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the Robesonian.

WITH AUNT BECKY.

**Home Again—An Uninteresting
Route—Cotton Picking Time—
No Race Suicide in Robeson—
Other Items of Interest.**

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

After a pleasant trip of four
weeks' duration, I am home again
and settled down to the daily
routine of home duties. I was
idle so long that I believe I have
grown a little lazy, as a natural
consequence.

On my return trip I boarded
the train at Petersburg and trav-
eled through Eastern Carolina, a
route that is neither beautiful
nor interesting. The lands gen-
erally were less fertile than in
our section of the State, and the
patches of tobacco and peanuts,
with small fields of corn, grow
monotonous. The first field of
good cotton I saw caught my at-
tention on this side of Goldsboro,
and I hailed it with some pleas-
ure, because it reminded me of
home, and was a change from the
unbroken scene of 100 miles trav-
el.

The first depot on the line af-
ter leaving Petersburg was
Ream's Station, which revived
memories of the war, for there
was considerable fighting done
about that place.

Coming up from Wilmington,
Maj. A. J. McKinnon entered the
train some miles below Lum-
berton and took a seat beside me.
I was glad indeed to see his fine,
genial face, and to hear the news
from about home. "Sandy" is
well posted as regards crops, the
farming interests, etc., and is in
close touch and sympathy with
the working classes. He is also
a man of solid practical sense
and sound judgment, and is in-
terested in the welfare of the
people at large.

I hear of no news of interest
in the Fork. The farmers are
having a short respite, between
the fodder and the cotton, but
next week cotton picking will
be on hand. I heard one of our
neighbors say yesterday afternoon
that the heavy rains had injured
his cotton crop, and that it was
failing very perceptibly.

The summer seems to be tak-
ing its flight, and with it the
fruit and vegetables, and now
we will soon be casting about for
something to cook for dinner; but
the field peas are coming on, and
the potatoes, too, and we will
still try to keep the pot boiling.

Our grand-daughter, Mary
Belle McLaurin, who spent some
time with us, returned to her
home near Latta, S. C., on Thurs-
day last, accompanied by my fish-
ing mate, Angus Olmstead, and
now I have no one to go with me
to the old mill, and have not been
fishing in a long time; but he
will soon be home, and his cousin
in Robert McLaurin, our other
grandson, is coming with him,
and we will have a good old time.

I received a paper recently
from Dr. Dodge McCallum, of
Weatherby, Miss., one of your
occasional and interesting corre-
spondents. The paper contained an
account of an old soldier's reu-
nion, a splendid dinner, and other
pleasures contributed by the
Daughters of the Confederacy.
Dr. McCallum delivered on the
occasion a speech which was
highly eulogized. He is a man of
splendid talent and wide re-
search, and one among many of
old Robeson's sons who soon af-
ter the war left his native State
and removed to Mississippi, where
he has been repeatedly honored
in official life.

The Farmers' Union is to have
a grand picnic at Caledonia
church, in Scotland county, on
Thursday, the 26th, and the Squire
is making his plans to attend.

Rev. Messrs. McColl and Wad-
kins are conducting a meeting at
Oak Grove M. E. church this
week.

The neighbors have been com-
ing in to see me since my return,
and bringing the dear little chil-
dren, whom I missed while I was
gone—and strange to say I did
not see a single baby on my trip
until I reached Maxton. Children
were scarce up in Virginia and
families small, ranging from one
to two or three. I told them they
ought to come home with me,
cross the Bull branch, and visit
the home of our neighbors, Mr.
and Mrs. R. D. Hamer, and see a
family of eleven as fine boys and
girls as any county afforded,
ranging in age from 19 down to
the beautiful baby girl of four
months. These are the grand-
children of Mrs. Sarah Bullock,
of Rowland, who is the proud
grandmother of 75 or 80. We
received a few days ago
handsome cards announcing the
approaching marriage of her
youngest daughter, Miss Katy Bul-
lock.

Aunt Becky,
Old Fork, N. C., Aug. 24, 1909.

Searched With A Hot Iron.
or scalded by overturned kettle—cut
with a knife—bruised by slammed door—
injured by gun or in any other way—
the thing needed at once is Bucklen's
Arnica Salve to subdue inflammation and
kill the pain. It's the earth's supreme
healer, infallible for boils, ulcers, Fever
sores, eczema and piles. 25c. at all
druggists.

Manzan, the great Pile remedy, pre-
vents Piles by preventing constipation.
It is conveniently applied directly to the
trouble by means of a small nozzle at-
tached to the tube in which Manzan is
put up. Sold by J. D. McMillan & Son

The merchant who doesn't ad-
vise stands in his own light.

HOPE MILLS NEWS.

**Deaths—Negro Injured by a V.
& C. S. Freight and Cows Killed
by Passenger Train—Miss
Belle Tyner's Work—Other
Items of Interest.**

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lamb, of
Fayetteville, spent Friday night
with their son and daughter, Rev.
and Mrs. T. H. Sutton.

Miss Buckingham, of Rowland,
has been visiting her uncles,
Messrs. L. M. and F. A. Cul-
breth.

