

**Henry Thompson**  
 HAS removed to the Counting House (No. 53, South Gay-street) lately occupied by Messrs. Smith & Buchanan, and offers for sale 49 lbs. Heavy James River TOBACCO, of excellent quality.  
 Sept. 29

**Loft or mislaid,**  
 ONE of the Books of TICKETS in the 2d Presbyterian Church Lottery. The original number of Tickets in said book was 60, and extend from 9421 to 9480, both inclusive. On examination it appears that 40 have been sold, 14 have been drawn and stand to account of the scheme, and 6 yet remain undrawn, viz. Nos. 9459, 9460, 9461, 9462, 9470, 9473. As the payment of the above Tickets, which may be prizes, will be stopped, if offered for discount or exchange, they can be of no possible use to the possessor. A reasonable reward, if demanded, will be given to any person who will bring or send them to the Store and Lottery-Office of SOWER & S. COLE, 5, Light-street, next door to Bryden's Coffee-House.  
 September 26

**20 Dollars Reward.**  
 RAN AWAY from the subscriber on the 7th of July, a Negro man named LICE. He is an able strong fellow, large bushy head, green eyes, much pitted with the small pox, very black, has a scar on his cheek, remarkable bad countenance, fond of company and strong drink. It is presumed that he is harbored by the free negroes of this town. Whoever takes up the said negro and lodges him in jail, so that I can get him again, shall receive the above reward and all reasonable charges paid by me.  
 N. B. He follows the sea-faring business.  
 HENRY FAIRFAX, or RUEBEN JOHNSON, d  
 July 18

*State of Maryland, City of Baltimore,*  
 By THORNGOOD SMITH, Mayor of the City of Baltimore.  
**A PROCLAMATION.**  
 WHEREAS it has been represented to me by the commissioners of health, that they entertain a well-founded apprehension that the malignant disease with which the city of New York, is at this time unhappily afflicted, may be introduced amongst us unless the usual intercourse be interdicted.

I have therefore, in pursuance of the advice of the said commissioners of health, issued this PROCLAMATION—herby prohibiting the entrance into the city of Baltimore, or within three miles thereof, of all persons whomsoever, as well as of all baggage or other goods, which have come from the said city of New York, until they shall have been at least fifteen days therefrom ceasing only the public mail and such persons or things as the commissioners of health may admit by a special license in consequence of no circumstance appearing to them whereby the health of the city is endangered. And in addition to the prohibitions contained in a Proclamation issued by me, on the sixth day of September instant, interdicting the usual intercourse with the city of Philadelphia—the inhabitants of this city and the precincts thereof, are hereby expressly enjoined not to entertain, receive, or admit any person or persons into their houses who may have arrived here from either the city of Philadelphia or New York, unless he, she, or they, shall have previously obtained a special license as aforesaid.

This PROCLAMATION to remain in force until publicly revoked by me, of which all persons concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly, under the penalty of Three Hundred Dollars for every offence, one half to the informer, and the other half for the use of the city.

Given under my hand and the corporate seal of the city of Baltimore (L.S.C.) more, this 9th day of September, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

THORNGOOD SMITH,  
 Mayor of the City of Baltimore.  
 September 9, 1855.

*State of Maryland, City of Baltimore, ss:*  
 By THORNGOOD SMITH, Mayor of the City of Baltimore.  
**A PROCLAMATION.**  
 WHEREAS it has been represented to me by the Commissioners of Health, that they entertain a well-founded apprehension that the malignant disease with which the city of Philadelphia, is at this time unhappily afflicted, may be introduced amongst us unless the usual intercourse be interdicted.

I have therefore, in pursuance of the advice of the said Commissioners of Health, issued this PROCLAMATION; hereby prohibiting the entrance into the city of Baltimore, or within three miles thereof, of all persons whomsoever, as well as baggage or other goods, which have come from the said city of Philadelphia, until they shall have been at least fifteen days absent therefrom, excepting only the public mail, and such persons or things as the Commissioners of Health may admit by a special license in consequence of no circumstance appearing to them whereby the health of the city may be endangered.

