

Jane Gardener per Edward 1834 - ID 4038

To the Right Honourable Lord Viscount Melbourne His Majesty's Principle Secretary
of State for the Home Department

The humble Petition of ISABELLA GARDENER widow

Most Humbly Sheweth

That your petitioner in the mother of JANE GARDENER now a prisoner in
Horsemonger Lane Gaol under sentence of transportation for felony. That your
Petitioners child is now of the age of 14 years only and your Petitioner is greatly
grieved at the conduct of the prisoner though she still hopes that she may be
reclaimed and yet make an useful member of society.

That your Petitioners husband the father of the prisoner was formally Lieutenant
Colonel of the [Monhose] Volunteers under the Command of Lord Viscount
Palmerston and died at St Petersburg as a Hemp and Tallow merchant and the
prisoner was the youngest daughter whom during his life was educated in the paths
of rectitude.

Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays that your Lordship will in usual mercy and
kindness be pleased to order a mitigation of her sentence and cause her instead
thereof to be placed in the Penitentiary or some other place of refuge as to your
Lordship shall seem meet

And your petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray.

Isabella Gardener

No 3 Pepper Street

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Southwark

25th March 1834

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SURREY 1833

STEALING BOOTS

14 YEARS TRANSPORTATION

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GAOLERS REPORT - CHARACTER - BAD - CONVICTED BEFORE.