

Slave Child Photograph

Uncommon carte-de-visite image of a young slave girl “Rebecca”, a bust view of the young girl offering her profile by looking to the right of the camera, with the backstamp of Chas. Paxton of New York on the verso. Printed description on the verso indicates that the proceeds from the sale of the photo... “will be devoted to the education of the colored people in the Gulf, under the command of Major General Banks...”

[Note: Major General Banks defeated Stonewall Jackson at Kernstown, but later lost to him in a battle at Cedar Mountain].