This PROCLAMATION to remain in force until publicly revoked by me, of which all persons concerned are to take notice, and govern themselves accordingly, under the penalty of Three Hundred Dollars for every offence, one half to the informer, and the other half for the use of the city.

Given under my hand and the corporate seal of the city of Baltimore (L.S.C.) more, this sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

THORNGOOD SMITH,  
 Mayor of the City of Baltimore.

**TO LET,**  
 A Three Story Brick HOUSE, No. 29, Calvert-street. The stand is excellent for business; and is well calculated for a druggist. For further particulars apply next door to JOSEPH BREVETT.  
 July 23

**Diffolution of Co-Partnership.**  
 THE co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Clagett and Warfield between the subscribers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All those having claims against the said concern, are desired to present them to Wm. K. CLAGETT for settlement, and those indebted are desired to make immediate payment to him, he being duly authorized to settle the same.  
 Wm. K. CLAGETT  
 DENNIS WARFIELD.  
 The business heretofore carried on by Clagett & Warfield will be continued by the subscribers, at No. 63, Smith's-wharf.  
 Wm. K. CLAGETT.  
 September 6

**Indian King.**  
 THE subscribers having removed from the sign of Commerce and Liberty, Water-st. to that noted Inn, the Indian King, in the same street, lately occupied by Mr. Wm. Southward, beg leave to inform their friends in particular and the public in general, that they have fitted up the same, with every convenience for their accommodation; and that they have laid in a complete supply of the best liquors of the very first quality.  
 OYSTERS to be had during the season.  
 Genteel boarders will be accommodated on regular terms by the day, week, month or year.  
 N. B. Horses taken in at Livery—good stabling and careful attendants.  
 KERN & SPECK.  
 September 21

**Bottled Porter, Ale and Cider.**  
 THE public are respectfully informed that they can be supplied with the above articles, either wholesale or retail, at the Bottling Cellar, No. 96, North Howard street, where they are constantly received, for sale, from the most famous breweries, foreign and domestic.  
 The proprietors have fitted up their front cellar particularly for the accommodation of the public—and persons who may be thirsty after an afternoon's walk to the park, can be pleasantly refreshed by a wholesome beverage on calling as above.  
**BOARDING.**  
 A few gentlemen can be accommodated with genteel Boarding & Lodging, or boarding only, at the above place.  
 July 6

**A new Academy,**  
 HIGH-STREET, OLD-TOWN.  
 THE subscriber, recently one of the assistants to the Pantheon Academy, most respectfully informs parents, guardians and others, that in compliance with the wishes of a number of respectable friends, he proposes on the first Monday of September next, to open a SCHOOL in high-street, opposite Renshaw's Tavern, Old-Town, wherein shall be taught to the best of his abilities, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, &c.—together with all the general rudiments of an English education.—He will only promise to those who may please to entrust children to his care, that every attention shall be paid, both to improvement of their education, and the purity of their morals.  
 JOHN SKELTON,  
 August 27

**Ten Dollars Reward,**  
 WILL be given to any person for apprehending John Brown, who has deserted from the United States Brig Hornet, after slipping on board said brig; he is about 25 or 24 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, stout made, smooth face, and speaks broad Irish; had when he went off, a black eye, an old hat, blue jacket and trousers.  
 Also, the above reward will be given for apprehending John Fullerton, also a deserter from said brig; he is about 35 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, stout made, lame in the right arm, marked with the small pox, and has got a black eye; he had on a blue jacket and trousers, and a white ruffled shirt. The above deserters came in the schooner Phillip, from New York, and it is highly probable they have made for that place.  
 The public and captains of vessels are requested not to harbour or carry off, said Run-aways, as the law will be strictly enforced. It is very likely they will change their names.  
 RICHARD HUTCHINS,  
 No. 9, Bond-street, Fell's-Point.  
 September 25

