"Stampede of Slaves," Baltimore (MD) *Sun*, April 9, 1858 https://stampedes.dickinson.edu/document/baltimore-md-sun-stampede-slaves-april-9-1858

Stampede of Slaves.—From information which has reached us, there would seem to have been a considerable stampede of slaves from the border valley counties of Virginia during the late Easter holidays. We have heard of seven having made their escape from the plantation of Mr. Mason, in Loudoun county, near the Point of Rocks, and two from Berkeley county. It is supposed others have also gone.