

Thorpark,
June 3, 1883

Sir:

I have authorized Inspector Farquhar to shoot in Mr. Holden's woods but not to shoot game. He has been with me on several occasions shooting Rocks and Wood Pigeons and a few Rabbits -- he met me in the woods last week for the purpose of assisting me to kill some young Carrion Crows. As we did not find them I wished him to kill them as the place is very far away from me and he had permission to go in my absence.

Your obedient servant,

Chas Whitworth

Mr. Superintendant
Kane,
Tadcaster,

Typed as above.

Then below, in father's hand (George Farquhar)

" In law, there would be no "implied permission" from Mr. Holden -- and of course there was no express permission -

So Dad would be for it - if he was found in wood alone with the gun".

from George Farquhar's papers.

Transcribed -

Margaret Farquhar Cameron

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