

high, handsome, strong and active.

Ordered that the foregoing proclamation be published eight times in the Maryland Gazette, Federal Gazette, Telegraph, Federal Republican, the Herald at Frederick Town and the Eastern Monitor.

By order

Miriam Pinkney Clerk of the Council

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The State of Maryland to wit. Whereas Negro Dave the property of John Shreyer of Allegany County was presented at the Court of the said County at April term last for stealing one Kept Skin and one Calf Skin the property of the said John Shreyer. And whereas the said John Shreyer, Roger Perry, L. Hilleary, Samuel Thomas, William M'Mahon, Hanson Briscoe, Hipton Bruce and other respectable persons Inhabitants of Allegany County have prayed that I would grant a *Noti Prosequi* to the said Negro Dave. I have therefore thought proper to order and direct that all Proceedings at law against the said Negro Dave for the said offence do cease and determine and that no further prosecution be had or carried on against the said Negro Dave for or on account of the same. Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Maryland this fourth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifteen

By the Governor

Miriam Pinkney

Clerk of the Council

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