

The State of Maryland to wit Whereas William Corner
of Will^m of Talbot County Yeoman stands presented at
the Court of the same County at May term last for Fel-
oniously killing Charles Blamer. and whereas it has
been represented to me by the Chief and one of the Associate
Judges of the said Court that they have reason to believe
that the said Corner was unsound in mind previous
and at the time of the death of the said Blamer. and
whereas the said Court have prayed that I would grant
a *habeas corpus* in his favour. I have therefore thought
proper to order and direct that all Proceedings at law
against the said William Corner 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 the
fifth day of June in the year of our Lord one Thousand
eight Hundred and nine

By the Governor

Winian Penhney

Clerk of the Council

To The Prosecutor of Talbot County

June 10th 1809

The Governor appointed John Johnson *Esquire* his first
Aid de Camp and William G. Tilghman his second Aid de
Camp each of them to Rank as Colonels