

July 4th 1848.

The Governor this day appointed and commissioned Charles A. Gelwick captain in company No. 4. of the 24th Regiment M. M. vice Bender resigned. He also appointed and commissioned George Knodle captain in company No. 1 in the same Regiment vice Hollingsworth appointed Adjutant.

July 6th 1848.

The Governor this day on the recommendation of numerous citizens of Queen Anne's County granted a Nolle Prosequi to Samuel B. Furlock, who stood indicted in said County for selling a negro as a slave for life who was entitled to his freedom.

July 7th 1848.

The Governor this day appointed and commissioned Christian Thomas an Associate Justice of the District Court of the 1st District of Frederick's County, vice Benton who was appointed a Justice in the 7th District in the said County.

The Governor appointed and commissioned Owen C. Jones, Captain, James C. Usher 1st Lieut and Edward Tilden 2nd Lieut in the 19th Regiment M. M. Denton District. He also appointed and commissioned James Gooding captain, Isaac Ireland 1st Lieut and George W. Vincent 2nd Lieut in the 19th Regiment M. M. Hillsborough Company.

July 10th 1848.

The General Assembly having on the 3rd day of February last past elected the Hon James Alfred Pearce United States Senator for six years from the 4th day of March 1849. The Governor this day issued his commission of credentials in the following words to wit:

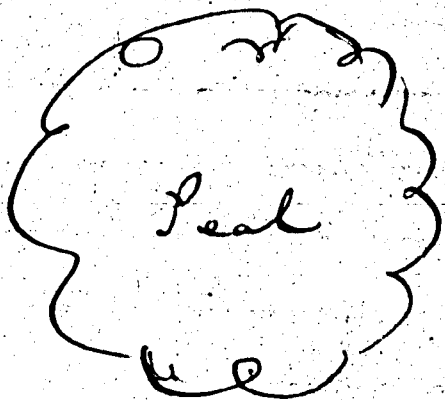
The State of Maryland.

To the Senate of the United States, Greeting:
Know Ye, That the General Assembly of the State of Maryland reposing especial trust and confidence in the sound judgement and integrity of the Honorable James Alfred Pearce of the State of Maryland, have elected and appointed him one of the Senators to represent the said State in the Congress of the United States for six years from and after the Fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and forty nine agreeably to the Constitution and Laws of the United States and to the Laws of the State of Maryland made in pursuance thereof.

In testimony whereof, I Philip Francis Thomas Governor of the State of Maryland have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the said State to be affixed on this tenth day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty eight and of the independence of the United States the seventy second

By the Governor.

Philip F. Thomas



Witness John Johnson Chancellor.