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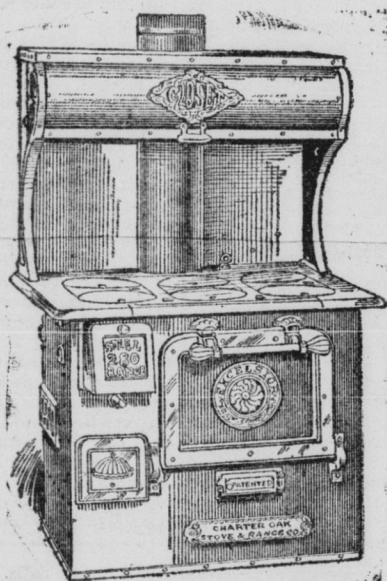
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Up-to-Date,

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Will at once commend
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Have You Been a Reaver?

Have you shared in the harvest of honest

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Here is another opportunity. Read our Bargain
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Remember our great sales take place next Monday.
Tuesday and Wednesday, June 24, 25, 26.

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As usual we refund money if not satisfactory.

SOME SOCIETY NEWS.

What is Going On in Brunswick's Gay
Social World.

BY MARY M'NISH BURROUGHS.

Miss Gussie Dixon is spending the
summer, the guest of relatives and
friends, in Waynesboro, where she is
receiving many graceful attentions.

After a pleasant visit to friends in
Brunswick and on St. Simon, Miss Jer-
mie Bryan leaves today for her home in
Savannah.

The excursion to Woodbine tomor-
row, given under the auspices of the
Eastern Star Chapter, promises to be
an event of great pleasure all who at-
tend, and success to those who are in-
terested in giving it. The Howland,
one of the prettiest little steamers in
Brunswick waters, will take the party,
leaving the Mallory dock at half past
five o'clock in the morning, and return-
ing in the afternoon or early evening.
The trip on the boat is one of particu-
lar beauty, the route being from the
waters of the Atlantic with its winding
marshes along the shores, into the fresh
waters of the Satilla, whose sloping
banks are gracefully overhung with
tropical vegetation in most luxuriant
abundance, through which here and
there may be caught a glimpse of a
startled deer, pausing for a second in
surprise, before darting off to the deep-
er solitude of the forest. One of the inter-
esting events this week will be the pic-
nic dinner served to all by the people
of Camden county, who have sent out
this invitation to Brunswick and other
places, to be their guests on that occa-
sion. The long plank tables under the
sheltering trees, will be heaped with
everything delicious imaginable, and
the charming, gracious women of Cam-
den county, who are unexcelled as
housekeepers, will see that every guest
is attended to, and sharing fully in the
repart prepared by their skillful hands.
To everyone in Brunswick the invita-
tion is given to be present, and to the
large number who will go, the day
promises to be one long to be remem-
bered.

Mrs. Hugh Porter, president, enter-
tained the Sablem Society of the Epis-
talian church most delightfully Saturday
afternoon, at her home, the Oglethorpe.
There was a beautiful and interesting
program of music and recitations ren-
dered by the members of the society,
and to Miss Gussie Dixon, who has
been the faithful and popular secretary
for two years, as a mark of affection
and appreciation, the society presented
a handsome piece of silver and cut
glass. Elegant refreshments were serv-
ed, and the time passed quickly by all.
Those present were Misses Kathleen,
Vivian and Ruth Norris, Gussie Dixon,
Mercer Knight, Sadie Ward, Mattie
Ferguson, Maudie Hoodenpyle, Katie
Moore and Master Clinton Knight.

Among the guests present a few
evenings ago at the exchange party
given by Mrs. E. F. Cony, in compli-
ment to her niece, Miss Mellic Green-
lee, were Miss Arabella Wright, who
won the lady's prize, an exquisite little
Japanese fan, Mr. Albert Banks, who
won the gentleman's prize, a pretty
scarf pin and Misses Mellic Greenlee,
Addie Paul, Claude Lucas, Ethel and
Kessie Conoley, Em W. H. Ellen Pen-
man, Tallulah Fleming, Julia Wilder;
Messrs. John Pace, Malcolm McKinnon,
LeVergue Whitfield, Hugh Burford,
Millard Reese, T. Q. Fleming, Jr.,
Frank Stacy, Frank and Sam Mallard,
William Bailey, Hunter Hopkins, Rob-
ert Jones and Richard Everett.