**ELOPED**  
 FROM the subscriber on the evening of the 28th July, a bright mulatto man, named PERRY BENTLY, aged about 30 years, but in appearance not more than two or three and twenty; he is a straight made handsome fellow, about 5 feet 10 inches high, and rather slender, his visage long and features small, with a direct and steady look when addressed.—He took with him a change of good summer and winter clothing. Any person securing the above described man, so that the subscriber can obtain him, shall receive 20 dollars if taken in the state, if taken out of the state 40 dollars, together with all reasonable charges.  
 PEREGRINE TILGHMAN.  
 Talbot County, July 29. (A 2)

**1000 Dollars Reward.**  
 ON Saturday evening, between dark and ten o'clock, the Office of Discount and Deposit, established in this city, was forcibly opened by thieves, and a Sum of Money in paper and specie, chiefly small change, contained in a small wrought Iron Chest, was stolen therefrom. The villains who perpetrated this daring robbery, were not able to succeed, although they made the most violent attempts to penetrate the vault; all they effected was to bear off the Iron Chest above mentioned, and its contents. Among other bank-notes therein, was a parcel of old defaced notes, two of which were for 500 dollars each, of this office; the indentments on them entirely filled their backs. The said notes are generally much defaced, ragged, and scarcely fit for circulation.—About the hour this act was committed, a person was seen with an iron chest in a wheel-barrow, passing over Griffith's bridge. There is no doubt but several villains were engaged in the atrocious robbery.—The above reward will be given to any person or persons who will detect and bring them to conviction; and should one of the accomplices engaged therein make a discovery, so that the rest be convicted of the fact, he shall receive the above reward, and interest made with the governor of this state, to obtain for him a full and free pardon.  
 DAVID HARRIS, Cashier.  
 July 29

**LIST OF LETTERS,**

*Remaining in the Post-Office, Baltimore.*

- A**  
 Rev. Robt. Annon, 2  
 Moses Auster  
 Wm. Andrews  
 Capt. Cor. Andreas  
 Philip Amich  
 John Allbrigh
- B**  
 Wm. Birch  
 Sashl. Burnes  
 Rev. Jacob Bishop  
 Wm. Butler  
 Sarah Burgess  
 Thomas B. Briscoe  
 Wm. Best  
 James Baxter  
 Saml. Brown  
 Vincent Blake  
 David Bow  
 Eliza Buford  
 Clas. Burgess  
 Capt. Wrothton Baker  
 James Barker  
 Washington Bowie  
 Patrick Brady  
 Henry Brown  
 John Sprig Belt  
 Jacob Baderer 2  
 James Brookman  
 James Brishie  
 Theresa Blythe  
 Anthony Bailey  
 Wm. Dotyby  
 James Barnes  
 Capt. Bradford  
 Catharine Bowers  
 Robt. Brynar  
 Robt. Bull, 4  
 Donk. Dale
- C**  
 Chas. Chesheer  
 David Cline  
 Philip Conely  
 G. M. Conrad  
 Capt. Howson Clark, 2  
 John Clayton  
 Elmer Clide  
 Mr. Cline  
 Thomas Clarke  
 Robt. Cross  
 Simeon Carrol  
 Wm. Callender  
 Robt. Carson  
 James Casey  
 Wm. Collins  
 Jas. Crawford  
 Saml. Claggett  
 Rebecca Chamberly  
 Wm. Cook  
 Nancy Callaghan  
 Saml. E. Carey  
 Stephen Collins  
 Child & Price  
 John Cook  
 Elizabeth Clay  
 Miss Clark  
 John Clason  
 Mr. Cunningham  
 Edward Cassin  
 Joseph Clark  
 John Cook
- D**  
 Michael Doherty  
 Frances Douglas  
 Colleen D. Dille  
 Eliza Dorsey  
 Rachel Deamitt  
 Danl. S. Delany  
 Lucy Durdill  
 Robt. Dickson  
 Capt. Jos. Dawson  
 Patrick Deary  
 Edwd. Donnelly  
 Nich. Dolan  
 Caroline Dorsey  
 Capt. Peter Deshields  
 John Davis  
 Maj. Robt. Douthat
- E**  
 Ellicott, Campbell and Wheeler  
 Rebecca Epey  
 James Emason  
 J. Fred. Eisel
- F**  
 Caleb Floice  
 Catharine Fleetwood  
 John Faidan  
 Benj. Fowler  
 Jonathan Furman  
 Mates Fennema  
 Elph. Farrell  
 Saml. Ford  
 Owen Farrelly
- G**  
 Saml. Godfrey  
 Ann Gough  
 Samuel Grace  
 Frances Gray, 2  
 Elenor Griffith  
 John Gibson  
 Capt. Wm. Groom  
 Greenbery Griffin  
 Capt. Asah. Gross  
 Eliza Gechar  
 Martha Glass  
 Abraham Green  
 Thomas Griffith
- H**  
 Wm. Hill  
 Gideon Hughe  
 James Hope  
 Aaron Hewea  
 Nathan Huston  
 Edmund Hogan  
 Joseph S. Handy  
 J. Holmes  
 Capt. Jno. H. Harris  
 Ann Harris  
 C. D. Hopkins  
 Chas. Halcy & Co.  
 John Herricke  
 Wm. Harwood  
 Capt. Wm. Harris  
 Lyman Harling  
 Rebecca Harper  
 Danl. Heckert  
 Jesse Houghton  
 Hollingsworth & Kaich  
 Thomas Hanau  
 Joseph Harding
- J**  
 Jacob Jacobs  
 Cathrin Jones  
 L. Junney  
 Boyle Irwin  
 Wm. Jones  
 Mrs. Jones  
 James Jennings 2  
 Mr. Johnston  
 Rev. Caleb Johnson  
 James Jaffray  
 Joseph Johnston
- K**  
 Wm. Kerns  
 Wm. King  
 Wm. Kelly  
 Abraham Knapp