Mr. N. B. Lindsay has
been visiting in this place.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson, who had
been visiting her daughter in
Quitman, Fla., has returned.

Mrs. J. F. Musslewhite was a
visitor here this week.

Messrs. J. M. Bullard, of Park-
ton, and Sam Fort, of this place,
left Monday for Buies Creek,
where they will enter school.

Mr. Colin A. Britt, a Confed-
erate veteran of Orrum, has been
visiting his son, Rev. P. T. Britt.

Rev. T. H. Sutton and Mr. L.
R. O'Brian visited Fayetteville
last week.

Pearl and Ethel Bynum have
returned from a visit to their
uncle, S. H. Hamilton, at Lum-
berton.

Mr. K. B. Newton, of Fries,
Va., who recently came to Hope
Mills on a visit to see his father,
Mr. B. Newton, has a case of
typhoid fever. His many friends
wish for him a speedy recovery.

Miss Viola Boone, of Clayton,
has been visiting Miss Lillie
Barnes.

Mr. W. M. Warner has accept-
ed a position with the Hope
Mills Mercantile Company.

Dr. J. C. Gilbert is erecting a
handsome dwelling on the Ham-
ilton place, which he recently
purchased. This will be a valu-
able addition to Hope Mills.

Mr. N. C. Duncan, a deacon of
St. John's Episcopal church, Fay-
etteville, will preach regularly in
Hope Mills Christ church on the
first Sunday in the month, at 11
a. m. and 8 p. m.

Rev. P. T. Britt is conducting
a protracted meeting in the Baptist
church at Cotton this week. The
meeting is good, and the
awakened interest and conver-
sions are cause for rejoicing on
the part of the faithful preach-
er.

Rev. A. R. McQueen, of Dunn,
is conducting a meeting in Big
Rockfish Presbyterian church
this week. The attendance is
large, and great interest is being
manifested.

Miss Belle Tyner, of Lum-
berton, who is traveling under the
auspices of the Robeson Associa-
tion, stopped over in Hope Mills
on her way from Raeford Fri-
day afternoon, and at night ad-
dressed the Baptist Ladies' For-
eign Missionary Society here.

The lecture was very fine, not
only because of the great store
of information conveyed, but in
elegant diction, pleasing delivery,
and its strong and tender plea
for the heathen nations. The
audience was delighted and ed-
ified. Thursday night Miss Ty-
ner addressed the Baptists of
Parkton, Friday afternoon she
spoke in Raeford and Sunday
afternoon at Great Marsh
church near St. Pauls. Miss
Tyner will shortly go to
Louisville, Ky., for her finishing
course in the Baptist Woman's
Training School for Missions.

She gives promise of a future
filled with useful deeds, and it
can be safely predicted thou-
sands in the lands of superstition
and error will rise up and call
her blessed. She is a graduate
of Meredith College and has spent
a year in the Training School at
Louisville.

Mrs. Sarah Johnson, of Char-
lotte, was found dead in bed Sat-
urday morning, 21st, at the home
of her son-in-law, Mr. J. H. Mor-
rison, who lives in this place.

Mrs. Johnson had been visiting
at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Morrison for several days, hav-
ing stopped over on her return
from Riggsbee, where she at-
tended the funeral of her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Jennie Cole, who died
about three weeks ago. Mrs.
Johnson was about sixty years
of age, and had been in poor
health for some time. Her death
is supposed to have been caused
from heart trouble. She lived
an exemplary life, was a con-
sistent Christian, and for long was
a member of the Methodist
church. The funeral took place
Sunday afternoon and the inter-
ment was in Big Rockfish church
cemetery.

Mrs. Mary McMillan, wife of
Daniel A. McMillan, who lives
about five miles south of Hope
Mills, died Tuesday night, 24th.
Mrs. McMillan had been sick for
several weeks, and her death had
been expected for several days.
A good woman has gone.

The Crime of Idleness.
Idleness means trouble for any one.
It is the same with a lazy liver. It
causes constipation, headache, jaundice,
sallow complexion, pimples and blotches,
loss of appetite, nausea, but Dr. King's
New Life Pills soon banish liver trou-
bles and build up your health 25c. at all
druggists.

On last Saturday afternoon as
the regular passenger train to
Lumberton rounded the curve just
out from Hope Mills, six cows
were side-tracked, which resulted
in a great slaughter. One cow
escaped, however, with the loss
of a horn.

Hope Mills, N. C. Aug. 27, '09.

'Twas A Glorious Victory.
There's rejoicing in Fedora, Tenn.
A man's life has been saved, and now Dr.
King's New Discovery is the talk of the
town for curing C. V. Pepper of dead-
ly hemorrhages. "I could not work nor
get about," he writes, "and the doctors
did me no good, but, after using Dr.
King's New Discovery three weeks, I
feel like a new man, and can do good
work again." For weak, sore and dis-
eased lungs, Coughs and colds, mem-
orables, Hay Fever, LaGrippe, Asthma
or any bronchial affection it stands un-
rivaled. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bot-
tle free. Sold and guaranteed by all
druggists.

