

Marquette University

e-Publications@Marquette

Arizona

Missions

1928

Arizona, Papago Reservation, San Xavier del Bac Mission, San Jose School, 1928

William M. Hughes

Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions

Follow this and additional works at: https://epublications.marquette.edu/az_corr



Part of the [Indigenous Education Commons](#), [Indigenous Studies Commons](#), [Missions and World Christianity Commons](#), and the [United States History Commons](#)

Recommended Citation

Correspondence Files, Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions, Marquette University, Department of Archival Collections and Institutional Repository

MISSION SCHOOLS-20
ARIZONA
PAPAGO RESERVATION, SAN XAVIER DEL BAC MISSION
SAN JOSE SCHOOL
1928

0000

[1928]
Rec'd JAN 10, 1928 Amt. _____
Ans. 11/16/28 Pmt. _____
Fol'd _____
Order filled _____
Franciscan Papago Missions
Tucson, Arizona
Box 38

40-42

Rev. Rev., dear Monsignore:

Enclosed find report for
quarter ending Dec. 31. If you'll be
as prompt in sending checks for sisters
to my poor self - I need them badly -
I'll be well pleased. Had a little mee-
ting of all the Indian padres around
here during Lucas week.

Wishing a very Happy
New Year, I am

very sincerely yours in X^e

D. F. Fournier.

1

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Box 38,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I inclose Preservation Society check for \$250, covering Marquette League allowance for the salaries of the two Sisters teaching at the San Jose Day School, for the six months ended December 31, 1927. Father Flynn, who is the Director General of the Marquette League, usually sends me this allowance in February, but since you said that you needed the money now, I wrote Father Flynn to that effect.

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.

JR

Franciscan Papago Missions

Tucson, Arizona

Box 28 1546

Feb. 7. 1928.

Very Res. Wm Hughes,
Washington D.C.

Very Res. dear Monsignore:

I hereby acknowledge receipt of \$7 check from benefactors for my Missions. A check out here in the desert is always welcome, however small. And we do pray for our benefactors & so try to return all their kindness.

Thankfully yours in L.C.

Fr. F. Wand.

(P.S. I didn't get a copy of last Indian Sentinel yet. Our new box number is 1506. R.L.C.

Box 1506

Rec'd FEB 13 1928	Amk.	Ch.
Ans. <i>file</i>	Ent.	Cu.
Foll'd	Masses	Dr.
Order filled	Work Slip O.K. <i>R.C.</i>	R.O.
Ship't	List	Sp.
Copy to I.S.	D.G. or Ref.	St.
Copy to	Check sent	

Return this COPY to BUREAU OF CATHOLIC INDIAN MISSIONS
2021 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Amt. 20-32
Ent. Dr.
Masses Dr.
Folio Work Slip O.E. P.O.
Order filled List E.O.
Ship't March 17, 1938. Sp.
Copy to I.S. Check sent St.
Copy to

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Wand:

I enclose herewith Bureau check for \$6.01, covering
the gift of the Dwenger Mission Unit of Collegeville, Indiana, which was
designated to pay the express charges on the shipment the Unit sent you
in January.

Upon receipt of this donation, please write a letter of
thanks to the donor and forward it through this Bureau for transmittal
by me to the donor.

Yours in Christ,

Wm Hughes

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Received the check named above

(Signed)

Fr. T. Wand o.m.v.

(This form satisfies the Bureau but not the donor. Send me letter for
donor. Pictures mean much both to the donor and to THE INDIAN SENTINEL.)

20-32

March 14, 1923.

Sisters of St. Joseph,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Arizona.

Dear Sisters:

I enclose Bureau check for \$100 covering a gift received for you from the Marquette League. This is a donation promised you by Father Flynn.

Please make acknowledgment of this gift direct to Rev. William J. Flynn, 105 E. 22nd St., New York City, N.Y. Father Flynn is the Secretary General of the Marquette League.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

AQ.

40-42
April 12, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I inclose Preservation Society check for \$150, covering your salary for attending the San Xavier del Bac Mission, during the quarter ended March 31, 1928.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Magr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Rec'd APR 27 1928 AMT.....
 Are.....
 Fol'd.....
 Order filled.....
 Ship't.....
 Copy to L.B.....
 Copy to.....

