Patrick Burns
Jamy McCausland
John Hudson } Discharged by Proclamation

~~The Court then adjourned until to Morrow Morning 10 O'Clock~~

~~Saturday 27 Nov 1819~~

~~The Court met according to adjournment~~

~~Present~~

Theodorick Bland Esquire produced in Court here the following Commission appointing him Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Maryland District and took the oaths required by Law—

James Monroe President of the United States of America

To all who shall see these presents Greeting

Know ye, That reposing Special Trust and Confidence in the wisdom uprightness and learning of Theodorick Bland of Maryland, I do appoint him Judge of the District Court in and for the Maryland District and do authorize and empower him to execute and fulfil the duties of that Office according to the Constitution and Laws of the United States; and to have and to hold the said Office with all the powers privileges and Emolu~~m~~uments to the same of right appertaining unto him the said Theodorick Bland, during his good behaviour, and until the end of the next Session of the Senate of the United States, and no longer

In Testimony Whereof I have caused these Letters to be made patent and the Seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed. Given under my Hand at the City of Washington the Twenty third day of November AD 1819 and of the Independence of the United States of America the Forty fourth

James Monroe

By the President

John Quincy Adams Secty of State

I Theodorick Bland do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States

Theodorick Bland

I Theodorick Bland do solemnly swear that I will administer Justice without respect to persons, and do equal right to the poor and the rich and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as District Judge of the United States for the District of Maryland according to the best of my abilities and understanding agreeably to the Constitution and Laws of the United States So help me God

Theodorick Bland

Baltimore November 26th 1819 I Gabriel Duvall Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States and presiding Justice of the fourth Judicial Circuit do Certify that Theodorick Bland took and subscribed the foregoing Oaths this day before me in open Court

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Present The Honorable Gabriel Duvall one of the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States
Theodorick Bland Esquire Judge Maryland District
Elias Glenn Esquire Attorney
Paul Bentalou Esquire Marshal
Philip Moore Clerk

The United States
vs
Lawrence Madison
Charly Walker
alias John Hamilton
Peter Griffin
Joel Simpson

} Pirat & Piratical Int for Piracy - plea non Cul and issue - Jury Sworn - Joshua Lewis - (F) Thomas C Jenkins, Jeremiah Sullivan, James Pell Curr, Peter Forney Robert R Richardson, John M Gosnell, Abraham Gund, Joseph Merryman, Benjamin Cromwell Benjamin Hutchins Robert Casey