

Fayetteville Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> / 61

Mr J. W. Collingsworth }  
New York City }

Dear Sir  
Your favor of the 15<sup>th</sup> inst was  
recd yesterday and all hands  
were glad to hear from you.  
It found us all well and  
very busy (doing nothing) I  
negotiated a loan for you this <sup>day</sup>  
raised \$2,000 on a couple of  
Ladies hats. if you dont need  
so much money we will play  
it off at Euchre with A. J.

Salt is worth in Wilmington  
as follows Alum for Bush 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ cts  
Liverpool per sack — \$2.20  
American " " — \$1.70 @ 180

There is not much demand yet  
for Salt as it is too early

There is a fair supply in Town  
owing to the scarcity of money  
Consumers will not lay out  
Their money for it till compelled,  
American sells here at  $\$215$  &  $\$225$   
per Sack Liverpool at  $\$240$  &  $\$50$   
New Corn is  $\$110$  Old  $\$125$  &  $\$50$   
Bacon (St. C) is 23 on the Street  
Times are still dull. I've sold  
one of the last lot of shirts  
at 76. The Gray Hats are  
hard. The Weather is still  
Cloudy & Cool.

I will take up with your  
kind offer about a suit of  
Clothes - Coat, Pants, & Vest,  
Get me a good heavy business  
suit as you can, not to exceed  
 $\$21.00$ , if cheaper it will suit  
just as well say  $\$16.00$  perhaps  
better as Kate & the Baby must  
have something too

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I wear pants 33-33, Coat  
& best size not recollect  
You know about my size  
I am 6 feet 2 1/2 inches high  
& am perfectly willing to mark  
your judgement. Jacket -  
Coat preferred,

All are well at present  
Miss Annie did not remain  
but came back with Theo  
Theo does not give me much  
information about the success  
of his last trip. Can't say what  
he did

Hoping to hear from you  
soon I remain  
Your Friend  
Warwick

N.P. Have not been able to  
see Worth but will inform  
you by Monday's Mail  
. W

The Calicoes are getting slim  
We also need some Mens Bal  
Shoes as there is quite a call  
for them, I sold the last of  
the Blue Checked Northern  
Homespun today. Also pairs  
of Calicoe (cheap) are needed.  
We cant compete with Dick  
Thornton if we dont have a  
cheap articles

Also some cheap Woolen goods  
for Mens wear,

And a few more Buttons and  
all de praise &c,

The river is quite low the Marion  
had to be pulled over the shoals  
going down her last trip.