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Maryland this fourteenth Day of June in the Year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred Ninety

June 23rd 1790

The State of Maryland

To all our Bailiffs and
good people to whom these presents
shall come Greeting

Whereas on the Eleventh day of January
last appeared before the Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer
and Goal delivery for Baltimore County Catherine Potter
of said County, who heretofore on Suspicion of being a common
Prostitute, was ordered by Samuel Chase Esq one of the ^{Justices} ~~Justices~~
of the said Court to appear before any two or more of the said
Justices of Oyer and Terminer and Goal delivery who having
heard the said Catherine Potter in defence it appeared that
she was a common Prostitute and refused to give good security
for her good behaviour the said Justices thereupon adjudged
the said Catherine Potter to work and labour on the public Roads
of Baltimore County or in Making Repairing or Cleansing the
Streets or Basins of Baltimore town until the first day of
November Next: And the Commissioners of the poor for Baltimore
County having recommended her as an Object worthy of
pity I have thought it proper to pardon the said Catherine
Potter for the Offence aforesaid and do hereby order and direct
that she be forthwith discharged from the Service to which she
hath been adjudged. Given under the Seal of the State
of Maryland this twenty fifth Day of June in the Year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety