



CHIEF CONSTABLE'S OFFICE

THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. October 13th, 1917.

K. F. Birchall, Esq.,
Provincial Constable,
Port Essington, B.C.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of information which leads me to suspect Harry Tomachi of stealing the money from the Japanese at Port Essington on Sept. 27th last.

He is now in Prince Rupert and has been in company lately of a prostitute, and apparently spending money freely.

I would be pleased if you will ascertain where ~~XXXX~~ he worked this summer, and what ~~the~~ money he drew at the end of the fishing season, and whether he was at Port Essington, or in the house where the money was stolen from on the day in question, and any other information you may be able to obtain.

Obediently Yours

Ernest Gammon
Chief Constable.

Provincial Police Office

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Ans. Oct 15th

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