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Box	Folder	Inc	oming Non-Business Letters
1	1	Sep	tember 8, 1828 - April 24, 1847 - 15 items
		1.	Sept. 8, 1828, Philadelphia, from James Spenceley Request for help for his son. 1 page.
		2.	Jan. 2, 1831, St. Francis Monastery, Cambria Co., PA from Bro. Thomas. Rejection from the monastery of Peter Rogers who was recommended by Rev. Reilly. 1 page.
		3.	Aug. 15, 1841, New York City, from Edw. O'Neill. Recommendation of a Prof. Ryan for a Professor's position at St. Mary's. l page.
		4.	Feb. 26, 1845, Jasper Co., Illinois, from C. O'Donnell Writer is attempting to settle in the town of St. Marie but is having difficulties due to a Mr. Picquet who controls the land around the town. 3 pages.
		5.	March 16, 1846, Wilmington, Delaware, from Mrs. J. Bickta. Mrs. Bickta chastised her son for playing hooky from school. 1 page.
		6.	March 17, 1846, from Fr. Reilly's sister, Mrs. Dos Santos. A poem about St. Patrick sent to Fr. Reilly on St. Patrick's Day. 2 pages.
		7.	March 17, 1846, Milltown, Ireland. From John Reilly (Fr. Reilly's uncle). Letter, written by a friend, John McCabe, describes the hardships during the potato famine in Ireland.
		8.	Aug. 6, 1846, Milltown, Ireland. From John Reilly, (Fr. Reilly's uncle). Follow-up correspondence of item 7. Writer thanks Fr. Reilly for letter and he goes on talking about family problems.
		, •	A note was added by Charles O'Riley, R.C.E. ofDrumlane and certified that Fr. Reilly's money (2 pounds was received) 3 pages.
e ²		9.	Nov. 6, 1846, Milltown, Ireland. From John Reilly (Fr. Reilly's uncle). Letter written for John Reilly by John McCabe. John Reilly thanks his nephew for writing a second time and he requests more family news. An added note from P. O'Donegane (?) stating that John Reilly is a poor man and an object of charity. 3 pages.

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1	1	10.	Jan. 1, 1847, Ballygorman, Ireland. From unknown since part of this letter is missing. Writer is asking Fr. Reilly to help him in getting his money which he earned while in America and banked it through a Mr. John McClure. 4 pages.
		11.	Jan. 15, 1847, Newcastle Co. From L. McGuthrie. A note to Fr. Reilly on some legal process being conducted by the writer. 1 page.
		12.	Jan. 16, 1847. From L. McGuthrie. See item 1 above. Writer finds record of judgement. 1 page.
		13.	Feb. 21, 1847, Glasslough. From - name is illegible (a priest). Vouches for Wm. McKenna and states that McKenna was unjustly accused of prosecution, conviction and transportation of Fr. Hanlin. 1 page.

- 14. April 17, 1847, Mt. St. Mary. From James Cullen. Submission of personal data and awaiting orders from Bishop. 1 page.
- 15. April 24, 1847, Milltown, Ireland. From Mrs. Fitzpatrick Written for Mrs. Fitzpatrick by John McCabe. Fr. Reilly's uncle, John Reilly, is dead and problems have been encountered in his burial. 3 pages.

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1 2 Oct. 1, 1847 - Jan. 10, 1850 - 17 items

- Oct. 1, 1847, Baltimore. From Fr. John Scanlon. The writer, a former teacher at St. Mary's, has a more lucrative assignment but is very unhappy. Strongly requests Fr. Reilly to relieve him as a teacher. Note: Stationary has picture of Baltimore harbor with description of city in unusual small typing. 4 pages.
- 2. June 26, 1848, Baltimore. From E.A. Coffield. Writer requests that, since he has to go to the mountains for his health, his son is kept at St. Mary's for a few weeks instead of starting his vacation. 1 page.
- 3. June 26, 1848, Washington. John W. Hou--- (paper has deteriorated). Writer has to decline invitation to commencement due to business pressures. 1 page.
- July 11, 1848, Philadelphia. From W. N. McGuire. Writer, unemployed with no money, requests permission to enter St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 5. July 24, 1848. From W. W. Haly. Writer is concerned that the administration of his mother's estate is spending money illegally. 2 pages.
- 6. Aug. 1, 1848, Rome. From Fr. Lewis Latner. Writer expresses concern that his chemistry training may be inadequate to teach at St. Mary's but, with some help, he will make the grade. In addition, he has salary concerns and recommends another priest to teach languages. 2 pages.
- Aug. 8, 1848, Memphis. From Geo. W. Codinie (not very legible). Requests help on some small funeral matters. 4 pages.
- 8. Aug. 14, 1848, Charleston. From (illegible) Letter of introduction for a Mrs. Bryce who wants to enroll her sons at St. Mary's. However, writer will be financially responsible. 1 page.
- Sept. 23, 1848, New York. From Fr. J. Kelly. Statement that Ann Lynn and her sister are under writer's employment at the Irish emmigration office. 1 page.

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1	2	10.	Oct. 2, 1848, Philadelphia. From M. A. Frenaye. Request for assistance to locate a Mr. Lanahon in Wilmington. 1 page.
		11.	Feb. 27, 1849, Ballustest, Ireland (?) From Bridget Lawler. Note: Document is badly worn. Writer, having lost all in the Irish depression, requests money for passage to America to start a new life for her and her children. 2 pages.
		12.	Mar. 3, 1849, Philadelphia. From W. N. Maonise. (illegible) Request to have his personal articles shipped and that his debt will be paid by his uncle. l page.
		13.	Aug. 10, 1849. From George Batterbury. The writer, an employee at St. Mary's, expresses repentence and sorrow for his impudence. 1_{page} .
		14.	Sept. 13, 1849, Memphis, Tenn. From Sara Green. Writer pays her bill and sends a brief family status. 2 pages.
		15.	Jan. 1, 1859, Wilmington. From Arthur Funcis. A friend who hasn't seen Fr. Reilly for a long time, renews acquaintance. l page.
		16.	Jan. 10, 1859, Baltimore. From Mrs. Ben Lavender. The writer's son has not been doing well at St. Mary's and wants to leave. The writer is insisting on his remaining at St. Mary's. 2 pages.
		17.	Jan. 10, 1859, Philadelphia. From Mrs. A. Silva. Writer is ill and wants to keep the boy at St. Mary's under very strict limitations. 2 pages.

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1	3	Jan.	12, 1850 - July 13, 1850 - 17 items
		1.	Jan. 12, 1850, From Juan del dios Larringe (illegible) In Spanish. A student's father airs his complaints about St. Mary. 6 pages.
		2.	Jan. 18, 1850, Philadelphia. From Mrs. A. Dos Santos (Fr. Reilly's sister). Writer expresses sorrow about the death of a family friend. Writes about others who have or want to send boys to St. Mary. 4 pages.
		3.	Jan. 18, 1850, Philadelphia. From Aug. Merino. Written by R. de la Siena. Writer is very displeased with his boy's behavior and sends directions as to limitations on boy's leaving college and spending money. 2 pages.
		4.	Feb. 10, 1850, Havana. From Juan de St. Suavey, in Spanish. Father is very concerned that his son is not doing well in school. 2 pages.
		5.	Mar. 10, 1850, New York. From Owen Grey. Writer had not received original bill from Fr. Reilly. However, he cannot send money at present but will send money later. 1 page.
		6.	Mar. 12, 1850, Charleston. From T. Preston. Writer is concerned with his sons' progress and non- communicative. Suggests that one of the boys be placed under a more difficult teacher to make him work. 1 page.
		7.	March 13, 1850. From Wm. Brennan. Letter is badly torn. Writer has one son at St. Mary's but due to financial problems he cannot afford to keep boy at school. However, he offers Fr. Reilly a plan. In addition wants to send another boy to St. Mary. 1 page.

