

summary of State News.

GRIFFIN.

There is less sickness in Griffin now than at any time in many years.—Very little cotton in the warehouses.—*News.*

LAWRENCEVILLE.

Lawrenceville camp meeting begins Wednesday before third Sunday in August.—A new agricultural club has been organized at Carroll's store.—*Guinnett Herald.*

AUGUSTA.

The public schools of Richmond county are well attended.—Small-pox has almost entirely disappeared from this city.—A. J. Smith has been elected President and George W. Crane Vice-President of Mechanic Independent Fire Company of Augusta.—*Advertiser and Sentinel.*

MILLEDGEVILLE.

Mr. Charles Ennis, of Baldwin county, died on the 30th ultimo.—The weather during the past week has been showery—excellent for gardens and the corn fields, but rather damaging to cotton, especially that not "shouted out."—*Union and Recorder.*

MACON.

On Tuesday, whilst John Huff, a brother of our Mayor, was being lowered on the elevator in Daly's store, he had his arm caught and badly crushed.—Within the past few days several cases of small-pox have been taken from Murray's alley. One family, we heard, was removed complete, the mother and two children.—*Enterprise.*

ROME.

A visitor to Cave Spring reports the corn and cotton looking well in that section. The wheat is not much to brag on.—The following ladies have been elected officers of the Ladies' Memorial Association of Rome: Mrs. T. W. Alexander, President; Mrs. G. W. Bowen, Secretary and Treasurer; Miss Linnie Hargrove, Assistant Secretary.—Mrs. Annie E. Vesey died at the residence of her father, Colonel C. P. Polk, near this city on Tuesday.—*Commercial.*

COLUMBUS.

In three days of this cotton week, Columbus has received three times as much as she did the entire seven days of the corresponding dates last year.—Heavy rains between Columbus and Opelika on Tuesday.—A fourth interest in the Fontaine Warehouse in Columbus was sold on Tuesday for \$6,750.—The Eagle and Phoenix Manufacturing Company have sent to the Vienna Exhibition specimens of their cotton blankets and a few other goods.—Twenty-two marriage licenses were recorded in this county for May.—On Monday, Mr. Anderson Howard was admitted to practice law in the Superior Court.—*Sun.*

SAVANNAH.

John Stoddard has been elected President, and G. W. Wylly Vice President, of Evergreen Cemetery Company of Savannah.—The third annual exposition of the Agricultural and Mechanical Association of Savannah commences on Monday, 17th of November.—Daniel Roach was murdered in Savannah by James Scullens on Tuesday night; it resulted from a game of cards.—*News.*

We heard on Tuesday of the death, in Cuba, of Mr. William C. Staley, of our city.—Rev. Timothy Harley has been elected President of the Young Men's Christian Association of Savannah.—At the courthouse sales on Tuesday, G. W. Wylly & Co. disposed of Central Railroad stock at 85, 85½ and 86; Augusta and Savannah Railroad at 82; Gas Company's stock at \$38 per share—par value \$25. McLaughlin & Son sold ten shares Central Railroad stock at 86.—*Advertiser and Republican.*

ATHENS.

Mr. James Carlthers, of Madison county, died a few days ago.—Crops on the Apalachee are looking well—even wheat. This is the first and only good report we have of the wheat crop.—Corn, cotton and oats looking well, in Madison county, as we are informed by a citizen. Wet weather giving the grass a strong footing.—A gentleman from Franklin county informs us that his wife, who weighs but 94 pounds, and is only 31 years old, is the mother of ten boys.—George Church in Athens is about to be finished.—The new block of Messrs. England & Orr and S. C. Dobbs, on Broad street, will be 60 feet front by 130 in depth. This, with the building of Center & Reaves, now going forward, will improve the appearance of that neighborhood.—Athens needs water works.—Gentlemen from Franklin county assure us that they have the best stands of cotton ever known. Oats very promising. Corn looks well. Wheat below the usual average, both in quantity and quality.—*Southern Watchman.*