

February 5<sup>th</sup> 1790

The State of Maryland To all our  
Baillifs and Good People  
J. H. Stone to whom these presents shall  
come greeting. Whereas  
Mary Roles late of Baltimore County  
was at a Court of Oyer and Terminer  
and Gaol delivery charged with being  
Vagrant. and was by the Court afores.  
aid adjudged to serve and labour  
at the Common Workhouse of Balti-  
more County for the space of six Months  
and whereas it is represented by  
Clement Roles husband to the said  
Mary Roles and several other persons  
inhabitants of Baltimore Town that  
he is in indigent circumstances and  
that the support of himself and a number  
of small Children depends entirely  
on his labour which falls far short  
of a comfortable subsistence and which