- April 15, 1850, Matamoras. From John Bayley. Directs Fr. Reilly as to what Louis Poir is to be taught and why. In addition, directs clothing purchases etc. and defines financial responsibility. 1 page.
- April 20, 1850, from Sister Mary Aloyisius Lilly. A newsy letter about friends and the writer's life.
 4 pages.

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- 1 3 10. April 29, 1850, Havana. From Jose a dos Reyes. Spanish. Writer is trying to reduce expenses for his 2 boys and nephew. 2 pages.
 - 11. May 5, 1850, New Windsor, Md. From Thomas McNally. Writer, a teacher, left St. Mary's very suddenly and sent Fr. Reilly a very harsh letter. In this letter he is contrite, tries to explain his actions, and wants to return to St. Mary's. 3 pages.

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- 12. May 29, 1850, Havana. From Maria de los Angeles, Palone de Coronado, in Spanish. Sends data on son's illness, allergies before sending to St. Mary's. 9 pages.
- June 18, 1850, Charleston. From J. Benito de Aranginer, in Spanish. Father wants interview with Fr. Reilly to get more data on St. Mary's before sending son to school. 3 pages.
- 14. July 1, 1850, Charleston. From Augustine Graham. Writer's husband was supposed to go to St. Mary's to pick up son but, due to business, would not, request Fr. Reilly to send son by packet boat. 1 page
- 15. July 1, 1850, Matangas. From Amthony Elms. Writes about 3 boys who will be going to St. Mary's, and he defines what courses they are to follow. One boy, the writer's son, is a sickly boy and the writer feels that the change of climate and environment will help. 1 page.
- 16. July 2, 1850, Havana. From Jose Poey. Letter of introduction for a Mr. J. C. Oxamendi who is removing his brothers from a New York school and will enroll then in St. Mary. 2 pages.
- 17. July 13, 1850, Orizava, Mexico. From Dario Valdez. A former student requests catalogues and school data. He dislikes Mexico very much and wants to improve his English. 1 page.

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1	4	uly 16, 1850 - Aug. 7, 1850 - 18 Items
		. July 16, 1850, Norfolk, From D. A. Ward. Former student explains why his father has yet to pay his bill. 1 page.
		. July 18, 1850, Jersey City. From Edw. Roth. The writer, on a trip which includes a seminar at Fordham University, writes about the seminar, of collections for advertisements and a visit to Mr. Bennett of the Herald. 3 pages.
		July 19, 1850, Charleston. From D. Graham. Writer sends money and apologies for not visiting Fr. Reilly. In addition, he is very concerned about his son's religious training. 3 pages.
		July 19, 1850, Albany. From Edw. Roth. Writes of Albany and its many steeples and churches. He also has problems negotiating southern notes. 3 pages.
		July 20, 1850, Philadelphia. From E. Walden. Urges Fr. Reilly to appeal to his congregation for payments for subscriptions and for new subscriptions. 3 pages.
		July 20, 1850, Saratoga. From Edw. Roth. See item 4 of this file. Writer has stopped in Schenectady on his way to Saratoga and Buffalo. He describes Schenectady with its long trains loaded with immigrants. 3 pages.
		A. July 23, 1850, Mt. St. Mary's College. From J. H. Blume. Writer cannot accept Fr. Reilly's offer due to prior committment. l page.
		. July 25, 1850, Saratoga. From Edw. Roth. See item 6 of this file. Writes of rich living and beauty of Saratoga. 3 pages.
		. July 29, 1850, Nashville. From W. A. Bedford. Cholera epidemic in Nashville. Describes financial arrange- ments for his son, a student at St. Mary's. 2 pages.
		July 29, 1850, Cleveland, Ohio. From Louis Stanislaus. Requests that a student be informed of his sister's death. 3 pages.
		0. July 30, 1850, Philadelphia. From Henry Major. Expresses regret for not being able to attend

commencement. 2 pages.

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1	4	July 31, 1850, Niagara Falls, NY. For See item 7 of this file. The writer Buffalo area, which he does not like disturbed because he is broke and has any money from Fr. Reilly. 3 page	has arrived in , and is very s not received
		July 1850, Charleston. From Fr. J. S. Request for particulars for the son of parishoners, Mr. Graham. l page.	-
		August 5, 1850. From Francis Patrick of (?). Writer has not decided on Ne assignment and expresses opinion on a a lady who appears to have had a crue l page.	w Castle parish a legacy left to
		August 6, 1850, From (name destroyed) from a New York State friend who has mutual friends, some of whom she writ openly. 3 pages.	visited some
		August 7, 1850, Baltimore. From W. A father of a large family, has a good but is in poor health. Offers propos his children in return for all musica St. Mary and local convent. 3 pag	musical business sition - educate al instruments for
		August 7, 1850, Havana. From Jose Popleased with a positive report on a solution of the second secon	student, Master
		August 7, 1850, Matamoras. From Toma Spanish. Writer is sending his nephe and outlines his wishes for both his education and costs he is willing to	ew to St. Mary's nephew's

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1	5	Aug.	7, 1850 - Aug. 26, 1850 - 17 items
		1.	August 8, 1850, Wilmington. From Alfred DuPont. Sends a gift - a letter knife. 1 page.
		2.	August 7, 1850, Baltimore. From E. A. Coffield. Wants to return his boy to St. Mary's for more training. States that some of the teachers should be changed and that some students are theives. However, no names. 1 page.
		3.	August 9, 1850, Martinsburg. From James Plunkett. Writer feels that Fr. Reilly did not tell his (the writer) brother all of the writer's bad faults along with the positive items. In addition, the brother received a bill which the writer feels is wrong and defines inconsistencies. 2 pages.
		4.	August 12, 1850, London, England. From George Battenburg, a St. Mary employee. Trip to England very long (29 days) due to light winds but very pleasant. Explains costs of lithograph stones vs impressions. Recommends impressions. 4 pages.
		5.	August 12, 1850. From Lallis. A former St. Peter's School student - school has been discontinued - remembers the school and writes about his new school . 3 pages.
		6.	August 12, 1850. From H. O'Donnell. Writer is very concerned his son, who was doing well, disappeared when asked to help a fellow student with a trunk. 1 page.
		7.	August 15, 1850, London, England. From George Battenburg. See item 4 of this file. Sends detailed costs of Lithograph stones - impressions referred to in item 4. 2 pages.
		8.	August 15, 1850, Charleston. From T. Benito de Aranguser. Writer is disturbed that his son is studying music, an unnecessary subject. Wants his son to write home 2 times a month. 2 pages.
		9.	August 17, 1850, Pottsville. From Anne Dorman. Writer, a former student of St. Peter's Girl School, is asking for help to locate her books and belongings now that St. Peter's is closed. 2 pages.

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1	5	10.	August 17, 1850, Jersey City. From J. Kelly. Explains mixup in an ad. Writes about a Rev. Dr. Leighton of Canada of whom Kelly appears dubious. 2 pages	
		11.	August 17, 1850, Clearspring, MD. From Fr. John McCarthy. The writer, a well educated man, answered an ad in a New York paper for a position as Master of Superior Classical and Mathematics at Clearspring. The school has no church nearby and the classes are not as advertised. He seeks help to obtain a new position in the U.S. 3 pages.	
		12.	August 19, 1850, Baltimore, MD. From Edw. Baker. The writer's step-son has left St. Mary's and the writer explains why. a. Some of the lay teachers are improper. b. Overcharges c. Stolen property 1 page.	
		13.	August 19, 1850, Dagsboro. From Jos. Barnard. Writer states course requirements for his boy who is returning to St. Mary's. 1 page.	
		13A.	August 24, 1850. From J. Kelly. Gives background and opinion of J. T. McKenna whom Fr. Reilly would like to hire.	
		14.	August 24, 1850, Baltimore. From - name is torn. St. Peter's school for girls being closed, writer requests help to find another good Catholic school for his sister. l page.	
		15.	August 26, 1850, Philadelphia. From Fr. James Hollahan Sends proceedings of the "School Convention for Teachers". Invites Fr. REilly to send someone to the "National School Convention". 1 page.	
		16.	August 26, 1850, Bedford. From N. Lyons. Writer whose son is starting at St. Mary's sends his desires for courses and the boy's discipline. 1 page.	

