

91 commended to me by a number of respectable persons Citizens  
of Baltimore County, as an object worthy the interposition  
of Government, I have therefore thought proper to pardon  
the said Patience Curry for the offence aforesaid and do  
hereby order and Direct that she be forthwith discharged  
from the service to which she hath been adjudged, and  
that she be and remain in the same condition as before  
her conviction - Given under my hand and the seal  
of the State of Maryland this thirty first day of August  
seventeen hundred and ninety seven

Attest Ninian Pinkney Clk

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City of Annapolis September 23<sup>d</sup> 1797

A Proclamation

Whereas it hath been represented to me by the Mayor of Baltimore  
and other respectable Citizens that a number of Robberies and  
attempts to rob on the high roads leading to that City and in one  
instance a Murder and Robbery had been committed, to prevent  
such enormities and to bring the perpetrator or perpetrators  
thereof to punishment; I do hereby offer a reward of five  
hundred Dollars to any person who shall discover and make  
known the perpetrator or perpetrators of the aforesaid Crimes  
and offences, so that he or they be convicted thereof in any  
Court of Law of this State; and I do further offer and promise  
full and free pardon to any person being an accomplice  
therein who shall discover and make known the person or  
persons by whom the Crimes and offences or any of them  
were committed so that he or they be convicted thereof in  
any Court of Law in this State - Given under my  
hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland at the  
City of Annapolis this Twenty third day September -  
seventeen hundred and ninety seven

Attest  
Ninian Pinkney Clk

J. H. Stone