Franciscan Papago Missions
 Tucson, Arizona
 Box 1506

St. Rev. dear Monsignore:

Many thanks for
 check of \$ 150 it came in mighty
 handy. Hope you can get the
 dear Padre of Marquette League
 the send salaries of sisters of San
 Jose School soon.

Our Emmaus trip
 took us south on an exploration
 tour to old mission ruins & to
 a little refreshment in the land
 of chili can come.

Sincerely yours in C.
 Fr. T. Wand O.S.A.

Franciscan Papago Missions
Tucson, Arizona
Box 1506

V. Rev., dear Monsignor:

Enclosed find \$1 for which,
please renew subscription
to Indian Sentinel for

Mr. J. B. Dunbar

1621 - 28 Street,

San Diego, Calif.

(Rev. T. Wand)
Sender

Rec'd APR 30 1922
Am't
to
Exp'd
Order filled
Ship't
Copy to I. S.
Copy to
D. G. or Ind.
Check sent
W. H. P. O.
L. S.
D. G. or Ind.
Check sent
W. H. P. O.
L. S.

40-42
May 1, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.
St. Xavier Mission, Box 1506,
Tucson, Arizona.

Dear Father:

Enclosed please find Bureau check for \$1 in exchange for your
remittance covering subscription to THE INDIAN SENTINEL magazine.

Yours in Christ,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

AQ.

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

June 8, 1928

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier Mission,
Tucson, Arizona.

Dear Father Wand:

I have just received a letter from a kind reader of THE INDIAN SENTINEL inquiring about a mission in need of a chalice. Are you in need of a chalice for your mission? Kindly let me know as soon as possible, so that order can be placed immediately upon receipt of the donor's gift.

Awaiting your reply, I remain

Yours fraternally,

Mr. Hughes
Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

ME.

Bureau of Cath. Ind. Missions.

There is no need of a chalice here at our Mission, but I am sure that P. Albert in Mesalero needs one. Will send something for Rev. Sentinel soon.

Thank fully Mr. T. Wand.

Franciscan Papago Missions

Tucson, Arizona

Box 38 1506.

Rec'd JUL 2 1928 Amt.Ch.

Ans.Ent.Cu.

Pol'dMassesDr.

Order filledWork Slip O.K.P.O.

Ship'tPay

Copy toDr. G. or Ref.

Copy toDr. G. or Ref.

V. Rev. Hugh Hughes

Washington, D.C.

V. Rev. dear brother: I have been trying to get the Marquette League to send salary of sisters of San Jose School soon, so that I can pay them!

very sincerely yours

F. T. Ward Ours.

40-42
July 12, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Wand:

I inclose Preservation Society check for \$250, covering Marquette League allowance for the salaries of the Sisters teaching at the San Jose Day School, for the six months ended June 30, 1928.

On receipt of your letter asking that the payment be sent you soon, I wrote to Father Flynn and he sent me check covering the salaries immediately.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

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

Rec'd SEP 12 1928
L.A. SEP 14 1928

Ginsan, Sept. 8, 1928.

V. Rev., to dear Miss

Enclosed find article, I hope, you can make use of it. Will write more later. ^{sent to Mr. F.H.}

When you were here you took some photos & promised the Indians copies of them. They often asked me for them, so, please, send them otherwise they will think, that our word is no better than of other whites.

I am still waiting for the salary which you promised to send to us at the time of Fr. Francis. We need it just as much as at that time. There is much work to be done & besides we have to pay Hindenburg, our friend for cooking. You know on an empty stomach nobody can live, not even we poor Arizona missionaries. We have to stand enough hardships & if besides that we have to

live on a starvation diet, I don't
see how we can keep on living
here. The income from the Mission
esp. in summer is very small.
So, please, dear Monsignor, keep
your promise. - Enclosed find
some photos, two of Lookidge
Dam at San Carlos, which will
give water to Pima Res. around
Sacaton - another of wild turkeys
in Fr. Fidelis country at White
River.

