 —Mr. C. R. Keeth, of Hosston, came in Monday evening and spent Tuesday and yesterday in our town attending to Keeth Estate business.
 —Rev. L. A. Materne has been called to serve the Bradley, Ark., Baptist Church and will preach there on the second Sunday in each month.
 —Mr. W. J. Bennett, principal of the Red Land School, passed to and from Shreveport through our town last Saturday in attendance upon the Bossier Parish Teachers' Institute.
 —Mr. W. A. Fortson, of Benton, Parish Superintendent of Education, was a guest in our town Monday night, on his way to attend to matters educational at points further north.
 —Mrs. Marion Johnson, of Red Land, accompanied by her son, Mr. E. L. Johnson, spent last Saturday in Shreveport with her son, Mr. M. R. Johnson. She was also welcoming her new grandson, M. R. Johnson, Jr.
 —Mr. Claude Lattrell, lately of the Gilliam oil field, spent Monday night in Plain Dealing—a guest of his cousin, Mrs. Florence Crouch. He was en route to Walnut Hill, Ark., near which place he will drill a well for the Dixie Oil Company. His old friends here were pleased to see him and trust to

Everybody knows that Keeth Has It

Times Are Different

To what they were when this bank was organized—fifteen years ago—and it is well for all of us that such is true. There are more people in our town and community, and much development of the town and entire surrounding country has followed. Notably, there is more money in circulation, and that's where we get together—where we can best serve you.

There is an old adage that reads: "In time of peace prepare for war." Let that apply to your Bank Account, and during your hour of prosperity remember to keep it growing. If you haven't an account with us, investigate our facilities and other inducements—and open one. And remember, we don't let any banking institution outdo us in the way of Service once you have become a patron here.

Plain Dealing Bank

Plain Dealing, La. J. PERRY, Cashier

WYCHE BROTHERS

buyers of

Cotton and Crossties

WE TAKE great pleasure in announcing to the general public that we are in the market for Cotton and Crossties. We are paying top prices for both, and will appreciate your calling on our office and getting our prices before you sell. We can handle ties anywhere on the Cotton Belt Railway, and pay the cash for them. Or we will buy your ties right off the wagon—here in Plain Dealing. Will take up and pay for ties in lots of 200, or upward, at any point on the Cotton Belt.

Our telephone number is 18. Ring us up. We will be glad to give you information bearing on the above.

when your business goes wrong you go to a lawyer

Or a banker, or other specialist. When your body seems ill you go to a health specialist to have him look you over.

When your automobile needs attention, send it to us. It was made by specialists, and its repair and upkeep should always be entrusted to specialists.

We can make right prices because our repair specialists work faster and better than untrained workers. Experience costs less than experimenting. We have the tools and we have the men. We have the equipment necessary to both.

Across from the Light Plant

C-US GARAGE

C. W. PARKER, Proprietor

Plain Dealing Louisiana

for about twenty years and about that many in number.

—Monday Messrs. H. C. Wyche, Jeff Hudson, and Robbie and John Doles, of near Collinsburg, went to Phelps Lake, where they expected to spend a few days shooting ducks.

—Mrs. John Dexter received a telephone message Tuesday from her sister, residing at Joella, Ark., to the effect that the little boy of Mrs. Joella May died there Tuesday morning. A few days ago Mrs. May was here on a visit with Mrs. Dexter.

—Mr. F. M. Cornish, who went to Shreveport last Saturday with a car of cattle, which he was taking to the Shreveport Packing Company, returned home Monday by way of Lewisville, Ark., at which latter place he also had some business to transact.

—Little Fannie B. Mays, who was recently operated upon at a Shreveport sanitarium for tonsillitis, returned home with her mother, Mrs. G. T. Mays, last Friday, having so far recovered from the effects of the operation as to be safe in leaving the sanitarium.

—Mr. J. C. Holman was compelled to leave his duties at the Plain Dealing Mercantile Company store last Saturday morning on account of a severe chill, and was indisposed for several days following. However, his friends are glad to see him about once again.

—There was a packed house at the Emily Waterman Entertainments show Tuesday night and the audience was well pleased with the entertainment. The committee in charge of the season's chautauqua program has so far put on two of their five shows. If the other three are as good as the first two the public should be satisfied. In fact, the chautauqua shows are nearly all good and the public can hardly be said to "take a chance" on them.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bonds moved Wednesday of last week from their old home at Rocky Mount to their new home (now approaching completion) in Plain Dealing. It is their first move in forty years. Of their seventeen children eleven are living and they brought only two with them. Two single boys are hitching at the old home at Rocky Mount, one is in El Paso, Texas, and another is to-day taking a position in the postoffice at Shreveport, and the others are married and have homes of their own.

