To his excellency Joseph Dasha governor of Kentucky; The petition of Elijah Bailey;

Your petitioner would respectfully state that some time ago a certain Robert Boyce an orphan boy who had been raised and nurtured from his ifancy by a Mrs Bright was charged with having stolen a silver watch in Wayne County, and when tried before the examining court was committed to the jail of Wayne County for further trial,

And your petitioner would further state that when the above mentioned Mrs Bright was informed of the situation of the Boy she was much distressed and coming to your petitioner solicited him very warmly to go to Wayne, and become Bail for the Boy, and Mrs Bright assured your petitioner that he should lose nothing;

And your petitioner positively declares that he was induced to become security for the appearance of the Boy solely from the solicitations of the above named lady; and your petitioner would further state that he did go to Wayne and there enter into a Bond with the above named

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Robert Boyce in the penalty of four hundred dollars himself for the sum of two hundred and Boyce in a like sum; for his appearance at the last Spring Term of the Wayne Circuit Court

And your petitioner would further state, that some short time before the Spring term of s.d Court ~~was~~ Mrs Bright took the above named Robert Boyce and went to Wayne County with the intention of entering his appearance in said Court and thereby discharging your petitioner, as your petitioner then believed; but after keeping the Boy in Monticello until the 7day before the first ~~last~~ day of the Court, Boyce failed to appear, and your petitioner became liable for the penalty, And your petitioner would state that he is informed and believes it true that Judgement has been entered on said Bond at the present Judge Term of the Wayne Court, and that execution will issue, unless ~~to~~ and harass & oppress your petitioner greatly; unless prevented by the interposition of your Excellency; And your petitioner respectfully prays your Excellency to remit the penalty of said Bond ——

Whereas Judgment will be entered at the present July Term of the Daviess Circuit Court in the Name of the Commonwealth of Kentucky against Eli Adams Senior & Alexander Adams for $150 Each on a recognizance entered into by them for the appearance of William Adams who was Charged with felony

We the undersigned being Conscious that the Collection of the Judgments aforesaid would nearly ruin the defendants. do therefore petition his excellency Joseph Desha governor of the State of Kentucky. to release them from the payment of the Judgments aforesaid the defendants are poor and the said Eli Adams is upwards of Seventy years old and verry infirm. The Collection of the amount of said Judgment would actually deprive him of the means of supporting a large & helpless family. we therefore solicit that they be released from the payment of s^d Judgments

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Eli Adams & Alexander Adams Defts.

This day Came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the Defts. altho solemnly Called Came not

It is therefore Considered by the Court that the Commonwealth recover against the Defts. Eli Adams $150. and against the Defts. Alexander Adams $150 the debt in the Scierifacias mentioned & the Cost and may have Execution &c

A Copy Attest

Horace Allen Clk

Remitted

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vs

Eli Adams &c