

The State of Maryland to all our Bailiffs and Good People
to whom these Presents shall come greeting Whereas Margaret
Barkley the wife of Francis Barkley has been convicted
of a Felony and sentenced to serve two years in the workhouse
in Baltimore where she served several months, and whereas
that sentence has been pardoned on condition of the said
Margaret Barkleys leaving this state and whereas she
has left this State from that time and now with her
Husband prays to be permitted to return to her Husband
who is stated to be a considerable Freeholder in Baltimore
County on whom the hardship of leaving his real estate in
being parted from his wife might fall and whereas she
has suffered a considerable Portion of the punishment, it
have therefore in consideration of the premises thought proper
to remit the residue of the punishment of Banishment
and do hereby order and direct that she be and remain in
the same state and condition as if she had not been convicted
of the offence aforesaid Given under my hand and
the seal of the State of Maryland this fourteenth Day
January eighteen Hundred and seven

By the Governor
Minian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

Robert Wright