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19<sup>th</sup> July 3

Sir,

I enclose herewith copy  
of an Order in Council approved  
by His Excellency the Governor  
General in Council on the 7<sup>th</sup> In-  
stant providing for the adoption  
of measures for abolishing the  
heathenish customs in vogue a-  
mongst the Indians of British  
Columbia known as the Potlachi  
and directing that a pro-  
clamation be issued by His Ex-  
cellency the Governor General dis-  
countenancing the custom and  
requesting Her Majesty's Indian  
Subjects to abandon the same.

Hon. Joseph Trutch  
Hon. Galt Con-  
fidential Agent  
Victoria

and

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