

RESPITE FOR LAMBERT.

The Sheriff Advised Not to Hang Him on Thursday.

Sheriff Barrett, of Camden county, had to take a couple of prisoners up to the State prison at Trenton yesterday. While at the State capital he tried to find out whether he had the right to hang Murderer Theodore Lambert on Thursday next. That is the date fixed for the execution by Governor Werts' death warrant. The Sheriff could not find Judge Green, of the United States Circuit Court, who had indorsed an appeal of Lambert's case to the United States Supreme Court.

He did find Attorney-General Stockton, but that official at first declined to advise the Sheriff and referred him to Prosecutor Jenkins, of Camden county. The prosecutor, who was in Trenton, had a consultation with the Attorney General, and it was finally decided that the Sheriff should be advised not to hang Lambert next Thursday. This is a recognition of the claim of Lawyer Semple that Lambert's appeal acts as a stay of execution.