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The Macon Beacon

Local and Personal.

Miss Mary Amet is at home from the 1. E. & C.

Mrs. Clarence Hearon is visiting relatives in Newton.

Mr. C. B. Dorroh was in Columbus on business Thursday.

Mr. Will Oliver, of Sherman, Ala., was in the city Friday.

Miss Jennie Featherston is visiting Miss Shearer in Starkville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dapree, of Decatur, were in the city Friday.

Miss Mary Dinmore has returned from Belmont College, Nashville.

Miss Juanita Scates is in Houston, guest of Miss Lonnie W. Cavett.

Miss Beate Ferris will visit Mrs. C. L. Tubb in Aberdeen this week.

Mrs. W. B. Patten and Nancy left Saturday for a visit to Aberdeen.

Misses Sallie and Lovelady May Chamberlain are guests of Miss Mary Tyson.

Dr. Garrison, of Galesburg, Ind., is visiting his sister, Mrs. C. H. Cain.

Mrs. Brady and little son of Mobile are spending some time with Mrs. W. F. Scates.

Miss Pearl White Crigler gave a party on Saturday to a large number of her young friends.

Mr. J. H. McDonald was in the city Friday and returned the crops in his region as being very promising.

Dr. Clement was in Jackson several days this week attending a meeting of the Dental Board of Examiners.

Messrs. F. E. Carlton and H. H. Brooks Jr., attended the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Old Fellows in Jackson this week.

Mr. Geo. Pagan returned yesterday from St. Louis with a car load of well broke mares and horses. Notice ad in another column.

Mrs. Rydie Minor Stephenson and son arrived this week from Mont gomery, Ala., and they will again make Macon their home.

Mr. Taylor Smith has been sick this week, his condition at one time was considered very dangerous, being threatened with congestion.

Mr. Chas. Hardin, we are glad to report has improved so much from his recent attack of pneumonia that he was to be down town a short on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Charles Miller, secretary of the Macon Lumber Company is in Macon and will take active charge of that plant and will begin the manufacture of the immense quantity of hardwood lumber which the company owns in this vicinity.

Rev. Mr. Duron returned on Friday from Birmingham, where he has been for the past week attending the Methodist conference and incidentally visiting a brother who lives in that city. He will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church tomorrow as will be seen in notice elsewhere.

Miss Lillie Dorroh arrived home Thursday from Gainesville, Ga., where she has been for the past year, a student at Brenan College. She has, as a visitor, a fellow-student, Miss Leone Rauch, a niece of Senator A. J. McLaurin.

Miss Annie Augustus will teach Latin in the High School at West Point next session. Miss Augustus is a teacher of unusual ability, who is very much beloved by her scholars and fellow teachers, and her loss from the faculty of the Macon High school is very much regretted.

An entertainment will be given on Friday night, May 25th, at the public school building by Walter Barker Chap. Ter, U. D. C., Miss. Rosalie Baptist of West Point, will participate, as pianist, Mr. Herbert Grace and other talented assist in the musical program.

The Macon Post Office.

Among the nominations sent by the President to the Senate last Tuesday was that of Mr. Joshua Stevens as Post Master at Macon. It is not doubted that the nomination will be confirmed, and Mr. Stevens will then enter upon his fourth term in the office. It is supposed that Mr. Emmett Cavett, who has had the practical running of the office, will be continued as assistant postmaster. Mr. Cavett is a young man well known and well liked by all and has shown marked efficiency in his office.

Mr. Stevens is too well known in the county to need any sketch in these columns. Though a republican in politics he is popular in an overwhelmingly democratic community. With a characteristic firmness he adhered to his party when to a republican down here was anything but pleasant and safe and now that happier times have come no one begrudges him the honors and profit of his fidelity. Still there are those who say that had conditions been reversed and his home in a hotbed of republicanism, Mr. Stevens would have been a rabid democrat.

Ice and Coal Company.

The charter of the Arctic Ice and Coal Company, having been approved by the governor and returned, on Monday last, at the office of Brames and Barnes, attorneys for the company, a meeting of the stockholders was held and the organization perfected. The following officers were elected: President and secretary, T. B. Robertson; Vice-President, Ike A. Adair, Fordville, Ky.; Treasurer and superintendent, H. D. Jenkins, Macon, Miss.; Directors: T. B. Robertson, Louisville, Ky.; H. L. Barnes, Macon, Miss.

The installing of the machinery is progressing rapidly, and the manufacture of ice will be commenced about the first of the month. In addition to handling ice, the company will have a full stock of the best grades of steam and domestic coal.

PIANO RECITAL.

The following program will be rendered by the pupils of Miss Jeanie Ferris the coming week.