Washington's Plague Spots
lie in the low, marshy bottoms of the
Potomac, the breeding ground of mala-
ria germs. These germs cause chills,
fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice,
lassitude, weakness and general debility,
and bring suffering or death to
thousands yearly. But Electric Bitters
never fail to destroy them and cure ma-
laria troubles. "They are the best all-
round tonic and cure for malaria I ever
used," writes R. M. James, of Loui-
siana, S. C. They cure stomach, liver,
kidney and blood troubles and will pre-
vent typhoid. Try them, 50c. Guarant-
eed by all druggists.

A WEEK OF PLEASURE.

**On the Robeson Side of the
Lumbee River.**

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

One of the most enjoyable oc-
casions of the season was spent
by the young people on the Robe-
son side of Lumbee river, near
Gilchrist bridge, last week.

The ball of fun and enjoyment
was started rolling on Saturday,
August 14th, when Misses Ella
Hendry, Eolin Shaw, and Sallie
McNeill became the guests of
Miss Lillian Alderman. Sunday
the young people attended Sun-
day school at the old and famous
church of Montpelier. Monday
afternoon it was unanimously
agreed that the sights and pleas-
ures of Riverton (the beautiful
summer resort on the banks of
the tranquil Lumbee) should be
taken in, so there the afternoon
was spent, and enjoyed by all to
the highest degree. Tuesday the
young people spent the day (the
remembrance of which will be a
pleasure to them in the years
to come) at the hospitable home
of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McLaugh-
lin in Laurinburg.

Wednesday morning, as the
great light which lights and
warms this beautiful land of ours
was peeping over the eastern
horizon and drying the sparkling
little dew-drops from the beauti-
ful flowers and grass (for which
our land of the long-leaf pine is fa-
mous), the young people were
making ready for the lawn party
given by Mrs. W. L. Buie in hon-
or of the visiting young ladies;
so when day light was fading be-
hind the western horizon, the
jolly young people were merrily
on their way to Mrs. Buie's. The
guests were ushered into the par-
lor, which was beautifully decor-
ated, and after a few minutes of
social tete-a-tete the young men
were ushered into the hall be-
hind a curtain, where they were
sold to the young ladies by the
size of their feet protruding
through the curtain. Some of the
young gentlemen who had max-
imum "pedes" brought a hand-
some price, I assure you.

As each young lady made a
purchase she took her prize to
the lawn, which was brilliantly
lighted, and a few minutes af-
terward delicious refreshments
were served.

The evening passed away in a
most charming manner and the
guests returned to their respec-
tive homes declaring they had
been to nothing better this sea-
son.

Thursday afternoon the young
people were delightfully enter-
tained at a fish fry given by the
Misses McBrady.

The utensils for cooking in the
woods having been carried to the
mill pond near Mr. McBrady's,
the young people were to assist
their chaperone, Mr. J. M. Mc-
Nair, in preparing their repast,
which consisted of fish, chicken,
eggs, bread and coffee. The fry
was to resemble our forefathers
cooking in the woods, when cook-
ing stoves were not known. The
features of the occasion were Mr.
McNair's coffee, Mr. W. H. Mor-
rell's scrambled eggs, Mr. W. W.
Purcell's expert bread-turning
without the aid of knife or hands,
and the excellent cooking of the
ladies and the other gentlemen.

The afternoon passed so quick-
ly and the young folks were hav-
ing such a jolly time that when
the hour arrived for returning
home they longed for more twi-
light.

As the ball of fun and enjoy-
ment ceases to turn, we await
the return of the "Good Old Sum-
mer Time," and we sincerely hope
that by next summer our rail-
road will be completed and we
will have it to help us turn the
"ball."

By "One That Assisted in
Turning the Ball."
Red Springs, N. C., R. F. D. No. 3,
Aug. 24, 1909.

[The above, along with "Aunt
Becky's" letter, and some other
communications, had to be held
over from Thursday's paper on
account of lack of space—Editor.]

A negro named Hodge, em-
ployed around the depot at Hope
Mills, was badly injured by the
Virginia & Carolina Southern
freight train at 4:30 o'clock Tues-
day afternoon. The man was on
the A. C. L. main line and stepped
off of it on the V. & C. S. track
to get out of the way of a
through freight, when he was
knocked down by the rear end
of a freight on that track.

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enjoyed a hay ride Wednesday
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is visiting friends and relatives
in this community.

Miss Mollie Pate, of Hope Mills,
R. F. D. No. 2, who had been
spending some time visiting re-
latives in this section, returned
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Bessie Smith.

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beautiful pond. Many of the
young folks spent the entire
forenoon pleasure riding on the
upper part of the pond, where
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**Crawls Into Den of Lynx and
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Lumberton, N. C., Dispatch, 23d.

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na hunter, showed his bravery
when, armed with a big knife, he
crawled yesterday into a den of
lynx near here and killed the
leader of the band. The battle
lasted three hours. The lynx was
six feet in length.

For several months the lynx
have been a terror to the com-
munity. They have killed live
stock and attacked people. Their
den was in a wild, rocky ravine
and none dared attempt to rout
them. Smith organized a posse
to help him fight the animals,
but he had barely gotten inside
the den when the posse, fright-
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