

St. Pleasant, Mich.
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Friend Julia,

Yours was received and the way you understand this matter is not so. Patawatimies had their money that right. but Ottawa and Chippawa had got their yet. but will get it as soon as the census is taken properly this fault.

Sots our Indians is thin. ~~in~~ they are entitled to their money. especially those Bay County, In. and Arenac & Saginaw Indians, but their ~~not~~ those Chippawas is mention in this pay ment. are those Chippawa Indian use to be

with Ottawa's tribe,
I can mention few to you
so you will understand
who they are. Me-tōy o-mack-
band, and Aikew Bill band
Ma-me she gah tay band
waw-he me e gon band,
These are the Indians from
Isabella are intitle to this
money what's gone be dis-
tribut. but is Saginow
Chippawas band in it.
So we gone for and
get our rights from the
Government, we stand
just the same as they are
in order to commened
that's the way if we got
proceed we have to have

no more charge from
J. Bradley. he cant charged
us nothing Government
will pay all Expenses and
this money two ^{dally} a peac. what
we given now is just Joh
Bradley expenses to go to
Washing ton, and if find
any money that belong
to us. we get our money
back.

my wife and little boy
is in it and so is Joh
Bradley Wife she is it
their are bothe Ottawas
Agent was here about month ago
he stop to our place two days

sum ba dy. to go and
demand our money.
I went my self to
Washington if I had been
bordered with this Retention
so we joint Joh Bradley
to go and he is gone
and is Washington to day.
I understand that sum
of Saginaw County Indians
left gone Washington I don't
know wether is true or not
Well I think I explain
the matter fully so you
understand now how is this
yours old truly
Friend

DJ