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By His Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq^r Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of Maryland.

A Proclamation

Whereas Complaint hath been made to me that the following Persons being inlisted in his Majestys Service in Captain John Milbourns Company of the honourable Col William Goochs Regiment have deserted Viz: Daniel Rayne born in Kent County about nineteen years of Age five feet seven Inches high well set and of a swarthy Complexion had on a Corduroy Coat and Other Cloaths: James Knott born in Queen Anns County about 20 years of Age five feet ten Inches high, very slender and fair Complexion had on a very light coloured Coat striped Jacket and Leather Breeches. William Burgess a black man about fifty Years old six feet and an Inch high black Hair had on a brown Cloth Coat and Other Cloaths: John Barnes born in Kent County about 18 years old pale Complexion five feet ten Inches high, had on a light coloured Kersey Coat and other Cloaths, which Persons are supposed to have gone towards the Head of the Bay in a Pinnace, which 'tis supposed they stole from Annapolis; And that the following Persons having inlisted in his Majestys Service in Captain Thomas Addison's Company of the same Regiment have deserted Viz: John Gwyn aged about 36 years five feet Eight Inches high fair Complexion with light brown Hair, had on a striped flanel Jacket and a Plad Jacket: Anthony Irwyn about 43 years old five feet three Inches high black Hair of a swarthy Complexion, had on a yellowish Coat and Other Cloaths: Richard Gaither born in Ann Arundel County about 22 years old five feet six Inches high had on a dark coloured Kersy or Drugget Suit of Cloaths: John Ward born in Ann Arundel County aged about 24 years five feet nine Inches high of a brown Complexion, thin Visage, the Bridge of his Nose fallen, had on a dark coloured Suit: John Woodall a Shoemaker by Trade about 32 years old five feet seven Inches high of a swarthy Complexion & sickly Countenance had on a Coarse linen Frock: Francis Atkinson about twenty five years of Age five feet Eight Inches high very well known about South River where he is supposed to lurk: John Obryan a lusty well made Man about five feet nine Inches high an Irish Man aged about 38 years speaks pretty good English I have thought fit with the Advice of his Lordships Council of State to issue this my Proclamation strictly forbidding any Person whatsoever within this Province on any Pretence whatsoever to harbour entertain or conceal any of the said