

The State of Maryland  
 J. Howard To the Sheriff of  
 Dochester County Greeting

Whereas Rebecca Brumagen  
 late of Dochester County Spinner, was, at a County Court held  
 at Cambridge in the County aforesaid on the Monday before the  
 second Tuesday in March in the year seventeen hundred and  
 eighty nine, convicted of feloniously stealing one Cotton pelly coat  
 of the value of sixty poms of Tobacco of the Goods and  
 Chattels of one Elizabeth Hurst - and whereas four of  
 the Justices of the said Court, the Prosecutor, and others, who  
 were present at the trial, have recommended her as a proper  
 object of pardon. I have thought it proper, and do hereby par-  
 don the said Rebecca Brumagen, and do order and direct  
 that she shall not suffer any corporal or other punishment  
 therefor, but that she shall stand and be in the same  
 plight and Condition to all intents and purposes as if the Crime  
 aforesaid had never been committed.

Given under the Seal of the State of Maryland  
 this seventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand  
 seven hundred and eighty nine -

May 7<sup>th</sup> 1789.

The State of Maryland  
 J. Howard To all our Bailiffs and good  
 people to whom these presents shall come  
 Greeting  
 Know ye that of our especial Grace  
 we have pardoned unto Timothy Murphy late of Baltimore (