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Armiger, William	fw	Talbot	Horse-theft (bay mare)	13 Apr. 1734	Thomas Wilds	Assizes				7 May 1734											CR (1733-1773)-18-19 Trial recorded PC, EI 1, pp. 99-100	Pleaded guilty Object of mercy
Wills, Joseph	CS	AA	Burglary		George Neilson	Assizes			Philip Syng	17 Oct. 1734											Pardon written out PC, EI 1, pp. 268-270	Convict servant Coldham, p. 885 Shoemaker Never sentenced Not included in totals
Holt, Susanna	fw	Chas.	Murder	8 Sept. 1734	female bastard child	Assizes				11 Dec. 1734											CR (1733-1773)-23-24	Pleaded guilty Object of mercy
Hall, Ralph	fw	PG	Breaking & Entering	2 Mar. 1734/5	Joseph Belt John Hodson	Assizes				17 June 1735											CR (1733-1773)-31	Object of mercy
Atkinson, Francis	fw	AA				Assizes	- Apr. 1737			10 May 1737											MA, XXVIII, 120-121	Object of mercy
Negro Sampson	sl	Dorch.	Breaking & Entering	6 Feb. 1737/8	Richard Gildart	Assizes		John Rider		18 May 1738											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 136-137 CR (1733-1773)-59	Object of mercy
Gordon, Samuel	fw	AA	Burglary	23 Dec. 1738	Stephen West Ann Peed					31 Jan. 1738/9											CR (1733-1773)-68-69	Turned evidence— not tried Ogle had promised pardon to any accomplice who would turn evidence Not included in totals
Negro Isaac	sl	AA	Burglary & Robbery	23 Dec. 1738	Stephen West Ann Peed	Special		James Mouatt (Monatt)		21 Feb. 1738/9											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 155 CR (1733-1773)-66-67, 68-69	Justices say good character object of compassion First offense
Jackson, Richard	fw	QA	Burglary	24 Sept. 1738	Richard Wells	Assizes	- Apr. 1739			18 May 1739	16										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 162 CR (1733-1773)-73	Youth 16 years old
Bullingnee, Ann	fw	AA	Breaking & Entering	10 Sept. 1739	Robert Langford	Assizes				11 Apr. 1740											CR (1733-1773)-79-80	Object of mercy
Spearman, Mary	fw		Burglary			Assizes	- Apr. 1740			24 May 1740											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 210-211	Convict servant earlier Transported for 14 years to MD at age of 17 Arrived 21 May 1721 Coldham, p. 751 "not a notorious offender" — MA
Austin, William	fw	Talbot	Horse-theft	10 May 1736	James Virgin	Assizes Prov. Ct.				9 June 1740											CR (1733-1773)-82-83 Trial recorded PC, EI 2, pp. 314-315	Tried assizes Sentenced Prov. Ct. Oct. 1736
Negro James	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering	1 July 1742	Elizabeth Hanson	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1742	Henry Hawkins		28 Aug. 1742											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 283 Trial recorded Chas., 1741-1743/4, pp. 411, 415	Object of mercy First offense
Negro Zeno	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering	1 July 1742	Elizabeth Hanson	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1742	Henry Hawkins		28 Aug. 1742											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 283 Trial recorded Chas., 1741-1743/4, pp. 411, 415	Object of mercy First offense
Negro Dick	sl	Balto.	Accessory to Breaking & Entering	1 Mar. 1741/2	John Paca Samuel Smith	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1742	Elizabeth Smith		- Dec. 1742											CR (1733-1773)-99 Trial recorded Balto., TB D, pp. 59, 78-79	
Negro Jack	sl	Balto.	Breaking & Entering	1 Mar. 1741/2	John Paca Samuel Smith	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1742	Samuel Webster		- Dec. 1742											CR (1733-1773)-99 Trial recorded Balto., TB D, pp. 59, 78-79	

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Negro Nebo	sl Balto.	Breaking & Entering	1 Mar. 1741/2	John Paca Samuel Smith	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1742	Samuel Webster		- Dec. 1742										CR (1733-1773)-99 Trial recorded Balto., TB D, pp. 59, 78-79	
Negro George	sl Kent	Breaking & Entering					Jane Rippon		15 Jan. 1742/3	3									CR (1733-1773)-100	
Sheredine, Francis	fw Cecil	Breaking & Entering		John Ward					15 Jan. 1742/3	3									CR (1733-1773)-100	
Mulatto Jack	sl PG	Horse-theft (mare)			Assizes	- Apr. 1743	Daniel Carroll		4 June 1743 29 June 1743										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 303 CR (1733-1773)–102	Only a boy
Ocstow, William (Ostroe/Ostrow)	cs PG	Burglary			Assizes	- Apr. 1743	Ric	chard Lee	4 June 1743 29 June 1743		16								MA, XXVIII, 303 CR (1733-1773)-102	Convict servant Coldham, p. 596 Only 16 years old
Basnett, John (Robert)	fw AA	Counterfeiting	30 Sept. 1743		Prov. Ct.	- Oct. 1743			10 Dec. 1743										CR (1733-1773)-106 Trial recorded PC, EI 7, pp. 298, 317-318	Convict servant earlier Coldham, p. 47
Negro Joss	sl Chas.	Breaking & Entering		Jane Walker	Special	21 Dec. 1745	William Digges		21 Jan. 1745/	6									CR (1733-1773)-118	
Negro Frank	sl AA	Theft (from house)	4 Apr. 1746	Thomas Lusby			Thomas Lusby		14 June 1746										CR (1733-1773)-121 Trial recorded PC, EI 10, pp. 41, 66	Never prosecuted Quashed, then pardoned Not included in totals
Negro Ned (Edward)	sl PG	Breaking & Entering	30 May 1746	Joseph Newton	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1746	Bridget Clarvo		3 Sept. 1746										CR (1733-1773)-123 Trial recorded PG, FF, pp. 3, 3-4	
Negro Joss	sl PG	Breaking & Entering (house breaking)					William Digges		- Dec. 1746										CR (1733-1773)-124	
Negro Cato	sl Chas.	Murder					William Dent		5 Dec. 1746										CR (1733-1773)-124	
Negro Benjamin	sl PG	Horse-theft (mare)	8 Mar. 1746/7	Francis Hall	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1746/7			16 Apr. 1747										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 386 Trial recorded PG, FF, pp. 381, 387-388	
Negro Ishmael	sl PG	Horse-theft (mare)	8 Mar. 1746/7	Francis Hall	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1746/7			16 Apr. 1747										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 386 Trial recorded PG, FF, pp. 381, 386-387	
Fleming, John	fw Talbot	Theft							7 July 1747										CR (1733-1773)-130	
Negro Jenny	sl AA						Michael Macnemara		- Sept. 1748										CR (1733-1773)-135	
Minskie, Emanuel	fw AA	Burglary & Robbery							2 Sept. 1748										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 430 CR (1733-1773)-135	Confession Witness against accomplice Object of mercy Probably never tried Not included in totals
Coleman, Annastice	s AA						Joh	ın H. Dorsey	14 Sept. 1748										CR (1733-1773)-136	
Crumpton, Benjamin	s PG	Breaking & Entering (house-breaking)			Assizes	- Sept. 1748	The	omas Harris	19 Oct. 1748										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 431-432 CR (1733-173)-137	Runaway MG, 20 Apr. 1748 Object of mercy Justices say extenuating circumstances

