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NEW MEXICO
MESCALERO RESERVATION, ST. JOSEPH'S MISSION
AND MESCALERO GOVERNMENT SCHOOL
1926

40-75

Rev. Bonaventure Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero, New Mexico.

January 11, 1926.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith our Treasurer's check for \$60 and Agent check for \$75, covering payments due for the quarter ended December 31, 1925, the first being for Marquette League allowance for your salary for attending White Tail Mission and the other your salary for attending the Mescalero Government School.

In addition to you acknowledgment to me, please forward a letter of thanks direct to the Marquette League addressing it to Rev. William Flynn, 105 East 22nd Street, New York City. It would be well, I suggest, if you would include in your letter any items of interest that Father Flynn might find it worth while to publish in The Calumet.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

CSL:JR

Mescalero, N. Mex.

Jan. 19th 1926. (45-25)

Rev. Rev. Inq. William Hughes.

Rev. Rev. Inq. - Washington, D. C.

I am sending to Father Flynn the letter of thanks and the items you had the kindness to suggest to me, hoping he will find them worth to be published.

Quaise will find the receipts for the checks you sent.

With many thanks to you, best wishes and sentiments of deep esteem, I remain

Respectfully yours in Christ.

Rev. Bonaventura Gava.
C. F. M.

Rec'd	JAN 23 1926	Amt.	.....	Cts.
Ans.	File	Ent.	.....	Cts.
Pol'd	.....	Masses	.....	Dr.
Order filed	.....	Refund listed	.....	P.O.
Ship't	.....	Stn. OK	.....	E.O.
Copy to f. s.	.....	D. G. or Ref.	.....	Sp.
Copy to	.....	Check sent	.....	St.

10.16
[16-15]

April 6, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero,
N. Mex.

Dear Father Bonaventura:

I inclose herewith Agent check for \$75, covering your salary for attending the Mescalero Government School, during the quarter ended March 31, 1927.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Mgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

40-25

April 6, 1926;

Rev. Bonaventura Nava,
Mescalero, N. Mex.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith Preservation Society check for \$30,
covering quarterly allowance for your catechist at Mescalero,
for the quarter ended March 31, 1926.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

This allowance is covered by the donation of Miss Clara
Wood of New York. Please send me a letter of thanks for trans-
mittal to her.

40-25

April 17, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero, N. Mex.

Dear Father Bonaventura:

Please send on at once the reports of your work,
for the quarter ended March 31, 1926, for which blanks were
mailed to you some time ago. Upon their receipt, I will
mail you checks covering your salary.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Mgr. Wm. Hughes,
Director.

CSL:JR

40-25

May, 1, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero, N. Mex.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith Preservation Society check for \$60 covering Marquette League Allowance for your salary for attending White Tail mission for the quarter ended March 31, 1926, and also Agent check for \$75, covering your salary for attending Mescalero Government School, for the same period.

Please write a letter of thanks direct to the Marquette League, addressing it to Rev. William J. Flynn, 105 East 22nd Street, New York City.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

CSL:JR

Mescalero, N. Mex. May 2nd 1926.

40.75

Rev. Rev. Mons. William Hughes.

Washington
D.C.

Rev. ~~William~~ Father:

Ans. 7/2 1926 1926 1926
Fol'd _____
Order filled _____
Sten. OK _____
D. G. or Ref. _____

Pardon for my delay in letting you know that your dear letter of last April the 5th was duly received and the check for \$30⁰⁰ you sent to me for the catechist of Mescalero, N. Mex.

Please give my thanks to Miss Clara Wood for this and do not forget that

Yours

Sincerely yours.

Rev. Dominicus ~~Deacon~~
C. J. M.

Memo
File under
Rev Albert Braun *AM*

BUREAU OF
CATHOLIC INDIAN MISSIONS
WASHINGTON, D. C.
2021 H STREET, N. W.

6/2/26

At the October, 1925, meeting the Actbishops
directed me to handle the matter of
the protest of Mescalero Indians.
I think it best to let it drop, ~~but~~ not
ever to answer the Indians unless
they write again.

Mr. Hughes

40-25

June 30, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero, N. Mex.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith Preservation Society check
for \$30, covering salary of your catechist, for the quar-
ter ended June 30, 1926.

This is the gift of Miss Clara Wood of New York.
Kindly write Miss Wood a letter of thanks, and send it to
me for transmittal to her.

