

Mary Davies ID11854 per *Tasmania* 1844

Mary Davies aged 19

Carmarthen Borough Sessions October 1843

Larceny

7 years transportation

Gaol report – Convicted before

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The prisoners father prays for a mitigation of her sentence in consideration of her youth and his services in the Army.

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Refuse and transport

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To The Right Honourable Sir James Graham one of Her Majesty' Chief Secretary's of State.

The humble Petition of David Davies

30<sup>th</sup> October 1843

Sheweth

That Mary Davies your Petitioner's daughter was on the 16<sup>th</sup> October convicted at the Quarter Sessions for the Borough of Carmarthen of larceny and sentenced by the Court to seven years transportation.

That your petitioner has served with credit for several years in the 55<sup>th</sup> regiment of Foot and has certificates of good conduct from his Officers and is now in receipt of a pension for such service.

That your Petitioner humbly requests that you will take his services into your kind consideration and mitigate the punishment awarded his daughter by the Court into confinement in a Penitentiary or House of Reform (she being only 18 years of age) or in such other was as you in your kindness may deem fit.

And your Petitioner will ever pray

David Davies.

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