## Re- Mrs. Alphonse TOMAS - Le Coff, Alta. Death of. Treaty Indian

Para 19: cont: The inquest ended at 5.30. P?M.

Photos of the scene were taken by the writer on the 23rd of August, 1938, same are not yet available.

Jack Martin is considered an honest hard working young men of the Cold Lake Dist, he resides with his brother in law, Mr. Demeurier, is single, but his parents are at Cold Lake at this time on a visit. No charge of Manslaughter as yet has been laid against him, this will be done by the writer before Magis-trate LeBel of St Paul at the first opportunity, this will necessitate a patrol to St Paul, Magistrate Le Bel not being due here in Bonnyville until the 29th of August 1938. If this men is not the wishes of the Department, could I be advised soon.

I would respectfully request that I be advised, if charges under the P.S.V. Act for carrying passenger, also on the regulations for boundary lights, and the V & H. T. Act. should be laid, if the charge of Manslaughter is proceeded with. 22-8-38 Hired Car: 65 Miles. 23-8-38 Hired Car; 70 Miles. Police transport undergoing repairs; No other available. CONCLUDED

Const. J. C. L. Guimond Reg No 7761 I/C Bonnyville Detachment.

O. C. "K" Division.

Forwarded. In view of the circumstances set out above may I be instructed, please, whether or not any charges will be contemplated.

2. There does not appear to be any suggestion of criminal negligence or recklessness on the part of the driver.

Edm-27-8-38 RAGB/EP

(R. E. Mercer) Commanding Edmonton Ab-Div.