

an object worthy of the Interposition and
Clemency of Government. I have thought
proper to pardon the said Joshua
Anderson for the offence aforesaid;
and do hereby order and direct that
He be forthwith discharged from the
service to which He hath been adjud-
ged. Given under the seal of the State
of Maryland this Twenty fifth day of
December in the Year of our Lord
one thousand seven hundred and
ninety four.

January 5th 1795

Whereas by the Petition of Rebecca
Duke of Baltimore County accompanied
by an official transcript of the Proceed-
ings therein referred to it appears
that at the last November term of the
Court held for Baltimore County an
indictment was found by the Grand
Jury of the said County against Negro
Race the property of the Petitioner