- Joseph Kidler  
 Mathew Keene, 4  
 John Kantner, 3  
 Mr. King  
 Jabus Kerwood
- Robuck Lynch  
 Alex. L. Leas  
 Barney Lodge  
 Amos Loney  
 Geo. Lemax  
 Richardson Lenox  
 Alex. Lucas, 2  
 Capt. James Lewis
- Catherine Miller  
 Peregrine March  
 Wm. Murdick  
 John Martin, 2  
 John Meredith  
 Wm. Marrol  
 John Murphy  
 Wm. Morr  
 Robt. Means  
 N. R. Moore  
 Margaret Moffet  
 Jacob Medairy, 2  
 John Mottley, jun.  
 Isabella Mortheith  
 Turner Morehead, jun.  
 John Moore  
 John Moffet 2  
 John W. Murry  
 Thomas Miller  
 Abraham Moor  
 Capt. Martin  
 James A. Magruder  
 Dorothy Mathier  
 Alex. Montgomery  
 S. H. Moore  
 John J. Myer  
 Caleb Merryman  
 Ann Massey  
 Robt. N. Moore  
 James Moore  
 Capt. J. Mule  
 Mr. Murray  
 Edwd. Meed  
 John Meek  
 Edwd. McGuire  
 James Mollay  
 Joseph Maguire  
 Christina Murphy  
 Marg. Manely  
 L. M. Marsh  
 John Mann  
 Marier Morris  
 Saml. S. Moor  
 Christopher Murray
- Geo. Nowtin  
 Sarah Neal  
 Mrs. Norris  
 Kield. Newson  
 Theopt. Norman 2  
 B. B. Norris  
 Chas. Nash  
 John B. Neall  
 John Norwood
- Wm. Osborn  
 Alex. Osler  
 Amos Ogden  
 Thomas O'Donnell  
 Geo. Otzie
- Michael Pur  
 Captain D. Porter  
 Lieut. D. Porter 2  
 Conrad Peters  
 Nathl. Phillips  
 John Porter  
 Jacob Peters  
 Elizabeth Prince
- Jehannes Roth  
 Leuzza Rossel  
 Thomas Rogers  
 John M. D. Rice 2  
 Margaret Ramsey  
 Robt. Randall  
 Nancy Richards  
 John Robinson  
 James Roddy  
 Dr. Arthur T. Ryland  
 Wm. M. Revely  
 Henry Ridgely  
 Wm. Rusk 2  
 Danl. Rawlings
- Capt. O. P. Smith  
 John D. Semann  
 Reid. Seudin  
 Roger Smyth  
 George A. Stamp  
 Sarah Smith  
 Caleb Shreve  
 Thomas Seares  
 Geo. Smith  
 Dr. Wm. Stewart 2  
 Elizabeth Smith  
 Wm. Smith 2  
 James Sloan  
 James Street  
 Eli Smallwood  
 G. T. Stras  
 Cay. Smith  
 J. R. Shubert  
 Elizabeth Smoot  
 Catharine Swindle  
 John Selby  
 John Sloan  
 Wm. Stiles  
 Hugh Sands  
 J. C. Schubert  
 John Summfield  
 Richd. Spence  
 B. Salenave  
 Henry Scott  
 Philip Sumralt  
 Wm. Stewart
- Oliver Taylor 2  
 Wm. Tucker  
 Nathan Towson  
 Nathl. Thompson  
 B. D. Thibe  
 Mary Touvell  
 John Taylor  
 Eliza Thatcher
- Sarah Vanlar  
 Mary Veazey  
 Geo. Vashon
- Saml. Withroa  
 John Walter  
 Mich. Walsh  
 Christ. Walker  
 Wm. Watson  
 Mary Willson 2  
 Robt. Willson  
 Mr. Willson  
 Captain B. White  
 Capt. Geo. Wakefield  
 Mrs. Williams  
 Willkason & Carman  
 Wm. Wheeler  
 Leoud. Warfield  
 Isaac Thomas Wilson  
 Kiehd. West  
 Captain Wm. N. Will  
 liams
- Rebecca Knap  
 John Kernes  
