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SHORT NOTES FROM ASBURY.

The Crops—Politics—Alliance—The Young Ladies and the Church.

Correspondence EVENING VISITOR
The crops are good and the farmers are pleased with their prospects for a good crop. All are sanguine unless some disaster.

Only one white Republican and he not a native. This should be sufficient evidence that the citizens of Asbury are men of the right material and can be relied on.

The Alliance numbers about thirty of its best citizens and when a new measure comes up it is not acted upon until due deliberation. Then they are a unit. All are strong Alliance men and will vote for Alliance principles.

Asbury can boast of as pretty and accomplished young ladies as any neighborhood in the State, and on the 7th of August you will have an opportunity of seeing them, and to see them is sufficient evidence to prove the rest.

The ladies of Ephesus church will give a festival on the evening of the 7th of August. To announce that the ladies of Asbury—assisted by the young ladies—will give a festival is evidence that it will be a success, as ladies never fail when they take hold of anything, and at a festival all know and understand its management. The writer is sorry to admit that he is not a church member, therefore cannot say but little about their church. Both churches have flourishing Sunday schools and each church has services once a month.—Ephesus church, besides service once a month, has singing and prayer meetings weekly.
The candidates for the different offices should make a note of this, as three townships will be well represented by some of its best citizens. A large crowd is anticipated and all are respectfully invited. Yours, &c.,
QUILLA.

A Soldier's Home.

Western Guide.

For the last few years, an attempt has been made all over the State to establish "Soldier's Home," for the aid of old soldiers. Just exactly what this Home will be, has never been decided upon, or where it will be, but work has been going on in the direction and hope is entertained that it will soon be established. North Carolina needs this home and should have it. In our State there are thousands of old soldiers, poor, needy and unable to work for their living. They are suffering, and it is not right, that the younger generation of our land should neglect this matter. The true heroes of our country should not be neglected or reduced to want, simply because they fought and bled for the dear Sunny South. But today, away from the maddening crowd, far from town and city, there dwells many a poor man, who is actually suffering for bread and meat. And there in a little hut of some sort, scarcely sufficient to keep off the rain or protect from the cold winter winds, he lives, a poor wounded Confederate soldier. And should not these men be cared for and protected? Our cause made their condition. We lost, and now they are suffering.

Let this good work go on and may this Home soon be established, where the poor, the halt and the blind may go and be at rest.

Pittsburg Dispatch.
The robust and healthful independence which should always be suggested by the name "American" has not been wholly monopolized by the girls much of it as they now possess. A man of very genuine and inspiring independence was a witness in a western Pennsylvania court not long ago. A lawyer who had the cross examining of the witness tells the story. Everything went well until a certain question had been asked and as much of it answered as fulfilled the lawyer's desires.

"Stop there. Don't tell any more about that.

"But there is more to tell. I have not fully answered the question."

The muzzle was held firmly in place but the witness was not subdued. Even when the court had rebuked him he was still respectfully insubordinate.

"I have been brought here by authority," he argued. "I have been required to take a solemn oath to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. Now you must allow me to keep the oath you made me swear. Neither court nor counsel has a right to force me into perjury because the counsel don't want just quite the whole truth. I insist on my right to give the remainder of my answer."

"And if you'll believe me," said the disgusted lawyer, "that hayseed court sustained him and I lost my case."

Simplicity of Children.

What grown people keep concealed children often let out in their simplicity. A striking illustration of this appeared some time ago in a Sunday school. A teacher had been telling the class the story of the rich man and Lazarus, when he asked the question: "Now, children, which would you rather be, the rich man or Lazarus?" A little boy spoke out and said: "I would rather be the rich man while I live, and Lazarus when I die." If we are not mistaken that is about the sentiment of a large number of people. They want to roll in the luxury of the rich man while living on earth and then be carried on angels' wings to heaven. But the Master says, "Ye cannot serve God and mammon." That's one of the moral impossibilities.

A Man Under Her Bed.

Annie Gray, of Lowell, Mass, woke up and found a man in her room Wednesday night and jumped from the window, twenty-five feet from the ground. She broke a leg and suffered a concussion of the spine. She was taken to St. John's Hospital, and is in a critical condition. She knows who the intruder was, but will not tell his name. He attempted no indignities; but becoming conscious that some one was in the room she put out her hand and felt his legs as he was crawling under the bed. Then she sprang from the bed and through the open window. It is stated that the man escaped from the premises in the same manner that he had gained access to the room—from a neighboring shed.

They Say.

Concord Standard.

That the boy at the seashore dances to the tune of \$4 a day, besides what he spends for ice cream with the summer girl.

The candidates this time are going to do the square thing, and not do just anything "because they have to, you know, owing to circumstances."

A man who can endure the torments of the mosquitos for a whole night and not use a few Sunday school words, need not fear that in a moment of temptation he may let his tongue "slip."



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Burkeville,	5 06	4 30am	
Keyville,	5 48	5 10am	
Danville,	8 40	8 05am	
Ar Greensboro,	10 27pm	9 42am	
Lv Goldsboro,	*2 40pm	10 00pm	
Ar Raleigh,	4 40	9 00pm	
Le Durham,	*4 45	*1 00am	
Ar Greensboro,	5 45	2 55am	
Lv Salem,	8 30	7 30am	
Greensboro,	*10 37pm	*9 50	
Ar Salisbury,	12 26 am	11 19am	
Ar Statesville,	*1 49	*12 08pm	
Ar Asheville,	7 22am	4 22	
Ar Hot Springs,	9 34	5 55	
Lv Salisbury,	*12 32	*11 24 am	
Ar Charlotte,	2 05	12 40pm	
Spartanburg,	4 51	3 38	
Greenville,	5 56	4 46	
Atlanta,	11 00 am	9 41 pm	
Lv Charlotte,	*2 20 a m	*1 00pm	
Ar Columbia,	6 30	5 10	
Augusta,	10 30 am	9 00pm	
Northbound.		Daily.	
	No 51	No 53	No 54
Lv Augusta,	*6 30 pm	*8 00 am	
Columbia,	10 35	12 50pm	
Ar Charlotte,	3 13 am	5 15	
Lv Atlanta,	*6 00 pm	*7 10 am	
Ar Greenville,	12 35 am	1 48pm	
Spartanburg,	1 39	2 52	
Charlotte,	4 25	5 30	
Salisbury,	6 02	7 05	
Lv Hot Springs,	*11 10 pm	*12 25pm	
Asheville,	12 40 am	2 02	
Statesville,	5 02 am	5 58	
Ar Salisbury,	5 53	6 42pm	
Lv Salisbury,	*6 07	*7 12	
Ar Greensboro,	7 47	8 40	
Salem,	*11 40 am	†12 30 am	
Lv Greensboro,	*9 45	*11 00pm	
Ar Durham,	12 01pm	5 00 am	
Raleigh,	1 05	7 45	
Lv Raleigh,	*1 05	†9 00 am	
Ar Goldsboro,	2 55	12 50	
Lv Greensboro,	*7 55am	*8 50pm	
Ar Danville,	9 32	10 20	
Keyville,	12 18pm	1 55 am	
Burkeville,	1 00	2 45	
Richmond,	3 30	5 15	

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