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Negro Tom	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering (house-breaking)			Assizes	- Sept. 1748	Thomas Lee (of PG Co.)		19 Oct. 1748		12-14								<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 431-432 CR (1733-1773)-137		Under 14 years old (12-14) Youth Object of mercy
Negro Cheshire	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering (house-breaking)			Assizes	- Sept. 1748	John Lee		25 Oct. 1748		12-14								<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 431-432 CR (1733-1773)-137		Under 14 years old (12-14) Youth Object of mercy
legro Ignatius	sl	Balto.	Breaking & Entering & Theft		William Dallam	Assizes	- Sept. 1748	Hugh Deans (Deams)		13 Mar. 1748/9 or 16 May 1749										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 446-447 CR (1733-1773)-140		Object of mercy CR says Sept. 1748 assizes, possibly Apr. 1749 MA says pardon 16 May 1749
ones, William	cs	Balto.	Breaking & Entering & Theft		William Dallam	Assizes	- Sept. 1748		- Day	13 Mar. 1748/9 or 16 May 1749										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 446-447 CR (1733-1773)-140 <i>MHM</i> , XLIII, 57-59		Convict servant PC Deeds, EI 3, pp. 107-108; EI 8, p. 406; Coldham, p. 459 Confessed so magistrate would intercede CR says Sept. 1748 assizes, possibly Apr. 1749 <i>MA</i> says pardon 16 May 1749
ompton, Thomas	fw	Chas.	Horse-theft			Assizes	- Apr. 1749			16 May 1749 or 19 May 1749	•									<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 446-447 BB, IX, 24 CR (1733-1773)-140		Convict servant earlier Coldham, p. 175 Confessed Pleaded guilty Justices point out extenuating circumstances Ill-nature of woman's master Tried to carry off girlfriend whose master would not her or permit marriage Justices say people want pardon
egro Roger	sl	Calvert	Breaking & Entering & Theft		Mr. Ireland	Assizes	- Sept. 1748	Jacob Tucker		18 May 1749										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 446-447 CR (1733-1773)-140		Object of mercy CR says Sept. 1748 assizes, possibly Apr. 1749
ucker, Benjamin	fw	Calvert	Breaking & Entering & Theft		Mr. Ireland	Assizes	- Sept. 1748			18 May 1749	ş									<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 446-447 CR (1733-1773)-140		<ul> <li>§ Transported if could not give security for 3 years Young</li> <li>First offence</li> <li>Petition of inhabitants</li> <li>CR says Sept. 1748 assizes, possibly Apr. 1749</li> </ul>
legro Phill	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering & Theft		Thomas Worthington	Assizes	- Sept. 1748	Thomas Baldwyn		9 June 1749	•									<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 446-447 CR (1733-1773)-141		Master requested pardon CR says Sept. 1748 assizes, probably Apr. 1749
Collett, Elizabeth	cs	Chas.	Horse-theft (with Thomas Compton)			Assizes	- Sept. 1749		Samuel Luckett	19 Oct. 1749										CR (1733-1773)-141 BB, IX, 24		Convict servant Coldham, p. 171 No reason given for pardon, but she was Compton's girlfriend

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Elliott, Charles	cs AA	Horse-theft			Assizes		Nathaniel Folsom	19 Oct. 1749	• ca	21									<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 464 <i>MG</i> , 13 Sept. 1749 BB, IX, 52 CR (1733-1773)-141	Convict servant MG, 9 Nov. 1748 (ad) About 21 years old Young Object of mercy Justices say bad master probably will reform
Murphy, Edward	s Ceci						Thomas Miller	20 Jan. 1749/50											CR (1733-1773)-142	
Negro Thomas Rustin	sl Chas	Horse-theft (gelding)	31 Oct. 1749	William Maddox	Co. Ct.	- Mar. William Neale 1749/50		26 Mar. 1750											CR (1733-1773)-143 Trial recorded Chas., 1748/9-1750, pp. 509, 609-610	
Conner, John	cs AA	Burglary						1751											CR-102 MA, XXVIII, 524 MG, 3 July, 14 Aug., 18 Sept., 30 Oct., 6 Nov. 1751 PC, EI 13, pp. 797, 799, 804, 823	Convict servant Coldham, p. 176 Turned evidence — never indicted Not included in totals
Bevers, Sarah (or Beaver)	fw Ceci	Murder		bastard child	Special			15 Apr. 1751											<i>MG</i> , 6 Mar., 10 Apr. 1751 CR (1733-1773)-148	Convict servant earlier Coldham, p. 55 Coroner's jury said child stillborn
Owen, John (or Owing)	cs Talb	ot Horse-theft			Prov. Ct.			15 Apr. 1751											<i>MG</i> , 17 Apr. 1751 CR (1733-1773)-149 Trial recorded PC, EI 13, pp. 203, 485-486	Convict servant Coldham, 597
Negro William Bell	sl Chas					Betty Jenifer		15 July 1751											CR (1733-1773)-150	
Parker, Jane	fw AA	Theft (above 40s)	22 July 1751	Henry Ainsley	Prov. Ct.	- Sept. 1751		24 Oct. 1751											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 524 <i>MG</i> , 25 Sept., 30 Oct. 1751 Trial recorded PC, EI 13, pp. 797, 824-825	Pregnant
Evans, Edward	cs Balto	. Aiding Murder	20 Nov. 1751	Sarah Clark	Special	18 Dec. 1751	John Clark	- Dec. 1751 - Jan. 1751/2	ca	. 13									<i>MG</i> , 25 Dec. 1751; 2 Jan. 1752	Convict servant Coldham, p. 265 About 13 years old Very penitent Threats of his overseer
Grindey, William	cs St. N	's Horse-theft (black gelding)	19 Mar. 1751/2	Thomas Breden	Prov. Ct.	- Apr. 1752		6 May 1752	•										<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 544 <i>MG</i> , 23 Apr., 7 May 1752 Trial recorded PC, EI 14, pp. 216, 232-233	Convict servant Coldham, p. 339 Justices say evidence not "clear and satisfactory"
Ijams, John	fw AA	Breaking & Entering & Theft		John Brashear		- July 1752		20 Sept. 1752											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 568-572	Gave evidence against another — probably never tried Not included in totals
Williams, Stockett	fw AA	Breaking & Entering & Theft				- Sept. 1752		20 Sept. 1752											<i>MA</i> , XXVIII, 564-568, 572	Gave evidence against another — probably never tried Not included in totals
Negro Harry	sl Balto	. Rape		Sabina Cole	Co. Ct.	Charles Ridgeley		15 Nov. 1752											MA, XXVIII, 577	Justices say evidence "not sufficient to convict" he had always been orderly