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		Augu	st 26, 1850 - Sept. 13, 1850 - 24 items
1	6	1.	August 26, 1850. From M. C. Tubb. Writer, whose ward has been expelled or left St. Mary's, disputes much of his bill. 2 pages.
		1A.	August 27, 1850, Catonsville, MD. From J. Kelly. Writer has contacted J. T. McKenna. Gives status. l page.
		18.	August 27, 1850, Catonsville, MD. From J. T. McKenna. Letter of acceptance for Professorship at St. Mary's. l page.
		2.	August 28, 1850, Jersey City. From Fr. J. Kelly. Very disturbed about morals of clergy. Solicits interest for employment of a Professor Picard. 3 pages.
		3.	August 29, 1850, Philadelphia. From Timothy Lynch. Sends a status report on many items. 2 pages.
		4.	August 30, 1850, Wilmington. From Jose de Torres. In Spanish. Request for winter clothing. 2 pages.
		5.	August 30, 1850. From M. C. Tubbs. See item 1 of this file. More data on bill disagreement. 2 pages
		6.	August 31, 1850, Baltimore. From E. H. Coffield. Will send son to St. Mary's. 1 page.
		7.	August 31, 1850, Frederick. From A. D. O'Leary. Explains overcharges in his bill. Will return son to St. Mary's after Fr. Reilly responds to letter. 1 page.
		8.	September 1, 1850. From A. F. Grogan. Writer's son is having difficult behavior problems at St. Mary's. Disagrees with bill but will pay. 1 page.
		9.	September 3, 1850, Philadelphia. From J. Murphy. Retransmits a letter with recommendation. 1 page
		10.	September 2, 1850. From James Welch. A student ordered clothing but writer will not honor without permission from guardian. l page.

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1	6	11.	September 4, 1850. From Lallie. A friendly letter from a former student of St. Peter's School for Girls, now defunct. 1 page.	
		12.	September 4, 1850, Baltimore. From Ben A. Savinder. Boy is returning to St. Mary's in hope that he will improve. Writer directs courses for boy. 1 page	
		13.	September 6, 1850, Chester. From Fr. A. Haviland. Writes about James Conroy who is about to be married but has been involved with other women, one of whom is pregnant. 1 page.	
		14.	September 6, 1850, Philadelphia. From Fanny Whelan. A friend wants to discuss her problems with Fr. Reilly. 3 items.	
		15.	September 7, 1850, Philadelphia. From Thompson. A package has been forwarded to Fr. Reilly and balance of bill will be paid. 1 page.	
		16.	September 9, 1850, Lynchburg. From Hanna Hollins. Seeks help in locating her brother. 1 page.	
		16A.	September 9, 1850, Frederick, MD. From A. D. O'Leary. Son is going on a literary retreat. Urges Fr. Reilly to stimulate his son to do better. 1 page.	
		17.	September 10, 1850, Philadelphia. From Burling & Dixon. Defines financial responsibility for a Mr. Fowler. 1 page.	
	·		18.	September 11, 1850, Manchester. From - name is torn away. redirects son's education. 1 page.
		19.	September 12, 1850, Norfolk. From James McGuire. Writer is going out of business and had directed some of his debtors (all priests) to pay outstanding debts to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.	
		20.	September 13, 1850, Philadelphia. From Burling & Dixon. See item 17 of this file. Seeks further instructions from Mr. Fowler. 1 page.	
		** 17A.	September 10, 1850, Charleston, SC. From E.J. Sullivan. Will remove a lazy and incorrigible student from St. Mary's and place him in apprentice shop. 2 pages.	

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- 1 7 September 15, 1850 October 3, 1850 17 items
 - September 15, 1850, Baltimore. From James Carruthers The writer, who is in the publishing business, requests that St. Mary confer an honorary degree on him. This degree will greatly enhance his prestige in his business. 2 pages.
 - September 15, 1850, Matanges. From Anthony Ulmo. Writer is very pleased with the progress his sons are making at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - September 16, 1850, Baltimore. From J. Soran. Writer is very displeased with his son's education and Fr. Reilly's treatment of the boy and to the writer. Writer will pay no more. 1 page.
 - 4. September 18, 1850, Philadelphia. From Wm. Burrows. Writing for a Mrs. Hogan, writer suggests that her boy remain at St. Mary's because the mother is in the insane dept. of Pennsylvania hospital and there is no home for the boy. 1 page.
 - 5. Sept. 20, 1850, Norfolk. From James McGuire. A Mr. Tabb is very bitter towards Fr. Reilly regarding his ward, Master Bird, and the bills sent to Mr. Tabb by Fr. Reilly. The writer has talked to Mr. Tabb to try to mediate the problem. It appears Mr. Tabb now understands and will pay. 3 pages.
 - September 23, 1850, Wilmington. From Jos. Hedges. Promises to pay his bill shortly. 1 page.
 - September 23, 1850. From Fr. J. Kelly. Writes about his friend, J. T. McKenna, who has problems with an Episcopal church and he also solicits Fr. Reilly to employ him. 1 page.
 - September 24, 1850, Philadelphia. From M. Tracy. States that his ward, a Cuban student, should not get preferential treatment. 1 page.
 - 9. September 25, 1850, Philadelphia. From M. A. Frenaye. Offers Fr. Reilly a plan for collections. 1 page.
 - September 25, 1850, Charleston, SC. From F. J. Sullivan. Some men or boys introduced themselves as knowing writer's son, a student, but subsequently one of them requested travel money. It was refused. 1 page.

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1	7	11. September 25, 1850. From M. Tabb. Promises to pay debt. 1 page.
		 September 26, 1850, Wilmington. From Dr. James Thomson. The doctor discusses the student patient relationship relative to payment. 2 pages.
		13. September 29, 1850, Baltimore, MD. From Edw. Coffield. The writer has owed longstanding bills (based on prior letters) and still can't pay but, as in prior letters, promises to pay. 1 page.
		14. October 1, 1850, Havana. From Jose Poey. Requests Fr. Reilly to inform one of his students that his father is better. Recommends another student and thanks Fr. Reilly for some documents which helped his children in math. Expresses concern about their English. 1 page.
		15. October 2, 1850, County Carlow. From John Corrigan. A teacher, recommended to Fr. Reilly as being a math professor, states that he is a Classics Professor not math. He requests employment. 4 pages.
		16. October 2, 1850, Charleston, SC. From Nicholas Vinagenas. Writes for a friends, Mr. Aranguin, who had left hurriedly for Cuba and who wants to enroll son at St. Mary's. American guardians for son are named. 1 page.
	:	17. October 3, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From Timothy Lynch. Sends status of a collection bill. Recommends a person, "the Blind Irish Harper", to teach the harp at St. Mary's, if such a position is open. 2 pages.

