

The following writs of Election issued to The Sheriff of Baltimore County and the Mayor of Baltimore City

The State of Maryland, to the Sheriff of Baltimore County, Greeting.

Whereas by the resignation of the honorable Samuel Samuel Smith an immediate vacancy has arisen in the representation of this State in the House of Representatives of the United States, and also a vacancy in the said Representation from the 4th of March next, to the 4th of March eighteen hundred and twenty five which said vacancies according to an Act of Assembly passed at November Session seventeen hundred and ninety entitled an Act directing the time places and manner of holding elections for Representatives of this State in the Congress of the United States, and for appointing Electors on the part of this State for choosing a President and Vice President of the United States, and for the regulation of the said elections, and also to repeal the Act of Assembly therein mentioned and according to another act of the General Assembly supplementary to the act aforesaid, passed at November Session seventeen hundred and ninety one, must be filled by a person resident within, and elected by the qualified voters of the 5th District of this State as designated by the said Acts of Assembly. We do therefore in pursuance of powers vested in us by the Acts aforesaid, and an Act entitled, an Act to reduce into one the several Acts of Assembly respecting elections and to regulate said elections, passed at November Session eighteen hundred and five authorize and command you to appoint a day to hold an election in your County of Baltimore for a representative of this State to fill the said vacancies in the House of Representatives of the United States occasioned by the resignation of the said Samuel Smith Esquire, and the said election shall be held within fifteen days after the receipt of this warrant, and you shall serve a copy thereof on each of the Judges in each election district in your county at least three days