

December in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred
and sixteen

By the Governor
Ninian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

C. Ridgely of Hampton

The State of Maryland to all our Bailiffs and Good
People to whom these Presents shall come Greeting. Whereas
Reben Newman and Poll were sentenced by the Court of
Talbot County at November term last to six months confine-
ment and to pay a fine of twenty Dollars cash for an assault
and Battery committed on the body of Oakley Haddonway.
And whereas a number of respectable persons inhabitants of
the said County have recommended the said Reben Newman
and Poll to me as fit objects for the interposition of Government.
I have therefore thought proper to pardon the said Reben New-
man and Poll for the offence aforesaid and do hereby order and
direct that they be released from their confinement immedi-
ately upon the receipt of this. Given under my hand and the
Seal of the State of Maryland this twentieth day of December
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen

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The State of Maryland to wit. Whereas a certain
Solomon Wilson has been indicted in the Court of Oyer and
Terminer and Gaol Delivery for Baltimore County for attempt-
ing to kill and murder on the 10th of June 1866