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Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 10th inst. with regard to the question of an investigation of the subject of potlatching among the Indians of the British Columbian coast. I may say that arrangements have been made for the preparation by the Anthropological Division of the Geological Survey of a full and comprehensive report on the subject, for submission to the Minister, based on the voluminous information relative to the matter which is at the disposal of the Government.

The Department will be pleased to receive any representations that the Indians may desire to make in connection with the matter, and you should so inform them.

Yours truly.

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