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Ball, Peter	fw	Kent	Murder		Negro boy	Special	15 Nov. 1752			bef. 28 Dec. 1752					19 Dec. 1752						CR-10 <i>MG</i> , 7	)8 7, 28 Dec. 1752	Sentenced to hang 29 Dec. 1752 Death warrant, then pardon Petition of inhabitants On charts as pardon
Carter, Thomas	cs	PG	Robbery on Highway	1 Mar. 1753	Andrew Rench	Prov. Ct.	- Apr. 1753			23 Apr. 1753	•										MA, X MG, 2 Trial r	XXVIII, 581 29 Mar., 20 Apr., 10 May 1753 recorded PC, EI 14, pp. 767, 799-800	Convict servant Coldham, p. 141 Pleaded guilty, but no indication that is reason for pardon
Butler, Edward	fw	Chas.	Breaking & Entering (robbing a church)		Trinity Church	Assizes				13 May 1754											MA, X BB, IV	XXXI, 32 V, 125	Evidence full & convincing Disordered in head
Macdowell, James alias John Nicholson	fw	Chas.	Breaking & Entering & Theft			Assizes				13 May 1754											MA, X BB, IV	XXXI, 32 V, 125	Convict servant earlier? Coldham, p. 584 Evidence full & convincing Poor simple fellow
Knowles, Samuel alias Knoller	fw	Chas.	Breaking & Entering			Assizes	- Apr. 1754			28 May 1754					13 May 1754						MG, 1	14 XXXI, 32, 33 6 May 1754 V, 120, 125	Sentenced to hang 24 May 1754 Death warrant, then pardon Young First offense Petition of "Sundry Gentlemen" (22 gentlemen)
Mulatto Dick (Yellow Dick)	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering			Assizes	- Apr. 1754	William Dent		28 May 1754					13 May 1754						MG, 1	14 XXXI, 32, 33 6 May 1754 V, 120, 125	Sentenced to hang 24 May 1754 Death warrant, then pardon Young First offense Petition of "Sundry Gentlemen" (22 gentlemen)
Negro Jemmy or James	sl	AA	Robbery							14 June 1754											868-80 CR-11 <i>MA</i> , X BB, IV	SB 2, pp. 859, 859-860, 866-867, 867, 867-868, 69, 869-871 14-115 (XXI, 34 V, 112 20, 27 June, 4 July 1754	Turned evidence — never tried References also refer to his two accomplices, Negro Caesar and Negro Tom, both hanged Not included in totals
Smith, John	CS	AA	Murder	- Mar. 1754	William Curtis	Special			Patrick Creagh	- Aug. 1754											MG, 2 MHM,	28 Mar., 20 June, 18 July, 8 Aug. 1754 , XLIII, 57-59	Convict servant <i>MG</i> , 4 Apr. 1754 (ad for runaway) PC Deeds, BT 1, p. 1 Coldham, p. 736 Coldham, Supp., p. 72 For giving evidence Probably never tried Not included in totals
Negro Jack	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering & Theft		Nathaniel Dare	Assizes				14 Sept. 1754											BB, IV	XXXI, 49 V, 121 9 Sept. 1754	Confessed, but no indication that is reason for pardon
Negro Sambo	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering & Theft		Nathaniel Dare	Assizes				14 Sept. 1754		15-16									BB, IV	XXXI, 49 V, 121 9 Sept. 1754	Youth influenced by father, Pompey 15-16 years old

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Lewis, John	cs	Chas.	Breaking & Entering & Theft		William Parker	Assizes				11 Nov. 1754											BB, IV, 109	Maybe convict servant earlier PC Deeds, PL 6, pp. 97-99 Included as convict servant Coldham, p. 499 Confessed, but no indication that is reason for pardor
egro Thomas	sl	PG	Attempted Poisoning		Richard Duckett the Younger	Assizes		John Prather		23 Oct. 1755											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 79-80	
Negro Harry	sl	Talbot	Burglary	5 Oct. 1755	Oliver Lee	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1755	David Robinson		29 Dec. 1755		ca. 12									<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 90 BB, IX, 33 Trial recorded Talb. Crim. Judg., 1755-1761, pp. 9-10	About 12 years old Justices say youth earlier mistress instigated crime Confessed this crime and others
Jegro Simon	sl	Worc.	Breaking & Entering (breaking into store)			Co. Ct.		George Layfield		8 Apr. 1756		ca. 20									<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 115	Justices say about 20 years old youth first offense probably will reform
arrett, Benjamin	fw	Calvert	Breaking & Entering & Theft		John Gray	Assizes	last			5? May 1756					6 May 1756						CR-123 <i>MA</i> , XXXI, 119 <i>MG</i> , 6, 13 May 1756 BB, IV, 169, 175	Sentenced in England, Summer 1755 Coldham, p. 43 Death warrant issued 6 May 1756 — CR (orig.)-152 To hang 14 May 1756 Pardon ordered 5 May 1756 — MA MG says reprieve Justices say evidence full & sufficient Petition of 12 men Inhabitants say he helped against Indians & French. fall of 1755 Object of mercy Included as pardon Not included as convict servant
lulatto Young harles Butler	sl	PG	Horse-theft (black mare)		William Elson	Assizes	- Apr. 1756	James Campbell		5? May 1756					6 May 1756						CR-123 <i>MA</i> , XXXI, 119 <i>MG</i> , 6, 13 May 1756 BB, IV, 169, 173	Death warrant issued 6 May 1756 — CR (orig.)-15 To hang 14 May 1756 Pardon ordered 5 May 1756 — MA MG says reprieve Petition of friend of victim "the Representation of several Persons" — MA Justices say evidence full & sufficient Object of mercy Included as pardon
Iulatto William Iornby	fm	Calvert	Murder		William Quarrel (father-in-law)	Assizes	- Sept. 1756			6 Oct. 1756											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 160 <i>MG</i> , 16, 30 Sept. 1756	Object of mercy
egro Forrester	sl	PG	Felony			Assizes		Nathaniel Chapman		6 Oct. 1756											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 160	Object of mercy
legro Sambo	sl	PG	Felony			Assizes		Nathaniel Chapman		6 Oct. 1756				I T							<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 160	Object of mercy

