

 **\$25 Reward.**  
RUNAWAY from the subscri  
Cedar Lake, on Tuesday, 6th S  
*Negro Woman*, called **Lucy**, for  
apprehension and imprisonment, so tha  
get her, I will pay the above reward o  
Said woman is a fine looking bright  
to, nearly white, is about 25 or 30 ye  
age, has straight Indian hair, and migh  
for a Mexican. She has a small boy  
with her, and will probably endeavor to  
her way into Mexico. It is believed she  
a large American horse, which she wil  
ably ride off on, as one was taken fro  
same neighborhood at the time of her  
pearance.  
**WILLIAM TAYLOR**  
Cedar Lake, Sept. 12, '53-1f

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