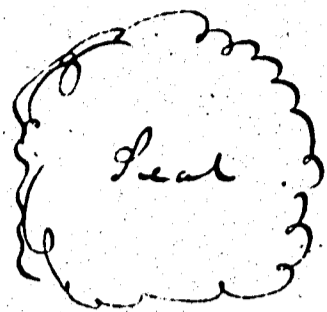


Now therefore pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and the Laws of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby request that the said Ira Mabbitt be apprehended and delivered to William Snyder agent of the State of Maryland, who is hereby duly authorized to receive and convey him to the State of Maryland there to be dealt with according to law.



In witness whereof, I hereunto affixed my name and the Great Seal of the State this twenty sixth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

By the Governor

Philip F. Thomas.

P. C. Hollyday, Secretary of State.

June 28th 1848.

The Governor this day issued the following order.

Head Quarters Maryland Militia
Annapolis June 28th 1848.

Lieut John N. Watkins.
Adjutant General M. M. }

Sir.

You are hereby ordered on the 4th day of July proximo to cause the appropriate salutes to be fired and the national flag displayed in honor of the anniversary of our Country's Independence.

Philip F. Thomas.

Commander in Chief M. M.

The Governor remitted the recognizances of Arthur Henry and John Mallen for the appearance of Patrick Dawson in Baltimore City Court at January Term 1848, on the recommendation of the Judges of the said Court.

The Governor granted a Pardon to negro boys on the recommendation of the Directors of the Penitentiary, the said negro boys having in Prison defended one of the prison Police in an attack on him by another prisoner, in which attack he received a most dangerous wound.

The Governor received the following communication from the Hon John C. Legrand Associate Judge of the sixth judicial District announcing the death of the Hon Stevens Archer Chief Judge of the said District.

Baltimore June 26th 1848.

To, His Excellency.

Philip Francis Thomas.

Governor of Maryland.

Sir.

It becomes my painful duty to announce especially to you, the death of the Hon. Stevens Archer, Chief Judge of the sixth judicial District.

This melancholy event occurred at 5 o'clock A. M. This day.