

30155-3 "A".

Register.

Ottawa, May 17th, 1929.

Sir:-

In April, 1927, you were sent a cheque for \$1,200.00 to distribute to the Indians of Tobacco Plains. In November, 1927, you were requested to send in the pay-lists accounting for this distribution. In December, 1927, you forwarded the pay-lists to the Department, but on the 20th of the same month these pay-lists were returned to you with a request to have them made out according to instructions. You have not returned these pay-lists yet to the Department.

In December, 1927, you were sent cheque No. 7795 for \$1,200.00 to make a further distribution and the pay-lists accounting for this distribution have not yet been received by the Department. In December, 1928 you were sent cheque No. 7085 for \$3,100.00 to make another distribution. You have returned the pay-lists accounting for this last distribution to the Department, but these pay-lists are again being returned to you as they are not properly completed. You will observe that the additions have not been completed nor have you entered in the column the number of persons paid in each family at the previous distribution. You have also left out the headings at the top of each page. It is desired that you give this matter your immediate attention and promptly return the pay-lists accounting for the distributions made in April, 1927, and in December, 1927, as well as the pay-lists which are now being returned to you.

Your obedient servant,

E. H. Small, Enclosure.
Indian Agent,
Cranbrook, B. C.

J. D. McLean,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.