

County Court judicially sitting at the City
of Annapolis in and for the said County,
the twentieth day of April Anno Domini
one thousand seven hundred and ninety
five, was sentenced to be hanged by the neck
until He be dead. These are therefore
to will and require as also to charge and
Command you that on or before twelve
of the Clock on Friday the Eighth day of
this present Month of May you take the
said Negro Ned from your Prison, and
him safely convey to the Gallows in the
County aforesaid, the Common place of
Execution of Malefactors; and there the
said Negro Ned hang by the Neck on
the said Gallows until He be dead;
For all which this shall be your
sufficient power and authority. Given
under the seal of the State of Maryland
this fourth day of May seventeen hundred
and ninety five. —