



OFFICE OF THE MINISTER OF JUSTICE  
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Personal.

My dear Sir Arthur;

I have just received your letter of 15th Instant in regard to the case of Wilkinson, who has been sentenced to be hanged on 19th Instant. I spent last night in going over the evidence of this case, and I have come to the conclusion that it would be very difficult to extend clemency to this prisoner. I have tried to keep an open mind in regard to the matter, as I am to receive a deputation at noon to-day on behalf of the prisoner. The case has every appearance of being a cold blooded murder, but, I shall consider all the deputation has to urge.

With kind regards, I remain.

Yours very truly,

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