

The State of Maryland to wit. Whereas Matthias Papiot was presented and found guilty at the Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery for Baltimore County at January term Instant of Stealing a Pocket Book of the value of two Shillings and a Bank Note of the value of Eighteen Pounds fifteen Shillings Current money the property of a certain William Hall and whereas it appears that the said Matthias Papiot is a Frenchman of good character till this charge, and has been convicted on his own confession alleged to be misunderstood as he does not understand English and the witnesses might have been heretofore mistaken. and whereas more of the Grand Jury, and all the Petit Jury have united in petitioning for his Pardon. In consideration whereof I have thought proper to Pardon the said Matthias Papiot for the offence aforesaid and do hereby order and direct that he be discharged from confinement immediately on the receipt of this and I do hereby further order and direct that all proceedings at Law against him do cease and determine and that no further prosecution be had or carried on for or on account of the same offences. Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland at the City of Annapolis this twenty first day of January on the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and nine

By the Governor

Minian Pinkney  
Clerk of the Council

Robert Wright

Thomas Jennings Esquire Prosecutor for Baltimore

The State of Maryland to all our Bailiffs and good People to whom these presents shall come greeting —  
Whereas John McDaniel, George Wallasager, Barney Jordan, Joseph S Crane, John Boyan, Jacob Cabel, John Gidelman, and Samuel Davidson, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, for Baltimore County, held on January eighteen Hundred and nine were presented, assaulting, Beating and Tarring and feathering Robert