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receive and comply with all such Orders and Instructions as I shall under my  
Hand appoint and direct you. Given under my Hand and Seal this Nineteenth day  
of September in the Fifteenth Year of His Lordships Dominion Anno Domini 1765.  
Upon Scott 2<sup>d</sup> 1765.

30<sup>th</sup> September 1765.

Maryland's Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Province of  
Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore To all Our Bailiffs and Good People  
to whom these presents shall come. Know Ye that of Our especial Grace We have  
Pardoned unto Negro James late of Prince Georges County Labourer, the Slave of Robt.  
Taylor as a proper Object of Our Mercy, the suit of Our Peace, and whatsoever appertain-  
eth unto Us for that the said Negro James on the eleventh day of August in the Year  
of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and Sixty five at Prince Georges County aforesaid  
with Force and Arms and so forth the Meat House of a certain Benjamin Harwood  
the said Meat House being then and there well boarded and the Door thereof secured  
with a Lock feloniously did break and enter, and Ten hams of Bacon Meat and Ten  
Sitches of Bacon Meat to the value of Ten Shillings Stealing Hence the Goods and  
Chattels of the said Benjamin Harwood then and there in the said Meat House being  
then and there feloniously took, stole and Carried away against Our Peace Good Rule and  
Government and contrary to the form of the Act of Assembly in such Case made and Pro-  
vided whereof he was Convict before Our Trusty and well beloved John Cooke Esq. and  
others Justices of Prince Georges County Nevertheless We grant unto him Our firm  
Peace and will not that he suffer any Corporal Punishment therefore but that he shall  
stand and be in the same Flight and Condition to all Intents and purposes as if the  
said Felony whereof he the said Negro James hath been Convict had never been done  
or committed Witness Our Trusty and well beloved Horatio Sharpe Esq. Governour  
of Our said Province this Thirtieth day of September in the Fifteenth Year of His  
Lordships Dominion Anno Domini 1765.  
Upon Scott Esq. Con.

30<sup>th</sup> September 1765.

Maryland's Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Province  
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to whom these presents shall come. Know Ye that of Our especial Grace We have Pardon-  
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