CIRCULATE THESE PETITIONS.

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### THE LIBERATOR

#### POETRY

For the Chorus.

#### REFORMATORY

Encore! Encore!

#### MISCELLANY

From the Barren of Liberty.

##### NORTHERN FREEMEN IN CAPTIVITY

The following is a letter received from the wife of Mr. H. W. Long, of New Haven, Conn., who is now in the hands of the Federal authorities.

**Address:**

**To:**

**From:**

**Date:**

**Content:**

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**Letter:**

My dear Child,

The letter you brought me from Mr. Long was a great relief to me. I had heard nothing from him for some time, and I was anxious to hear from him. I am glad to hear that he is still alive.

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**Notice:**

The above letter is a true and honest account of the facts as they exist. I trust that it will be of some comfort to you.

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**Additional Details:**

Mr. Long is a valuable citizen, and I hope that he will be treated fairly by the authorities.

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**Conclusion:**

I hope that this letter will be of some comfort to you. I shall do all in my power to secure your release.

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**Signed:**

Your affectionate mother,

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