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MISSION SCHOOLS-20
OKLAHOMA
SACRED HEART (KONAWA), ST. MARY'S ACADEMY
1932

20-25

Rt. Rev. Messrs. Wm Hughes,
Director C. I. Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Rev. Monsignor:

When I received your first notice regarding the clothes, I sent a list of the articles I thought our Indian children could use to our Superintendent, Mr. Charles Eggers, Shawnee Agency, Shawnee, Oklahoma, as yet we have not received them. Mr. Eggers said he would send them to us as soon as they arrived at his office.

Thanking you for your kindness, and assuring you our fervent prayers.

Yours respectfully
Sr. Mary Vincent.

January 14, 1932 20-25

Sister Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I enclose our Treasurer's check for \$1,389, covering payment
due your school, for the quarter ended December 31, 1931.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Rec'd MAR 14 1932 Amt _____
 Acc. _____ Ent _____
 Paid _____ Masses _____
 Letter to _____ C. G.
 Order filled 3/14/32 Work Slip O.K. _____ P. O.
 Ship't _____ List _____
 Copy to I. S. _____ D. G. or I. S. _____
 Copy to _____ Check No. _____

St. Mary's Academy

Sacred Heart, Okla.

Donation, R. R. 1

March 11, 1932.

20-25

Rt. Rev Msgr. Wm. Hughes,
 Director, Catholic I. Missions,
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Rev Monsignor:

Will you kindly have some Indian
 Report Blanks sent to us because we
 will need them before the end of this
 month.

By a special request of Msgr. Ketchum
 years ago, we have been saying special
 prayers daily for the benefactors of the
 Catholic Indian Bureau and now we
 will include Marquette League, and we
 will always be glad to comply with
 any of your requests.

When are you coming to see us?
 Assuring you our fervent prayers
 and thanking you for past favors.

Yours respectfully,
 Sr. Mary Vincent.

20-25

April 14, 1932

Sister Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I enclose our Treasurer's check for \$1,413, covering payment due your school, for the quarter ended March 31, 1932.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Wm. Hughes,
Director.

JR

St. Mary's Academy

Sacred Heart, Okla.

Norman, R. R. 1

MAY 27 1932

6/1/32

May 28, 1932

Arch. _____
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C. G. _____
F. G. _____
Work Slip O.K. _____
Lid. _____
D.G. or H.C. _____
Copy to I. G. _____
Special work _____

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Jm. Hughes
Director Catholic Indian Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Rev. Monsignor:

I am writing to ask you
if I may close our school here
on June the 3rd.

The weather is very hot
and it seems impossible to
keep the children in the class-
room.

Kindly let me know as
soon as possible and I will
appreciate your kindness very
much.

Thanking you for past
favours, and trusting that you
will come to see us again.

Yours respectfully,
Sr. Mary Vincent.

St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart Okla

June 19 1932
Paid _____
Letter to _____
Order filled _____
Ship't _____
Copy to L. B. _____
Copy to _____
Check sent _____

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Hm. Hughes
Washington, D. C.

My dear Monsignor Hughes,

We received Dr. Cooper's
"Children's Institutions" in this
morning's mail and we certainly
thank you for such a valuable
book. We appreciate it all the
more since there were such a
limited number of copies.

Hope you are well and
that it is cool in Washington.

With sincere regards, I am

Yours in Christ,

Sister M. Vincent

20-25

June 1, 1932

Sister Mary Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I have your letter of May 23.

You are the best judge as to when to close your school.

I repeat what I told you last year and the year previous, i.e., when making out your report for the quarter ending June 30, you make it read 91 days attendance for each pupil.

This is a matter between you and me. It is best that we should not worry anybody else with it, unless of course it is your custom to notify the Bishop or the Vicar for Missions.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Magr. William Hughes,
Director.

