

The State of Maryland to all our Bailiffs and good people
to whom these Presents shall come greeting. Whereas John Reid
has been found guilty of feloniously and fraudulently passing
on the twenty third of December eighteen hundred and fifteen
to a certain William Moore four twenty Dollar notes purporting
to be of the City Bank of Philadelphia and a fifty Dollar note
purporting to be of the Hagers Town Bank knowing them to be
forged and counterfeited and was by the Court of Washington
County at March term eighteen hundred and sixteen senten-
ced to undergo a confinement in the penitentiary for ten
years. And whereas The Inspectors of the Penitentiary have
stated to me that the conduct and behaviour of the said
John R. Reid since his confinement have been orderly and
penitent and have recommended him as worthy the inter-
position of Government. I have therefore thought proper to
pardon the said John R. Reid for the offence aforesaid and
do hereby order and direct that he be released from the residue
of the punishment to which he hath been adjudged. Given
under my hand and the Seal of the State of Maryland this
tenth day of June in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight
hundred and eighteen.

By the Governor
Minian Pinkney

C. Ridgely of Hampton

~~Chief of the Council~~
The Keeper of the Penitentiary

The State of Maryland to all our Bailiffs and good people
to whom these Presents shall come greeting. Whereas Peter Deimler
sentenced by the Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery for
Baltimore County on the third of February eighteen hundred and
sixteen to three years confinement in the Penitentiary for crime.
And whereas the Inspectors of the Penitentiary have