

Great Seal

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

By the Governor

Thos. Culbreth Clerk
of the Council.

James Thomas

The State of Maryland to wit. Whereas in compliance with a demand of His Excellency George Wolf Governor of the State of Pennsylvania orders have been given for the surrender of a certain John Barnes a fugitive from the Justice of the said State to James Bell Jr. 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 John Barnes stands charged on oath with having in the night of the twelfth day of July last, feloniously stolen and carried away a Roan Horse and also a Saddle, Bridle and Martin-gale, the property of George Hillman and D. Alexander Rowan of Adams County in the said State of Pennsylvania. 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 James Bell Jr. agent as aforesaid pass with the said fugitive unimpeded to the said State of Pennsylvania, by 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.

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Thursday August 7th 1834

The Council met Present the same as on yesterday.

Mr Bowie submitted the following Resolution Viz
Resolved that it is highly expedient for the better of the appointment of Chief Judge of the Second Judicial District of this State now vacant by the resignation of the late incumbent Judge Earle upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and appeared as follows. — Yeas Messrs Messrs, Traugott Bowie. Nays Mr Martin. at whose request, it is noted on the Journal that he voted nay on account of the absence of P. W. Washington. The Resolution was adopted.