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TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD – Eloped from Mr. Thomas Blackburn's plantation, on Monday the 20th inst. HARRY, a dark mulatto, about 30 years of age, five feet seven or eight inches high. The above Negro was purchased by me in December last, at the sale of the late Mr. Triplett's property at ROUND HILL; he has received uncommon indulgences, and absconded through a pretended aversion to going to my farm in Jefferson. He has connections about Centreville, and also in and near Alexandria, at which place I think it most probable he is now concealed. I will give the above reward to any person who shall apprehend the said Negro and lodge him in jail at Dumfries, or 15 dollars if secured in any other jail so that I get him again.

H. S. Turner
Dumfries, Va.
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