

THE STATE OF MARYLAND.TO THE SHERIFF OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, GREETING :

Whereas, John Snowden (Colored) was convicted in the Circuit Court for Baltimore County, at December Term, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, of the murder of Mrs. Lottie May Brandon, (Case removed from Anne Arundel County, appealed to Court of Appeals and lower Court's sentence affirmed),

And Whereas, The said Circuit Court for Baltimore County, has sentenced him, the said John Snowden, (Colored) to be hung by the neck until he be head.

Now, Therefore, These are to will and require, as also to charge and command you, that, at or before the hour of 2 o'clock P.M., on Friday, the 28th day of February, next, 1919, you take him, the said John Snowden (Colored) from your Prison and him safely convey to the Gallows in your county aforesaid, the place of the execution of Malefactors, and then and there the said John Snowden, (Colored), hang by the neck until he be dead.

For all which this shall be your sufficient warrant and authority.

(The Great Seal
of
Maryland)
and Nineteen.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, at the City of Annapolis, on the 29th day of January, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen.

EMERSON C. HARRINGTON,

By the Governor:

THOMAS W. SIMMONS,

Secretary of State.