

September eighteen Hundred and Eleven

By the Governor
Ninian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

Edward Lloyd

The State of Maryland to wit, whereas Rezin Davis is confined in Washington County Gaol on a charge of entering away two Negro Slaves from their Master, and whereas a number of respectable persons who have been acquainted with the said Davis have stated to me that he always supported a good character and that the evidence against him is very slight and altogether presumptive and that from severe indisposition if not removed from Gaol he probably will not live till court and have prayed the interposition of Government in his favour I have thought proper to order and direct that all proceedings at law against the said Rezin Davis do cease and determine and that no further prosecution be had or carried on against him for or concerning the same - Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland this eighteenth day of September eighteen Hundred and Eleven

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To the Prosecutor for Washington County

The State of Maryland to wit, whereas John Montgomery of Baltimore County has been found guilty by a Jury of Inquest of Killing with a stone a Black man by the name of Henry Fite, and whereas eleven of the Jury together with a number of respectable persons inhabitants of Baltimore County have recommended the said John Montgomery to me as a fit object for the Interposition of Government, I have thought proper to order and direct that all proceedings at law against the said John Montgomery do cease and determine, and that no further prosecution be had or carried on against him for or on account of the same. Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland this eighteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Eleven

By the Governor
Ninian Pinkney

Edward Lloyd