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PUBLIC NOTICE



IS hereby given that, a NEGRO MAN of the following description, was commited to the jail of Morgan county, Missouri, as a runaway slave, on the 11th day of September, 1854. Said Negro is about twenty years old, five feet four and a half inches high, weighs about 135 pounds, is of a dark copper color, says his name is Burt, and belongs to Charles Hinton, of Platte county, Mo., 10 miles from Platte city.

The owner of said Negro is therefore required to make application for, prove and pay all charges incurred on account of said slave, within three months from the date of this notice, otherwise said slave will be sold at public auction, before the Court House door, in the town of Versailles Morgan county Mo., on the 21st day of December 1854, according to th statutes in such cases made and provided.

P. R. BURNES,
Sheriff Morgan co., Mo.

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