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Name of Convict	Status	County	Crime	Date of crime	Victim of crime	which convicted	conviction	Slave of	Servant of	Pardoned	ported Age	Reprieved	ported	Death warrant	Date hanged	hanging	reported in MG	near site of crime	ed near of c	site ime Quar-	Sources	& Notes
Negro Sampson	sl	Dorch.	Breaking & Entering (house breaking)			Co. Ct.		Denwood Hicks		30 Mar. 1757											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 182	Petition of several people Object of mercy
egro Siladdy (male)	sl	Dorch.	Breaking & Entering (house breaking)			Co. Ct.		Elizabeth Trippe		30 Mar. 1757											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 182	Petition of several people Object of mercy
edstone, Thomas ias Ledsom	fw	Fred.	Horse-theft (bay gelding)	5 June 1756	Elias Delashmeet	Prov. Ct.	15 Sept. 1758			28 Oct. 1758											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 296-297 <i>MG</i> , 21 Sept. 1758 Trial recorded PC, BT 3, pp. 557, 564-565	
ulatto Charles Butler	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering	13 Jan. 1758	Andrew Buchanan	Co. Ct.	- June 1758	James Campbell		28 Oct. 1758	•										<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 291-292, 292, 298 Trial recorded Chas., H 3, pp. 407-408	Insufficiency of indictment Indictment does not justify death penalty
ulatto man	sl	St. M's						William Hemersley		20 Feb. 1760											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 398	
Jegro Nace	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering	-Sept. 1760	Catherine Price	Co. Ct.	- Sept. 1760	Hugh Mitchell		1 Jan. 1761											MA, XXXI, 423, 424 Chas., K 3, p. 88 (note of indictment only)	Petition of justices preacher
egro Tom	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering	- Sept. 1760	Catherine Price	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1760	Hugh Mitchell		1 Jan. 1761											MA, XXXI, 423, 424 Chas., K 3, p. 88 (note of indictment only)	Petition of justices preacher
egro Bett Pone emale)	sl	Talbot	Attempted Poisoning	10 May 1760	David Robinson	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1760	Henrietta Maria Goldsborough		10 Mar. 1761											<i>MA</i> , XXXI, 423, 438 Trial recorded Talb. Crim. Judg., 1755-1761, pp. 374- 376	Justices recommend mercy
eardon, Sarah	fw	Kent	Murder		bastard child	Special	4 June 1761			15 Aug. 1761											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 15 <i>MG</i> , 19, 26 Feb., 2 July 1761 BB, VI, 27; IX, 76	Justices recommend mercy Justices say evidence uncertain Letters from justices sheriff Other papers making her an object of mercy
egro Abigail	sl	Calvert	Attempted Poisoning	"some Years ago"	Mrs. Smith	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1761			14 Oct. 1761											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 16, 17 <i>MG</i> , 11 June, 2 July, 27 Aug., 15 Oct. 1761	Reprieved for pregnancy, then pardoned Letters from two respectable people
egro Ben	sl	Talbot	Breaking & Entering	10 July 1760	Edward Lloyd Henry Holyday	Co. Ct.	15 Aug. 1761	Elizabeth Oldham		8 Dec. 1761											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 18 <i>MG</i> , 20 Aug. 1761 Trial recorded Talb. Crim. Judg., 1755-1761, pp. 507- 508	Only a lad Justices say object of mercy
legro James	sl	Dorch.	Breaking & Entering (breaking into store)			Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1762	Thomas Howell		21 Apr. 1762											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 36 <i>MG</i> , 18 Mar. 1762	Justices recommend mercy Petition of master
egro Abraham	sl	Talbot	Attempted Arson	23 Aug. 1762	Thomas Hill	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1762	William Elston		15 Dec. 1762	teens										<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 47 BB, II, 58 Trial recorded BB, II, 59; Talb. Crim. Judg., 1761-1767, pp. 118-119	In teens Justices say youth confession might have been extorted No evidence against him except confession Justices doubt guilt
Vegro Charles	sl	Chas.	Breaking & Entering & Theft	6 June 1763	Nathaniel Freeman	Co. Ct.	- June 1763	Margaret Brown		5 July 1763											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 62 Chas., M 3, p. 211 (note of indictment only) Trial recorded BB, III, 18	Justices recommend mercy

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Negro Hannah	sl	Calvert	Breaking & Entering & Theft		William Millhouse Mary Parran	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1763	Charles Clagget		- Dec. 1763												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 90	Justices say young first offense "worth notice" sorry promises reform
Negro Toby	sl	Fred.	Murder (shooting)	25 Dec. 1763	Ely Lynthicumb	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1764	Benjamin Hill Jr.		12 Apr. 1764												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 91 BB, VIII, 107, 108 Trial recorded Fred., M, pp. 179, 183-184	Object of mercy Evidence a boy 9 years old Justices recommend mercy
Negro Ned	sl	St. M's	Burglary		John Urquahrt	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1764	John Urquahrt		10 July 1764												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 96	Justices say whites encouraged crime recommend mercy
Negro Jack	sl	St. M's	Felony					Henry G. Sotheron		19 Mar. 1765												CR (1733-1773)-168	Petition of master
Benson, Fleetwood	fw	Fred.	Horse-theft (dun gelding)	12 Sept. 1764	Hugh Terrence	Special				12 Sept. 1765					31 Aug. 1765							CR-159 <i>MA</i> , XXXII, 105-106, 107 CR (1733-1773)-172	Sentenced to hang 18 Sept. 1765 Death warrant, then pardon Petition of inhabitants of AA and Fred. Cos.
Negro Charles	sl	PG	Breaking & Entering & Theft	11 Aug. 1765	Benjamin Harwood	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1765	Thomas Lancaster		30 Sept. 1765												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 107-108 CR (1733-1773)-173-174, 186-187 Trial recorded PG, 1765-1766, pp. 195, 196-197; CR (1733-1773)-183-184	Person "of ill fame" Only evidence another Negro No circumstantial evidence of guilt Bound for good behavior
Negro James	sl	PG	Breaking & Entering & Theft	11 Aug. 1765	Benjamin Harwood	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1765	Robert Tyler		30 Sept. 1765												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 107-108 CR (1733-1773)-173, 186-187 Trial recorded PG, 1765-1766, pp. 195, 197-198; CR (1733-1773)-185-187	Person "of ill fame" Only evidence another Negro No circumstantial evidence of guilt Bound for good behavior
Negro Sue	sl	Chas.	Murder	10 Jan. 1766	William Garner	Co. Ct.	2 Mar. 1766	Constant Chapman		29 Mar. 1766												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 126-127 BB, IX, 43, 44 CR (1733-1773)-175-176 Trial recorded Chas., N 3, pp. 765-766; CR (1733-177 190-192	Evidence unclear Justices ask clemency 3)- say evidence vague and uncertain New evidence after conviction supported her innocence
Negro Robin	sl	Worc.	Murder	2 Jan. 1766	Henry Selby	Co. Ct.	4 Mar. 1766	Thomas Hayward Jr.		14 Apr. 1766												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 130-131 CR (1733-1773)-176 Trial recorded CR (1733-1773)-192-195	Justices say slight evidence recommend mercy Letter from master Master vouches for good character Robin says he tried to prevent the murder
Negro Jack	sl	St. M's	Breaking & Entering	20 Mar. 1766	Hugh Hopewell	Co. Ct.	3 June 1766	Hugh Hopewell		2 Aug. 1766												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 157-158 CR (1733-1773)-179 Trial recorded CR (1733-1773)-195-196	Letters of respectable people (2 justices) Master says confessed first offense sorry Valuable slave — MA