 John Kirkpatrick  
 Eby Kennard  
 Mr. Kronenthal  
 L.
- John Leonard  
 Robt. Lyon  
 Mr. Lurgel  
 Elenor Lyman  
 Philip Lee  
 Christopher Lightfoot  
 Neal Logan  
 Nathaniel Lock
- M  
 Charlotte Murrew  
 Mark Mordcaai  
 Thomas Morris, jun.  
 Mr. Mycroft  
 John Muck  
 Alex. H. Morrison  
 Rachel Murray  
 Donald Mackelid  
 James Muckelby  
 David Maxwell  
 Michel Jos. Megan  
 Joseph Mathews  
 Thos. & Hugh Moore  
 Henry M'Guin  
 Dan. M'Key  
 Dan. M'Coy  
 Michael M'Aran  
 Eliza M'Connell  
 Peter M'Kiernan  
 James M'Collock  
 Thomas M'Fadin  
 Capt. Danl. M'Meal  
 John M'Combs  
 John M'Crabb  
 James M'Merryman  
 Mary M'Conal  
 John M'Faden  
 Robert M'Laughlin  
 Wm. M'Calla  
 James M'Mumaine  
 Martha M'Lavary  
 John M'Donnel  
 Donald M'Donald  
 Christian M'Donald  
 Jane M'Jrilton  
 Christo. M'Dennott  
 John M'Gowan  
 Rosey M'Naven  
 Cassandra M'Co  
 Capt. Carol. M'Carthy  
 John M'Calla, jun.  
 Jourd. M'Donald  
 James M'Gloun
- N  
 Jeremiah Nicols  
 Capt. Wm. Newton  
 John Norris  
 Mr. Nailen  
 Capt. James Norman  
 Capt. J. W. Norman  
 Mr. Nailen  
 Eliza Nowlan  
 Wm. Nicol
- O  
 Capt. Thos. Osenard  
 Peter B. O. Osby  
 Joshua Osborn  
 Thomas O. Donnell
- P  
 Roger Parke  
 Thomas Parler  
 Wm. Porter  
 John Jacob Penoe  
 Martin Price  
 James Presser  
 Capt. Thos. Penrise  
 John Pane
- R  
 Lieut. B. F. Reed  
 Fredk. Roase  
 Chas. Ramsey  
 Mr. Robinson  
 David Roe  
 Hue Ricket  
 Elizabeth Roberts  
 Pierce Raymond  
 James Russell  
 Elizabeth Randolph  
 Wm. Rowleson  
 John Robertson, jun.  
 Pat. Russell  
 John Roach
- S  
 John Sothern 2  
 Ann Spurrer  
 Roger Smyth  
 Maj. James Senguin 2  
 Maria F. Sellers  
 Geo. Sears  
 Capt. John A. Smith 2  
 Henrietta Smith  
 Geo. Savage  
 Jno. S. Smith  
 Wm. Sanderson  
 Joseph Sewell  
 Jane Shroud  
 Jno. Snowden  
 Jno. Smith  
 Levy Sanders  
 James Stewart  
 Wm. Sampson  
 Wm. E. Sewall  
 James Smith  
 Wm. Sargeant  
 Hugh Stevens  
 E. Scott  
 Polly Smith  
 Mary Sanler  
 Theop. Stobridge  
 Snowden, Esq.  
 Andrew Sproule 2  
 Ann Smith
- T  
 Thomas Taylor  
 Saml. Throckmorton  
 Elizabeth Tillin 2  
 Henry Troup  
 Chas. Taylor 2  
 James Tait  
 Archd. Taylor  
 Janca Tate
- U  
 Thon. Underwood  
 J. Usher
- V  
 Andrew Wilson  
 James Whyk  
 Elijah Wells  
 Jno. Williams  
 Saml. Whittington 4  
 James Whiffing  
 Col. Nicholas Warfield  
 R. & T. Winchester  
 Henry L. Williams  
 Rosanna Woodard  
 Campbell Wilson  
 Abraham L. Williams  
 Wm. Wheeler  
 John Wilson, jun.  
 Rebecca Wilson  
 John Watson  
 James Watson  
 Jno. W. Edw. N. Willson

