

No. 11.

Office of the *Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company.*
5th January 1838.

THOMAS S. ALEXANDER, Esq. &c.

Dear Sir:

I have the pleasure to hand you herewith an account of the number of shares of the stock of this company which changed hands, in each month, from the 1st January to the 1st July 1836.

During the month of	Jan. 1836	these were transferred	1557	shares.
	Feb.	"	1459	"
	March	"	3630	"
	April	"	1244	"
	May	"	1418	"
	June	"	2295	"
				<hr/> 11,603 shares. <hr/>

Very Respectfully,

Your Ob't. serv't.

J. J. ATKINSON, Secretary.

Baltimore, February 5, 1838.

To THOMAS S. ALEXANDER, Esq.

Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means,
of the House of Delegates.

SIR:

Understanding from you, on Saturday morning, that it might be useful if I would be more particular in disclaiming any agency or knowledge on the part of the Baltimore and Ohio rail road company, as far as the facts in my knowledge would warrant, in the organization of, and subscriptions to the Maryland canal company; I can have no objection to give in greater detail the denial which, in my testimony before the committee, I intended, as far as I had authority to speak, should be explicit and without qualification.

Until I had been served with the subpoena to appear before the committee, I had no knowledge of the causes which had led to the proceedings in the House of Delegates; further, than that it had been supposed that the contract with the commissioners was deemed objectionable. Soon after the service of the subpoena, I had occasion to consult with Mr. Reverdy Johnson, in regard to the company's affairs. He had recently returned from Annapolis, and upon inquiry of him into the causes of the proceedings in the House, he informed me that an impression existed with some of the members, that the subscriptions to the stock of the Maryland canal company were false.