

January 7. 1791
The State of Maryland

To all our Bailiffs and
People to whom these Presents shall come
Edward Howard Greeting —

Whereas Elnor McCarty of
Baltimore County Spinster was indicted for stealing and carry-
-ing away on the first day of November last, one Slip, of the
value of one Shilling, four neck Handkerchiefs of the value
of four Shillings, one Cotton Handkerchief of the value of
two Shillings, one Check Handkerchief of the value of one
Shilling, one Shirt and an half of a Shirt of the value of
nine Shillings, and one Muslin Apron of the value of four
Shillings of the Goods and Chattles of a certain Jacob
Ballabugger — And that on the seventeenth day of
November in the year aforesaid by a trial of a Jury of
the facts contained in the Indictment against the said
Elnor McCarty before the Justices of Baltimore County
Court of Oyer and Terminer and Goal delivery, she was
found guilty of stealing a Striped Cotton Handkerchief
mentioned in the said Indictment and was adjudged by
the said Justices to serve and labour in a place of con-
-finement for the space of one year — And whereas
Several respectable Inhabitants of Baltimore town
having recommended her to Government as an Object
of Mercy, I have thought it proper to Pardon the
said Elnor McCarty for the Offense aforesaid