Many Brunswick friends of Miss Is-
bell Q. Atwood, of Darien, will be sur-
prised and interested in hearing of her
marriage, which occurred in Philadel-
phia a few days ago, to Dr. E. L. Corn-
man, of York, Pa. The bride is the
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. At-
wood, and is known as a social favorite
and charming woman by a large circle
of friends throughout the state. Miss
Atwood went to Philadelphia a short

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INTERESTING CASES Disposed of AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION

Cases Against Messrs. Lane, Beach
and Madden Nolle Prosequi.

Glynn Superior Court, Judge Paul
E. Seabrook, of the Atlantic Circuit,
presiding, convened yesterday for the
trial of certain disqualified criminal
business of Judge Joseph W. Bennett.

There has been great public interest
in this session of the court as it is un-
derstood that it was convened more
especially for the trial of the indict-
ments found against J. L. Beach and
H. H. Harvey for embezzlement. Mr.
Beach was formerly connected with the
Board of County Commissioners and
afterwards Prison Commissioner of the
State; and Mr. Harvey was formerly
Treasurer of the City of Brunswick.

This interest has existed also to a
minor degree, mixed with curiosity in
the course to be pursued with reference
to the indictments found by the last
grand jury against Dr. J. M. Madden
of Brunswick, and Mr. A. H. Lane, of
Valdosta, who were President and
Vice President of the defunct Mer-
chants and Traders Bank of Brunswick;
the indictments being found in connec-
tion with certain transactions of this
insolvent banking institution. In both
of these last cases, the Solicitor Gen-
eral stated that he was unwilling to con-
duct the prosecution, thinking that it
was unwarranted, and the court grant-
ed an order entering a nolle prosequi
quite a number of visiting attorneys
were on hand for the occasion, includ-
ing: Col. P. W. Meldrim, of Savan-
nah, who appears with the Solicitor
General in the Beach case for the state,
and Col. W. M. Toomer, of Waycross,
of counsel for Mr. Beach, Judge S. R.
Atkinson, of Atlanta, Mr. E. P. S.
Denmark, of Valdosta, Mr. Emil New-
man, of Savannah, and others.

The first case called was that of Mr.
Jacob L. Beach, charged with the em-
bezzlement of certain bonds and cou-
pons from Glynn county. Owing to a
defect in the indictment, Attorney
Meldrim, who was representing the
county, stated that he would ask the
court to nolle prosequi the case.

The defect in the indictment was
caused by the use of wrong numbers,
that is, the indictment charged Mr.
Beach with the embezzlement of bonds
and coupons of certain numbers, which
numbers were wrong. Attorney Mel-
drim was positive that from a legal
standpoint the indictment would not
hold good, therefore he asked that the
case be nolle prosequi. Attorney W.
M. Toomer, who represented Mr. Beach
made strong objections to the case tak-
ing this course, but Judge Seabrook
promptly signed the order when it was
presented by Attorney Meldrim.

So far as this case against Mr. Beach
is concerned, a re-indictment is neces-
sary before the case can continue.

This however was done, and the grand
jury which was in session at the time
the case was disposed of, promptly re-
indicted Mr. Beach and very likely the
case will again come up today.

The court then called the case of the
State vs. A. H. Lane, charged in the
indictment with transferring the ef-
fects of the bank of which he was
Vice President after the insolvency of
the bank.

The Solicitor General stated to the
court that he was unwilling to prose-
cute the case and asked that a nolle
prosequi be entered. He said that
some five or six years ago, shortly af-
ter the insolvency of the bank, Mr.
Lane and his people had offered to pay
and had paid to the receiver of the
bank some \$18,000, not only all that he
was legally liable for, but all that he

could in any view be held morally
bound to pay, in a full settlement with
the bank, under consent in writing of
all parties at interest either as cred-
itors or stockholders; that at that time
both he and the then judge of the su-
perior court, and the grand jury at that
time in session, had made a thorough
investigation of the matter, which in-
vestigation had satisfied them that Mr.
Lane had been guilty of no crime of
any character, but had displayed had
business judgment, and that after the
investigation and settlement a decree
had been entered by the court in the
equitable proceedings to wind up the
affairs of the bank, absolving Mr. Lane
of any liability of any character, either
civil or criminal, upon payment of the
amount stated. The Solicitor General
stated that he had advised the last
grand jury, who found the bill of in-
dictment, that in his opinion no crime
was involved in the matter and that
Mr. Lane had made the fullest legal
and moral reparation for whatever
mistake he had made, but they had seen
fit anyway to find a bill of indictment
and since that time he had made no se-
ret of the fact that if those interested
in the bank should see fit to employ
counsel to prosecute the case he would
have no objection, but that failing this
he would ask the court to grant a nolle
prosequi.

Hon. W. G. Brantley, of counsel for
Mr. Lane, supplementing the remarks
of the Solicitor General, stated that a
nolle prosequi ought to be entered,
first, because there was no crime known
to the law charged in the indictment,
and second, because the facts and cir-
cumstances of the case showed that no
crime was committed. Mr. Brantley
then read to the court the decree in
the Merchants and Traders Bank lit-
igation referred to by the Solicitor Gen-
eral and also read the petition upon
which it was based. This petition
was an intervention filed by Mr. R. Y.
Lane, the father of Mr. A. H. Lane,
stating that his son was insolvent, but
that he himself stood ready to pay all
amounts for which A. H. Lane could
be held even morally liable. Petition
was magnificent in its portrayal of the
protecting care of a father for his son
joined with the stern justice and up-
rightness so eloquently and simply an-
nounced.

Judge S. C. Atkinson, who was at
the time of counsel for the Receiver of
the bank, and Mr. W. E. Kay, who re-
presented the creditors of the bank,
both stated to the court that the whole
transaction had taken place with the
fullest knowledge of all concerned, after
various conferences, and after a full
investigation of all matters had satisfied
them not only that there was no crime
involved but that, in fact, there was
grave question whether Mr. A. H.
Lane could be held legally liable for
any of the amounts offered to be paid by
his father, Mr. R. Y. Lane, and furth-
er announced that it appeared to them
that if it was the hope of public jus-
tice being vindicated, it had made its
appearance rather late, and that it had
been a great surprise to them, knowing
the facts as they did, when they heard
that an indictment had been found by
the grand jury.

Judge Seabrook, in granting the
order allowing the nolle prosequi, and
stating that he thought this an emi-
nently proper case for such action,
stated also that of course no reflection
was intended upon the grand jury who
found the bill of indictment, because a

grand jury's investigation was always
necessarily to a great extent ex parte,
they hearing only one side of the mat-
ter. The court closed his remarks by
saying of the petition of Mr. R. Y.
Lane: "That petition is a most touch-
ing and powerful example of paternal
love, and ought to stand as a monument
to that grand old man, as I know he
must be."

The case against Dr. J. M. Madden
involved in the same transactions as
the case against Mr. A. H. Lane, and
the circumstances surrounding it ap-
peared to be largely the same. It ap-
peared also that Dr. Madden had had
a full settlement with the Receiver of
the Bank. So the court, on the mo-
tion of the Solicitor General, ordered
a nolle prosequi be also entered in that
case.

Mr. A. H. Lane was represented in
the matter by Messrs. W. G. Brantley,
W. E. Kay and F. E. Twitty; and Dr.
J. M. Madden was represented by
Messrs. W. G. Brantley and W. E.
Kay.