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Negro George	sl	PG	Breaking & Entering	20 Feb. 1767	William Waters Jr.	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1767	Joseph Duvall		15 Apr. 1767												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 197-198 CR (1733-1773)-199-200 Trial recorded PG, 1766-1768, pp. 167, 174	Had "a Tolerable Character till this matter happened" — <i>MA</i> Justices say good character Evidence uncertain Petition of victim of crime Valuable slave
Negro Peter	sl	Talbot	Breaking & Entering	23 June 1767	Benedict Hutchings	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1767	Peter Comerford		28 Sept. 1767												CR (1733-1773)-204 Trial recorded (record not yet usable ?)	
Mansfield, Richard	S	Balto.	Horse-theft (white gelding)	6 Mar. 1768	Richard Rogers	Assizes	- Apr. 1768		John Cockey Owings	29 Apr. 1768												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 221 CR (1733-1773)-213 Trial recorded PC, DD 14, pp. 634, 637-638	Theft not really intended Justices say evidence justified verdict no theft intended — wife in danger
Negro Jem	sl	AA	Burglary	1 May 1768	Bordley Bowers	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1768	Ezekiel Gott		24 Aug. 1768		ca. 17										<i>MG</i> , 18 Aug., 8 Sept. 1768 <i>MA</i> , XXXII, 246-247 Council Proc., 1767-1770, pp. 25-26 CR (1733-1773)-215 Trial recorded AA, 1767-1768, pp. 378-379; ExP	Pleaded guilty, but may not be a reason for pardon Under 18 years old (not quite 18) Petition of inhabitants Valuable slave Under influence of older Negro
Constantine, Patrick	fw	Balto.	Murder (with a club)	4 Sept. 1768	his son, Joshua	Assizes	- Sept. 1768			11 Oct. 1768												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 249-250 <i>MG</i> , 15 Sept. 1768 CR (1733-1773)-216-217 Trial recorded PC, DD 15, pp. 9, 12-13; ExP	Justices say no positive proof Petition of neighbors — they say probably out of his mind when he killed his son Had always been kind
Power, Edward alias John Bowers	cs	Balto.	Burglary	21 Aug. 1768	Jonathan Plowman	Assizes	- Sept. 1768			11 Oct. 1768	•											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 249, 251 <i>MG</i> , 15 Sept. 1768 CR (1733-1773)-217 Trial recorded PC, DD 15, pp. 8-9, 11-12; ExP	Convict servant Coldham, pp. 88, 642 Confessed after being whipped, but no indication that is reason for pardon
Robinson, Thomas	cs	Balto.	Burglary	10 May 1768	Alexander McMechan	Assizes	- Sept. 1768		Alexander McMechan	11 Oct. 1768	•	16 at most										<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 249, 250-251 <i>MG</i> , 15 Sept. 1768 CR (1733-1773)-218 Trial recorded PC, DD 15, pp. 10, 13-14; ExP	Convict servant Coldham, p. 683 Confessed after whipping, but no indication that is reason for pardon Only 16 years old at most Petition of master Master says simple-minded induced to crime by other Former master says he's honest
Windfield, Andrew	fw	Balto.	Charged with Murder Guilty of Manslaughter	23 June 1768	Negro Davy	Assizes	- Sept. 1768			22 Oct. 1768												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 255-256 CR (1733-1773)-219 Trial recorded PC, DD 15, pp. 6, 10, 14-16; ExP	Pardoned before sentenced Not included in totals
Negro Ben	sl	Talbot	Attempted Rape	20 Nov. 1768	Eve Shanahan	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1769	Rachel Harrison		11 Apr. 1769												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 270-271 CR (1733-1773)-222 Trial Recorded Talb. Crim. Judg., 1767-1774, Mar. Ct. 1769, no page #s; ExP	Justices say evidence uncertain Petition of jurors Jurors say evidence unclear good reputation

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Negro George	sl	Balto.	Breaking & Entering & Theft	18 Jan. 1769	Jacob Davis	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1769	Thomas Lingam		11 Apr. 1769												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 271 CR (1733-1773)-223 Trial recorded ExP	Justices say evidence full & clear Confessed, but no indication that is reason for pardon
Negro Sam	sl	Balto.	Breaking & Entering & Theft	18 Jan. 1769	Jacob Davis	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1769	Hugh Dean		11 Apr. 1769												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 271 CR (1733-1773)-222-223 Trial recorded ExP	
Negro Scipio	sl	PG	Breaking & Entering & Theft	13 Sept. 1768	Stephen West	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1768	Thomas R. Hodges		5 May 1769												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 268-269, 272 CR (1733-1773)-223-224 Trial recorded PG, 1768-1770, pp. 95, 109; ExP	Justices say ignorant not aware of penalty
Turner, Jane	fw	Chas.	Breaking & Entering & Theft	29 Oct. 1768	David Rawlings	Assizes	24 Apr. 1769			2 June 1769												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 273-274 Trial recorded PC, DD 15, pp. 324, 325-326; ExP	Pregnant (but not reason for pardon) Justices say a poor silly woman accomplice was evidence
Dicke, Thomas	fw	АА	2 Burglary 3 Breaking & Entering		several	Assizes	- Sept. 1769			16 Sept. 1769	•											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 314 CR (1733-1773)-228-229 Trials recorded PC, DD 16, pp. 16-17, 17-18, 18-19, 19- 20, 20; ExP	Pleaded guilty, but no indication that is the reason for pardon
Horner, Elizabeth	fw	Som.	Horse-theft (dark bay mare)	30 Apr. 1769	Levin Ballard	Assizes	- Sept. 1769			3 Nov. 1769	ş											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 315 CR (1733-1773)-230 Trial recorded PC, DD 16, pp. 43, 59-60	§ Transported if could not give security Justices say doubt about guilt, but still recommended transportation
Negro George	sl	AA	Burglary Felony Theft (2 crimes)	1 Nov. 1769 1 Nov. 1769	Catherine Knowsley Thomas Howard	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1769	Thomas Wright		25 Nov. 1769												<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 331-332, 332 CR (1733-1773)-231 Trial recorded AA, EB 1, pp. 412, 413	Justices say evidence full & clear confessed
Mitchell, Michael alias Hewitt	s	AA	Murder	24 Oct. 1769	Margaret Cumberford	Special	11 Dec. 1769		Robert Eden's cook	20 Dec. 1769	•											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 332-333 <i>MG</i> , 21 Dec. 1769 CR (1733-1773)-234	Justices say evidence incomplete One of the witnesses might not have told whole truth
Carr, Moses	fw	Fred.	Horse-theft (mare)	11 Mar. 1770	Philip Sailer	Prov. Ct.	- Apr. 1770			- Apr. 1770												CR (1733-1773)-240 Trial recorded PC, DD 16, p. 404 (summary only)	Pleaded guilty
Scott, Absalom	fw	QA	Breaking & Entering (store)	20 Jan. 1770	Joshua Clarke	Special	24 Feb. 1770			16 Apr. 1770	•			2	Apr. 1770							CR-179 <i>MA</i> , XXXII, 335, 345 CR (1733-1773)-237-238	Death warrant says to be hanged 2 May 1770 Death warrant, then pardon Justices of QA on O & T say he is sorry
Vickers, James alias Edward	fw	QA	Breaking & Entering (store)	20 Jan. 1770	Joshua Clarke	Special	24 Feb. 1770			16 Apr. 1770	•			2	Apr. 1770							CR-179 <i>MA</i> , XXXII, 335, 345 CR (1773-1773)-239-240	Death warrant says to be hanged 2 May 1770 Death warrant, then pardon Justices of QA on O & T say he is sorry
Williams, Reese	cs	QA	Robbery on Highway	25 Jan. 1770	John Foreman	Special	24 Feb. 1770			16 Apr. 1770	•	31	Mar. 1770									<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 334-335, 345 CR (1733-1773)-236, 237	Convict servant Coldham, p. 880
Negro Abraham	sl	St. M's	Breaking & Enter & Theft Attempted Rape	16 Apr. 1770 29 Apr. 1770	Elias Smith Eleanor Bryan	Co. Ct.	- June 1770	Thomas Bond		29 June 1770	•											<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 368-370 CR (1733-1773)-245	Confession extorted by whipping Petitions of victim of attempted rape (not sure he is culprit) victim of other crime his master (who did the whipping)