Yours very sincerely,

Charles S. Lusk,
Secretary.

JR

COPY FOR to miss,
"Orig. to doings"
JUL 14 1926 JR

40-25

MESCALITO, NEW MEXICO,
July 6, 1926.

Miss Clara Wood,
New York.

Dear Miss Clara:

By this I come to testify to you my deep feelings of gratitude for the great help to this poor Indian mission by sending a check good for \$30, covering salary of my catechist through the Secretary of the Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions, and through whom I am sending it to you.

I hope my Lord will reward you for this charity with many blessings.

Gratefully yours,

(Signed) Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,

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46-23

July 10, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero, N. Mex.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith Preservation Society check for \$60, covering Marquette League allowance for your salary for attending White Tail Mission and Agent check for \$75, covering your salary for attending Mescalero Government School, for the quarter ended June 30, 1926.

Yours very sincerely,

Charles S. Lusk,
Secretary.

CSL:JR

Please write a letter of thanks direct to the Marquette League addressing it to Rev. William J. Flynn, 105 East 22nd Street, New York City.

40.25

September 15, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.M.M.,
Mescalero,
New Mexico.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith Preservation Society check for \$60, covering Marquette League allowance for your salary for attending White Tail Mission, for the quarter ending September 30, 1926.

You will note that this payment is sent you in advance. This is in accordance with the request of Father Flynn, Secretary General of the Marquette League. Kindly forward your report covering this quarter to me.

Please also write a letter of thanks direct to the Marquette League, 105 East 22nd Street, New York City.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

40.25

September 30, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero, N. Mex.

Dear Father Nava:

I inclose herewith Preservation Society check
for \$30, for the catechist at Mescalero, for the quarter
ended September 30, 1926.

Ten dollars of this amount is the gift of Miss
Clara Wood of Canajoharie, New York. Please write Miss
Wood a short note of thanks and send it to this Bureau for
transmittal to her.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

10-15

October 8, 1926.

Rev. Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.,
Mescalero,
N. Mex.

Dear Father Bonaventura:

I inclose herewith Agent check for \$75, covering
your salary for attending Mescalero Government School, during
the quarter ended September 30, 1926.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

COPY FOR: *Bureau*

40-25

Mescalero, New Mexico.
October 14, 1926.

Miss Clara Wood,
Cannjoharie, N. Y.

Dear Lady:

With this I have the pleasure to let you know that through the Catholic Indian Bureau, I received the ten dollars you kindly sent for the catechist of Mescalero. I thank you very much for this gift.

God bless you.

(Rev.) Bonaventura Nava, O.F.M.

Copied by ER

Mescalero, N. Mex. - Dec. 14 1926
 Rec. Rev. Mon. William Hughes
 Washington, D.C.
 Rec. Rev. Monsignor -

I did not send
 the blanks before, be-
 cause I was waiting to
 receive the announced
 shipment, but nothing
 has come yet.

So, I am sending
 the blanks.

With many thanks to
 you I am in Atto.

Yours very truly,

Rev. Augustin Pava

Rec'd	DEC 16 1926	Am't	Ch.
Ans		Ent. J. M.	Cu.
Foll'd		Messes.	Dr.
Order filled		Refund listed	P.O.
Ship't		Stoa. OK	E.O.
Copy to I. S.	✓	D. U. or Ref	Sp.
Copy to		Check acnt	St.

Mescalero, N. Mex. D. 22 146-25
 Rec'd JAN 5 1927
 Ans. Rec. Mr. W. L. Maggs
 Fol'd Order filled
 Copy to I.S. Copy to
 Amt. 22
 Rec. Mr. W. L. Maggs
 Work Slip O.K.
 D.O. or Ref.
 Check sent

It there is any
 reason of my delay in ans-
 wering your dear letter
 it surely will not be
 other but the many
 things I had cared of
 in these passed days,
 so, I hope you will be
 so kind as to pardon
 me.

The shipment from
 St. Louis, Mo. was duly
 received and thanks
 to you very much.

With best wishes for
 a happy New Year, I am
 Respectfully yours,
 Rev. Barnard H. Gann
 C. J. M.

