

The State of Maryland to Wit Whereas Edward M'Grath  
has been heretofore indicted at the Criminal Court held for  
Baltimore County on the fourth Monday of March eighteen  
Hundred and seven for receiving stolen goods of a certain  
Alexander M'Coyle knowing them to be stolen by said Alex-  
ander M'Coyle; and whereas the said Alexander M'Coyle  
was Indicted for said Felony and Thereof found not  
guilty whereby the said Edward M'Grath was virtu-  
ally acquitted - and whereas the said indictment against  
the said Edward M'Grath was therefore quashed by the  
Court; and whereas afterwards at the same term, another  
indictment was found against said M'Grath for  
receiving the same goods from a certain person to the  
Jurors unknown, and whereas no person can be convicted  
as an accessory after the Fact till the guilt of the sup-  
posed principals be established - and whereas the Felony  
is unknown and Therefore cannot be convicted - I have  
therefore thought proper to order and direct that all  
proceedings at law against the said Edward M'Grath  
do cease and determine and that no further prosecution  
be had or carried on against him for or on account  
of the same - Given under my hand and the seal  
of the State of Maryland, at the city of Annapolis  
this nineteenth day of June in the year of our Lord  
one Thousand Eight Hundred and seven

By the Governor  
Ninian Pinkney  
Clerk of the Council

Robert Wright

To the Prosecutor of Baltimore County