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I was found in possession of a small amount of the articles that were stolen but I gave a satisfactory explanation as to how I came in possession of them, and the Prosecuting Attorney failed to show that I came in possession of them otherwise. The State also failed to show that I had stolen the articles and to convict a person of Grand Larceny it seems to me that they would have to prove that he had stolen the things.

I wish you gentlemen would consider this very carefully and go over the evidence and if there is strong enough doubt as to my guilt Terminate my sentence at the Dec, Meeting of the Board. My father is foreman for the Monongahela Valley Traction Co, and he wrote me that he could put me to work if I got out of prison and came home.

Hoping you Gentlemen will give this your careful consideration, and give me any consideration that you may think is due me.

I remain.

Respectfully yours.

Okay Winemiller-----