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Negro James	sl Cal	ert Horse-theft (strawberry roan gelding)	1 Jan. 1770	Francis Cobreth	Co. Ct.	- June 1770	Benjamin Sedwick		23 July 1770										<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 377 CR (1733-1773)-246	
Negro David	sl AA	Breaking & Entering	1 Sept. 1769	Joseph Galloway	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1770	Ann Harwood		18 Aug. 1770	•									<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 377 CR (1733-1773)-246-247 Trial recorded AA, EB 2, pp. 165, 166, 179-181	
Negro Dick	sl AA	Breaking & Entering & Theft	11 June 1770	Marmaduke Wyvill	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1770	Knighton Simmonds		18 Aug. 1770										<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 377-378 CR (1733-1773)-249 Trial recorded AA, EB 2, pp. 166, 181-182	
Negro Jacob	sl AA	Breaking & Entering	1 Sept. 1769	Joseph Galloway	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1770	Richard Richardson		18 Aug. 1770										<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 377 CR (1733-1773)-248 Trial recorded AA, EB 2, pp. 165, 166, 179-181	
Negro Nacey	sl AA	Breaking & Entering	1 Sept. 1769	Joseph Galloway	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1770	Margaret Watkins		18 Aug. 1770										<i>MA</i> , XXXII, 377 CR (1733-1773)-247 Trial recorded AA, EB 2, pp. 165, 166, 179-181	
Ijams, Richard	fw Bal	b. Horse-theft (roan gelding)	3 May 1770	4 men	Prov. Ct.	- Sept. 1770			26 Sept. 1770	20									CR (1733-1773)-249-250 Trial recorded PC, DD 17, pp. 1, 3; ExP	Evidence full & sufficient Only 20 years old Petition of neighbors Neighbors say from good family
Wade, William	cs AA	Burglary	4 Feb. 1770	Brice Warfield	Prov. Ct.	- Sept. 1770			26 Sept. 1770	ca. 1	5								CR (1733-1773)-250 Trial recorded PC, DD 17, pp. 2, 6; ExP	Convict servant Coldham, p. 828 About 16 years old Evidence full & sufficient Pleaded guilty Petitions of master prosecutor culprit
Hanmash, John	fw Bal	e. Horse-theft (gray gelding)	10 Aug. 1770	Daniel Barnett	Prov. Ct.	- Sept. 1770			17 Jan. 1771	•									CR (1733-1773)-251-252 Trial recorded PC, DD 17, pp. 2, 7; ExP	Petition of culprit
Tealby, John	fw AA	Burglary	3 Nov. 1770	Valentine Brown	Special	10 Jan. 1771			26 Jan. 1771	•			17 Jan. 1771						CR-183 <i>MG</i> , 17 Jan. 1771 CR (1733-1773)-252-253	Death warrant, then pardon Was to hang 23 Jan. 1771
Dunning, William	fw PG	Burglary	3 Mar. 1771	Elizabeth Hawkins	Special	29 Mar. 1771			12 Apr. 1771	•									CR (1733-1773)-256-257	Convict servant earlier? Coldham, p. 246
Hussey, John	cs PG	Burglary	3 Mar. 1770	Elizabeth Hawkins	Special	29 Mar. 1771			12 Apr. 1771	•									CR (1733-1773)-255-256	Convict servant Coldham, p. 422
Negro Charles	sl Wo	. Murder (club to head)	1 Nov. 1770	Negro George	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1771	David Fassit		12 Apr. 1771	•									CR (1733-1773)-254-255	
Duffey, George	fw Wo	, , ,	12 Jan. 1771	William Merrill	Special	6 Apr. 1771			5 June 1771	•									CR (1733-1773)-257-258	
Negro Anthony	sl AA	Breaking & Entering		Patrick Macgill	-	9 Apr. 1771			22 June 1771										CR (1733-1773)-258 Trial recorded PC, DD 17, pp. 255, 257 (summary only)	

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# Pardoned — 12 All Classes by Date 1726-1775<sup>1</sup>

Name of Convict	Status	s Count	y Crime	Date of crime	Victim of crime	Court at which convicted	Date of conviction	Slave of	Servant of	Pardoned	Trans- ported	Age	Reprieved	Trans- ported	Death warrant	Date hanged	Day of hanging	reported in	ed Gibbet- ed of critical	ite duar-	Sources	&	Notes
egro Jonathan	sl	St. M'	Burglary on Brig	5 Apr. 1771	Vernon Hebb	Special	2 July 1771			20 Aug. 1771	•									CR (1733-1773)-265-266			
egro Kate	sl	Fred.	Burglary	1 July 1771	Valentine Adams	Co. Ct.	21 Aug. 1771	Valentine Adams		24 Sept. 1771										CR (1733-1773)-268 Trial recorded Fred., 1770-17	71, pp. 586, 596-597		
egro Saul	sl	Fred.	Burglary	9 June 1771	Valentine Adams	Co. Ct.	21 Aug. 1771	Jacob Young		24 Sept. 1771										CR (1733-1773)-269 Trial recorded Fred., 1770-17	71, pp. 586, 595-596		
merfield, John	fw	Balto.	Horse-theft (mare)	10 July 1771	Joseph Hook	Prov. Ct.	10 Sept. 1771			3 Oct. 1771										CR (1733-1773)-271 Trial recorded PC, DD 17, pp only)	. 585, 586-587 (summ	ary	
egro Hannah	sl	Balto	Attempted Arson	25 June 1771	Alexander Lawson	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1771	Alexander Lawson		10 Mar. 1772			26 Aug. 1771							CR (1733-1773)-265, 275		Reprieved u	ntil child born, then pardoned
arr, Paul	fw	Fred.	Horse-theft (black gelding)	23 Dec. 1771	Conrad Dutterer	Special	20 Mar. 1772			18 Apr. 1772										CR (1733-1773)-276			
egro Tom	sl	Balto.	Murder (stabbing)	22 Dec. 1771	Negro Duckery	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1772	Andrew Lendrum		18 Apr. 1772										CR (1733-1773)-277-278			
emberton, Isaac	cs	Balto.	Burglary	15 Nov. 1771	Francis Saunderson et al.	Special	20 Feb. 1772			18 Apr. 1772	•				21 Mar. 1772					CR-187 CR (1733-1773)-276-277		Convict serv Coldham, p. Was to be ha	rant 618 anged 8 Apr. 1772
egro Sam	sl	AA	Manslaughter (by shooting) (CR says murder)	30 Dec. 1771	Negro Charles (fellow slave)	Co. Ct.	11 Mar. 1772	Onner Davidge		1 May 1772	•									CR (1733-1773)-279-280 Trial recorded AA, EB Y, pp.	365-367		
legro Will	sl	PG	Horse-theft (mare)	1 Feb. 1772	William Duncan	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1772	Leonard Brooke		1 May 1772	•									CR (1733-1773)-278-279 Trial recorded PG, 1771-1773	3, pp. 76-77		
liller, John	cs	Fred.	Burglary (2 indictments)	12 June 1772 12 June 1772	William Beatty Abraham Kips	Special	18 June 1772			7 July 1772										CR (1733-1773)-281-282		Imported 17 Coldham, p.	66 550
ecraft, George	fw	Fred.	Murder (with a club)	25 Apr. 1772	Thomas Buckingham	Special	18 June 1772			8 July 1772	•				4 July 1772					CR-187-188 CR (1733-1773)-282-283		Was to be had be a beath warra	nnged 24 July 1772 nt, then pardon
egro Frank	sl	St. M'	Breaking & Entering	15 Apr. 1772	Elizabeth Wheatley	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1772	Rebeccah Greenfield		12 Sept. 1772										CR (1733-1773)-284-285			
legro Harry	sl	Balto.	Burglary	19 Apr. 1772	Thomas Ward	Special	27 July 1772	Moses Maccubbin		12 Sept. 1772										CR (1733-1773)-285-286			
Negro Ben	sl	PG	Burglary	1 Aug. 1772	James Miller	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1772	Walter Bowie		10 Oct. 1772	•				12 Sept. 1772					CR-188 CR (1733-1773)–288 Trial recorded PG, 1771-1773	3, pp. 173, 183-184	Was to be had be a beath warra	anged 5 Oct. 1772 nt, then pardon
legro Tony	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering	28 Apr. 1772	John Lane	Co. Ct.	11 Aug. 1772	Elisha Harrison		10 Oct. 1772	•									CR (1733-1773)-288-289			
legro Ben	sl	Chas.	Rape	6 Sept. 1772	Lavinia Peck	Special	13 Oct. 1772	Walter Hanson		24 Nov. 1772										CR (1733-1773)-289			
driffith, William	fw	Balto.	Breaking & Entering	29 Sept. 1772	Thomas Harrison and others	Special	19 Oct. 1772			30 Jan. 1773										CR (1733-1773)-293		Coldham, p.	ant earlier? 337 fith ran away <i>MG</i> , 6 Oct. 1774
legro Ned	sl	PG	Burglary	17 Mar. 1773	Peter Cearns	Co. Ct.	23 Mar. 1773	David Ross		20 Apr. 1773										CR (1733-1773)-295 Trial recorded PG, 1771-1773	3, pp. 425, 428-429		
Negro Tom	sl	Chas.	Horse-theft (sorrel)	12 Dec. 1772	John Underwood	Co. Ct.	9 Mar. 1773	Elizabeth Stoddart		20 Apr. 1773										CR (1733-1773)-296 Trial Recorded Chas., U 3, pp	o. 260, 289-290; ExP		

