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Mormons are active in Emanuel county.

Griffin is to have a tournament on the fourth of July.

Irregularities in the public affairs in Upson county are limited.

The crop outlook in Elbert, says the Star, is by no means gloomy.

A railroad from Albany via Newton to Bainbridge is under discussion.

The Cumming Clarion says that the town district will again try for the stock law.

Ellen Marsey, living near Hartwell, was killed by lightning the other day.

Among the suits in DeKalb county is one for boarding and training a pointer dog.

A subscriber of the Jackson Herald has stopped his paper because it wouldn't rain.

Mr. Alex Hawkins, of Cumming has two stalks of corn which have grown from the same seed.

Mr. W. E. Cooke, formerly of Rome, is now editor of the Oklahoma Capital, Guthrie's new daily.

The district convention of the Woman's Missionary society of the South Georgia conference is in session at Waycross.

The Albany guard have been ordered to aid in effecting the arrest of Jake Young, wanted for the killing of his deputy.

The Augusta Evening News says: Did any one say anything about winter lingering in the lap of spring?—even summer?

The first man to be executed in New York by the electric process is named Wm Kemmler. The time for his death will become time the last week in June. The experiment will be watched with great interest as there are differences of opinion as to whether the new method can always be relied on to produce immediate death.

On last Tuesday the Cherokee County Confederate Veterans' association met at the courthouse for the consideration of matters pertaining to the proposed celebration or reunion of all the old soldiers in Cherokee, in July next. Thursday, July 25th, was selected as the best time to have the reunion, and Canton the place. Further arrangements will be made on the first Tuesday in July next.

The Hamilton Journal mentions the fact that in 1816 it took one bushel of corn to buy one pound of nails and that now one bushel of corn will buy 20 pounds of nails. It then required the price of one bushel of wheat to buy one yard of calico, and now one bushel of wheat will buy 30 yards of calico. Those who earn little can live at small cost with present prices, and times are not so hard as some would think they are.

Col. U. B. Harrold of Americus, vice president of the Savannah and Western railroad, went over to Columbus on May 29 with the fire boys, accompanied by his wife and Miss Annie, one of his accomplished daughters. It was the 27th anniversary of his marriage. His wife is a daughter of the late Dr. Jacob Fogle, for many years a leading dentist of Columbus. He and his wife strolled around to the church where they were married and stood together in the same place.

The Athens factories have shut down until July 1st.

The trial of Tom Woolfolk is being carried on at Perry Houston County.

There is a man in Hart county who spells his entire name with two letters, Bob Bobo.

The Farmers Alliance of Coweta and the business men of Newman have come out flatfooted against jute bagging.

A terrible flood, caused from the breaking of a reservoir, swept down on the city of Johnstown, Pa., last week and drowned 12,000 persons.

Walter Cone was fishing near Milledgeville three weeks ago and lost a glove overboard. Yesterday he was fishing in the same stream and caught the glove.

The Georgia editors who are out West to do the excursion, have hit the blizzard square in the face. With nothing but their dusters and \$30 in money we fear they will cut but a sorry figure on the streets of St. Louis and Kansas City—Angus News.

A Tennessee gentleman caught a number of fish and threw them, with an eel, on the grass. Later he prepared to string them, but found that the eel had run his tail through the gill of each fish and tied the end into a hard knot, thus converting itself into a genuine fish string. This item is copied from the Tennessean Enterprise.

"James, my son, take this letter to the post office and pay the postage on it; it is an order for a Light Running New Home Sewing Machine for your mother." James returned, highly elated, and said: "Father, I see'd a lot of men putting letters in a little place, and when no one was looking I slipped yours in for nothing and brought back the postage."

The following is copied from The Jasper County News:

We return thanks for an invitation to attend the closing exercises of the Middle Georgia Military and Agricultural College at Milledgeville, beginning June the 9th.

Among the distinguished guests who were in attendance at the S. S. Celebration we noticed and had the pleasure of shaking hands with Hon. J. H. Blount, our highly esteemed Congressman.

The Commercial Telegraph line is being erected along the C. & M. R. R., and a movement is on foot to have an office established in the business part of Monticello. This will be quite a convenience to our Merchants and business men.

The County Commissioners have awarded to Mr. Dick Hightower the contract to furnish the granite for the much needed enclosure around the Court House, together with its steps, coping etc. This granite is to be shipped from the newly discovered quarries on the C. & M. R. R., near Gray, which is pronounced by experts to be of the best quality for Monumental, building, and street work, and the supply is said to be almost inexhaustible. The granite business in Georgia is getting to be quite an enterprise. Only a few years ago the now flourishing town of Lithonia on the Ga. R. R. was a flag station. Her quarries built her. And as this at Gray is first rate and very accessible, farthest South of any in Ga., we bespeak an early boom for this beautiful town.

