**SLAVE ON THE RUN**

**Harriet Ross’ despicable crime!**

At around midnight, last night, Harriet Ross (slave of Bosman Plantation in Garma, Maryland) ran from the plantation owned by Mr. Bosman.

Mr. Bosman claimed that the day leading up to the escape had been perfectly normal. “Up at 6am, down at 10pm. Between, they harvested the crops, ploughed the fields and hauled logs into the wagons.” He also stated that the next day, Harriet Ross was gone so he contacted the *slave catchers -Payne and Suf-Ering*.

One of Harriet’s brothers stated, “It was a darn foolish move-when she’s caught it’s over for her.” Another brother gave his opinion, “America’s forests are wild, wild places. She’ll be lucky to get caught.”

“When I noticed she was gone, I asked everyone else-to no avail.” Mr. Bosman told us. Harriet’s father later noted that he didn’t want Harriet in trouble. The slave catchers, Payne and Suf-Ering Bosman, said, “He promised $5 to get her.” Payne told us that the dogs were trained to leave a certain scent on the slaves if they found them so that the slave could be tracked and found.

Harriet is still in the Eternal Forest. If you see her, your options are: contacting us, your local sheriff, Payne, Suf-Ering or Mr. Bosman. If you give us any information there is a $2 reward.

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