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# Pardoned — 13 All Classes by Date 1726-1775<sup>1</sup>

Name of Convict	Status	County	Crime	Date of crime	Victim of crime	Court at which convicted	Date of conviction Sla	lave of Servant of	Pardoned	Trans ported	- d Age	Reprieved	Trans- ported	Death warrant	Date hanged	Day of hanging	Hanging reported in MG	Hanged near site of crime	Gibbet- ed	Gibbeted near site of crime Quar- tered	Sources	& Notes
Negro Dick	sl	PG	Burglary	17 Mar. 1773	Peter Cearns	Co. Ct.	23 Mar. 1773 David Ros	055	21 Apr. 1773											CR (1733-1773)-2 Trial recorded PG,	96-297 1771-1773, pp. 425, 427-428	
Fowler, Elexis	fw	Fred.	Breaking & Entering	11 Jan. 1773	Ludowick Harbaugh	Special	19 Mar. 1773		6 May 1773											CR (1733-1773)-3	17	
Negro Tom	sl	Talbot	Breaking & Entering	14 Feb. 1773	Jeremiah Banning	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1773 Thomas C	Cooper	3 July 1773											CR (1733-1773)-3 Trial recorded (rec	18-319 ord not yet usable ?)	
Hall, John alias Philby	cs	Balto.	Horse-theft (gelding)	25 Sept. 1772	John Guyton	Special	22 Feb. 1773		7 July 1773	•										CR (1733-1773)-3	20-321	Convict servant Coldham, pp. 348, 714 Object of mercy
Negro Hagar (female)	sl	QA	Attempted Murder (hoe)	13 Aug. 1773	William Rooke	Co. Ct.	23 Aug. 1773 Joseph Ni	icholson Jr.	22 Sept. 177	3										CR (1733-1773)-3	23-324	
Fitzgerald, Nicholas	fw	Fred.	Burglary	4 May 1773	Mary and Sarah Luck	Co. Ct.	17 Aug. 1773		11 Oct. 1773											CR (1733-1773)-3 Trial recorded EXE		Confessed, but no indication that is reason for pardon
Marr, John alias Thomas Soper	fw	AA	Horse-theft (sorrel mare)	10 June 1773	Jeremiah Crabb	Prov. Ct.	14 Sept. 1773		29 Oct. 1773	•										CR (1733-1773)-3 PC, DD 19, p. 379	27 (note of indictment only)	
Negro Hercules	sl	Balto.	Horse-theft (brown mare)	8 May 1773	Corbin Lee	Co. Ct	- Aug. 1773 James Rus	issell & Co.	29 Oct. 1773											CR (1733-1773)-3 Trial recorded BB	28 VI, 4	
Garvey, John	fw	Balto.	Burglary	4 Nov. 1773	Samuel Burless	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1773		3 Dec. 1773	•										CR (1733-1773)-3 <i>MJ</i> , 6-13 Nov. 17 Trial recorded Pfo	3	Had to leave province within 20 days
Mercier, Francis (Dr.)	cs	Balto.	Burglary ( <i>MJ</i> says robbery)	28 Aug. 1773	John Boyd	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1773		3 Dec. 1773	•										CR (1733-1773)-3 AA Rec. of Convi <i>MJ</i> , 6-13 Nov. 17	ets, 1771-1775, p. 38	Convict servant Coldham, p. 545
Stallands, Jacob	fw	Fred.	Horse-theft (black stallion)		James Ray	Co. Ct.	16 Nov. 1773		3 Dec. 1773											CR (1733-1773)-3	29	
Negro Harry	sl	Dorch.	Breaking & Entering & Theft	10 Jan. 1774	John Nixon	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1774 Roger Wo	oollford	22 Apr. 1774	•										CB, JB 1, p. 6 Trial recorded BB	IX, 157	
Negro Judith	sl	Talbot	Arson	19 Jan. 1774	John Shannahane	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1774 John Shan	nnahan	22 Apr. 1774											CB, JB 1, p. 5 Trial recorded BB, 1774, Mar. Ct. 17	IX, 156; Talb. Crim. Judg., 1767- '4, no page #s	Was to have been drawn to place of execution, hanged and quartered
Negro Sampson	sl	Balto.	Horse-theft (dark bay gelding)	28 Oct. 1773	George Cooplin	Co. Ct.	- June 1774 John Barte	ton	16 Aug. 1774	4										BB, IX, 160, 161 CB, JB 1, pp. 9-10 Trial recorded BB,	IX, 159	Justices say probably not guilty Master says he behaved in past doubts guilt Petitions of respectable people including two justices inhabitants
Ladd, John	cs	Balto.	Horse-theft (bay gelding)	30 Aug. 1773	Samuel Heser	Co. Ct.	- June 1774		6 Oct. 1774											BB, IX, 174 AA Rec. of Convi CB, JB 1, pp. 10-1 Trial recorded BB	ets,1771-1775, p. 30 1 IX, 168	Convict servant Coldham, p. 480