WH:JR

July 18, 1932

Sister Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I enclose our Treasurer's check for \$1,339, covering payment
due your school, for the quarter ended June 30, 1932.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Fill out and return this form to Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions:

Name of Mission School. *St. Mary's Academy, Sacred Heart*

Address. *Oklahoma*

None pounds of flour received from Superintendent.

None bushels of wheat " " "

Date. *Oct. 9, 1932* " " "

Signed *Sister Mary Vincent*

Comments:

October 10, 1932 20-25

Sister Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

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Dear Sister Vincent:

I enclose our Treasurer's check for \$1,581 covering payment due your school, for the quarter ended September 30, 1932.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Copy for Bureau

Shawnee Indian Agency
Shawnee, Okla.
October 18, 1932

Sister Mary Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Konawa, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I have your letter of October 10 relative to cotton goods material now being distributed through the Red Cross and in reply I will say that I recently made a request to the Indian Office for some of this material, estimating that about 200 families would need this kind of assistance this winter but I did not have your school in mind at the time, only thinking of the resident Indian families who would need Red Cross assistance.

I quote you the following from a circular letter from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs:

"Cotton goods may be issued to mission schools on the same basis as flour was issued; that is, only those schools which have taken in additional pupils as a relief measure are entitled to such assistance."

In view of the above, will you please advise me the number of additional Indian pupils you have taken in over and above your usual enrollment as a relief measure and I will then be able to give your request fair consideration when the cotton material and flour we are asking for has been received.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Charles Eggers, Supt.

Copied by JR

Recd. OCT 27 1932 Amt. _____ Ch.
 NOV 1 - 1932 _____ Cu.
 Paid _____ Dr.
 Letter to _____ G. G.
 _____ Work Slip O.K. _____ P.O.
 _____ List _____ E.O.
 Copy _____ D.G. or Ref. _____ Sp.
 Copy _____ Check _____

St. Mary's Academy
 Sacred Heart, Okla.
 Roma, R. R. 1

Oct. 24, 1932

Rev. Res. Mgr. Mr. Hughes,
 Director of Catholic Indian Bureau,
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Rev. Monsignor:

Your kind letter received and
 contents noted.

I have taken your advice and
 put in applications for the different
 things and I am enclosing to you the
 letter I received from our Superintendent.

Kindly advise me what you wish
 me to do, as I have not as yet received
 anything from him.

Trusting you are keeping well
 and assuring you our fervent prayers.

Yours respectfully,
 Sr. Mary Vincent

TYPESCRIPT OF PRECEDING DOCUMENT

Copy for Bureau

St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.
Konawa, R. 1
October 24, 1932

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Wm. Hughes
Washington, D.C.

Dear Rev. Monsignor:

Your kind letters received and contents noted.

I have taken your advice and put in applications for the different things and I am enclosing to you the letter I received from our Superintendent.

Kindly advise me what you wish me to do as I have not as yet received anything from him.

Trusting you are keeping well and assuring you our fervent prayers,

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) Sister Mary Vincent

Copied by JR

November 2, 1932

Sister M. Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I have your letter of October 24, with enclosure. I enclose copy of your letter and the original of the enclosure. I have kept copy of the letter for my file.

You should write to Superintendent Eggers and tell him the number of additional children which you have taken in ~~this year~~ as a relief measure. You should also state your needs for these additional Indian children.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Rec'd NOV 14 1932 AM
Ans. _____
Filed _____
Letter to _____
Order filled _____
Ship't _____
Copy to _____
Copy to _____

St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.
Houses, R. R. 1

Very respectfully,
Sr. Vincent
Rev. Msgr. The Hughes
Director, C. Indian Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Rev. Monsignor:

Your kind letter of the 2nd
received and thank you for same.

I took in Cleida, Eva, Charlotte
and Joe Hazel Rhodd, Elizabeth Reed,
Minnie Wapshinnek, Florence Miles,
Grace Lehman, Peggy Wanda Freeman
and put them on the Indian Roll.
They are all poor children who were
in the public schools last year.

