

"O" Div. Ref. 20/404 Sault Ste. Marie

The Officer Commanding,
R. C. Mounted Police,
Western Ontario District,
Toronto, Ontario.

Sir,
re:- Indians, - Batchewana Reserve.

I have the honour to report with refer-
ence to the above, that the Boat on which we took passage
to the above mentioned place, arrived there during
early hours of the morning and only stayed long enough
to discharge freight, consequently the Indian Agent
paid the Indians their Treaty Money on the Dock
there was no cause for us to go to the Reserve.

First report.

Had this Reserve been visited it would
mean that we should have had to stay at this place
the space of three days, as there are only two times
a week calling there.

There are about 7 families on this Reserve
they are engaged in the fishing industry and are
reported as being a quiet and law abiding lot,
complaints have been received regarding them.

We arrived at Batchewana at about
on the morning of the 16th., instant, leaving
about 4.00 a.m., the same morning.

I have the honour
Sir,
Your obedient

J.H.
F.A.S.
i/c Sault

The Commissioner,
R.C.M. Police,
Ottawa.

Forwarded for his

Toronto
23-7-26
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Comm.