

Ottawa, July 27, 1932.

Sir,-

Your letter of the 17th June, inclosing voucher for the payment of \$20.00 for annuity for children born after the Treaty payment was made, has been received, and in reply I wish to inform you that the application for the same can not be approved. The policy of the Department is to pay all those Indians who are living at the time the distribution is made. You can readily see that, if claims are allowed for children born after the payments, others would have the right to apply for annuity for those persons who have died a few weeks previous to the payments.

Your obedient servant,

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