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STATE OF UTAH

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10 December 1924

Hon. Charles R. Mabey,
Governor of Utah,
SALT LAKE CITY.

Dear Sir:

RE: The State v Dave Simon, Pandering

Your favor of the 9th concerning this case is at hand.

Since I wrote to you last about this matter Anna Ardunino has entered a plea of guilty, and her case has been disposed of by the judge. She was the woman who operated the rooming house in which the pandering was carried on. In view of the fact that these two boys (Simon and Gibson) refused to come to Ogden and tell the truth about the whole affair at the contemplated trial of Mrs. Ardunino, I don't feel that they are entitled to much consideration. I am satisfied after talking with the two girls in the case, who are now inmates at the State Industrial School, and Mrs. Ardunino that these boys not only knew what was going on but that they actually induced the girls to prostitute themselves and then took some of the money earned by the girls.

In my opinion these boys should serve the minimum term provided for this offense, namely, two years.

Yours very respectfully,


DISTRICT ATTORNEY