

April 11th 1842

This day Pardoned John Soule who was sentenced to serve seven years in the Maryland Penitentiary, he having served five years of the time, and represented to be suffering under an incurable disease and as a pious and reformed man.

11th

Gave an order for the admission into the Deaf and Dumb Asylum of Pennsylvania of the following named persons, as pupils of the State of Maryland, viz: Edward R. Gibbs of Talbot County, Susan Ann Stokes of Harford County and Leathe Conall of Prince George County.

19th

This day remitted forfeited Recognizances of Thompson & Hayden, John M. Chaseldine and John M. Goldsmith on the recommendation of Messrs. Clement L. Dorsey one of the justices of St. Mary's County Court

21st

This day remitted forfeited Recognizance of Dennis Griffith for the appearance of William Gray in Anne Arundel County Court.

23rd

This day remitted so much of a sentence imposed upon George Myers of Baltimore City, by Baltimore County Court as confined him to jail for three months.

May 17th

Granted a *Stolle Prosequi* to George W. Seeds of Washington County in these words:

"State of Maryland, To Writ"

Whereas, a certain George W. Seeds, late of Washington County stands charged by presentment of the Grand Jury of the said County of having stolen, four dollars, and a stick the property of a certain Mr. Trail of said County; and whereas the said George W. Seeds has been recommended to Executive clemency by a large number of highly respectable citizens of Washington County, and proofs having been laid before them to show that the said George W. Seeds innocent of the charges is highly probable, and that the ends of justice do not require that the case should be prosecuted,

Now therefore, I, Francis Thomas, Governor of the State of Maryland, do hereby grant a *Stolle Prosequi* to the said George W. Seeds on account of the aforesaid offence, upon payment of the costs accrued upon said presentment, and other proceedings if any, and order and direct that all further proceedings against him on the presentment aforesaid, do cease and determine, upon payment of the costs aforesaid, and that no further prosecution be had or carried on against him for or on account of said offence

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, this seventeenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred forty two.

Seal

By the Governor
G. M. Seligman
Secretary of State

Francis Thomas