[Additional local and personal paragraphs written for this department are to be found on page two.—Editor.]

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We solicit the oil trade of all North Bossier. Our contract allows us to make attractive prices on oils

for every purpose

We handle coal oil (kerosene) in tank cars and would be pleased to furnish all merchants with this oil. Give us a trial order. Ask for our prices.

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Shoe Repair and Harness Shop

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The best of work at a reasonable charge

C. L. ALLEN

Restaurant, Grocery Meat Market

We now do our own slaughtering as well as butchering, which puts us in a position to more successfully cater to our growing trade. Nothing too good for our patrons in any department.

Railroad Work.

Mr. J. D. Herndon now has an increase in his Cotton Belt section crew, making his number of men from three to eight, and is making a good showing in improving the condition of the roadbed. And he has made a pretty piece of road of it.

Also, Mr. B. F. Powell, headquarters in Lewisville, Ark., has had his bridge-building crew and outfit on this section of the road for some weeks and has been making a good job of his work. The bridges are being built new, on new piling—no patchwork.

The house carpenter, Mr. A. C. Boys, of Pine Bluff, Ark., arrived in Plain Dealing Tuesday and has a number of workmen he brought in by the local same evening. The section house here is being remodeled.

Plans for the enlargement and remodeling of the Plain Dealing passenger and freight depot have been drawn and submitted to the proper authorities and they are only awaiting the pleasure of those who are to approve the plans. Whether Mr. Boys will begin the depot work while here at this time or at a later date has not as yet been made known.

Better Cotton Showing.

Cotton has been rolling in this week in such volume as has not before been seen this season. Also, the business people and farmers have been somewhat heartened by the improvement in the figures of the crop and the prospect of a good showing for the season. The still increasing price is also making every one feel better; and upon the whole, we are not nearly so bad off as we feared a couple of weeks ago.

Up to yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock the Farmers' gin and receive of cotton was 700 bales of cotton. The East St. Louis Cotton Oil Company gin had ginned 449 bales, making a total of 1149 bales for the season, and one cotton gin authority was saying that the town would probably get 500 additional bales of this season's crop.

—Mrs. J. S. Gray Entertains. The Rook Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. J. S. Gray last Saturday afternoon. The club prize was cut for by Mesdames Arnold, Lyon and Fluit and Miss Mary Pickett. Mrs. Arnold being the winner and Mrs. Tom Caldwell won the grand prize—both being dainty pieces of lingerie.

A delicious plate luncheon of chicken salad, stuffed pepper rings, crackers, cake, apricots with nuts and chocolate was served after the games.

Those present were: Mesdames Arnold, Bell, Bush, Collins, Fluit, Caldwell, Lyon, Martin, Purcell, Rogers, Stroud, Stratton, Walker and Wyche and Misses Pickett and Kirtley.

Sunday School Rally.

The teachers and officers of the Plain Dealing District Sunday School Association held a meeting at the Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon. Miss Susie Juden, state worker, from New Orleans, made an excellent talk on "Community Life As It Affects the Sunday School." Miss Mary K. Bixler read a good paper on "The Standard Cradle Roll," and Mr. Purcell ably discussed "This One Thing I Do," in reference to consecration of the Sunday school worker's life.

There was a good attendance and much interest shown.

The Big Baptist Drive.

Beginning at ten o'clock in the morning there will be an all-day slugging at the Salem Church at Red Land on the fifth Sunday (the 30th) says Mr. E. L. Johnson of that place. All residents of the community are urged to come out for the day, bringing big baskets of good things to eat and prepare to help in that way to make a success of the Baptist \$75,000,000 campaign, to begin at that place that day.

Rev. L. A. Materne will give an address on the great campaign at eleven o'clock a.m., and there will be a program embracing many interesting features. Mr. Materne will also fill a number of other appointments throughout the parish during the drive.

Friday (Thursday) Dr. J. C. Cox, of Mt. Lebanon, and Rev. H. S. Elzey, state evangelist and missionary for the North Louisiana Baptist Association, will be in Plain Dealing and will speak

at the church at 7:30 o'clock p.m. on the subject of the big drive. From here they will go to Ivan for the week-end.

The Plain Dealing Baptist Church was thoroughly organized to take care of the campaign in the interest of the \$75,000,000 fund Sunday night after the service. The membership and pastor are confident that a good showing will be made.