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1	8	October 3, 1850 - November 5, 1850 - 14 items.
		 October 3, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From George Prentice. Clarifies money matter for accounts for 2 of his clients. 1 page.
		 October 3, 1850, Charleston, SC. From - not available Letter of introduction for Master John Murray who is enrolling in an English course. 1 page.
		 October 6, 1850, Havana. From Jose Belen Hern. In Spanish. Writer is pleased with son's progress at St. Mary's. 2 pages.
		4. October 6, 1860, Poughkeepsie, NY. From Catherine E. Smith. A letter from a family friend who invites Fr. Reilly to visit them in New York. 1 page.
		 5. October 8, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From Henry A. Fleming. Writer wants to become priest and, although he has had college training, he requires more preparatory studies before being accepted by a seminary. Requests Fr. Reilly to take him on as a part time instructor and help him obtain the studies required. 1 page.
		6. October 9, 1850, Baltimore, MD. From Ben A. Savinder. The son, Alston, has a distaste for Latin Study. Mr. Savinder would like to have his Latin study discon- tinued until the son has matured. 1 page.
		 October 10, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From W. West. Grants Fr. Reilly to use his name (Mr. West) in the list of references in the St. Mary's Prospectus. Offers to do more to promote the college. 1 page.
		8. October 25, 1850, Chagres. From. Sr. Villaverde In Spanish. Writer is pleased with Fr. Reilly's letter concerning his son whom he misses. 2 pages.
		9. October 31, 1850, Baltimore, MD. From E.S. Caffield. Writer expresses regret on not being able to pay her bills and asks Fr. Reilly's indulgence in the matter. l page.
		10. October 31, 1850, New York. From John Dotherty.

Writer is concerned about his brother (enrolled at St. Mary's) who will not study and wants to be taken out of St. Mary's. 1 page.

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1	8	11. November 2, 1850, Fredrick City, MD. From A. D. O'Leary. Writer is concerned about his son who has written home and the letter was very poorly written with poor punctuation. Writer feels his son is retro- gressing and wishes for Fr. Reilly to look into the matter. 1 page.
		 November 3, 1850, Vera Cruz, Mexico. From Dario Valdes. a. Suggests to Fr. Reilly to submit catalogues since there are people who wish to send their sons to the U.S.A. for schooling. b. States that he is setting up a business and requests Fr. Reilly to intercede with Mr. Dupont to set up an agency to market Mr. Dupont's powder. 2 pages.
		 3. November 4, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From P. D. Shaw a. Closes an account by final payment. b. Expresses desire for Fr. Reilly personally look into his son's scholarship and to press his son into doing excellent work in math and languages. l page.
		4. November 5, 1850, Milltown, Ireland. From John Fitzpatrick. Requests Fr. Reilly to investigate a legacy left to him by his brother who died in Lancaster. 2 pages.

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1 9 November 5, 1850 - December 11, 1850 - 17 items

- 1. November 5, 1850, Marietta, Ohio. From Peter Perry. Has received money from another party and was to forward that money to Fr. Reilly for the 2nd party's children's board. He did not do so because he needed the money and promised to pay Fr. Reilly in small sums. 1 page.
- November 6, 1850. From C. Schmitt. Writer is very concerned about her boys enrolled in St. Mary's. The boys are being beaten and badgered by some roughnecks. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to personally look into the matter. 2 pages.
- November 6, 1850. From Chas. O'Reilly. Writer is attesting to the good conduct and character of a Mr. Roguet who is going to Wilmington. 2 pages.
- November 12, 1850, St. Jos. Academy. From Charles McDoncey. Writer informs Fr. Reilly of Sister Flora's death. A newsy letter about her brother and others. 3 pages.
- 5. November 13, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From Sophie Mary Hamilton. Writer warns Fr. Reilly about her husband who is somewhat of a cad and who has left her to marry another woman in Wilmington. 2 pages.
- 6. November 16, 1850, Monastery Fulton, Ireland. From John Corrigan. Writer is planning to go to St. Mary'a to teach but is concerned that he is not qualified.
 Requests Fr. Reilly to let him know if an honest farming family can succeed in the Delaware area.
 4 pages.
- November 16, 1850, Matamoras. From Antonio Ulmo (?)
 Writer has two sons at St. Mary's.
 - . He is concerned about a friend of the family who is at St. Mary's and that his father is considering changing schools and taking him back home.
 - Writer is a little apprehensive about Spanish boys when they are placed in entirely different environment. 2 pages.
- November 17, 1850, Carbondale. From Wm. Brennan.
 Writer is trying to have his son enter the priesthood although his son's wishes appear to be different.
 - Writer is requesting Fr. Reilly to do all he can to have the son enter the Seminary by Jan. 1. 1 page.

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1	9	9.	November 21, 1850, Gregsville. From Austin F. Grogan. Writer is concerned about his son's leaving St. Mary's because the son appears to be dissatisfied. Offers Fr. Reilly some suggestions to help solve the problem. l page.
		10.	November 21, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From R. De la Siena. A student wants to leave the college without permission. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to try to dissuade the student, but if the student wants to leave, the writer will not give him any money and requests Fr. Reilly not to provide any money, etc. l page.
		11.	November 25, 1850, Hound's Tongues, Salem. From Anna T. Valdez. Writer informs Father of the major illness her husband is going thru. Asks for Fr. Reilly's prayers. 3 pages.
		12.	December 2, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From R. dela Sierra. Letter of introduction for Pedro ulora. l page.
		13.	December 5, 1850, Philadelphia. From Charles Peneveyry. Requests courses for one of the students. 1 page.
		14.	December 10, 1850, Bohemia. From A. Burny. Requests all funds Fr. Reilly may be holding for writer. l page.
		15.	December 10, 1850, New Orleans. From Aristides Dehaillehy. Letter of introduction for a new student and defines who is responsible for student's bills. 1 page.
		16.	December 10, 1850, Philadelphia. From E. Haupthman. Writer is concerned that a relative enrolled at St. Mary's keeps running away. He requests that Fr. Reilly keep the runaway in restraint. 1 page.
		17.	December 11, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From Fran Cooper. Writer is concerned about Frank Cooper's dissatisfaction with St. Mary's and of his runaway attempts. 1 page.

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 - December 11, 1850, New Orleans. From A. Xigues. Writer, who has responsibility for A. Joaquin Jiminez, from Spain, is sending the youth to St. Mary's for an education in languages and commerce. Writer explains problems and procedures he is using to get the youth to college and accepts financial responsibilities. 2 pages.
 - December 11, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From J. McCredy. Writer has copies of London edition of Stedericus Lexicon and an incomplete copy of the times of his Roman Empire and wants to sell them to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 3. December 16, 1850, Charleston, SC. From T. J. Sullivan. Writer is removing a friend's son from college and explains why he is taking this course of action. 1 page.
 - December 18, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From J. McCredy. Writer is informing Fr. Reilly of his transmittal of documents. (Refer to Box 1, Folder 7, #10.)
 - December 18, 1850, Washington, DC. From Luci de Le Rora. In Spanish. Writer requests that arrangements be made for her nephew to return home for vacation. 2 pages.
 - 6. December 20, 1850. From Eugene Desvernins. In French. Fr. Reilly's response is also on this letter. The writer wants to know when the first semester starts and if it does not begin until end of January, he wants Fr. Reilly to recommend a cheap boarding house.
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 - Fr. Reilly responds that he was responding care of Post Office, N.Y.C. 4 pages.
 - December 20, 1850, Baltimore, MD. From Francis P. Stone. Writer is transferring a Leopold Smith from Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmetsburgh to St. Mary's College, Wilmington. Encloses funds for expenses. 1 page.
 - December 21, 1850, New York. From Frank Brara. In Spanish. Writer wants to have his son for Christmas holidays. 2 pages.

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1	10	9.	December 21, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From J. McCredy. Writer is concerned about a book shipment. 1 Page.
		10.	December 21, 1850, Bellefont, Ireland. From J. J. Mullen. Writer is inquiring for a female parishioner who wants to attend St. Peter's school in Wilmington. l page.
		11.	December 21, 1850, Charleston, SC. From Lon Welsh. One of St. Mary's students has requested writer's permission to visit Charleston, but writer has problems. 1 page.
		12.	December 22, 1850, Norfolk, VA. From Sr. Mary Antoinette. A newsy letter about friends. The writer is happy in her new assignment and would like to have Fr. Reilly visit after the holidays. 2 pp.

