

Miscellaneous News.

From the Atlanta Intelligencer.

HONDURAS.

As Seen by One Who Has Been There—Both Sides of the Picture.

We announced some days ago the return of D. P. Ferguson, Esq., to this city, after a sojourn of six weeks in Honduras...

To the Intelligencer: Many persons being desirous of obtaining information of Honduras, I propose, at the solicitation of several friends...

Land may be easily obtained at from ten to fifty cents per acre; or parties may get them under a recent immigration act as a donation from the government.

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THE OTHER SIDE.

I have given all the good qualities and now for a few bad ones. The Spanish language is spoken altogether.

The people are ignorant, the most of them being entirely destitute of education. There are no book-shops, or machinery of any kind in the country.

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A Disgraceful Scuffle.—Several cases of importance were tried in the Superior Court in North Carolina last week, one of which was a fight between two preachers in the pulpit over the Bible.

Finally, on one occasion, when R. G. land was fulfilling an appointment, Oakley ascended the pulpit and seized the church Bible, which he was moved to peruse.

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General McClellan's Harrison Par-ler, written to President Lincoln for his advice, and courteous in every line, was the occasion of minute reviews...

I heard of several valuable gold, silver, copper, lead, iron and potash mines. Labor can be had at 75 cents per day, the laborer maintaining himself.

I found the natives very friendly, supplying me in every instance with all the comforts I asked for. Provisions such as follows: Rice 3 cents per pound; sugar, 35.50 to 45; cattle \$4 to \$5; sheep and goats, 75 to \$1.25; chickens \$2 to \$3 per 1,000; dry hogs, each, \$1.

Meximillian, the Late Emperor.—Maximilian, ex-Emperor of Mexico, was born July 6th 1832, so that he was nearly thirty-three years of age on the 19th of June, when he was executed.

Congress assembled in extraordinary session on Wednesday to inaugurate the daily work of reconstruction, and to pass such supplemental legislation as would most speedily restore ten States greater.

to the Union. This at least, was the ostensible reason. But the very first of the House of Representatives was to thrust out of the Union another State, because it sent an unbroken delegation of Democrats to that body.

We spoke too fast, however, in saying that all eight of her Congressmen were rejected. One was, we believe, admitted because his seat is contested by a Radical, and he is permitted to take his seat because he will be dislodged in less than a week by the Radical contestant.

TREATMENT OF CONFEDERATE PRISONERS. Mr. Wilson, of Huntsville Female College, writes a letter to the New York Times, in reply to an article of that paper in regard to the treatment of Confederate prisoners of war.

This letter comes from a source so respectable and responsible, and its statements are so specific, that we have no hesitation in publishing it.

We hope others of our soldiers who suffered themselves, or witnessed the sufferings of others, from the cruelty and brutality of their prison-keepers will give the Northern public the benefit of it.

FEMALE COLLEGE, Huntsville, Ala., June 18, 1867.

My attention has been called to an article in your paper of the 31st ult., in which, replying to some remarks of the Richmond Enquirer, in regard to the treatment of prisoners, it is said:

A very sensible woman, who is going to Europe, desires that when her husband's name and her own are published in the list of passengers, it shall be "Mr. and wife, not lady, for he goes abroad with his own lawful wife and no body else."

The negroes of Mobile, have addressed a petition to General Wager Swayne, praying for the protection guaranteed them under the civil rights bill.

An ingenious French chemist proposes, in view of the supply of coal in Europe being soon exhausted, that human bodies should be used for the purpose of illumination.

The colored children of Washington have formed an organization known as the "Vanguard of Freedom." The members pledge themselves to abstain from intoxicating drinks, and to avoid profane and vulgar language.

He who, by his principles or practice, corrupts the manners and morals of the rising generation, will reap a terrible harvest of woe! Better for such a man had he never been born.

At Fort Delaware our barracks were more comfortable, but the rations were miserably insufficient, and prisoners who could not obtain money from friends with which to procure extra supplies from the sutlers, suffered the pangs of hunger night and day, and reduced to skeletons, and eaten up by scurvy from scanty and unwholesome food, fell ready victims to disease, and died by hundreds.

It was a daily occurrence for large numbers of the men to be beaten over the head with bludgeons or kept for hours tied up by the thumbs in most agonizing torture.

It was no uncommon thing for the guards upon the slightest pretext to fire into the quarters in which were 300 or 400 men, and several prisoners were needlessly and recklessly killed by them.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PASSENGERS GOING TO THE FOLLOWING PLACES, VIA THE GREAT BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Indians, Ky., Louisville, Ky., Nashville, Tenn., Cincinnati, Ohio, Cleveland, Ohio, Toledo, Ohio, Columbus, Ohio, Dayton, Ohio, Lakeway, Indiana.

And all Points in the Great West. Passengers going to the above named places should be sure to provide themselves with through tickets to every case from the point they start from, as they will save from five to ten dollars per ticket.

Time from Washington to Indianapolis 36 hours; Cincinnati 30 hours; St. Louis 24 hours; Cairo 22 hours; and Memphis, Tenn., 22 hours.

Two Changes of Cars between Washington City and Indianapolis, two changes to Cincinnati, and three to St. Louis.

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Master Transportation, Baltimore & O. R. R., Baltimore, Md. Gen. Ticket Agent, Baltimore & O. R. R., Baltimore, Md.

VALUABLE PLANTATION FOR SALE. THE subscriber offers for sale a valuable plantation adjoining that on which he resides, known as the Dr. Johnston place.

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GROVENEEN & CO. Piano Forte Manufacturers, 440 Broadway, New York.

FOR SALE. A. F. Forte, cost \$350 may be had for \$275 in current funds. The Piano is of splendid Rosewood, Seven Octaves, extra mouldings, serpentine base, tread ledge harp pedal, and Louis XIV' style.

D. T. WILLIAMS & CO. Commission Merchants.

Cocoa, leaf & manufactured, Wheat, Flour, CORN, COTTON, and all articles of COMMERCE PRODUCE.

LITERARY. THE firm of BRANSON & FARRAR having sold their stock to the Methodist Book-Store, (N. C. Publishing Co.) are now opening a select New Stock of SCHOOL BOOKS.

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