

Thomas Governor of the State of New York has represented to me that he has  
been acquainted with the said William Thompson for several years and that  
he had during that period supported a good character and has together with  
Honble Dewitt Clinton Mayor of the city of New York recommended the said  
William Thompson to me as a fit object for the interposition of Government  
I have therefore thought proper to pardon the said William Thompson for the  
offence aforesaid and do hereby order and direct that he be released from  
the sentence to which he hath been adjudged on this express condition that  
he do within twenty days from this date depart the State of Maryland  
and do not at any time thereafter return into any part thereof. In  
Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great  
Seal of the State of Maryland to be affixed this Twenty fourth day of  
August eighteen Hundred and twelve

By the Governor  
Ninian Pinkney  
Clerk of the Council

Robert Bowie

The State of Maryland to wit whereas George Dyer Hamilton a youth  
between fifteen and seventeen years of age stands charged with stealing  
a watch the property of George Francis and whereas the Judges of the  
court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol delivery for Baltimore County  
the attorney General and the Petit Jurors have recommended the granting  
a Nolle Prosequi in his favour on condition of his enlisting in the navy  
of the United States. I have therefore thought proper to order and direct  
that all proceedings at law against the said George Dyer Hamilton do  
cease and determine and that no further prosecution be had or  
carried on against him for or on account of the offence aforesaid pro-  
vided he enlists in the navy of the United States for the term of three  
years Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Maryland  
this Twenty seventh day of August eighteen Hundred and twelve

By the Governor  
Ninian Pinkney  
Clerk of the Council

Robert Bowie

The State of Maryland to wit whereas William Asher of Baltimore County  
has been presented by the grand Jury of Baltimore County at a court of