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Name of Convict	Status	County	Crime	Date of crime	Victim of crime	Court at which convicted	Date of conviction	Slave of	Servant of	Pardoned	Trans- ported	Age	Reprieved	Trans- ported	Death warrant	Date hanged	Hanging reported in MG of crim	e Gibbe	t- Gibbeted near site of crime	Quar- tered	Sources	& Notes
McDonald, Enoch	fw	Balto.	Murder (with a club)	23 Sept. 1774	Charity Stoble	Co. Ct.	- June 1774			18 Oct. 1774											BB, IX, 15 CB, JB 1, pp. 11-12 Trial recorded BB, IX, 16	Petitions of inhabitants and culprit Sorry; never intended to kill Justices and jurors say fit object of mercy
AcDonald, Rebecca	fw	Balto.	Murder (with a club)	23 Sept. 1774	Charity Stoble	Co. Ct.	- Oct. 1774			18 Oct. 1774											BB, IX, 15 CB, JB 1, pp. 11-12 Trial recorded BB, IX, 16	Petitions of inhabitants and culprit Sorry; never intended to kill Justices and jurors say fit object of mercy
legro Isaac Dobson	sl	QA	Breaking & Entering & Theft	17 Apr. 1774	Nicholas Rooney	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1774	John S. Blake		24 Oct. 1774											CB, JB 1, pp. 13-14 Trial recorded BB, IX, 151	
legro Jack	sl	QA	Breaking & Entering & Theft	21 May 1774	William Robinson	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1774	James Bordley		24 Oct. 1774											CB, JB 1, pp. 12-13 Trial recorded BB, IX, 167	
Negro Dick	sl	Balto.	Robbery on Highway	6 Aug. 1774	Mary Gordon	Co. Ct.	- Oct. 1774	William Russell		4 Nov. 1774											CB, JB 1, pp. 14-15 Trial recorded BB, IX, 14	
Vermillion, William	fw	Fred.	Horse-theft (2 sorrel geldings) (2 indictments)	1 Nov. 1774	Thomas S. Wooten Richard Crabb	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1774			13 Dec. 1774	•										BB, IX, 8 CB, JB 1, pp. 16-17 Trials recorded BB, IX, 9, 12	Justices say inadequate evidence respected family
egro Harry	sl	AA	Arson	25 Oct. 1774	John Dorsey	Co. Ct.	8 Nov. 1774	John Dorsey		15 Feb. 1775											CB, JB 1, pp. 20-21	
egro Moile	sl	St. M's	Burglary?	1 Dec. 1774	Hugh Hopewell	Co. Ct.	19 Nov. 1774	John Rawlings		15 Feb. 1775											CB, JB 1, pp. 18-19	
Negro Sam	sl	St. M's	Burglary?	1 Dec. 1774	Hugh Hopewell	Co. Ct.	19 Nov. 1774	Benjamin Parran		15 Feb. 1775											CB, JB 1, pp. 19-20	
Coleman, Thomas	fw	Balto.	Burglary	1 Nov. 1774	Archibald Buchanan	Co. Ct.	- Feb. 1775			17 Feb. 1775											CB, JB 1, p. 21	
Murphy, Edward	cs	Balto.	Burglary	17 July 1774	Henry Sheoff or Shoeff	Co. Ct.	- Oct. 1774			23 Feb. 1775											CB, JB 1, p. 22 MJ, 30 Dec. 1773-8 Jan. 1774 MG, 1 Feb. 1770	Servant <i>MJ</i> , <i>MG</i> Imported 1772 Coldham, p. 573 Included as convict servant
Fitzpatrick, William	cs	Balto.	Burglary	30 Oct. 1774	Michael Allen	Co. Ct.	- Feb. 1775			25 Mar. 1775	•										CB, JB 1, p. 24	Convict servant Coldham, p. 281
allence, George ully	fw	PG	Horse-theft (roan gelding)	15 Jan. 1775	Peter Cearns	Co. Ct.	- Mar. 1775			8 Apr. 1775											CB, JB 1, p. 25 Trial recorded PG, 1774-1775, pp. 365, 371-372	
eyly, Nicholas	fw	Balto.	Burglary	1 Nov. 1774	Archibald Buchanan	Co. Ct.	- Feb. 1775			17 May 1775	•										CB, JB 1, p. 26	
legro Caesar	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering	1-2 June 1775	Joseph Mayo Sr.	Co. Ct.	8 Aug. 1775	Lewis Stockett		14 Aug. 1775											CB, JB 1, p. 29	
legro Dick	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering	1-2 June 1775	Joseph Mayo Sr.	Co. Ct.	8 Aug. 1775	Thomas Stockett		14 Aug. 1775											Adj. Gen. Papers, 1748-1790, 14 Aug. 1774 CB, JB 1, p. 27	
legro Toby	sl	AA	Breaking & Entering	1-2 June 1775	Joseph Mayo Sr.	Co. Ct.	8 Aug. 1775	Thomas N. Stockett		14 Aug. 1775											CB, JB 1, p. 28	

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Jones, Joseph	cs Balto.	Breaking & Entering & Theft	27 Aug. 1775	Jesse Hollingsworth et. al.		- Sept. 1775			6 Nov. 1775												BB, IX, 48, 49 CB, JB 1, pp. 30-31 Balto. Rec. Convicts, 1770-1774, pp. 65-66 Trial recorded BB, IX, 50	Convict servant Coldham, p. 454 Turned evidence Could not become evidence at trial because sick Justices requested pardon Justices say induced to crime promised pardon for confession he had a "fair Character" before crime he will probably become a useful citizen Petitions of victim of crime another respectable person
Kennelly, Jeremiah	fw St. M's	Horse-theft	30 Apr. 1775	Ignatius Craycraft	Co. Ct.	30 Aug. 1775			6 Nov. 1775	•											CB, JB 1, pp. 31-32 Trial recorded Pardon Papers, 1777-1781	
Negro Toney	sl PG	Breaking & Entering	5 Aug. 1775	Daniel Stephenson	Co. Ct.	28 Nov. 1775	Thomas Watkins		5 Dec. 1775												CB, JB 1, pp. 33-34 Trial recorded PG, 1775-1777, 434-435	Pleaded guilty, but no indication that is reason for pardon
Cheney, Joseph Burgess	fw AA	Horse-theft (2 indictments) (black, dark bay)	1 Aug. 1772 1 Sept. 1772	Nicholas Gassaway Thomas Cavey	Co. Ct.	14 Nov. 1775			21 Dec. 1775	•											CB, JB 1, pp. 36-37	
Negro Arcow	sl AA	Attempted Murder (by stabbing)	4 Nov. 1775	Robert Yieldhall	Co. Ct.	- Nov. 1775	Edmund Brice		21 Dec. 1775												CB, JB 1, pp. 35-36	
Negro Jem	sl QA	Breaking & Entering	20 June 1775	Benjamin Walters	Co. Ct.	- Aug. 1775	John Legg Jr.		21 Dec. 1775												CB, JB 1, pp. 34-35	

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