

To His Excellency
Andrew B. Moore Governor of
the State of Alabama.

The petition of Citizens of Mobile, some
of whom as below indicated having
knowledge of and engaged in the
Conviction of Martin Fay who was
Convicted in the City Court of Mobile
for an assault to Murder on Michael
Collins, and was by said Court Convicted
and sentenced to the Penitentiary on
the 3rd June 1858 for the Term of Two
Years.

The facts of said assault in brief are
Collins & Fay worked in a Cotton yard of
which Collins was foreman, a dispute arose
between them in regard to a Settlement
which led to an angry altercation "both
parties being in liquor" when Fay seized
a piece of iron near by and struck Collins
one blow which broke his fore arm. Fay
could have repeated the blows if he had
desired it, knowing these circumstances
together with the fact of his serving out
a portion of his time in the penitentiary
the undersigned I move cheerfully
recommend to your Excellency the Case
of Martin Fay as a just and proper

one for the Exercise of Executive
Clemency

Respectfully Submitted

Freeman

Jurors,

- 1 R. A. Walker
- 2 David Turner
- 3 E. Murray
- 4 J. B. Coakley
- 5 E. S. Gardner
- 6 Chas. Justice
- 7 P. H. Clark
- 8 James Leavins
- 9 Tom R. Cooper
- 10 Mrs. R. Bolling
- 11 John Gilder
- 12 abrams

U. T. Cleveland Co Sheriff
Prom. Estara Deputy Sheriff
Indivante Deputy Sheriff
C. Taylor Deputy Sheriff
John S. Little Jd
J. W. Moore D.S.
J. J. Wilson Clerk Circuit Court
Geo. W. Bond, Probate Clerk
James T. Shelton
Sheriff, Mobile Co
M. F. Rouseau Jd
John P. Buford Deputy Clerk
City Court

The undersigned Citizens of Mobile most
cheerfully unite in asking a pardon for
Martin Hay, knowing him to be a poor
but honest and industrious man and having
a family solely dependant upon him for
support pray your Excellency to grant
our petition and restore him to liberty
and his family.

And as in duty bounde your
petitioners will ever pray &c

J. Seawell.

H. Chamberlain

Chas. P. Robinson

Chas. Warren

R. B. Roulston J. P. M. C.

John, Condeau Constable

C. W. Rapier

Thos Buford Jr

G. G. Overall.

James Bond

C. F. Moulton.

A. P. Bayly

Stephen Charpentier

Chief Police

John S. Whitney

James, S. Roulston

John W. Walker

Charles Jones

J. J. Harrington

Peter Mc Larney

W. S. Brady M. C.

J. A. Wade

Henry Rutherford

A. P. Paterson

James Fleming

W. H. Roulston

J. W. Marshall

Martin Fay

John T. his
Excellency A. B. Moore
for the pardon of
Martin Fay

Not granted

Pardon issued
to take effect
on the 1st of Sept
Aug. 13. 1859

Crime murder,
Term of sentence
2 years.

Recorded