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1	11	Dece	mber 26, 1850 - January 16, 1851 - 16 items
		1.	December 26, 1850, Philadelphia, PA. From J. McCredy. Has located shipment and is instituting action. (See 1-10-9) l page.
		2.	December 27, 1850, Hartford, Conn. From Raphael Brito (?). In Spanish. Student relays his father's directions to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
		3.	 December 27, 1850, Delaware City, DE. From C. H. Dunlap. a. Writer's father will settle up on Fr. Reilly's bill after correction is made. b. Writer explains his reason for leaving St. Mary's and provides a short history as to what has occurred to him since leaving St. Mary's. 2 pages.
		4.	December 27, 1850, Jersey City, NJ. From J. Kelly. Discusses a Mr. Bohan as a teacher in higher math and chemistry. Note: There is a large file of letters from Rev. J. Kelly in the file marked "Incoming non- business Letters - no dates available. 2 pages.
		4A.	January 2, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Kirk McGrady. States that the steamer Osprey has been delayed and that another steamer has replaced her. 1 page.
		5.	 January 4, 1851, Matango, Mexico. From Antonio Uhms (?). A newsy letter expresses pleasure that his sons are doing well and that some of the complaints he hears from them are normal for Spanish boys being placed in a strange environment. A few words about a medicinal plant common in Europe and the U.S.A. 3 pages.

- January 5, 1851, Wilmington, DE. From J.J. Purcell. Letter refers to a St. Peter's Benevolent Society Meeting in which an honor was bestowed on Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- January 6, 1851, Charleston, SC. From T. S. Sullivan. Directs alternate route for sending his friend's son to Charleston. 1 page.

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1	11	8. January 7, 1851, Havana, Cuba. From Juan Del Juarez. In Spanish. Writer's son has died. Inform Fr. Reilly on what is being done and how to dispose of some of son's goods. 2 pages.
		9. January 8, 1851, Carbondale. From Wm. Brennan. Writer gives son permission to drop history and geography. 1 page.
		 January 12, 1851, St. Mary's Asylum, Norfolk, VA. From Sister Antoinette. A newsy letter about mutual friends. 3 pages.
		 January 11, 1851, Norfolk, VA. From Jas. McGuire. The writer has received a bill from Fr. Reilly and points out several errors. 1 page.
		12. January 12, 1851, Dover, DE. From Edward Ridgely. Requests that seal of college be placed on his diploma. Reflects on his school days and expresses gratitude for going to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
		13. January 15, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Jos. Reilly. Sends money for son's schooling. Writer went to St. Mary's and took his son to Philadelphia without Fr. Reilly's permission. He did not see Fr. Reilly and assumed it was ok. He apologizes. 2 pages.
		14. January 16, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Ann Hogan Expresses thanks for son's schooling and requests Fr Reilly's help in obtaining a situation for her son with a gentleman farmer. 1 page.

15. January 16, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From A. Dos Santos (Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law). Refers to a train ticket which was exorbitant in price. 1 page.

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1	12	Janu	ary 20, 1851 - March 3, 1851 - 19 items
		1.	January 20, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From John Smith. Writer is trying to collect a small bill owed to Fr. Reilly. l page.
		2.	January 25, 1851, Charleston, SC. From T. J. Sullivan. Expresses gratitude for the way his son has improved and gives a short summary of the son's future plans. 2 pages.
		3.	January 29, 1851, Poughkeepsie, NY. From Rosanna Smith. Expresses concern about her son's progress. 1 page.
		4.	January 30, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From John F. Ohe & Son. Returns bills for correction. 1 page.
		5.	January 31, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Geo. & Jas. Benners. Writers are forwarding Mr. Prentices' bills to his out of town address. 1 page.
		6.	February 1, 1851, Hartford, Conn. From Raphael Brito. In Spanish. A letter from a former student who left school under less than desireable conditions. 2 pages.
		7.	February 5, 1851. From Vincent Oxamendi. In French. Writer has 2 sons at St. Mary's and he expresses his feelings on their education, deportment, etc. 2 pages.
		8.	February 6, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From A. G. Allen. Letter of introduction for a friend who is escorting a general's son to St. Mary's. 1 page.
		9.	February 6, 1851, Havana, Cuba. From Juan de San Juan. In Spanish. Writer is concerned about a student whose conduct has been bad and is concerned about repercussions. 2 pages.
		10.	February 11, 1851. From Nicholas Lyons. Writer is concerned about his son's behavior. 1 page.
		11.	February 14, 1851, New York. From P. U. Gruringen.

11. February 14, 1851, New York. From P. U. Gruringen. Fr. Reilly sent a bill to Mr. Bogemen who is out of town. The writer, although not authorized by Mr. Bogeman, requests detailed account and will authorize payment. 1 page.

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1	12	12.	 February 15, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Anna Teresa Valdes. a. Writer is anxious to get her marriage certificate and requires that her birth certificate be corrected. b. Writer has been ill and has had problems getting a priest to visit her. In addition she has had family problems which aggravate her illness. 3 pages.
		13.	 February 18, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From B. J. Bails. a. Requests bill for a friend's son's education and wants word as to how the son is progressing. b. In a postscript - he had received word from the boy who is in need of clothes. Requests Fr. Reilly to send him home so he may be outfitted. 2 pages.
		14.	February 22, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Anna Teresa Valdes.a. Follow-up of item 12a in this folder.b. Urges Fr. Reilly to forward her corrected birth certificate.l page.
		15.	February 25, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Robert Selar. Concerned about a student who may have already left Wilmington. l pa e.
		16.	February 27, 1851, Gregsville. From A. F. Troja (?). The writer, a priest, is responsible for 2 students at St. Mary's but, due to illness, he has not been able to meet collections and pay Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
		17.	February 28, 1851, Charleston, SC. From Jack Reynolds, Bishop of Charleston. Writes about one of the students who is doing well at St. Mary's and whose expenses are being paid by the Diocese. Requests Fr. Reilly to please review his charges and reduce them. 3 pages.
		18.	March 3, 1851. From W. W. Peters. Wants to have his son come home to visit some relatives. In addition, requests Fr. Reilly to deem it advisable for the son to study Latin and French. 1 page.
		19.	March 31, 1851, Charleston, SC. From C. Aveilihe. Concerned about behavior of Spanish students at St.

Mary's. Recommends no special privileges and to keep them away from young ladies. 1 page.

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1	13	March 8, 1851 - March 28, 1851 - 16 items
		 March 8, 1851, New Orleans, from A. Vigues. Mother is concerned about her son's liberty in going to the big city and expresses approval of Fr. Reilly's actions. Would like more information on her son's progress. Wants to help St. Mary in sending the prospectus to families in Havana.
		2. March 9, 1851, Philadelphia, from M.A. Frinerye. Corrects a credit which Fr. Reilly had given the writer. 1 page.
		 3. March 11, 1851, Charleston, from C. Aveilihe. a. One of the Spanish parents had written that he wishes a note as to his son's health. b. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly await further orders from Cuba as to some requests he (Fr. Reilly) made. l page.
		 4. March 11, 1851, Norfolk, VA, from J. Maguire. a. Writer is concerned about his son's writing which, in his last letter, shows a remarkable improvement. The father is suspicious in that someone else may have written the letter and asks Fr. Reilly to investigate. b. Writer has suffered business reverses which may cause him to be late in meeting his obligations. 2 pages.
		5. March 16, 1851, Hartford, Conn., from Raphael Brito. In Spanish. Writer is having a problem with one of the students who wants clothing which may not be required and other items. 3 pages.
		 6. March 17, 1851, Jersey City, from J. Kelly. a. Note - Much of J. Kelly's correspondence is undated and is in the file marked "Incoming Non-business Letters - Undated". b. Reports on the dinner given at Bishop Cook's house. c. The Bishop predicts the fall of the Protestant Religion, the union of the regular and secular clergy. d. The writer has heard from Rev. Duggan that the Archbishop who is in this country will return to Rome and be elevated to Cardinal. In addition Rev. Duggan described his audience with the Pope. 3 pp.