Storage Batteries for Rent

Let us install one on your car while yours is being recharged. Also, Hot Shot Batteries for sale. Have one put on that Ford. It will make starting so much easier. Do away with that hand cranking!—and

—don't forget to come around and sample the Free Air

JAMES' GARAGE Plain Dealing, La.

Our Big Sale of Ladies' Hats Is Now On

It opened on Saturday, the 15th, and will continue for two weeks only. We are offering one-third off on all hats. This is an exceptional opportunity for the thrifty housewives of this section.

\$15 Hats now	\$10.00	\$10.00 Hats	\$6.50	\$5 Hats now	\$3.75
\$12 Hats now	\$ 8.00	\$ 9.00 Hats	\$6.00	\$3 Hats now	\$2.00
		\$ 7.50 Hats	\$5.00		

W. H. MARTIN & COMPANY

Plain Dealing, Louisiana

Desirable Realty

I have a client who wishes to secure a few hundred acres of OIL LEASES in North Bossier. Am in a position to pay spot cash for them. See me before you lease.

Also, I wish to purchase a few SMALL FARMS to my own account. What have you to offer?

20 acres one-half mile northwest of the Plain Dealing High School. This property is facing the Arkansas and Shreveport proposed model road. All in cultivation, and is under a good hog-wire fence. Half cash, terms on the balance. This property will be on the market a very short time. "You will have to hurry if you want it."

11.4 acres of fine farm land and a nice six-room residence within a stone's throw of the Plain Dealing High School. This is one of the many bargains that I am offering those who wish to come to our town and help make it one of the best little cities in North Louisiana.

One of the best residences in Plain Dealing. This is Dr. Arnold's home, and has six rooms, bath and all modern conveniences. Garage, barn and five nice lots go with this place. Situated on corner of one of the best streets in our town. The price is exceptionally low.

263-acre farm, known as the Norris on McKellar Farm, situated in Ward Four—7½ miles east of Plain Dealing. The price is \$20 per acre—half cash and balance in ten years, 7 per cent interest. This farm has good improvements.

40-acre farm at Bollinger. This is one of the best bargains that I have. This place is owned by J. W. Rodgers, and is well improved—nice residence and good wire fences. The price is \$50 per acre.

120 acres three miles east of Plain Dealing. Good residence, fences, etc. One-third cash, balance to suit purchaser.

I have some nice building lots on the west side of town that I am offering at live-and-let-live prices. They are well situated and pretty in size—one acre, acre and a half and two acres each.

If you want to buy, SEE ME. If you want to sell, LIST WITH ME.

R. E. WYCHE, Jr.

Plain Dealing, Louisiana

Adair Brothers

Still known in the entire Plain Dealing country as the merchants who carry a full, well selected stock of General Merchandise. Ask them about their line of Automobile Casings.

—Cotton Bought and Sold

For Better Service Have Your Horses and Mules shod here with

"Just a Fit" Shoes

They fit snug, wear longer, and give excellent service at all seasons. I specialize in HORSESHOEING. Also, I am fully equipped to do anything in the way of Wagon, Buggy and Wood Work. Yours to satisfy.

H. L. HIGDON, Blacksmith

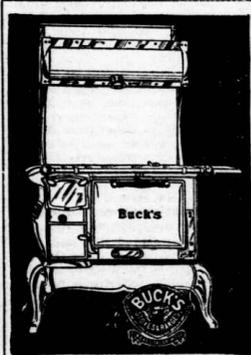
Plain Dealing, Louisiana

Dr. George G. McKellar

Physician and Surgeon

Plain Dealing, La.

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As the reader might guess from the reduction in the size of our advertisement, our stores are going fast. But we still have in stock the one in which you are in need.

We are exclusive agents here in Plain Dealing for Buick's Stoves, Ranges and Heaters, in all sizes and styles. Their reputation for long service is well known.

HARRISON-PURCELL CO.

Plain Dealing, La.

I'll Take You There and Bring You Back

I AM NOW operating for the convenience of the general traveling public a licensed

Service Car

My day stand is in front of Wyche's Barber Shop, 'Phone 18 during the day; Sunday and night 'phone, No. 56. All calls given prompt attention.

Let me take you there

C. A. HARRISON, Jr.

Plain Dealing, La.

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The Plain Dealing Jeweler

And thus save postage and the annoyance of the delay occasioned by ordering by mail. A big and well selected stock is constantly on display.

We Want to Buy

All the EGGS, Chickens, Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Hides, Tallow, Fur, Wool and Beeswax we can get. We have been in this business twelve years, and know where we can get the best prices. That enables us to offer you top prices. So see us before you sell.

DUDNEY & TURNLEY BROTHERS
 Plain Dealing, Louisiana