

carried on against him for or on account of the same Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland this twenty eighth day of November eighteen hundred and twelve.

By the Governor

Minian Pinkney

Clerk of the Council

Levin Winder

To the Attorney General of the State of Maryland

The State of Maryland to wit whereas Peter Shipley of Baltimore County has been indicted in the Court of Oyer and Terminer and Goal delivery for the said County at September term last for feloniously shooting a Negro Man named Jacob slave of ~~Re Buck~~ Lynch in the leg with intent to disable and maim the said Jacob and whereas it has been represented to me by the said Peter Shipley and others on oath that when he shot the said Negro Jacob it was in self defence and for the preservation of his own life and whereas the Attorney General of the State of Maryland and others have stated to me that they believe the said Shipley to be highly deserving of the interposition of Government I have therefore thought proper to order and direct that all proceedings at law against the said Peter Shipley do cease and determine and that no further prosecution be had or carried on against him for or on account of the offence aforesaid Given under my hand and the seal of the State of Maryland this thirtieth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve

By the Governor

Minian Pinkney

Clerk of the Council

Levin Winder

To the Attorney General of the State of Maryland

The State of Maryland to all our bailiffs and good people to whom these presents shall come greeting Whereas James Truitt and John Bell of Worcester County have been sentenced by the