

Misdemeanors in the said County Committed was found
guilty thereof and was adjudged by the said Court to serve
and labour in a place of confinement agreeably to an act
of Assembly for and during the term of two years and
Whereas it is represented to me by the petition of sundry
Inhabitants of Baltimore County that the said Mary
Smith is only fourteen years of age and that she has
heretofore borne a good Character, In consideration whereof
and in Commiseration of her aged parents, I have
thought proper to Pardon the said Mary Smith for the
offence aforesaid, and do hereby order and Direct that she
be forthwith discharged from the service to which she
hath been adjudged. Given under my hand and the
Seal of the State of Maryland this thirteenth day of
June Seventeen hundred and ninety seven
By the Governor *J. H. Stone*
Ninian Pinkney Clk

City of Annapolis June 14th 1797
Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer and
Goal Delivery issued to Charles County, Directed to
Michael Jenifer Stone, Caleb Hawkins, and Daniel
Jenifer, the Court to be held the first Monday in July next
Ninian Pinkney Clk

City of Annapolis June 14th 1797
Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer and Goal
Delivery issued to Somerset County directed to John Don
Levin Kinder, and George Robertson the Court to be
held the first Monday in July next
Ninian Pinkney Clk

City of Annapolis June 24th 1797
The State of Maryland, To all our Bailiffs
and good people to whom these presents shall come
Greeting, Whereas Negro Mat late the slave of Char-
les Carnan Ridgely of Baltimore County was presented
by the Jurors for the body of Baltimore County aforesaid
for Stealing and Carrying away on the twelfth day
(June)