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

Vegetation is on a boom.

How did you enjoy the picnic?

Barbecues will soon be in order.

Some of the farmers are planting over their cotton.

Vegetation looks considerably better since the recent rain.

Finns and wraps were in demand by a large majority, last week.

Front was reported in the Upper portion of the County last week.

Farmers have been quite busy since the recent rain, but little tillage has been done.

The wheat threshers are circulating through the county and chickens are seeking high resting places.

Snow in the Northern states and frost in our own County accounts for the blizzard that struck us last Friday.

Mr. Dick Hightower, of Corvinton, will move his family here sometime soon and begin work at the Rock Quarry.

Misses Kate Morgan and Maude Penn returned from the Free Excursion last Thursday and give a glowing description of the trip.

The picnic at this place yesterday was not very largely attended but the time was very pleasantly spent and all enjoyed themselves to the fullest.

Mr. J. R. Hicks of the firm of Phillips & Hicks has charge of the Brilliant Salmon, formerly owned by Biscuit Smith, and would be glad that his patrons, who deal with him in horses and mules would call and see him when visiting Macon.

We must ask the indulgence of our kind readers this week, our Editors have been quite sick for the nonappearance of Clinton locals.

Also our "force" at this place, has been on the sick list since returning from the Press Excursion.

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FROM ROUND OAK.

The following is copied from The

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Jasper County S. S. Association was held in Monticello and we sketch a few items of note which occurred during those two days of enjoyment and pleasure.

Judge Thompson, the President, presided over the exercises.

His executive ability of no mean order, and owing to his superb management everything passed off without a jar or jostle in the immense machinery.

One of the S. S.'s work in this County. Strangers who were in attendance will long remember his kindly beaming eye—intellectual face, and firm hand which combined to conduce so much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Our handsome and promising young attorney, Col. W. T. Lane, delivered in an eloquent and appropriate speech of thirty minutes the Welcome. Addressing himself to statistics his line of thought was very instructive, and showed the exquisite taste, often violated upon such occasions, to much advantage.

The Col. is truly dashing, but mentally he is not gushing.

Prof. Walker made the next speech, and his earnest and eloquent words exhibited a heart and brain consecrated to the work of the Master.

We also had a fine address from Mr. Polhill, of Forsyth, which was timely and delivered in fine style.

His line of thought was far reaching in its scope, and indicated the field in which grew his thoughts to be fertile in the practical. Like Col. Lane he is young—but Georgia sends out to the world her giants young, but they are seasoned timber nevertheless, and will forge to the front.

The music upon this occasion was pronounced by competent judges to have been simply splendid. Each school furnished its quota of songs and the vast tent seemed filled with the harmony of sweet sounds. Prof. Pounds, Mrs. Downs and Conway and other distinguished singers lent their assistance, and the amiable Mrs. Elting, president of the Organ and added to the pleasure of the occasion.

Dr. Downs and his family, with several other ladies and gentlemen, discoursed some sweet music on Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Potter delivered a splendid sermon on Edgemoor from Eph. 6th chapter 2.3. and 4, Sunday 11 o'clock a. m.

The Banner was awarded in a happy manner by Col. Davis of Monticello, and as Eocley Creek Prospect tied, it was presented to both schools; but Judge Thompson, the Superintendent of Prospect school, immediately insisted that Eocley Creek should have entire possession.

There was plenty of ice-cream and soda water and refreshments from the ground to help sustain the good feeling so generally indulged.

There was a feeling of sadness which pervaded the audience on account of the illness of the Vice President, Mr. M. A. McDowell, and suitable resolutions expressive of sympathy were passed and ordered sent to his family.

Short Notes.

That Jasper County has more pretty girls than any County around her, and that we saw no drunkards or other bad behavior.

That Maj. Kirt is not dead nor asleep, but will get us all to Macon on the R. R. cheap.

That judging from the rainfall, every body in Jasper County is rich.

That we hope again to come together and improve upon the splendid time, the children had.

That the recitations from different schools were all well rendered, but especially did the little girls and young Misses look unusually sweet and held the audience spell-bound.

That Dr. Madrix in his imitatio way entertained the children, and grown people too as to that matter. The Dr. is unique, and would we dare say the company of one gallus copers breeches country boys.

That we are anxious for the Dr. Judge Thompson and the children who sang so sweetly on Sunday at their Jubilee.

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