

Ellen Hill ID13150 per *Woodbridge* 1843

Ellen Hill

Manchester Borough Sessions April 1843

Larceny

7 years transportation

Series – HO 18

Piece Number – 208

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The prisoner's mother prays for her pardon

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In Van Diemens Land.

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13<sup>th</sup> October 1847

To The Right Honourable The Secretary of State

Humble Sheweth

That your Petitioner JANE DICKENSON is the mother of ELLEN HILL who was sentenced at the Manchester Borough Sessions on 27<sup>th</sup> February 1843 to seven years transportation for having been found guilty of felony. That your Petitioner believes that her daughter would never have been guilty of the crime which led to her banishment had it not been for the conduct of her wicked husband.

Your Petitioner would therefore most respectfully solicit you to humanely consider her daughter's case, who is now a reformed and good character and in consequence of her suffering and the strong desire of a sorrowful mother, you will be kindly pleased to recommend to Her Most Gracious Majesty to remit the remaining

portion of her daughters period of banishment and your humble  
Petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray.

Jane Dickenson

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Manchester.

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