

your Excellency that, Randolph L. Gray in a sudden
brawl killed Westly Moody in the City of Montgom-
ery, during the early part of the year 1855. He
was immediately incarcerated and remained
in prison nearly all the time, until the
month of April in the year A.D. 1855 - when he
was tried in the Circuit Court of Macon County,
convicted and sentenced to the Penitentiary for
the term of Five years.

Your Petitioners show that Randolph L. Gray
was a minor, at the time the homicide was
committed by him: that he is a painter by trades,
and until the unfortunate occurrence of
which he was convicted, he bore the char-
acter of a hardworking, upright and honest
mechanic. And since his conviction, they have
been informed, that he has been subordinate
and obedient to the officers of the State Prison,
faithful in the discharge of his duties - and
an efficient workman. The long confinement
and hard work have destroyed his constitution,
and he is now insane.

Your petitioners, regarding his youth, - his long im-
prisonment already lasting more than five years,
and his present deplorable condition, consider him
a proper object of Executive Clemency, and therefore
pray that your Excellency will pardon him,
and grant him a discharge ^{from} all further confinement
in the Penitentiary.

Geo. C. Wright

Mr. C. Smith
Wm. Partridge
John A. Green
N. L. Harris
Terrell Brooks
A. G. Sinclair
J. Howard
J. M. Johnston
W. W. Nicholson
W. C. Moore

W. M. Reed
J. M. Garland
C. L. Lewis
C. E. Chambers

Joseph Green
John B. Diebbs
Printer, Clerk.
Jack Woodford
Gunn Strange
att'y at law and
was present at the
trial

James Armstrong
R. H. Liger att'y at law,
A. Willard " " "
Barner McKinnie " " "
Augustus C. Ferrell
James J. Rutledge
Lancelot Johnston
William J. Foster

W. H. Cusley
W. W. Patton
C. Mason
D. M. Barry

William J. Foster Jacob

P. P. Carole
John K. Kungie
C. M. Amos
C. Fowler
George M. Stevens
Thomas S. Small

W. H. Cusley
at B. Roe

John Cusley

L. D. Prater
William Edwards

Charles J. A. J.
C. B. R. R. R.

Wm. J. Mitchell M. D.
John J. Howard

David Johnston
R. H. A. Johnston

C. J. Glass
Thos. B. Jones
J. B. R. R.

The State of Alabama
Macon County

William
H. Harris

Clerk of the Circuit Court in
and for said County, hereby certify
that the above named Clerks
present with Geo. C. Wright
compensate the Jury before whom
Randolph L. Gray indicted
for the murder of Westly Moody
was tried at the Spring term
A.D. 1855 of said Court as

appears from the Records
of said Court in this
Office, in testimony whereof

I have hereunto set my
hand and seal at affidavit the
15th June 1860

Wm. K. Harris Clerk
Clerk Circuit Court Macon

A. J. Noble

W. H. M. Gibson
Thomas Reed
Eugene Beebe

R. J. Coleman, Jailor
Solomon Finigan
J. W. Edwards
B. E. Cook

C. Phillips
George W. Whitman Clerk of
the Circuit Court of Montgo County

H. H. Watson, att'y
T. W. Cocher
W. A. R. R.

C. S. Murphy
J. B. Gordon

J. M. T. T. T.
L. M. L. R. R.
J. M. Bailey

Exhibit Sept 25 July 1860

Randolph L. Gray was convicted of
murder in the Court of Macon County
at the Spring term of the Circuit
Court of said County 1855 and senten-
ced to five years imprisonment
in the Penitentiary - It is now made
to appear to my satisfaction
by the Physician of the Penitentiary,
that by reason of his confinement,
his mind has become diseased &
is likely to become permanent if
he remains in prison - Knowing that
if he becomes permanently diseased in
mind, it will be worse than death, &
that he will a charge upon the state
or his friends so long as he lives
I have determined for this reason
alone to discharge him -

A. B. Bellows

Let J. M. Moore, sell upon the proper
bill for the discharge of the above
named Randolph L. Gray from the
Penitentiary

A. B. Bellows

Randolph L Gray
balance of term
of imprisonment
remitted

July 27/60

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