Danl. Weems  
 Miss Winckworth  
 Thomas Young  
 Capt. Wm. Young

Thomas Woodruff  
 U. Winckworth  
 John Yarnall

**For Sale or to be Let,**  
 A PLANTATION in Gwynns town on a positive Mr. Weeden's tavern, containing near 40 acres, on which are erected two frame dwelling houses, one and a half stories high, a good large barn and stabling, with an elegant spring-house, and as good water as any in the county. There are about 12 acres of excellent woodland; 8 or 9 acres, with apple, peach, cherry and other fruit trees; and about 12 acres of meadow and the remainder in timothy, clover and oats.  
 GEORGE LIGHTNER  
 June 18

**For Sale,**  
 A TRACT OF LAND in Baltimore county, containing about six hundred acres; 4 hundred of which are supposed to be in wood. On this tract there is a handsome piece of meadow, and a young thriving apple orchard. This land is about 23 miles from the city of Baltimore, and not far from Colonel O'Donnell's country residence, purchased of Mr. William Buchanan.

ALSO,  
 A TRACT OF LAND containing about 500 acres, about 14 miles from the city of Baltimore, west of Randall's town. On this tract there is a stone dwelling HOUSE, just finished, with convenient cellars, two rooms and a passage on the first floor, three rooms and a passage on the second floor, and a garret; a new stone stable, corn-house and coach-house; an overseer's house with two rooms, lately repaired at the expense of two hundred dollars; kitchen and other out houses, an excellent apple orchard, with other good fruit trees, and good garden.

On both places there is a water, not exceeded in the county; and good clover lots. No place can exceed them in respect of health. There is a proportionate part of woodland on the last place.