Yours as ever

Fr. Tiburcio

Please change our address
from Box 1506

to

Route 3. Box 85

Our Province does not contri-
bute one cent for our exp
keep.

TYPESCRIPT OF PRECEDING DOCUMENT

COPY FOR: *Bureau*

Tucson,
September 8, 1926.

V. Rev. and dear Msgr:

Enclosed find article, I hope you can make use of it. Will write more later.

When you were here you took some photos and promised the Indians copies of them. They often asked me for them, so, please send them otherwise they will think that our word is no better than of other whites.

I am still waiting for the salary which you promised to send to us at the time of Father Francis. We need it just as much as at that time. There is much work to be done and besides we have to pay Hindenburg, our friend for cooking. You know on an empty stomach nobody can live, not even we poor Arizona missionaries. We have to stand enough hardships and if besides that we have to live on a starvation diet, I don't see how we can keep on living here. The income from the Mission especially in summer is very small. So, please, dear Monsignor, keep your promise. Enclosed find some photos, two of Coolidge Dam at San Carlos, which will give water to Pima Reservation around Sacaton, another of wild turkeys in Father Fidelis country at White River.

Yours as ever,

(Signed) Father Tiburtius.

Please change our address from Box 1506 to Route 3, Box 85. Our Province does not contribute one cent for our upkeep.

COPIED BY MC

September 14, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
R. 3, Box 85,
Tucson, Ariz.

48-42

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I have your letter of September 8, of which I inclose copy.

Thanks for the photos. As soon as I can get to it, I will send you copies of the photos which will interest you and will send others direct to the Indians to whom I made promise. I will let you know when I send the latter.

The reason that the salary was not sent you for the quarter ended June 30, 1928, was because you did not return the report. Four blanks for the four quarters were sent you at the beginning of the year. I inclose three more blanks. The rule of the Bureau has long been that quarterly payments will not be made until reports are received. I did not change the rule. It is the only business-like method.

You can send your September report at the same time. The check for the June quarter will go to you at once.

Give my kindest regards to Hindenburg. Or is it Hopfenberg? Schann on him.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

WH:JR

40-42

September 27, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I inclose Preservation Society check for \$150, covering your salary for attending the San Xavier del Bac Mission, during the quarter ended June 30, 1928. By the time you receive this payment, the September 30 quarter will be ended. If you send me on the report of that quarter, check covering your salary for that period will be sent you promptly.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

According to your request, just before the end of each quarter, I will send you a reminder asking for your report.

40-42
October 8, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wend, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I inclose Preservation Society check for \$150, covering your salary for attending the San Xavier del Bac Mission, during the quarter ended September 30, 1928.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

JR

Rec'd OCT 9 1928 Amt.

Ans. 191112897115 Ent.

Post'd.

Letter to

Order filled.

Ship't.

Copy to I. S.

Copy to Bureau.

Franciscan Papago Missions

Tucson, Arizona

Rt. 3. Box 85.

Rt. No., dear Monsignore:

There is a Papago
Indian girl here, who wants to study
to be a trained nurse. She is excep-
tionally bright, willing & studious.
She is thru with junior High School,
finished the 8th grade & as she
could not go into training in
Tucson, I wonder whether you
know of a nurses training
school, where they would take
her. She will be no expense to
us & wants to pay her own
fare. Please let me know very
promptly whether you know of a
place where she can go in trai-
ning. She is willing to wait a
few weeks, otherwise she will have
to start working. Everything fine
down here, Hindenburg left us
since the days got cooler & the

Happen

goam

Happen won't leave anymore. To-
morrow our big S. Francisco fiesta
is going to start. Bishop Navar-
retti of Sanora will be with us.
Justin has been made ^{Pr.} ~~Pr.~~ ^{Pr.} ~~Pr.~~
Missiomm ^{em} ^{apud} ^{Indos} ^{Indos}
very sincerely yours

Tito.

Hope you got my reports by
now. (R.B.)

TYPESCRIPT OF PRECEDING DOCUMENT

COPY FROM Bureau.
I.S.
Missionary.

Franciscan Papago Missions,
Tucson, Arizona.

