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FOR SALE – The subscriber wishes to sell the following property in the County of Prince William; A TRACT OF TIMBER LAND, within one mile and a half of the Potomac River, and a half a mile from Quantico Creek, but a short distance above its mouth, where the navigation is good, and 30 miles below Washington. This land is entirely in wood, and it is believed contains between three and four thousand cords, a great proportion of which is yellow heart pine, of large size, suitable for ship and wharf building, and other purposes of the kind. It would be valuable to anyone having a government contract for the supply of timber.

ALSO THE FARM five miles above Dumfries called CEDAR HILL, the residence of Mrs. C. Scott. It has upon it a comfortable dwelling, neatly finished, barn, stables, and other out building. The soil is easily improved, a part of it being now well set with clover and is productive, abundantly watered, and in a healthy and agreeable neighborhood, also, TWO STORES, DWELLING, & WAREHOUSE, in the town of Dumfries, with a large lot attached, well situated for business, a successful and profitable business having been done in them for some years. A liberal credit of one to five years will be given on the above property; and further information may be had, and the property shown, upon application to Mr. Richard P. Scott, Dumfries, Mr. Jesse E. Weems, near CEDAR HILL, or to me in Alexandria.

James W. Scott