

said John Corn, a fugitive from the Justice of this State, and make known
to your Excellency that I have appointed Henry Thompson Esquire, 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 there for. In compliance with the requisition of the Law, I
herewith annex and produce to your Honor a copy of the affidavit upon
which this Demand is founded, which I certify is authentic.

Great
Seal

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the
State of Maryland, this tenth day of September in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty
one and of the Independence of the United States the
fifty sixth.

George Howard

By the Governor

Thos. Cullen Clerk of the Council.

The following Commission and instruction was issued to the
aforesaid Agent, viz

The State of Maryland, To Henry Thompson Esquire,
Messenger of the Executive Council. Be 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 John Corn, 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 Warden of the Jail of Baltimore County, to answer for
having feloniously stolen and taken from Richard Dawson, on or
about the twenty fifth day of August last, in the City of Baltimore,
the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars in Bank Notes, and a
gold watch with which he stands charged by the affidavit of the
said Richard Dawson.

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By the Governor

Thos. Cullen Clerk
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George Howard