with reference to the payments of Robinson Treaty Annuity money made every year by the efficer in charge of the Fort William Agency, I beg to say that it is desired that you will loss no time in getting into communication with the Chiefs of the various bands interested. You should inform the Chiefs and have them tell the Indians generally that the payments this year will be made by a new Indian Agent, and that therefore it will be mocessary for each Indian to appear at the right time, at the proper point of payment, accompanied by every member of his family This is necessary in order that the new Agent may get to know the Indians individually. The dates of payment it is expected will be about the same as last year.

Ottawa 18th April, 1910.

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The Indians should be given to understand that orders for payments to merchants or others will not be recognized.

Your obedient servant.

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