

We have seen a specimen of the gold found in Habersham county, which was sent by Gen. Cleveland to a gentleman of this place skilled in mineralogy, in order to have its degree of fineness ascertained. It proves to be virgin gold, as pure as that precious metal can be, and more so than the gold coin in circulation, which has in its composition a certain portion of alloy. The letter enclosing the specimen says that the hands employed, since they have been well prepared for digging, have obtained the value of from one to four dollars each per day, and Gen. C. thinks there can be no doubt but the county contains gold mines as rich as those of South America.—*Southern Recorder.*