Rt. Rev. dear Monsignor:

There is a Papago Indian girl here, who wants to study to be a trained nurse. She is exceptionally bright, willing and studious. She is through with Junior High School, finished the eighth grade and as she could not go into training in Tucson, I wonder whether you know of a nurses training school, where they would take her. She will be no expense to us and wants to pay her own fare. Please let me know muy pronto whether you know of a place where she can go in training. She is willing to wait a few weeks, otherwise she will have to start working. E

Everything fine down here. Hindenburg left us since the days got cooler and the Hopfen won't foam any more. Tomorrow our big San Francisco fiesta is going to start. Bishop Navaretti of Sanora will be with us.

Father Justin has been made Pr. Missionem, O.F.M., Apud Indos.

Very sincerely yours.

Tib's.

Hope you got my reports by now.

Copied by MF

40-42

October 11, 1923.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.
San Xavier Mission,
Tucson, Arizona.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I have your letter of recent date, for which I thank you.

I am glad that you wrote me because I can tell you of a good training school for nurses, where I think the Papago girl will be accepted. I learned from one of the Sisters employed in this Bureau, who was formerly at St. Catherine's Indian School, Santa Fe, that at that time the Sisters of Charity at St. Vincent's Sanatorium, Santa Fe, had a number of Indian girls in training. The Superior at St. Vincent's expressed to Sister the greatest satisfaction when speaking of the Indian girls they had as nurses. At the present time they have a half Navajo girl, who was a former pupil of St. Michael's Indian School, Arizona.

In your letter you stated that the Papago girl went through the Junior High School which includes the ninth grade. However, you added she finished eighth grade. Has she finished ninth grade? The State requires that to be eligible for admission to a training school for nurses the applicant must have completed the ninth grade. If the girl has not finished the ninth grade I think it still possible for her to be accepted, if the same arrangement still prevails at St. Vincent's. About two years ago the Superior there admitted some eighth grade Indian girls to the training school. She very kindly arranged with the Sisters of Loretto to teach the girls at their academy the ninth grade subjects during the nurses' free time from hospital duty.

I would suggest that you write promptly to the Superior of St. Vincent's and make application for the Papago girl. I recall meeting at St. John's Komatke, an Indian nurse who was most satisfactory. I do not know where she was trained. If you do not succeed in Santa Fe you might inquire at St. John's.

Yes, I received your reports. I presume you have received my check by this time.

I trust that the fiesta in honor of St. Francis was a big success. Bishop Navarette's presence, no doubt, added much to the solemnity of the occasion.

Yours fraternally,

WJ:MF

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

The address of the hospital is: Sisters of Charity,
St. Vincent's Sanatorium, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

40-42
December 27, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Wand, O.F.M.,
San Xavier Mission, R. 3, Box 85,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

I enclose Bureau check for \$50 covering Marquette League donation
for you to buy Christmas presents for the fifty children at San Jose.

Kindly make acknowledgment of this gift direct to Rev. William J.
Flynn, 105 East 22nd Street, New York City, New York. Father Flynn is the
Secretary General of the Marquette League.

Yours fraternally,

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes,
Director.

MC

40-42

December 28, 1928.

Rev. Tiburtius Ward, O.F.M.,
San Xavier del Bac Mission,
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Father Tiburtius:

In accordance with your request, I am now notifying you that the next quarter ends December 31. On receipt of this letter I will ask you kindly to send me the report of your work for that quarter. On its receipt, check covering your salary for that period will be sent to you.

With best wishes for the New Year, I remain

Yours fraternally,

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

JR

Rec. JAN 28 1928 Amt. Ch.
 Ans. Est. Cu.
 Foll'd Masses Dr.
 Order filed Work Slip O.K. P.O.
 Shipt **Received from Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions**
 Copy to I.S. D. G. or Ref. Sp.
 Copy to Check sent TWO HUNDRED FIFTY Dollars

Payment due as salary of Sisters at San Jose Day School, (M. L. allowance)

For quarter ended December 31, 1928.7

\$250.

Rev. F. Wand.

Many thanks. Repairing here almost finished. Checks of great help.