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PORT ESSINGTON, B. C.

Sir:-

I beg to confirm my telegram of today's date as follows:-

" Please come here, wish you to leave for Khutze Inlet
" tomorrow night to investigate case. Sgd. E. Gammon."

I would be pleased if you will come in so as to catch the
S. S. Princess May leaving the Government wharf at 6.p.m., ^{tomorrow} I will
be leaving on the same boat for Kimsquit to investigate an alleged
murder case. I had made arrangements to have this affair at Khutze
Inlet investigated by another Constable, but receiving a telegram from
Constable Broughton re murder at Kimsquit, I have no other Constable
to send to Khutze Inlet, I think it is a case of suicide and will not
take you long.

Obediently Yours

Chief Constable.