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LEHI, UTAH

November 29th, 1924.

Governor Charles R. Mabey,
Capitol Bldg.,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dear Governor:

I am dictating this letter in behalf of my fellow-townsmen, S. W. Ross, who is now in the penitentiary. I realize the serious mistake Mr. Ross has made and he has not only brought discredit upon himself but he has humiliated yourself and a lot of his best friends and while I feel that justice should be dealt out to such people I feel that now that he has reimbursed the state of their loss in dollars and cents, for the sake of his family, he ought to be released at the next meeting of the Pardon Board which will be held in the near future.

Mr. Ross has a fine family, a good wife and relatives that can be relied upon in every way, in Lehi, and for their sake I am writing this letter, and it is the opinion of his friends in Lehi that it will do no good to keep him confined any longer.

He has done a wonderful lot of good in the past in the town and community and is really a capable citizen. But of course the mistake he has made cannot be tolerated at all. So for the sake of his family and friends I hope you will see your way clear to let him out so that he may be able to look after his family who really need his assistance.

Thanking you in advance for any favors you may show him, I remain

Very truly yours,

J. H. Gardner

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