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RUNAWAY SLAVES--THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD.

The travel over the underground railroad for the past few days has been, we are informed, unusually active, and no fewer than seven lots of runaway slaves have arrived at this terminus within a week. The first of these lots was composed of three men; the next of three men; the third of two men; the fifth of one man. All these were from Kentucky. The sixth lot was composed of two middle-aged, stout men, who had come on foot from Louisiana to this place, sleeping by day and walking towards the North star at night. They arrived here on Wednesday, and after recruiting, are to be sent over the underground railroad to Canada.

The last lot was composed of a mother and three children, who came up on the mail boat from Louisville, and were to be taken to Paris, Kentucky. She managed to get to some abolitionists, and was immediately sent north. The total loss to the master, from the escape of three slaves, must exceed fifty thousand dollars.

A colored woman named Johanna Tyler is now in Cincinnati, soliciting funds to purchase her husband, who is a slave in Washington county, Kentucky. The wife and two children, together with sixteen others, were manumitted about a year since by their mistress, who then resided in Washington county, Kentucky, but located those she set free in Iowa.