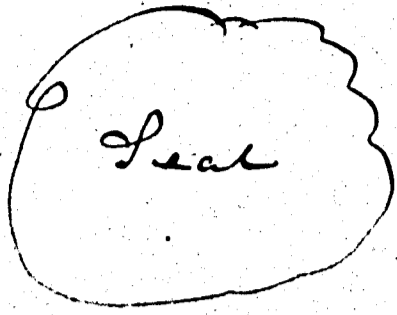


to devote themselves to such religious services and exercises as are appropriate to a day of thanksgiving and prayer.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland this thirteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.
By the Governor.

Philip F. Thomas.

R. C. Hollyday Secretary of State.

October 21st 1848.

The Governor this day granted a Pardon to Charles Burk confined in Baltimore County Jail, and remitted the fine of Ten dollars imposed on him by Baltimore City Court at September Term 1848 of said Court.

October 23rd 1848.

The Governor this day appointed and commissioned Edward Jellett Captain of "Texas Greys" attached to 1st Independent Volunteer Regiment Baltimore County.

October 24th 1848.

The Governor this day appointed and commissioned Henry J. Strandberg Captain vice Richard Thomas promoted, William H. Shepard 1st Lieut vice Strandberg promoted and A. S. Pritchett 2nd Lieut vice W. B. Smyth resigned of the "Eastern Guards" attached to the 4th Regiment M. M.

The Governor on application of Theodore R. Lockerman granted a Habeas Corpus to negro slave Ann Thomas charged with Felony in running away from her master, on condition that her master the said Theodore R. Lockerman shall sell her out of the State.

October 26th 1848.

The Governor on the recommendation of numerous and respectable citizens this day granted a Habeas Corpus to William S. Langston of Calvert County charged with an assault and battery on Mackall Harris.

The Governor issued the following requisition to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania.

State of Maryland to wit:

Philip Francis Thomas Governor of the State of Maryland.

To his Excellency the Governor of Pennsylvania.

It appears by the annexed papers duly authenticated according to the laws of this State, that Alexander Moore a negro slave for a term of years stands charged with Felony in running away against the will and consent of his master with a view to escape entirely from servitude and thereby deprive his master of his services, and also with Felony in carrying away with him a silver watch and other property of his the said Alexander Moore's master, John M. Johnston M. D. of the City of Baltimore, and it has been represented to me that he has fled
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