1. Theme with Variations (duet).....Haydn
2. Little Haymakers (duet).....Smallwood
3. Waltz.....Kernand
4. Cattie Field
5. Old Folks at Home.....Foster
6. Hail.....Bergelman
7. German Song.....Tschalkowsky
8. Andantino in poco Allegretto.....Haydn
9. Trolene.....Russek
10. Barcarolle.....Hauk
11. Nellie Smith.....Kelling
12. Two Flowers.....Low
13. Star Spangled Banner.....Low
14. Hungarian Dance.....Reinhold
15. Alpine Rose.....Ganschals
16. Last Rose of Summer.....Low
17. Farewell Greeting.....Ganschals
18. Sonata.....Kublan
19. A Pearl.....Behr
20. Rovers.....A. Kennedy
21. Nettie Hara
22. Flower Song.....Lange
23. Sonata, Op. 35, No. 2.....Chopin
24. I Think of Thee.....Gooder
25. Distant Sounds.....Benamont
26. Sonata.....Chopin
27. Dance of the Elves.....Jensen
28. Caprice.....Wilson
29. Trolene.....Russek
30. Etta Eichelberger
31. Allegretto.....Haydn
32. Minuet-Sonata, Op. 49, No. 2.....Beethoven
33. Butterfly Chase.....Hirsch
34. Little Eichelberger
35. Melody.....Read
36. The Caine
37. Tremolo.....Rosenell
38. Dream and Awakening.....Hendel
39. Nima Truck
40. Springtime (Song Cycle).....E. L. Ashford
41. Class

The Fishermen

The luck of the fishermen this week has not been very good. Several parties have been to the Carpenter Lake. Dr. Maugh Brown and J. Len Murphy, commercial broker, went out on Tuesday and reported very poor luck. Marshal Sargent and Sam Haenlein were there on Wednesday and caught a good string and Mayor Faser and W. E. Stokes were also there. Mr. Thomas had the usual luck with his tide Thursday at Howard's Lake, and got a string of twenty trout and bream. Mr. W. F. Allen got eight fine trout between trains from Mr. Chamberlin's pond at Shugvalk Thursday and Mr. Jones caught four fine trout the same day at the Thompson pond.

Old Market, New Proprietor.

I have bought from Mr. L. C. Cline his market in this city and will keep on hand at all times fresh meats, and fish in season. Mr. Tyre Brace will continue as manager. A share of the public's patronage is solicited.

Wanted, Cotton Seed.

I am now connected with the Mississippi Cotton Oil Co., Meridian, and will pay at all times the highest market price for seed. See me before selling.

Decoration Day at Soule Chapel.

One day in the Spring of each year is set apart by the people of Soule Chapel for the purpose of decorating the graves in Soule Chapel Cemetery. Religious services are held, a basket dinner is provided and the day is occasion of a reunion of those who have relatives and friends buried in this historic spot. So far as we know the people of that neighborhood are pioneers in this movement, and their example might well be followed in every community where there is a common burying ground. The dreariest and saddest spot on earth is a neglected grave yard.

This year the tenth of this month was appointed memorial day, and the writer was present according to his usual custom. Religious services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Zwingle, of Brooksville. Mr. Zwingle's sermon was altogether worthy of the day, and I am sure all who heard it must have been fired with the desire to reach out and strive after the high ideal so forcefully held up before them.

The committee appointed to attend to the chief business of the day had discharged their duties in a manner which left nothing to be desired. The grounds had been beautifully cleaned, all the shrubbery tastefully trimmed, and every grave was decorated. It was a goodly sight, and we like to think upon these evidences of loving remembrance of the dead. All of our citizens should feel grateful to the people of Soule Chapel for their care of this cemetery. All of us must needs feel an interest in this spot where so many men and women prominent in the history of our country have been laid to rest. Any attempt to call names would be invidious, and time and space forbid my offering a complete list.

But I must not neglect to mention the dinner. If not the leading feature of the day, it proved quite an important one. The undersigned has been eating dinners at Soule Chapel for more years than he cares to count, and he has never partaken of one which was not of the very best. So when he tells you that both as to quality and quantity this dinner was altogether what one might expect of Soule Chapel, you will understand that he pays a high compliment to the dinner. I believe several such crowds as were present could have been fed, without exhausting the bountiful repast provided by these generous people. A day among such hospitable people is certainly a day to be enjoyed, and I am sure every visitor present will agree with me in saying that this day was one long to be remembered with pleasure.

After a short intermission the association was called together and the committee made its report showing that all expenses had been met and a nice cash balance remained on hand. The question of having a well bored ha, been agitated and the committee was instructed to look further into the matter, and report upon its feasibility at the next annual meeting. This matter is a very important one, and every one connected with the association, should be willing to contribute liberally to it. Many who have loved ones buried there live at a distance and do not have the trouble connected with repairs, cleaning up and all the things necessary to keep this place in the manner it is, would doubtless be glad of the opportunity of showing to the people of the neighborhood their appreciation of their work of love, by contributing to this worthy object, if the opportunity were given them.

