

The British Museum
Great Russell Street
London, England

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The Office of Sterling Bentz, P.I.
350 South Garrison Street
Arkham, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

Dear Mr. Bentz:

As you know, I returned to London after our expedition to Greenland, and I would like to hire you and your New England colleagues for some follow-up work that needs to be done on your side of the Atlantic. I will make arrangements with the Miskatonic University Anthropology department for you to invoice any expenses and fees that you incur.

Attached is a newspaper story cut from the August 30 Toronto Star. A Dr. Lantilla, a biologist, has acquired a specimen of an unknown species of primate, supposedly found in northern Quebec. It seems to me that this specimen could be related to the people whose temple inscriptions we found and successfully translated on our trip to Greenland. I would like you and your colleagues to travel to Toronto, try to meet with Dr. Lantilla and see if you may examine the specimen and learn as much about it as possible, most importantly to determine its origin. Is it possible that this species still lives in the northern unexplored reaches of Canada?

Also, as long as you are going to Toronto, could you look into the whereabouts of our fellow expeditioner Terrence Bhule? I must admit that I originally intended the task above for Mr. Bhule--he is a professional anthropologist after all, and his alma mater is the University of Toronto and that city is also his home town--but despite repeated attempts I have not been able to make contact with him. As he has always been a very reliable colleague, I have become somewhat concerned.

Please respond to me by telegram if you have any questions; I can be contacted at my office at the British Museum.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Ethelrod

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