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Mescalero, N. Mex. Dec. 28 - 1925

Rec'd 11/1 - 3 1925
 Ans. *to Mrs. Wagner*
 Fol'd
 Order filed
 Ship't
 Copy to I. S.
 Copy to *Wagner*

Anat.
 Ent. *Wagner*
 Maeses
 Work Slip O.K.
 List
 D. G. or Ref.
 Check sent

I am very much obliged
 to you and to the Sisters of
 St. Hedwig School of St. Louis.
 for the shipment they
 sent to this mission.

Let the donors know
 that the Indians had
 a real happy Xmas. by
 their gifts.

With many thanks to you
 and wishing to you a
 happy New Year, I am
 respectfully yours.

Rev. Bonaventur Mann.
 C. J. M.

10.15
 Rec'd JAN 23 1926 Amt. _____
 Ans _____ Ent _____ Ca. _____
 Mescalero, New Mexico
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr. _____
 January 19th, 1926.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O. _____
 Ship't _____
 Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____
 Copy to _____ SEVENTY-FIVE _____ Dollars

Payment due For salary for attending Mescalero Govt. School,
 For quarter ended December 31, 1925
 \$75.

Ron Benavente, M. S. A. J. M.

40.25
 Rec'd JAN 23 1926 Amt. _____
 Ans _____ Ent _____ Ca. _____
 Mescalero, New Mexico
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr. _____
 January 19th, 1926.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O. _____
 Ship't _____
 Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____
 Copy to _____ SIXTY _____ Dollars

Payment due For salary for attending White Tail Mission,
 For quarter ended December 31, 1925
 \$60.

Ron Benavente, M. S. A. J. M.

10.15
 Rec'd MAY 13 1926 Amt. _____
 Ans _____ Ent _____ Ca. _____
 Mescalero, New Mexico
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr. _____
 May 10th, 1926.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O. _____
 Ship't _____
 Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____
 Copy to _____ SEVENTY-FIVE _____ Dollars

Payment due For attending Mescalero Government School,
 For quarter ended March 31, 1926
 \$75.

Ron Benavente, M. S. A. J. M.

40.25
 Rec'd MAY 13 1926 Amt. _____
 Ans _____ Ent _____ Ca. _____
 Mescalero, New Mexico
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr. _____
 May 10th, 1926.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O. _____
 Ship't _____
 Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____
 Copy to _____ SIXTY _____ Dollars

Payment due For attending White Tail Mission,
 For quarter ended March 31, 1926
 \$60.

Ron Benavente, M. S. A. J. M.

Rec'd JUL 19 1926 Amt. _____ Ch.
 Ans. _____ Ent. _____ Cu.
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O.
 Ship't _____
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____ Sp.
 Copy to _____ Check sent _____

Mescalero, N. Mexico. 10-15
 July 14, 1926.

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

Payment due For salary for attending Mexcalero Govt. School,
 For quarter ended June 30, 1926
 \$75.

Dollars

Paul P. Remington, Missionary
 C. F. M.

Rec'd JUL 19 1926 Amt. _____ Ch.
 Ans. _____ Ent. _____ Cu.
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O.
 Ship't _____
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____ Sp.
 Copy to _____ Check sent _____

Mescalero, New Mexico. 40-25
 July 14, 1926.

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

Payment due For attending White Tail Mission. (M. L. allowance)
 For quarter ended June 30, 1926
 \$60.

Dollars

Paul P. Remington, Missionary
 C. F. M.

Rec'd OCT 8 1926 Amt. _____ Ch.
 Ans. _____ Ent. _____ Cu.
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O.
 Ship't _____
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____ Sp.
 Copy to _____ Check sent _____

Mescalero, New Mexico. 40-25
 Sept 30, 1926.

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

Payment due as salary for attending White Tail Mission, (M.L. allowance)
 For quarter ended September 30, 1926
 \$60.00

Dollars

Paul P. Remington, Missionary
 C. F. M.

Rec'd OCT 23 1926 Amt. _____ Ch.
 Ans. _____ Ent. _____ Cu.
 Fol'd _____ Masses _____ Dr.
 Order filled _____ Refund listed _____ P.O.
 Ship't _____
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or Ref. _____ Sp.
 Copy to _____ Check sent _____

Mescalero, New Mexico. 10-15
 October 18, 1926.

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

Payment due For attending Mescalero Government School,
 For quarter ended September 30, 1926
 \$75.

Dollars

Paul P. Remington, Missionary
 C. F. M.