

Ottawa, 10th Jan., 1907.

Sir,-

Constable Giroux reported on the 4th instant to the Commissioner of Dominion Police that Joseph Beauchemin had been fined by you \$100 or six months in jail.

It has been represented to the Department that Beauchemin's mother is in destitute circumstances and has now to be supported by members of the band.

I have, therefore, to request that you will be good enough to report the specific offence for which Beauchemin was fined, whether it was his first offence and why he was given the maximum penalty.

Mr. Beauchemin is unable to provide for his dependent servant,

John L. L.
Secretary.

Joseph H. Perillard, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

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