

19<sup>th</sup> October 1773.

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Maryland vs. The Right Honourable Henry Starford Esq; (Brevolite)  
Lord and Proprietary of the Province of Maryland. —

Robert Eden. To all our Baillifs and good People to whom these Presents  
shall come Greeting. —

Know ye that of our especial grace we have pardoned unto John  
Marr late of An Arundel County Carpenter otherwise called Thomas Soper  
late of An Arundel County Carpenter as a proper Object of our Mercy  
the Sins of our Peace and whatsoever appertaineth unto him for that he  
the said John Marr otherwise called Thomas Soper on the tenth day of  
June in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and seventy  
three at An Arundel County aforesaid one Sorrel Mare of the  
Price of eighteen Pounds Current Money the proper Mare of a certain  
Jeremiah Crabb then and there being found him and thereof feloniously  
stole took and led away against Our Peace Good Rule and Govern-  
ment and contrary to the form of the Act of Assembly in such  
Case made and Provided. Whereof he was Convict before the Honour-  
able William Hayward Esq; Chief Justice of our Provincial  
Court on the fourteenth day of September in the Year of our Lord One  
Thousand seven hundred and seventy three. Nevertheless we grant unto  
him our firm Peace and will not that he suffer any corporal Punish-  
ment <sup>therefor</sup> provided that he the said John Marr otherwise called  
Thomas Soper Transport himself or cause himself to be transported  
out of this our Province within ten Days from the Time of his Release-  
ment out of Goal and never to return again otherwise this our Par-  
don shall be and is hereby declared to be void and of none Effect  
any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding. —

Witness Our Trusty and well Beloved Robert Eden Esq; t.  
Lieutenant General and Chief Governor in and over our said Province  
this twenty ninth day of October in the third Year of our Dominion  
Anno Domini 1773. —

Signed by Order

McCott Lt. Gov.