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CHOICE POETRY. GO, MY BOY, WHERE DUTY CALLS YOU. [The following lines were written as a response to those published in this paper of 16th Inst., headed "Mother, Can I Go?" being a request from a young man employed in New York to his mother in Lyone, Conn., for permission to join the National Army.]

Go, my boy, where duty calls you, and my heart shall follow you. Go, my boy, where duty calls you, and my heart shall follow you. Go, my boy, where duty calls you, and my heart shall follow you.

MISCELLANEOUS. STATEMENT OF AN ESCAPED UNION SOLDIER, FROM NORTH CAROLINA. Interesting Details. John Gormley, of the late Colonel Baker's California Regiment, who was captured at Hampton July 12th, 1861, has just returned to the city after a captivity in Rebel hands of eight months.

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rest; while there they heard the alarm bell in Raleigh ring. After remaining an hour or two in the woods, expecting every moment to be discovered, they struck the road and traveled about twenty miles through mud and water.

had better give it up. He replied, they would be compelled to give it up very soon. He went off, leaving them rejoicing over the tidings. After two days traveling, he arrived at the foot of the Blue Ridge; he crossed the North Toe river and arrived at the house of a rebel on the Iron Mountain road.

bloody revenge of the Circassians. Some days since we republished a statement from the English papers of the recent defeat of a Russian army by the Circassians, but the whole story was not told.

THE PARALLEL WORDS OF DOUGLAS. In the last address of this distinguished statesman, and popular leader of the Democratic party, the following emphatic testimony is borne against the leaders of this rebellion.

An Incident. A woman from Indiana, hearing that her son, her husband, and her mother-in-law, were in one of the battles before Richmond, listened to her husband's name, and searched in vain for him through all the hospitals in the city.

Every loyal man will utter the unqualified sentiment of the gallant Douglas, that "we are no neutrals in this war, only passive traitors." And the man who hesitates to put down this rebellion, is taking one of the other positions—he must be a traitor or a rebel. In all the ramifications of life, this point will and must be reached.

At Raleigh, they were met by a man on our (the Rebel) side. They said the Yankees had better give it up. He replied, they would be compelled to give it up very soon.

After traveling twenty miles, they repaired to a wood on the road, forty-five miles from Raleigh, in Ash county. They remained there undisturbed throughout the day, the third night they were returning from a Sunday meeting, but they were horsemen from Raleigh in pursuit of them.

One of the party volunteered to go, and proceeded to a house about two miles from the place of concealment. As he entered, the following conversation took place: "Good morning, madam."

While proceeded there they were discovered by a horseman, who gave a yell, and in less than fifteen minutes they were surrounded by about 150 horsemen, who informed them that they had been awaiting their arrival on the bridge, which had been guarded the previous night.

On February 2d, about dusk, Mr. Gormley made his escape from Salisbury by passing the guard lines unnoted, scaled the fence of the prison, about twelve feet high, and proceeded to the depot of the Raleigh and Charlotteville Railroad Company.

Coming along the road, the people were very eager for news. Knowing this, Mr. Gormley determined to manufacture some of an agreeable character to them. He informed them that the Yankee fleet had made its appearance in Pamlico Sound, that we (meaning the Rebels) had burnt two of their best vessels and drowned six hundred of their men, without the loss of a man on our (the Rebel) side.

The Cherokee Enlisting for the Union. A letter from Rev. J. Battick Jones, minister of the Cherokee nation, to the editor of the New York Examiner, states that the Cherokees have set aside their treaty, made in August last with the Confederates, on the ground that it was executed from them under duress.

At Cumberland Gap, which place our informant left last Sunday week, he found 1300 troops, commanded by General Morgan. Of this number, there were 1000 Tennessee regiments. The troops at Cumberland Gap are represented by Mr. G. as looking remarkably well, and in fine spirits.

Union Papers—Synthesizing Papers. We have now before us three newspapers, published in the cities of Nashville, Tennessee, Newbern, North Carolina, and Norfolk, Virginia, and called, respectively, the Nashville Union, the Newbern Progress, and the Norfolk Union.

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