I will permit the purchasers to seed the ensuing fall, or I would seed for them. The dwelling house on the last mentioned farm might be immediately taken possession of by the purchaser. Presuming that no person will purchase without viewing the premises, I do not go into detail.

Both of the above places are convenient to mills; there is a mill not more than a quarter of a mile from the last mentioned place; a good neighbourhood, and the Episcopal and Presbyterian churches within five miles. An indisputable title will be given on the payment of the purchase money.  
 JOHN SCOTT,  
 St. Paul's Lane, Baltimore  
 July 3

**New Bolting Cloths,**  
**WARRANTED GOOD.**  
**Hoffman & Baltzell,**  
 No. 201, Market-street,  
 HAVE received BOLTING CLOTHS from those of their former importation, which are now used in the most extensive mills in its state, and are superior to any other manufactory known. They are offered at their usual price. Likewise on hand, a full assortment DRY GOODS, which being bought for money, are offered low.  
 July 29

**Forty Dollars Reward.**  
 STOLEN or strayed on Sunday night, the 28th ultimo, from the country seat lately belonging to Colonel Hindman, on the Harford road, eight bay HORSE, five years old; has a white stripe down his face, and a very small white spot on his right thigh; his hind feet are also white, and are a little sore, occasioned by a wound. Whoever takes up the said horse, and returns him to the subscriber, in Baltimore, shall receive Ten Dollars reward, and if stolen, a further reward of Forty Dollars is offered for the apprehension of the thief, to be paid on conviction.  
 LEWIS ATTERBURY.  
 August 8

**15 Hundred Dollars Reward.**  
**HIGHWAY ROBBERY**  
 YESTERDAY about 11 o'clock, in the forenoon, Mr. John Peter, an officer of the bank of Columbia, was stopped on horseback, on the road between this town and Alexandria, and within about two miles of the latter place, by some unknown villain, shot through the body with a pistol, and robbed of a sum of money in his possession, belonging to this institution, which he was taking to Alexandria, for the purpose of exchanging with the banks there.

The whole sum taken amounted to eighteen thousand one hundred and fourteen dollars and sixty five cents, made up in several packages, among which were  
 1 post note of the Bank of Virginia, for 800 dols  
 1 do. of the bank of Alexandria for 500  
 1 do. of the same for 500  
 1 do. of the same for 450  
 1 do. of the Bank of Potomac, No 117, in favor of Jos. Riddle, and by him endorsed in Washington Bowie, and by W. B. endorsed to Blank, dated 6th July, 1855, for 149 dollars, 65 cents.

A check of the Union Bank, on the bank of Alexandria, drawn by R. Higginbotham, cashier, in favor of Greenham and Devereux, by them endorsed, and by Benjamin Stoddert, and C. Smith, teller.

There were also a parcel of post notes of the bank of Alexandria for 100 dollars, and for 50 dollars each. The remainder was in current notes, principally of the banks of Alexandria and Potomac, and some few of the bank of Virginia, of different sizes and denominations.

At the ATTACK was SUDDEN, and the WOUND received of a nature to deprive Mr. Peter instantly of his senses, tho' it is now hoped he will recover, the description obtained may not be very accurate. As far as we are informed, the man who perpetrated the act is of middle stature good countenance, and had a genteel appearance. He had on a dark blue or black coat, nankin pantaloons, shoes, and a black hat. He was on foot and alone at the time, but may have had accomplices concealed, and will probably change his clothes.

Five Hundred Dollars will be given to any person or persons who will detect and bring to conviction the robber; and One Thousand Dollars additional for the recovery of the whole of the money, or in proportion for any smaller sum recovered. Should there be accomplices, and one of them make a discovery, so that it leads to a conviction of the robbery, or to the recovery of the money, he shall receive the above reward, and interest will be made to obtain his pardon.

WILLIAM WHANN,  
 Cashier of the Bank of Columbia,  
 George Town, July 31.