

Mary Eccles ID10214 per *Platina* 1837

Mary Eccles aged 15

Liverpool Sessions January 1837, Stealing from a dwelling house

7 years transportation, Gaol Report – Orderly in gaol

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To William Ewart Esq. MP

The humble Petition of Richard Eccles of Nelson Court, Gladstone Street, Liverpool.

14th January 1837

Humbly Sheweth

That your Petitioner is the father of Ann Eccles who was at the present Borough Sessions for felony and sentenced to seven years transportation.

Your said Petitioner is a widower and was left with seven children to bring up by his own industry and never before was a blush brought upon him through any of their misconduct.

Your said Petitioner begs to state that he is most anxious to have the sentence of his daughter mitigated and allowed to be sent to the Penitentiary and not sent out of England, and now craves your kind interference with the proper Department.

And your said Petitioner with that of his family as in duty bound will ever pray.

Sir

Your most obedient and very humble servant

Richard Eccles.

Liverpool

14th January 1837

Sir

We the undersigned beg most respectfully to recommend the annexed Petition of Richard Eccles to your notice in behalf of his daughter Ann and believe him worthy of your kind interference.

We are Sir with due respect

Your most obedient servants:

Moses Fisher – Minister

Caroline White

Jonathan Francom

Richard Holden

And a further 41 signatures
