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Ottawa, 13th Feb., 1912.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of 6th instant, I beg to inform you that the Department approves of the reward of \$25 being offered for finding the body of Charles Nahdee. The Department of Justice has been asked to name a lawyer to defend Steven Kiyosh, and you will be advised later as to this.

Your obedient servant,

*[Signature]*  
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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