At the Oglethorpe.
Among the arrivals at the Ogle-
thorpe yesterday were:

John W. Bennett, Waycross, F.
Kirk, N. C., M. L. Simons and E. F.
Simons, New York, J. T. Dart, city,
R. L. Patterson, Baxley, C. Downing,
city, J. J. Gross, Savannah, G. C.
Ramey, N. Y., Gus J. Monroe, Ill.,
J. W. Butler, Chattanooga, Chas. M.
Jerome, Atlanta, H. Mitchellson, St.
Simon, T. Torkerson, Jekyll, E. M.
Priest and wife, Atlanta, J. C. Titus,
city, Augustus Lane and E. P. S.
Denmark, Valdosta, Geo. J. Munroe,
Joliet, Ill., Wm. Toomer, Waycross,
W. H. Ginn, Clay City, Ind., B. T.
Nye and wife, Indianapolis,
Ind., John McCrane, Homerville, J. A.
Space and Paul E. Seabrook, Darien,
St. Louis, Tom Eason, McRae, Spencer
R. Atkinson, city, D. M. Newberry,
Cincinnati, Geo. W. Owen and Katie
Newman, Savannah, Thad. W. Griffin,
Petersburg, Va., L. Dyer, New York,
A. Phinney, Boston, Mrs. R. L. Henry,
Miss M. R. Henry, Miss Rosa Henry,
G. R. Pellet and Mrs. M. E. Pellet,
Macon, J. P. O. Nail and H. W. Barter,
Philadelphia, J. S. Schley, Steve Bryan
Capt. Usina, Mr. and Mrs. Vannarter,
Savannah, Jesse R. C. New York,
E. F. Johnson, Cincinnati, Miss
Carwell and Clifford Johnson, Way-
cross, R. E. Chandler, Savannah, D.
M. McKay, Baltimore, W. P. Ennis,
Atlanta.

Don't Forget the Moonlight Excursion.

It is the opening of the new boat line
to the new wharf and new pavilion.
They have secured the services of
the Marine band, thereby guaranteeing
to all not only first class music, but one
of the most pleasant evenings that any
one can spend.

The line has made the round trip for
half fare, that is 25 cents will take you
down and bring you back, so every-
body should go and enjoy themselves.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION TOMORROW NIGHT

WILL BEGIN BY THE HESSIE LINE. -
MARINE BAND WILL FURNISH MUSIC
FOR THE OCCASION AND A DELIGHT-
FUL TIME IS EXPECTED.

In celebration of the opening of the
new steamboat line from Brunswick to
St. Simon Island, there will be a
delightful moonlight excursion given
by the owners of the Hessie line
tomorrow night. The two swift
steamers, the Hessie No. 1 and Hessie
No. 2, will leave their wharf at 8 and
8:30 o'clock, and from all probability
they will both be crowded.

This is the first moonlight excursion
of the season and as the fare has been
placed at 25c for the round trip, the
public should show their appreciation
to the owners of this new line in giving
them such excellent boat accommoda-
tion to and from the island, by well
patronizing this their first excursion.
The service of the Marine band has
been secured for the occasion, and will
furnish music both going down and
returning, and also for dancing at the
pavilion.

LOST.—One red setter puppy, with
four white feet and white on breast.
Finder will be rewarded by returning to
J. S. Wright.

WANTED.—To buy one second hand
electric light meter. Prefer 10 light.
J. Mitchellson.

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Vegetables**
Daily at Our Store.

Green Corn Snap Beans,
Squashes Cucumbers
Fresh Tomatoes,
Water Melons,
Peaches.

If its nice we have it.

Hamper
THE HUSTLER
PHONE 158

Notice,

For the convenience
of Brunswickians visiting Buf-
falo during the Pan-American Ex-
position, we will furnish them with drafts
on that place; also with identification
blankets, thus enabling them to carry
funds in perfect security, and avoid the
necessity of being identified.

Brunswick Bank & Trust Co.
H. W. Gale, Cashier.

Do you Have Trouble With Your Feet?

If you are sick you consult a physician.
If you have corns you go to a chiropodist.
We're chiropodists when it comes to prescribing
good things for the feet. You can't get rid of the disease
until you remove the cause, get shoes that fit you.

We make a specialty of
fitting feet.

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