

Whitelysburgh July 23rd 1852

To the Hon Executive of Maryland

Dear Sir My learned Counsel ^{Mr J^r Isaac} ~~had~~ ^{petition}
before you in yours last in behalf of myself and
my husband in the case of Captain Isaac Gibson
for his release from the penitentiary he was
convicted at machtem 5th in Caroline County
Mr J^r Isaac was here at work when the Sheriff took
him Isaac told the Sheriff that he was not guilty of
the charge ^{he} replied nor I either do not believe
you are guilty nor nobody else but David Knotts
and you know Mr Davis what a prejudiced
old soul he is, when he takes a notion into his
head there is no such thing as to change him
from his opinion be it ever so wrong my husb
and repise your opinion of Knotts is about right
Sheriff I have always found us such not in one thing
alone but in all transactions the Sheriff left Isaac
here some 5 days before ^{court} when court came on
Isaac came home every night and he never
was confined untill he was convicted he came
home from Denton by himself and returned
in the morning by himself I nor my husband
never went with ^{him} and ^{he} was there in court early
this does not look as if he was guilty for the Sheriff
to let him run at large I let him have the money
to pay his counsel Mr Bartol the Hon R^r B^r Cam
ichael also took a very active part for Isaac
if your Hon will please to ask the Hon R^r J^r Thomas
ex Gov ^{about} Isaac who his master was Mr Joshua
Clark of Kings Creek Talbot Co M^r J^r who set him
free Gov Thomas's Father Dr Thomas was Mr Clark's
Family physician the Hon Wm R^r Spencer Clerk to the
Court of appeals he is personally acquainted with
my husband and myself as well as Gov Thomas

Mr Isaac's Counsel

Mr J^r Isaac

Mr Davis

Mr Knotts

Mr Bartol

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