

The officers of other Banks, *who had no uncovered accounts in England*, were pressing for the Receiver General's Exchange, but on the part of these men discontent exists, after they had very unexpectedly obtained Government Exchange to the amount of £35,000, Sterling, and on terms decidedly more favorable, as regards the terms of payment than had been obtained by the other Banks. Were you to ask me the cause of this professed discontent, I could not answer the question. It is true that I have heard reasons assigned by others, but they are so truly contemptible, that I will not repeat them. The whole affair is an enigma to me, and at present, I shall not hazard a reason for the extraordinary manner in which my feelings from the first have been sported with, leaving it, in the meantime, to them to explain the cause of offence, of which I am ignorant.

I should consider myself humiliated, were I longer to continue in a situation, which might subject me to a repetition of the treatment I have recently experienced, and but for the advice of friends, in whose judgment I have much confidence, I would not have entered the office after the receipt of the Minute of the Board, and why I did enter it again, I may possibly explain to you hereafter.

I have now, gentlemen, laid before you a plain statement of the circumstances which led to my resignation of your Office in this place, and I appeal to you, whose position as stockholders, invests you with the attributes of judges in this matter, whether the treatment I have received at the hands of the