

and one piece of White muslin the property of the said John Johnson and thereupon adjudged to serve and labour four months on the public Roads of Baltimore County and whereas the chief Judge and the two associate Judges of the said Court together with several of the jury, who sat on the trial of the said William the said John Johnson on whom the Burglary was committed and a number of respectable persons inhabitants of said County have prayed the interposition of Government in his favour I have as well for that reason as account of soothing the feelings of an aged Father (whose revolutionary virtues are duly appreciated) as well as those of a tender Mother thought proper to pardon the said Blake Williams for the offence aforesaid and do therefore hereby order and direct that he be released from the service to which he hath been adjudged. Given under my hand and the seal of the state of Maryland at the City of Annapolis this Seventeenth day of November in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and six

By the Governor
Minian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

Robert Wright

The State of Maryland to wit. Whereas it appears by the Petition of Jonathan Abell of Saint Marys County that he was presented by the Grand Jury for the body of the said County at August Term last for refusing on the Twenty Eighth Day of June Eighteen Hundred and six to execute a