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The Commissioners named in a Resolution of the last Session to superintend the erection of a Penitentiary for the reception of criminals, having submitted to the Board different Plans of a Building. The Board after taking them into consideration approved of the one which is stated to have been drawn by Daniel Coon and marked No. 1.

By the Petition of Richard Brown of Baltimore County it appears that he was recognized in the penalty of twenty pounds to appear at the Baltimore County Criminal Court at November Term 1802 on a presentment for beating a certain John Pluth. That he did attend at the said Court and traversed the said charge and the Jury impannelled on the trial after remaining a day in their room could not agree on the Verdict and the case was postponed until the next Court and that he was recognized in the same penalty to appear. The Petitioner further states that he did not appear according to the tenor of his Recognizance and that the same became forfeited and that he is now in execution for the payment of the same and will be confined in Baltimore County Goal because of his inability to pay the same. The Petitioner states that no decision on the said case hath ever been made but that the Attorney General for the State did at July Term 1804 discontinue the same. The Board on consideration of which circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the said County do remit the said forfeiture.

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