I am loth to quit my subject, as I am always loth to bid adieu to my friends there on these occasions. To me this is a sacred and hallowed spot. Many of the dearest friends of my life repose within its silent precincts, and the people are my people, for among them my life from youth to manhood was spent. They have ever honored me above my deserts, and I can only hope that I have to some extent met their expectations. From the earliest settlement of the neighborhood, this church was a part of the Brooksville circuit, but now belongs to the Crawford circuit. This change was thought necessary by the authorities of the M. E. Church South, in the readjustment of the churches, so as to create Brooksville station. This writer as well as the people there deplores the severing of ties that reach so far in the past, not because the ministers sent there are not among the very best men in the conference, but because of the hallowed ties that bound us together, and we feel that some other arrangement might have been made.

This article would be incomplete if I failed to mention the efforts of my long time friend Rev. Mr. Babbs, to make every one have a good time. The meeting again of this man of God and his good wife was one of the most pleasant episodes of the occasion. Such generosity and hospitality cannot be surpassed, and the writer expects as long as he is in the flesh and able to attend, never to miss one of these reunions.

WALTER PRICE.

Sensational Summer Sale at

DURANT OWENS'

FROM

Wednesday, May 23, until Saturday, June 2,

\$20,000 worth of exceptionally high-grade Clothing, Shoes Hats, Dry Goods, Trunks, Etc., to be sold, beginning WEDNESDAY morning, MAY 23, at 8 o'clock sharp for less than cost of material, the entire stock of Clothing, Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Notions, Trunks, Suits Cases, etc., of D. OWENS.

Grand Offering of Men's Suits.

\$4.98. A lot of Men's Suits, of superior quality, fully worth \$10 for only.....	\$ 4.98
\$6.15. This entitles you to a Suit of clothes from among a lot of 25 suits, highly tailored and finely finished, positively worth not less than \$12.50 or your money refunded.....	6.15
\$7.75. Represents one lot of 200 suits of the latest styles well made, only handled by dealers in high grade clothing. Suits in this lot sold for \$15 and in this sale you can pick them for.....	7.75

Men's Pants.

150 Men's pants worth \$3.50, only.....	\$ 2.10
At \$1.18 we will place on sale 200 pairs of Men's.....	1.18

Boys' Clothing.

The largest lot of Boys' Clothing ever placed before the public will be found in this sensational sale and parents should not miss this opportunity to pick bargains.

Boys' Knee Pants worth 50 cents only.....	19c
Boys' Knee Pants worth 75 cents only.....	29c
Boys' Knee Pants worth \$1 only.....	49c
Boys' suits worth \$3.00 only.....	3.50

Men's Shoes.

This stock of men's shoes to be placed on sale comprises a magnificent line, in fact we can say that this stock of shoes cannot be surpassed. You can find shoes in this sensational sale made of the finest material, and by the best workmen in the shoe line.

Men's shoes worth \$2.00 at only.....	\$ 1.05
Men's shoes all styles, well made, hand sewed, worth \$3.50, are yours for.....	1.98
For \$2.39 we will place before you, Men's shoes that compare with any \$4.50 and \$5.00 shoe, guaranteed sale price.....	2.39

Men's Hats and Caps.

Caps worth 60 cents, only.....	19c
Caps worth 75 cents, only.....	39c
Men's fine Felt Hats worth \$1.00, only.....	49c
100 Men's Extra Good Hats, worth \$2.50, only.....	1.28
50 Men's Extra Good Hats worth \$2.99 only.....	1.65
Genuine John B. Stetson's Hats worth \$5, only.....	3.48

Ladies' Hosiery and Underwear.

Ladies' Fast Black Hose worth 10c, only.....	4c
Ladies' Fast Black Hose, double heel and toe worth 15c, only.....	7c
Ladies' Extra Quality Hose.....	9c

26,000 Yards of Lace, 31-2c.

MILLINERY.

We have cut the price in this Department exactly in half. We carry the largest stock of Millinery in Macon.

Here Are Some Specials.

