

order has been given for the surrender of a certain Herman McGowan, as a fugitive
from the Justice of the said State, to Simon Elliott Esquire, agent duly appointed to
receive the said fugitive and transport him to the said State of Pennsylvania,
it appearing from authentic documents transmitted to the Executive Department of
this State, that the said Herman McGowan stands charged on oath with having
committed the crime of fornication and bastardy on the body of Elizabeth Keefe,
in the County of Franklin in the said State of Pennsylvania, and with having
fled from Justice and taken refuge in the County of Washington in this State.
Now therefore, I James Thomas Governor of the State of Maryland, do
hereby require and enjoin all persons within this State, to let the said
Simon Elliott Esquire, agent as aforesaid, pass with the said fugitive
unmolested to the said State of Pennsylvania; he the said agent
conducting himself in a peaceable and orderly manner, and using no
improper severity or cruelty in his treatment of the said prisoner.

Great
Seal

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State
of Maryland, this thirteenth day of January, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty four,
and of the Independence of the United States the eighth.

By the Governor

James Thomas

H. C. Culbreth Clerk of the Council.

Tuesday January 14th 1834

His Excellency the Governor attended in the Council Chamber
and granted a Pardon to John B. Johnson on account of
having sold to a certain James F. Currier for life a Negro Man
entitled to his freedom at twenty five years of age of which he stood
charged by indictment in Baltimore City Court.

(See Pardon Record)

Wednesday January 15th 1834

His Excellency the Governor attended in the Council Chamber.

Thursday January 16th 1834

His Excellency the Governor attended in the Council Chamber.

Friday January 17th 1834

His Excellency the Governor attended in the Council Chamber.

Saturday January 18th 1834

His Excellency the Governor attended in the Council Chamber.

Sunday January 20th 1834.

His Excellency the Governor attended in the Council Chamber.

The following orders were issued by His Excellency the Governor
upon the Demand and information and evidence therein mentioned: viz