

do cease and determine and that no further prosecution
be had or carried on against them for or on account of the
same. Given under my hand and the seal of the State of
Maryland this seventh day of April eighteen hundred
and seventeen

By the Governor
Minian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

C. Ridgely of Hampton

To The Prosecutor for Calvert County

The State of Maryland to wit Whereas William Kidd
has been presented and Indicted in Baltimore City Court
for feloniously stealing one Cloth Courted coat of the value
of twenty Dollars a Hat of the value of two Dollars of the
Goods and Chattels of George Lindemberger. And whereas the
said Court have recommended that I would grant a
Noli Prosequi to the said William Kidd on condition of his
being bound an apprentice to Capt. Alexander Board in
the United States service. I have therefore thought prop-
er to order and direct that all proceedings at law against
the said William Kidd for or on account of the said offence
do cease and determine and that no further prosecution be
had or carried on against him for or on account of the same
provided that the said William Kidd shall be bound
an apprentice to the said Captain Board for the term of
five years. Given under my hand and the seal of the State
of Maryland this 22 day of April in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and seventeen.