

UTAH STATE PRISON
SALT LAKE CITY
UTAH

Nov. 20th 1924.

Hon. Board of Pardoners.

Dear Sirs.

In behalf of my case E. A. Rogers recommended me for one year in the Utah State Prison. That is the way it was read of to me. But in behalf of my family and folks that need my support very badly I am going up on this next board for a Termination. I do sincerely hope it will approve of your approval. And see fit to grant me the same. If there was ever a case or is a case I do honestly believe mine is worthy at this time. I have never been in anything like this before. It is my first time. It has put a stone in my path and opened my eyes where by it is going to be a big help in my future. I belong to the U. S. I am very sorry this has happened. I have suffered dearly for this. And I do know this is the last time anything like this will happen. I have a wife and five children one a baby. My wife's health is very poorly. The oldest child is 14. It is almost impossible for my wife to support my children. You Gentlemen understand a case like this. I borrowed \$150 from Mother Thron the Banks and that has to be paid in April. It suffers me much if Mother should have to go to work to pay it. I was sickley when I committed this crime could not work and the Devil sure got me. I wanted to make them checks good when I was