

said Mare and Barouche again, but feloniously made away with the same, and carried  
the same to Philadelphia where he changed the Barouche for a Buggy. And  
whereof information has been received at the Executive Department of this State, that the  
said John Johnson has fled from Justice and is now confined in prison in Philadelphia.

And it being important and highly necessary for the good of Society, that the pe-  
trators of such offences should be brought to Justice. Now, therefore, I Joseph Kent  
Governor of the State of Maryland, by virtue of the authority vested in me the Constitution  
and Laws of the United States, do hereby demand the said John Johnson as a fugitive  
from the Justice of this State, and make known to your Excellency that I have  
appointed Henry Thompson, Messenger of the Executive Council, 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 annex  
and present to your Excellency a copy of the deposition upon which this demand  
is founded; which I certify to be authentic.

Great  
Seal

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the said  
State, this eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and twenty eight, and of the  
Independence of the United States, the fifty third.

By the Governor

H. Cullbreth Clerk  
of the Council

J. Kent

The following Commission and instruction was issued to the aforesaid  
agent viz The State of Maryland, To Henry Thompson Gentleman,  
Messenger of the Executive Council, greeting. Be it known that reposing  
great trust and confidence in your prudence and honesty, Joseph Kent  
Governor of the State of Maryland, have appointed you my agent to receive  
from His Excellency the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, John Johnson  
a fugitive from the Justice of this State, and I do hereby authorize and  
direct you, upon receiving the said fugitive, to bring him into this State,  
and convey and deliver him to the Sheriff of Baltimore County, to answer  
for having on the fifteenth ultimo hired a dark green Barouche and  
some Mare from a certain Thomas N. Finley of Baltimore City, with which  
the said Johnson was to proceed to Washington and return again to the said  
Thomas N. Finley on the seventeenth ultimo; that the said Johnson did  
not return the said Mare and Barouche again, but feloniously made away  
with the same, and carried the same to Philadelphia, where he exchanged  
the Barouche for a Buggy, as charges by the deposition of the said Thomas  
N. Finley.

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of Maryland, this eighth day of October in the year of our  
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