

Ellen Jordan ID J1960EH per *Elizabeth and Henry* 1847

Ellen Jordan aged 22

Ipswich Borough Sessions July 1846

Larceny

7 years transportation

Gaol report – Convicted before

Series – HO 18

Piece Number – 183

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The detention of the prisoner in this country is prayed for. No grounds are stated.

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Cold Dunghills

Ipswich 24<sup>th</sup> August 1846

Right Honourable Sir

I have taking the liberty of sending to you a Petition on behalf of my daughter Ellen Jordan signed by James Webb the Prosecutor, the Catholic Minister and the congregation of the Chapel where I and my family usual attend with other inhabitants of the town of Ipswich. I m a widow woman in the 68 year of my age and my late husband served the King and his country many years. I therefore humbly beg that you will be pleased to take her case into consideration and remit that part of the sentence that she shall not be sent out of the country.

I remain Sir

Your most humble servant

Mary Jordan.

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To The Right Honourable Sir George Grey Secretary of State for the  
Home Department.

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That your Petitioners do hereby recommend mercy to Ellen Jordan  
who was convicted at the Borough Sessions held at Ipswich before W  
Daniel Esq Recorder the 27<sup>th</sup> July 1846 and sentenced to seven years  
transportation for stealing a silver watch the property of James Webb  
of Harmich from the house of Moses Long where it was left to be  
repaired, we most humbly pray that you will be pleased to take her  
case into consideration and remit the part of the sentence that she  
shall not be sent out of the country.

And your Petitioners will ever pray.

James Webb – begs for mercy as I was the Prosecutor

Thomas Shepherd

Thomas Gallagher

Thomas hale

James Kidd

And a further 186 signatures.

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