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by the said and for which see Letter Book page

July 29th

Remission of a fine

Christian Winter who had been convicted in Washington County Court of selling liquor on the Sabbath day petitioned for a remission of the fine that had been imposed

The said petition was accompanied by a transcript from the Records of said Court and stated that in every particular the said Winter's case was similar to those of Temple, Blake and Fugley whose fines had already been remitted. The said fine was accordingly remitted upon payment of costs.

August 3rd

Demand of a fugitive

A demand was made upon the Governor of Pennsylvania for George Queen as a fugitive from justice charged with having stolen horses in Frederick County in the following words -

William Hason Governor of the State of Maryland

To His Excellency David R Porter Governor of Pennsylvania

It appears by the annexed papers duly authenticated according to the laws of this State that negro George Queen stands charged with having stolen two sorrel motted horses and a sorrel mare in Frederick County and it has been represented to me that he has fled from the jurisdiction of this State and taken refuge within the State of Pennsylvania. Now therefore pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the United States in such case made and provided I do hereby request that the said negro George Queen be apprehended and delivered to Anthony Kemmel and George Post or either of them who or either of them are duly authorized to receive and convey him to the State of Maryland, there to be dealt with according to Law.

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In Testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my name and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland this third day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine

By The Governor

Samuel M Lean Secretary of State

signed

Wm Hason

August 13th

Remission of a fine

Christopher Goodhead of Queen Anne's County who had been fined for selling liquor at a horse race without license applied for a remission thereof

The petition stated that he had taken out a license regularly and sold at the races under the impression that it gave him a right to sell at public places. The court recommended the said application on the ground that he had acted under a mistaken notion as to the County. The fine was remitted on payment of costs.

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Lambert Stiles of the same County and who had been fined at the same time and