

Wm To the Honorable William Branch chief Justice of the Circuit Court
of the District of Columbia. Where a certain Addison Brown hath been
charged by indictment of the grand Jurors of the State of Maryland for the
County of Prince Georges with Forgery. And whereas information hath been received
at the Executive Department of this State that the said Addison Brown hath
fled from Justice and taken refuge in the District of Columbia. And it being
important and highly necessary for the good of society, that the perpetrators of such
offences should be brought to Justice. - And therefore, I Joseph Kent Governor
of the State of Maryland by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution
and Laws of the United States do hereby demand the said Addison Brown as a
fugitive from the Justice of this State, and do also hereby make known that I
have appointed William Baldwin of Prince Georges County, Gentleman, my
agent to receive the said fugitive and bring him to this State, having Jurisdiction
of the said offence that he may be brought to trial therefor.

In compliance with the requisition of the Law I herewith, procure
to your honor a copy of the indictment upon which this Demand is founded,
which I certify is authentic.

Given under my hand and the great Seal of the said State
this fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and twenty seven, and of the Independence of
the United States, the fifty first
By the Governor
J. S. Kent
Wm. Culbreth Clerk of the Council

The following commission and instruction was issued to the aforesaid
agent Wm. The State of Maryland To William Baldwin, Gentleman
of Prince Georges County, Greeting. As it known that reposing great
trust and confidence in your Prudence and honesty, we have appointed you
our agent to receive from the proper authority of the District of Columbia
a certain Addison Brown a fugitive from the Justice of this State, and
we do hereby authorize and direct you upon receiving the said fugitive
to bring him into this State, into county and deliver him to the Sheriff of
Prince Georges County, to answer an indictment pending against him in
the County Court of the said County.

Given under my hand and the great Seal of the said State
this fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and twenty seven, and of the Independence of the
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A Copy of the Record of Conviction of Negro Robert slave of Caleb
Hudson of Worcester County, for the murder of Isaac Hudson son of the said
Caleb, and his condemnation and sentence by Worcester County Court, having
been received, the following Warrant for the execution of the said Negro
Robert, was issued by His Excellency the Governor Wm
The State of Maryland, To the Sheriff of Worcester County, Greeting.
Whereas a certain Negro Robert, slave of Caleb Hudson of Worcester County,
has been indicted, arraigned and found guilty, of assaulting and murdering, in