Will you kindly let me know
as soon as possible, if you want
me to put in an application for flour,
clothes etc for them. This is strictly
confidential and I would like to have
your advice as soon as possible.

Trusting you are keeping well.
Respectfully yours,
Sr. Mary Vincent.

November 13, 1932

Sister Vincent
St. Mary's Academy
Sacred Heart, Okla.

Dear Sister Vincent:

I have your letter of recent date, copy of which I enclose.

On November 2, I wrote telling you to state your needs for a quantity of the flour and cloth to Superintendent Eggers. You should do so immediately as the supply is getting low. Most of the requisitions of other Indian Superintendents are in Washington now.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Mgr. William Hughes,
Director.

EW:JR

Recd NOV 29 1932
 Ams _____
 Pmt _____
 Paid _____
 Letter to _____
 Order Recd _____
 Share _____
 Copy to 1.8 _____
 Copy to _____
 St. Mary's Academy
 Sacred Heart, Okla.
 Novato, R. R. 1
 Nov. 26, 1932.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. Vincent Hughes,
 Director, Bureau of Catholic I. Missions
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Rev. Monsignor:

Your kind letter of the 22nd
 inst. received. I have filled in the
 blank, and I am enclosing it to
 you.

I have always tried to make
 our school here as near self sup-
 porting as possible, and I have
 never received any help from
 our Agents here, and now it
 seems to be very hard to get
 any help from them.

Thanking you again for
 your kindness, and assuring
 you our fervent prayers.

Yours respectfully,
 Sr. Mary Vincent

(ENCLOSURE)

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BUREAU OF CATHOLIC INDIAN MISSIONS
2021 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

November 22, 1932

To All Catholic Indian Missionaries:

Referring to my circular letter of October 7 to all Catholic Indian missionaries, I would be pleased to know the quantity of flour and/or wheat your mission school received from the second appropriation. I would also like to know the number of yards of cloth from the only appropriation you received.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

EW:JR

Fill out and return this form to Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions:

Name of Mission School..... *St. Mary's Academy*

Address..... *Sacred Heart, Chibchanas*

..... *None*pounds of flour received.

..... *None*bushels of wheat "

..... *None*yards prints, suitable for dresses and boys' suits received.

..... *None* " " " " " " " " " " " "

..... *None* " muslin, " " slips " "

..... *None* " outing flannel " " night clothing " "

..... *None* " shirting, " " men's and boys' shirts " "

..... *None* " Birdseye, " " diapers " "

Date..... *November 26, 1932*

Signed..... *Sister Mary Vincent*

Comments:

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

-----ONE THOUSAND, THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY-NINE----- Dollars

Payment due St. Mary's Academy

For quarter ended December 31, 1931

\$ 1,389.

Sacred Heart, Oklahoma

20-25

Rec'd FEB 18 1932
Ans. *M. J.*
Fol'd
Letter to
Order filled
Ship't
Copy to L.S.
Copy to

Sister Vincent

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

-----ONE THOUSAND, FOUR HUNDRED THIRTEEN----- Dollars

Payment due St. Mary's Academy

For quarter ended March 31, 1932

\$1,413.

Sacred Heart, Oklahoma

20-25

Rec'd MAY 2 1932
Ans.
Fol'd
Letter to
Order filled
Ship't
Copy to L.S.
Copy to

Sister Mary Vincent

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

-----ONE THOUSAND, THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY-NINE----- Dollars

Payment due St. Mary's Academy

For quarter ended June 30, 1932

\$1,399.

Sacred Heart, Oklahoma

20-25

August 13, 1932

Sister Mary Vincent

Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

-----ONE THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE----- Dollars

Payment due St. Mary's Academy

For quarter ended September 30, 1932

\$1,581.

Sacred Heart, Oklahoma

20-25

November 14, 1932

Rec'd NOV 23 1932
Ans.
Fol'd
Letter to
Order filled
Ship't
Copy to L.S.
Copy to

Sister Mary Vincent