

of persons to be released from a confinement and a fine  
of twenty Dollars, that had been imposed on him by  
Baltimore City Court, at June Term 1822. The Term  
of service has expired, but the fine I presume is still  
against him; will you be pleased to inform me by mail,  
how this business stands, in order that I may make the  
necessary remarks on my Docket. By the mail on Monday  
a letter was received at this Department from James  
Mosher, Esquire, one of the Directors of the Maryland  
Penitentiary, stating that Edward Martin who had  
made his escape from that Institution, was about  
to be discharged from the State Prison at Boston, and re-  
quested that he might be demanded. I informed Mr  
Mosher that the Papers were irregular, in as much as  
there was no authenticated copy of Martin's conviction  
and sentence, and no recommendation of a person to  
be appointed Agent, and requesting that the deficiency  
might be supplied. As no answer has been received  
from him. I fear that my letter has not reached him.

The Governor's election will probably qualify on Monday next.

Yours Respectfully

Wm. Pinkney

To Thomas Harwood Esquire -