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[lightimore Correspondence N. Y. Post.] There is no longer any doubt, that the s'ave stampeds from this Stave is sweeping bundreds out of bondage. One n-ighborhood in Pricce George's has lost twentysvep, and it is thought that not less than three bundred have excaped from that region of moral darkness. Masters are therefore beginning to consider seriously the question of compensated emancipation.

Wo suppose the secesh of Maryland will credit the Abolitionists with the slave stam. nede, butif they had not the asphyxis nigrum. they would see that the disusion movement of the extreme South was especially cruel and rainous to the Border Slave States. If there is any part of the country in which the hostillity of the people to the secosh should bo hotter than in any other, it is that comprised in the Border Slave States. And yet they abound with service sycophants, who are solling up their eyes all the time about Abolitionists, and looking to the rebel leaders as their lords and masters, and to the nood old Democratic party, as a means to regain supremacy in the nation.