Calico, 10 yards for.....	40c
Good Bleached Domestic, 10 yards for.....	45c
Extra Quality Towels.....	4c
Towels, per pair, worth 25c, only.....	18c
Bath Towels bleached worth 50 cents per pair, only.....	18c
Silk Elastic, worth 15c, only.....	9c
Dressing Combs worth 10c only.....	7c
Silk Comb, worth 10c, only.....	5c
Table Cloth, worth 25c, only.....	19c
Table Cloth, worth 50c, only.....	24c
Table Cloth, worth 75c, only.....	48c
Five Danish worth 90c, only.....	24c
Extra Quality Table Linen worth 75c, only.....	49c
Pillow Shams worth 50c, only.....	29c
Brail, for.....	3 1-2c
White Pearl Buttons per dozen.....	3 1-2c

Muslin Underwear

Pants worth 35c, only.....	19c
Corsets Covers worth 50c, only.....	30c
Gowns and Underskirts worth 75c, only.....	42c
Ladies' Vests worth 10c only.....	5c

Our Guarantee:

We assure each and every purchaser absolute satisfaction. We guarantee every garment, every price and every statement here made and we will exchange any purchase unsatisfactory for any reason whatsoever. Every article, every garment in the house will be on sale at such low prices you certainly will be amazed, all marked in plain figures. One price to all. Sale positively opens Wednesday, May 23, at 8 o'clock sharp.

Mark the Date and Mark it Well, Wednesday, May 23.

Miles and miles of Dress Prints in Silver Gray, Blacks, Light Indigo, Blues and Reds. In this stupendous sale at **4-1-2 Cents**. Let nothing keep you away. The hour is set, the date you know. The greatest and most sensational sale of the age ever held in this section opens at

Macon on WEDNESDAY MAY 23, 1906. For Ten Days Only.

D. OWENS, Macon, Miss.

Bargains! Bargains!

Here we quote a few of the many bargains that stare you in the face

Umbrellas worth 75c, only.....	39c
Umbrellas worth \$1.50, only.....	69c
Umbrellas worth \$2.00, only.....	89c
Mohairs worth \$1.00, only.....	45c
A Good Assortment of Dress Goods worth 25c will go for.....	23 1-2c
Curtain Scrim only.....	10c
Lace Curtains worth \$1.00, only.....	59c
Lace Curtains worth \$2.00, only.....	1.19
Bed Spreads worth \$1.00, only.....	78c
Bed Spreads worth \$1.50, only.....	99c
Bed Spreads worth \$2.25, only.....	1.39
Bed Spreads worth \$3.00, only.....	1.98
Cheviot Shirting.....	9c
Black Sateen worth 15c, only.....	9c
Typhoon Silk (new) worth 15c, only.....	9c
Lace collars, turnovers, only.....	8c

Ladies' Slippers.

Our stock of Ladies Slippers is complete, consisting of Ladies Slippers, the like not to be found elsewhere for the money we ask for them. Latest Styles, Leathers, etc.

Ladies' Slippers never sold for less than \$2.50..... 1.50

500 pairs of Ladies' Slippers worth \$3.50 to be sold for..... 1.48

For \$2.39 we have selected over 500 pairs of ladies' slippers. Latest styles, made of the finest leathers, if not better than any \$3.00 slipper in the market. This is a broad assertion but it is true. Here is the chance of your lifetime, only 2.39. Children's slippers will be on sale for less than cost of manufacturer. For want of space we cannot specify.

Telescopes.

Telescopes that are worth 50c going now at.....	30c
Telescopes worth 75c going now at.....	49c
Telescopes worth \$1.00 to be had now for.....	75c

Wash Goods

Apron checks worth 7c only.....	5c
Dress Gingham worth 12c only.....	8c
Cross-hatched muslin only.....	4 1-2c
Brown dress linens worth 30c per yard only.....	14c
Brown dress linens worth 25c per yard only.....	19c
India linen worth 7c per yard only.....	5c
India linen worth 10c per yard, only.....	8 1-2c
India linen worth 10c per yard only.....	15c
India linen worth 25c per yard only.....	19c
Lawns figured worth 8c only.....	5c
Lawns figured worth 10c per yard only.....	6 1-2c
Lawns worth 15c per yard only.....	10c

Laces and Embroidery.

Laces worth double the money will go for.....	4 to 8c
Embroidery special.....	4 to 12 1-2c
Insertion extra.....	4 to 10c
All over Lace as low as.....	18c
All-over Embroidery down to.....	45c

Trunks.

Worth \$3.50, are to be had at this sale at.....	\$ 1.25
Trunks worth \$5.00, at this sale going.....	2.48
Trunks worth \$10.00 to be had at this sale for.....	5.08

Ladies' Skirts.

Skirts worth \$2.00 to be had during this sale at.....	79c
Skirts worth \$3.50 going during this sale for.....	98c
Skirts worth \$4.50 to be had while this sale is on at.....	1.48
Skirts that are worth \$5.00 going now at only.....	1.89
Skirts that are worth \$6.00 sold at this sale for.....	2.48

Ladies' Corsets.

Worth 50c, only.....	24c
Worth 75 cents sold at this sale at.....	39c
Worth \$1.00 going now at only.....	48c

Ladies' Handkerchiefs.

Handkerchiefs worth 10c going now at only.....	3c
Handkerchiefs worth 12c to be had during sale at.....	3c
Handkerchiefs worth 20c to be had now at only.....	4c