

Executive Department

Montgomery, Ala. 3rd Dec. 1858

Jackson Blackburn who
was convicted of manslaughter
at the February Term of the Circuit
Court of Jefferson in 1833, and
sentenced to the Penitentiary
for two years is pardoned and
the balance of his term of
imprisonment remitted - for
the following reasons, to wit,
The Judge who presided
at the trial, the solicitor who
prosecuted, and the jury who
convicted said Blackburn
all unite in asking his por-
don, believing the time of
his confinement has been a
sufficient punishment for the
public good, & the Inspector
reports his conduct unexceptionable.

A. B. Moore

Justice. Whistler

- Reason for
his pardon

Whistler's letter.
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