

hundred dollars over and above his debts when he became security for the appearance at Baltimore City Court of a certain Kalfound; and whereas the said John Brookhart has been recommended to Executive clemency by a large number of respectable citizens who represent that at the time of taking the said oath he was labouring under mental derangement?

Now Therefore, I, Francis Thomas, Governor of the State of Maryland, do hereby grant a *Wolfe Prosequi* to the said John Brookhart on account of the ^{offences} offence, upon payment of the costs accrued upon the said preferring of said charge and other proceedings, if any, and order and direct that all further proceedings against him, on the charge aforesaid, do cease and determine, upon payment of the costs aforesaid, and that no further prosecution be had or caused on against him for or on account of said offence.

Given under my hand, and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, this fifth day of Seal September eighteen hundred and forty three and of the Independence of the United States, the sixty eighth

By the Governor

Jno. P. Leland

Secretary of State.

Francis Thomas

September 5th 1843

The Governor to day issued the following requisition, vizt:

" State of Maryland, To wit:

J. Francis Thomas Governor of Maryland

To his honor the Chief Judge of the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Columbia

It appears by the annexed Papers, duly authenticated according to the laws of this State, that a certain James Williams, stands charged with the crime of murder, and it has been represented to me that he has fled from the justice of this State, and has taken refuge within the District of Columbia

Now Therefore, Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and Law of the United States in such case made and provided, I do hereby request that the said James Williams to be apprehended and delivered to John Mitchell of Baltimore City who is hereby duly authorized to receive and convey him to the State of Maryland, there to be dealt with according to law.

In Witness whereof, I have hereunto affixed my name, and the Great Seal

Seal

of this State, this fifth day of September in the year of our

Lord One thousand Eight hundred and forty three

By the Governor

Jno. P. Leland

Secretary of State.

Francis Thomas

September 7th 1843

The Governor to day granted the following *Wolfe Prosequi's*

" State of Maryland, To wit:

" Whereas, a certain negro named Charles, and a certain negro named ~~George~~ have committed a felony by escaping from their owner, John