

States, &c. of which the federal judiciary may take cognizance.

The assertion of the right of New-York to punish Indians for crimes committed within her limits is full and unequivocal. Has not Georgia, one of the original states, equal rights?

From the *New York Standard*.

**GEORGIA** — That the doctrine held by the state of Georgia in reference to her right of sovereignty over the Indians within her limits, is not without precedent, at least up to the moment of the sentencing of Tassels, will be apparent from the perusal of the following statute passed by the state of New-York on the 12th April, 1822, and recognized as being constitutional by chancellor Kent, when sitting as a judge in the highest tribunal in this state.

*AN ACT* declaring the jurisdiction of the courts of this state and pardoning Son non gize, otherwise called Tommy Jemmy. Passed April 12th, 1822.

WHEREAS the Seneca and other tribes of Indians residing within this state, have assumed the power and authority of trying and punishing, and in some cases capitally, members of their respective tribes, for supposed crimes by them done and committed in their respective reservations and within this state. And whereas, the sole and exclusive cognizance of all crimes and offences committed within this state, belongs to the courts held under the constitution and laws thereof, as a necessary attribute of sovereignty, except only crimes and offences cognizable in the courts deriving jurisdiction under the constitution and laws of the United States. And whereas, it has become necessary, as well to protect the said Indian tribes, as to assert and maintain the jurisdiction of the courts of this state, that provision should be made in the premises: Therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of New York represented in Senate and Assembly, that the sole and exclusive jurisdiction of trying all and every person of whatsoever nation or tribe, for crimes and offences committed within any part of this state, excepting only such crimes and offences as are or may be cognizable in courts claiming jurisdiction under the constitution and laws of the United States, of right belongs to, and is exclusively vested in the courts of justices of this state organized under the constitution and laws thereof.

And whereas it has been represented that Son non gize, otherwise called Tommy Jemmy, an Indian of the Seneca tribe, has been indicted for the murder of Caugh quaw taugh, an Indian woman of the same tribe, which murder is alleged to have been committed within the Seneca reservation, in the county of Erie. And whereas it is further represented, that the said alleged murder was committed under the pretence of authority derived from the councils of the chiefs, sachems, and warriors of the said tribe; and, under the then existing circumstances, it is deemed by the legislature expedient to pardon him; — therefore,

Be it further enacted, That the said Son non gize, otherwise called Tommy Jemmy, be, and he is hereby fully and absolutely pardoned of and from the said felony.

The case which came before the court on the occasion alluded to in our introductory remarks, was one involving the question of descent under our statute, and the property in controversy necessarily brought up the right of sovereignty of New York over the Indians within her borders. The chancellor on that occasion, in approbation of the act above cited, said that "their irregular and foul executions (of Indians by Indians among themselves) were shocking to humanity, and were not to be tolerated in the neighborhood, and under the eye of a civilized and christian people. Under the circumstances in which we were placed in relation to those Indians, as their guardians and protectors, we had a right to avail ourselves of the superiority of our character, and put a stop to such irregular and horrible punishment." It should be remembered that the chief justice Marshall has not, in the case of Georgia, expressed any opinion; and that the writ which issued from the supreme court of the United States, is but a common writ of error, allowed of course, without reference to the merits of the case.

\*See Johnson's Reports, Vol. 20, at page 717, in the case of Goodell vs. Jackson, in the court of Errors.

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JOHN WISE.

Vincennes, Nov. 1830 40-41

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

I HAVE obtained administration up to the estate of Roswell Richmond, late of Knox county, deceased; and have taken and returned a true and perfect inventory and appraisement thereof, according to law. And from my present information, I believe the estate will not be sufficient to pay the debts against it.

MARY RICHMOND, Adm'r.

Vincennes, Jan. 27, 1831 51-52

## 12 Commissions AND STORAGE AGENCY.

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WILLIAM MIEURE.

Vincennes, Nov. 1830 4-41

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December 25, 1830 47-48

## WABASH INSURANCE COMPANY.

BOOKS will be opened for the purpose of receiving subscriptions for stock in the Wabash Insurance Company, at the counting room of Messrs. Burtch & Heberd, in Vincennes, on Monday the 7th day of February, and will be kept open for two weeks from that date. A tendance will be given each day, from 10 to 2 o'clock, by the commissioners.

SAMUEL SMITH,  
WM BURTH,  
JOHN WISE

January 24, 1831 51-41

## NOTICE.

HAVING taken out letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Palmer, deceased, late of Knox county, I shall offer for sale, on Monday 7th February, all the

## Personal Property

of said deceased, consisting of

## ONE WAGGON,

HORSES  
SHEEP &  
CATTLE

## Household and Kitchen

## FURNITURE

the terms made known on the day of sale. All persons having demands against said estate, will present the same within one year duly authenticated for settlement—those indebted to said estate, will call and make immediate payment I believe the estate will not be sufficient to pay the debts against it.

LEVI ELLIOTT, Adm'r.

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## NOTICE.

WE earnestly request those indebted to us, whose notes are now due, and those who have book accounts unsettled to call and pay the same, without delay.

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## PORK,

will be received in payment.

We have on hand a well selected, and assorted, stock of

## GOODS

which will be sold low for CASH, or ex-

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REYNOLDS & BONNER

Vincennes Dec. 11, 1830 44-45

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business of profession) at his room in

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