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1	13	7.	March 17, 1851, Baltimore, Md. From J. Barts. Apologizes for Mr. Peter for not having stopped in to St. Mary's to see Fr. Reilly. Explains reason. 1 page.
		8.	March 17, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Edward Louis. Letter of introduction for a Mr. Roman McCarthy. 1 page.
		9.	March 18, 1851, Wilmington, DE. From Augte D'Ouville. In French. 2 notes to Fr. Reilly. Translation included. Recommendation for 3 good students. 2 pages.
		10.	March 20, 1851, Panama. From M. Arrigs. In Spanish. The writer, a curator, asks for help for his nephew. 2 pages.
		11.	March 18, 1851, Talleyville, DE. From I. M. DuPont. Introduces a girl who is seeking employment to earn enough money to return to her country. Since Mrs. DuPont cannot help her, she is being recommended to Fr. Reilly because Mrs. Dupont does not feel the girl should be wander ng. 1 page.
		12.	 March 22, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. a. Refer to item 7 of this file. b. Writer is happy to see the two Oxamenoli brothers at St. Mary's and expresses thanks for Fr. REilly's removal of two boys who were evidently badgering the two Oxamendi brothers. c. Explains that he is assisting other families in sending boys to St. Mary's. d. Express hope that his children will start again at St. Mary's the next year. 1 page.
		13.	March 25, 1851, Charleston, SC. From C. Aveile. In Spanish. Requests that students be held at St. Mary's subject to rules and behavior. 2 pages.
		14.	March 25, 1851, Hartford, Conn. From Rafael de

- 14. March 25, 1851, Hartford, Conn. From Rafael de Brito. In Spanish. See item 5 of this file.Student has received clothing. Writer is disturbed and will see the student during vacation. 2 pages.
- 15. March 25, 1851, Wilmington, DE. From John Stiegler. Writer wants to visit Fr. Reilly to discuss some student problems. 2 pages.

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1	13	 March 28, 1851. From (?) Villovende. In Spanish. Writer is sponsoring students at St. Mary's, but is withholding sending them pending more investigation of a problem. 2 pages.

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- 1 14 April 1, 1851 June 5, 1851 17 items
 - April 1, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From W. W. West Writer has received packages and letters from Fr. Reilly and will attend to them. However, he faults a bill for his son's education. 1 page.
 - April 15, 1851, Lancaster. From Anthony Hindermeyer. Fr. Reilly is pressing the writer for payment of note but the writer has had business reverses and cannot pay on time. 1 page.
 - 3. April 19, 1851, Havana. From J. Benito de Frangures. Father is concerned that his son is wasting money buying unimportant items. Requests Fr. Reilly not to allow it. 1 page.
 - 4. April 29, 1851, St. Mary's Asylum. From Sister Bernard. A newsy letter from a nun who was at the now defunct St. Mary's School in Wilmington. Asks for prayers, remembrances to her friends, and a short note as to what her present duties are. 4 pp.
 - 5. April 1851, Newark. From Catherine Ann Corrigan. A letter from a student's sister who is concerned that her brother has undergone extreme punishment from one of the teachers. Requests Fr. Reilly to talk to the brother and help by advising him to avoid repeating the problems in the future. 1 page.
 - May 1, 1851, Dublin, Ireland. From no name. A torn letter which enough has been lost so that it makes no sense. 1 page.
 - May 2, 1851, St. Mary's College. From Peter Fagan. Asks Fr. Reilly for a favor - \$100.00.
 1 page.
 - May 4, 1851. From Jose McJanemillo. In Spanish. Writer is concerned that he pays for not only studies but vacation time, sickness time also. 2 pages.
 - 9. May 6, 1851, Frederick City. Md. From A. F. O'Leary. Writer requests Fr. Reilly not to draw on his account until June 1. He is displeased with his son's writing and that he does not write home often enough. 1 page.

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1	14	10.	May 8, 1851, Petersburg, VA. From Patrick O'Brien. Explains why he still has not returned to St. Mary's. Writes about having met a friend of Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
		11.	May 19, 1851, Philadelphia. From M. Frenage. Letter of introduction for an architect who wishes to place his brother in St. Mary's. l page.
		12.	May 20, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Sister Mary Catherine. A newsy letter about some mutual friends. Thanks Fr. Reilly for a donation. 2 pages.
		13.	May 25, 1851, St. Mary's Asylum. From Sister Bernard. A newsy letter about mutual friends. 4 pages.
		14.	May 27, 1851, London. From George Batterbury. Describes his trip across the ocean to London. Briefly describes what he saw on his first visit to the World's Fair. 4 pages.
		15.	June 4, 1851, Newport. From Yuaga Esulian. Writer wants to send 2 boys to St. Mary's but asks someone from St. Mary's to escort them because the boys cannot speak English. 1 page.
		16.	June 4, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From J. Bails. Writer is submitting letters for a Mr. Peters whose son is at St. Mary's. Expresses thanks for the boy's improvement and requests Fr. Reilly to get a jacket for the boy. 1 page.
		17.	June 5, 1851, New York. From Michael Cuctary (?). Expresses pleasure as to how his son is doing at St. Mary's. 1 page.

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1	15	ne 7, 1851 - July 7, 1851 - 15 it	iems
		June 7, 1851, Eden Park. From Expresses appreciation to the having saved him. 2 pages.	Catholic clergy for
		June 7, 1851, Havana. While w St. Mary's College to friends, their sons will attend. States that Sr Oxamiendi, fath be visiting Wilmington shortly	he does not know if her of 2 students, will
		June 17, 1851, Gregsville. Fr Writer is having a difficult t with Fr. Reilly, due to some 1 two boys, Michael and John, at requests Fr. Reilly to help Mi because he (the writer) cannot school. 3 pages.	ime meeting his bills egal problems. He has St. Mary's and chael find a position
		June 9, 1851, Columbus, GA. H Coffey. Letter of introductic wishes to enroll his son at St	on for a Mr. Sturges who
		June 12, 1851. From Joseph Ri enroll a young brother who jus States what his objectives are	st arrived from Ireland.
		 June 13, 1851, St. Vincents As Aloysius Lilly. a. The writer feels she has r and requests prayers or a b. Sister is stationed in Buf efforts the poor people ar the new St. Patrick's Chur c. Newsy letter about mutual 4 pages. 	not much time to live chant on her feast day. falo and describes the re making in building rch.
		June 14, 1851, Easton, PA. Fr Writer has just arrived at his his first impressions / visits	new parish. Describes
		 June 19, 1851. From S. Stanis a. Sends money for her son's b. States the route he must t water in Ohio river. c. Asks Fr. Reilly to pass all l page. 	traveling expenses. ake because of low

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1	15	10.	June 21, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Mrs. Ch. Penevega. Sends for her son and requests that books he does not need for his vacation be placed under lock and key because she has paid for a book twice. The first book was either lost or stolen. 1 page.
		11.	June 18, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. Letter of introduction for Sr. Oxamerieli whose sons are at St. Mary's and who is going to the U.S. for his health. 1 page.
		12.	June 24, 1851, Carbondale. From Wm. Brennan. Writer is having business problems and cannot pay Fr. Reilly. He begs Fr. Reilly's patience and hopes to complete sales in July to pay Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
		13.	July 24, 1851, New Orleans. From A. Xigues. Letter is slightly mutilated. Fr. Reilly has recommended transferring a Master J.J. Breton to another school because of his behavior. Writer agrees to have Master Breton transferred to college recommended by Fr. Reilly. Submits information on new student. 1 page.
		14.	June 30, 1851, Louviere. From Peter W. Brennan. Apologizes for missing commencement and states reason. 1 page.
		15.	July 7, 1851, St. Mar-'s Asylum. From Sister Beman. News of Sister Antoinette's death and expected demise of Sister Constantine. Expresses pleasure to hear that St. Mary's College is progressing. News about St. Mary's Asylum. 3 pages.

