

in consideration of her tender years and other circumstances to order and direct that no proceedings at Law be had or carried on against the said Negro Hannah for or concerning the said offence, and do further order and direct that if any proceedings at Law have taken place for or on account of the same, that they do immediately cease and determine, Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland this fifteenth day of July Eighteen hundred and three
attest Nican Pinkney clk. John F. Meuser

City of Annapolis September 2^d 1803

The State of Maryland to all our Bailiffs and good people to whom these presents shall come Greeting
Whereas David Godshaw late of Baltimore County was presented by the Jurors for the Body of said County for Horse Stealing and the said David Godshaw on Trial by a Jury before the Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery for Baltimore County for the trial of all felonies and so forth in the said County committed was found guilty thereof and was adjudged by the said Court to serve and labour on the Public Roads Baltimore County for the term of Eight months, and whereas it appears to me from representation that the said Godshaw is upward of fifty years of age a cripple and has always supported a fair and reputable Character, and it appears further that the said Godshaw was convicted on circumstantial Evidence merely, I have thought proper to pardon the said David Godshaw for the offence aforesaid and do hereby order and direct that he be discharged from the sentence which he hath been adjudged, Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Maryland this Second