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ADVERTISING.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted at...
Marriage notices and obituaries will be charged at advertisement rates.

JOB WORK.

JOB WORK of every description will be...
done at the lowest price with dispatch, and as neatly as can be done.

TELEGRAPHIC.

REPORTS OF THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

From Gen. Johnston's Army.

MARIETTA, June 27.—About ten o'clock this morning, the enemy...
attacked the fortifications on the east side of the city...

Northern News.

MOBILE, June 27.—The Register and Advertiser has a special dispatch from Mobile...
which says that reliable Memphis intelligence is to the effect...

Further From the North.

ATLANTA, June 27.—The Appeal has received Nashville dates to the 22d...
The latest news from Grant's army near Petersburg says...

GOLDENROD, June 28.

Private advices received from W. F. Lee on Sunday...
from Stanton bridge, on the Southside road, with Dearing in his front...

The Soldiers' Relief Society.

Being now organized, all contributions to the same will be thankfully received...
Donations of provisions or stores may be sent to the President...

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"Mr. Holden's Questions."

This morning we have nothing to do, and as Mr. Holden has filled his last issue with his slenderest imputations, we mean to occupy the defense long enough to put the matter at rest...

First—Did you (Gov. Vance) know when you appointed Col. McKee, that you already had a State Agent in Europe...

Answer—The contract with Mr. Sanders stipulated for its execution at Halifax, Nova Scotia, and there was no intention for Col. McKee to proceed to Europe...

Second—Why does Mr. Vance require Col. McKee to settle his accounts with the Auditor?

In this question there is much of statement, and coming from Mr. Holden, much of error. It is not true that Col. McKee was ever detailed as an Auditor...

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Mr. Battle and Mr. Rogers were not a committee to settle Col. McKee's accounts; but they were requested to arbitrate and determine his compensation...

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The reasons why Gov. Vance does not require, and Col. McKee does not submit his accounts to the Auditor for settlement are two: First, Major Weston, the agent whom Col. McKee appointed when he returned...

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The second reason against a settlement can be removed by Gov. Vance at any moment. Col. McKee claims an additional compensation for the additional service he was called on to render...

Sixth—Why does Mr. Vance require Col. McKee to settle his accounts with the Auditor?

Now what has Col. McKee done? He has negotiated a sale of the State bonds, for the delivery of "Common Rosin" at Wilmington, for one DOLLAR A BARREL; and the contract will show that he has netted for the State seventy-five cents per barrel...

- 5000 Over-coats,
5000 Pants,
5000 Jackets,
5000 Shirts,
5000 Caps,
10,000 Blankets,
10,000 pair Shoes.

The Rosin sold will cost the State, if purchased now, about \$3 per barrel, or \$684,000.

Having effected such an operation—having risked capture by the enemy to do so—to say

nothing of the risk of loss of life—Col. McKee has thought five per cent commission was a reasonable charge.

We have thus answered Mr. Holden's questions, calmly, temperately, fully and frankly.

There is one question put by Mr. Holden which merits another answer. He asks:—

"And how much gold has Col. McKee received, besides the eleven thousand dollars which he claims?"

We answer, NOT A CENT! neither received, nor to be received; and if Mr. Holden means this as anything more than one of his political attacks—then it furnishes evidence of the baseness of his own soul...

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The Standard wants Gov. Vance to have "Lt. Howard tried and punished, for encouraging mob law." The hymn is the only animal, we believe, that makes war upon the dead in their graves.

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