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1 16 July 8, 1851 - July 21, 1851 - 12 items

- July 8, 1951, Louisville, KY. From J. McEvoy. Writer had written to friends in Wilmington and is displeased that no one has responded. A little news about his family. The writer (a teacher) is very dissatisfied with Louisville, wishes he had never left Wilmington and has thoughts of giving up his Louisville situation to travel east and then, in winter, go to New Orleans. 4 pages.
- July 8, 1851. From Manuel Jose Villaverdy. In Spanish. Writer is sending son to St. Mary's but misses him very much. 2 pages.
- July 8, 1851, Charges, Panama. From Richard Walters.
 a. A short news letter.
 - b. Writes about Master John Villeverde who will attend St. Mary's and asks Fr. Reilly to give the boy some personal attention. 2 pages.
- July -, 1851, Carlisle, PA. From Jas. F. Maguire. Writer requests a written testimonial on his morality while at St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 5. July 11, 1851, Newark. From Anne Finegan. Expressed desire to send his son to St. Mary's if the terms are acceptable. 1 page.
- July 15, 1851, Pittsburgh, PA. From Mary O'Neill. The writer, an old acquaintance of Fr. Reilly, is a widow in financial straits but wishes to send her two boys to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
- 7. July 16, 1851, London. From George Batterbury. Writer submits his departure plans. Sends his regards to friends. Briefly describes the Exposition which has exceeded all expectations. 4 pages.
- 8. July 18, 1851. From (illegible) Writer is very disturbed about his son's trearment at St. Mary's and is removing him from the school. 1 page.
- 9. July 18, 1851, New Orleans. From G. Xigues. Writer's son, Joaquin, is being transferred from St. Mary's College because of his undesirable behavior. 1 page.

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1	16	10.	July 19, 1851, St. Joseph's Academy. From M. Dancey. A newsy letter about the writer's family. 3 pages.
		11.	July 19, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From M. Macy. Has received Fr. Reilly's bills for 2 of his charges and will pay immediately. 1 page.
		12.	July 21, 1851, Macon, GA. From W. B. Watts. The writer's son, a student, had been the responsibility of the Bishop of Charleston but, due to some financial losses, the financial responsibility is now the writer's. 1 page.

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1	17	uly 23, 1851 - August 6, 1851 - 10 items
		 July 23, 1851, Romney, VA. From Hardage Lane. a. Request to return his papers, clothing, etc. b. A second letter is written on the back of the Lander letter. It is dated July 24, 1851 and written by C. McDonald.
		 Writer states that Hardage Lane is awaiting word from his sister or brother as to what his next move will be. Writer feels Lane's request is not worth carrying out. 1 page.
		. July 24, 1851. From Alfred DuPont. A letter of thanks for some advice given by Fr. Reilly. 1 page
		July 28, 1851. From E. W. Cabe & E. Rotin. There are 2 parts in this item. Part one is a directive that states rules and the purpose of the school. Part two is a letter - Recommends that Part 1 be included in the school ledger. 2 pages.
		August 6, 1851, Romney, VA. From Cornelias McDonald. See Item 1 of this folder. Request Fr. Reilly to let her know what date Hardage Lane should leave for school. 1 page.
		. August 7, 1851, St. Mary's School. From Sister M. Catherine. Asks for money for another nun. 1 page.
		August 8, 1851, St. Joseph's Academy. From M. Dancey Desires Fr. Reilly visit the Academy to see all the changes. Writes about other nuns who are ill. Family news. 3 pages.
		August 10, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From C. M. Coffield. Resuest a letter stating writer's character to assist him in obtaining a good situation. 1 page.
		August 12, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From James (illegibl Writer is removing his son from St. Mary's and sendin him, along with another son, to St. Mary's College in Baltimore. l page.

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1	17	9. August 13, 1851, Wilmington, DE. From John Skin. Writer is requesting a loan. 1 page.
		10. August 15, 1851, New York. From Manual Villeverde. In Spanish. Writer's son is at St. Mary's but is having problems. He plays and does not work. Writer is getting mixed reports. 2 pages.

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 - August 17, 1851, Wilmington, DE. From Joseph Scitofield. Writer has a very uncomplimentary letter from Fr. Reilly. Writer requests an explanation. 2 pages.
 - August 18, 1851, Havana. From Jose Belen Hern. In Spanish. Writer is sending son to St. Mary's and that others will come if the son's education is successful. 2 pages.
 - 3. August 18, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From Ed. P. Smith. Writer is representing a client who wishes to send her grandson to St. Mary's, but cannot meet payment terms. Requests alternate plan approved. 1 page.
 - 3A. August 20, 1851, Carbondale. From Wm. Brennan. Writer owes Fr. Reilly large bill and sends some payment. Would like to keep son at St. Mary's and is sure he will be able to pay later. 1 page.
 - 4. August 20, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From M. L. Spooner. Complains of son's unusual punishment. 1 page.
 - August 21, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From Basil (name torn awaw) Response to Hardage Lane education. (See Folder 17, Box 1) 1 page.
 - 6. August 23, 1851, Newark. From John Kennett. Requests permission to send a friend's son to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 7. August 26, 1851, Milwaukee. From W. B. Dougherty. Writer attended St. Mary's and is now a priest and feels that being a priest has not brought him the happiness he had expected. Writes of his work. Expresses thanks to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - August 26, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From O.S. Perkins. Requests a letter of recommendation for a former student who wishes to enter St. Mary's College, Baltimore. 1 page.
 - August 26, 1851, St. Joseph, MO. From Chas. Somerville. A former student who has been very ill, writes a newsy letter to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.

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- 1 18 10. August 28, 1851, New Orleans. From L'obb Eholomier. In French. A letter of recommendation for Edgar Girod from the Vicar of St. Louis Cathedral at New Orleans. 1 page.

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	19	August 28, 1851 - September 21, 1851 - 14 items		
		 August 28, 1851, Clinton, NJ. From Lewis Taylor. Father apologizes to Fr. Reilly for keeping him home from school beyond vacation time. 1 page. 		
		 August 30, 1851. From William Dennan. Letter of introduction. 2 pages. 		
		 September 3, 1851, Concord. From A. Demetrius Doyle. Writer wishes to continue his education but also wants to earn his way teaching at St. Mary's. Cites conditions of qualification and employment. 3 pages. 		
		3A. September 3, 1851, Philadelphia. From M. A. Frenaye. Transfer of cash to Fr. Reilly's account. 1 page.		
		3B. September 5, 1851, Philadelphia. From M.A. Fronaye. Money credited to St. Mary account. Refused payment to a St. Mary's man who had no written bill. l page.		
		4. September 9, 1851, New York. From Henry C. Pinden. Writer sends letters/note to one of the Cuban boys at his school. The boy has concern that his family was injured by bandit but letter states bandits were defeated. Will visit St. Mary's. l page.		
		5. September 10, 1851, New York. From Joseph Bogerray. In French. Writer is very disburbed at a boy from Panama who, instead of working to learn, has decided to play. 2 pages.		
		6. September 15, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From E. Waldron A note that the bishop has returned. 1 page.		

- 6A. September 17, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. States that a St. Mary bill which has been received may be collected from the firm of Carson & Newbolt. Student (for whom bill was to be collected) is now home but not much improved. 1 page.
- September 17, 1851, New Haven, Conn. From C. W. Sheffrey. Student wishes to transfer from Holy Cross to St. Mary. 1 page.

