

late of Baltimore County Spinster was indicted for stealing and carrying away on the fifteenth day of January last, one brass candle stick of the value of eighteen pence current money of Maryland and three old pewter plates of the value of three pence each, like money, of the Goods and Chattels of Edward Harrison, and also five pair of cotton Hose of the value of two Shillings and six pence each, like current money of Maryland, of the Goods and Chattels of some person to the Jurors unknown - And that on the seventeenth day of the same month and year aforesaid by the trial of a Jury of the facts contained in the abovementioned Indictment against the said Mary Alexander before the Justices of Baltimore County Court of Oyer and Terminer and Goal delivery, she was found guilty thereof, and was adjudged to serve and labour in a place of confinement, agreeable to an Act of Assembly, for one year - And whereas it is represented that her Husband James Alexander is an industrious Honest Man, and very poor, that by her confinement he has the care of three helpless Children, and has no means of supporting them but by his labour - I have therefore thought it proper to pardon the said Mary Alexander for the offence aforesaid and do hereby order and direct

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