2nd Baptist Ministers' Conference of Phila. and Vicinity

MEETS AT UNION BAPTIST CHURCH EACH MONDAY
FROM 1:00 TO 3:00 P. M.
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Philadelphia, Pa., April 11,1933

Honorable B.M.Miller D
Governor of Alabama
Montgomery Alabama
White House

Honorable Sir:-

We, the above with a membership of many, assembled at the above place April 10 and passed the following Resolutionsviz:

I Whereas, Haywood Paterson the first of the seven boys being tried on the Scottsboro case charged with attacking two white girls was found guilty notwithstanding thatRuby Bates, one of the alleged victims of the attack, testified under oath, that she had been forced to lie at the first trial and that she in fact had not been attacked and knew nothing of any attack having been made upon Victoria Price.

II Whereas corroborated testimony provedconclusively the innocence of Haywood Paterson of the crime alleged.

III Whereas the verdict of guilty returned by the jury on the evidence of Victoria Price is a travesty of justice.

Therefore, be it resolved that we the above respectfully appeal to the honor of the honorable B.M.Miller D Governor of Alabama to use the influence of his power to Pardon Haywood Paterson and Respectfully submitted the above.

Rev. A. L. Branch Pres

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