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- 7A. September 19, 1851, Gregsville. From Austin F. Grogan. Gives direction as to how money previously sent was to be divided. 1 page.
- September 21, 1851, Holy Cross College. From A. J. Cianfri, S.J. (See item 7 above) Letter of Sheffrey's conduct at Holy Cross not very good. 1 page.
- 9. September 21, 1851, Bedford. From Robert Ryan. Sends her son to St. Mary's because the boy appears lost in his books. Mr. Ryan does not know what the boy's studies should be and asks Fr. Reilly to evaluate the boy. 3 pages.
- 10. September 21, 1851, New York. From Patrick Fitzsimmons. Writer's brother was killed in a powder explosion. Wants to know who attended his brother and if his brother was in "Perfect Senses" when he made his will because the brother left all his money to other than kin. l page.

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1	20	September 21, 1851 - October 9, 1851 - 13 items		
		 September 21, 1851, Carbondale. From Wm. Brennan. An injury prevents his son from going to college. States a great change in his son since he's been in college. 1 page. 		
		2. September 23, 1851, Newark. From P. Morgan. Writer is corresponding for a man who wants to live at St. Mary's all his life for very little money. 1 page.		
		2A. September 24, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Timothy Lynch. The writer is attempting to collect money from a Spaniard who is difficult to trace. 1 page.		
		3. September 26, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From John Hogan. Writer has boys at St. Mary's. Writer is moving and does not wish his sons to know until the move is completed. 1 page.		
		4. September 27, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From M.A. Frenenge. Wants to reach a party for payment. l page.		
		5. September 29, 1851, Newark. From Catherine Ann Corrigan. Concern about her brother's conduct which has been consistently a problem. 1 page.		
		6. October 1, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From H. P. Brady, C.P. Writer is indebted to a person who has boys at St. Mary's and who appears to be having problems paying the school. Writer wants to assume responsibility for boys' costs. 1 page.		
		6A. October 1, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. Writer is interceding for two families. For one family he pays a bill for a wayward boy who has left St. Mary. In the second case he inquires for two poor boys who want to learn English and subjects leading to engineering. 2 pages.		
		7. October 2, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From J. M. Murphy. Letter of introduction. l page.		
		7A. October 2, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From J. Raphel. Writer pays his bill. However, he is removing his son from St. Mary's because the son's general de-		

son from St. Mary's because the son's general deportment, religious feeling and behavior towards his parents has worsened. He believes that the fault lies with students at St. Mary's. 1 page.

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1	20	8. October 8, 1851, Norfolk, VA. From F. Baillert. Problems with writer's brothers. 1 page.
		9. October 8, 1851. From P. Rotch Ford. Letter of introduction. 1 page.
		 October 9, 1851. From John Bennett. Writer is sending clothes to his son and per his son's request, will send money if Fr. Reilly approves. 2 pages.

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2	1	0ctc	ober 11, 1851 - October 29, 1951 - 13 items		
		1.	October 11, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From May Reilly. A newsy letter from Fr. Reilly's niece. 2 pages.		
		2.	October 13, 1851, Cgre. From Manuel Jose Villeverde. In Spanish. Writer is trying to resolve misunder- standing of a financial transaction. 2 pages.		
		3.	October 17, 1851. From Amelia Caufield. Writer seeks assistance for a widow who is destitute. 4 pages.		
		3A.	October 18, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. Writer is sending 2 boys from a poor family to study at St. Mary's. 1 page.		
		4.	October 23, 1851, Jersey City. From Fr. J. Kelly. Writer is concerned about some of the boy's education and of an old man in Bellville, NJ. l page.		
		5.	October 25, 1851, New Orleans. From Chadeffaud. In French. Writer recommends one of his star pupils. 2 pages.		
		6.	October 26, 1851, Cardenas. From Antonio Topey. In Spanish. Father is sending his son to St. Mary's. 2 pages.		
		7.	October 27, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Caroline M. Randall. Concerns her son who was severely punished. Suggests sometimes a teacher will cause a boy to say or do somethings which are not normal. l page.		
		8.	October 27, 1851, Columbus. From Elvira Stans. Concerned about son's education. Desires that her son contunue to go to Episcopal services. 2 pp.		
		8A.	October 28, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. See item 3A of this file. Boys referred to in item 3A have left for St. Mary's via New York. Financial arrangements have been made. 1 page.		
		9.	October 29, 1851, St. Joseph Academy. From M. Dancy. Request for man for writer's brother who is severely ill. l page.		

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2	1	10.	October 29, 1851, Philadelphia. From M. C. Freneye. Request for an address so that writer may get some financial directions. 1 page.
		10A.	October 29, 1851, Baltimore, MD. From John Maguire. Requests method of payment and to impress upon student that this is his last chance. 1 page.

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2 2 November 8, 1851 - November 20, 1851 - 15 items		mber 8, 1851 - November 20, 1851 - 15 items	
		1.	November 8, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From Frank Biggons. Writer is submitting letter for another family who is sending boy to St. Mary's. Defines career for son and suggests courses to follow. 2 pages.
		2.	November 10, 1851, Wilmington, DE. From Philly Kunkett. Suggests a course in Dutch language for son. l page.
		3.	November 12, 1851, New York. From John B. Hernandez. Guardian for 2 Spanish students is angry as to why boys do not correspond. l page.
		3A.	November 12, 1851, Newark. From Denis McManus. Writer who had a brother - now deceased - in Wisconsin requests help in obtaining applicable Wisconsin laws on inheritance. 1 page.
		4.	November 13, 1851, Chagres. From Jose M. Villaverde. In Spanish. Wants son to spend less time on languages and more time on connercial subjects. 2 pages.
		5.	November 15, 1851, Washington. From Louis de las Roses. In Spanish. Repeats to Fr. Reilly as to how he will pay for nephew's education. 2 pages.
		6.	November 15, 1851, West Chester. From George Estevez. In Spanish. Writer requests clothing he left at school. 4 pages.
		6A.	November 18, 1851, Washington City. From Elizabeth Barber. Writer wants to pay bill but wants to know what bank check will be acceptable. 1 page.
		7.	November 19, 1851, Philadelphia. From John Mahoney. Writer is pleased with son's progress and suggests bookeeping for his son. l page.
		7A.	November 19, 1851, Philadelphia, PA. From M. L. Spooner. Due to business problems, bills cannot be met. l page.

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2	2	8.	November 21, 1851, Temperenceville. From John Mortus. Forwards new address. 1 page.
		8A.	November 24, 1851, Washington. From Louis de la Rosa. In Spanish. Writer is disturbed about bill payment. 2 pages.
		8B.	November 26, 1851, Hannibal. From Sam H. Peake. Writer will contact executor of an estate for bill payment. 1 page.
		9.	November 26, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. Letter of introduction for his friends' sons who want to enroll at St. Mary's. l page.
		10.	November 30, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. Repeat of May 21 letter (Re item 8 of this file.) No word from Fr. Reilly about another Cuban boy or bill of exchange sent to St. Mary's. Requests information. 2 pages.

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2	3	December 3, 1851 - December 25, 1851 - 13 items		
		 December 3, 1851, Eden Hall. From Wm. McNally. A person who stated he was recommended by Fr. Reilly arrived with no written recommendation and left two children and no money. Writer requests written recommendation from Fr. Reilly. 4 pages. 		
		 1A. December 5, 1851, Baltimore. From J. Bails for W. E.eters. Having received the bill for Mr. Peter son, writer will arrange to have it paid. 1 page. 		
		2. December 8, 1851. From Mary Y. Hopkinson. Sends money for her nephew's bill. Express gratitude for his improvement but states that he can be easily swayed. 2 pages.		
		3. December 14, 1851, Havana. From Jose Poey. Express thanks to hear that one of the boys he sent to St. Mary's has arrived and doing well. Boy must follow rules of St. Mary. Will send other boys to St. Mary's in near future. l page.		
		4. December 16, 1851. From A. B. Smith. Writer wants his nephew to come home for Christmas but insists that the boy abide by the rules of St. Mary's for holidays. 1 page.		
		5. December 17, 1851, Wilmington. From G. S. Downing. Request to have more water flow to his business. 1 page.		
		5. December 19, 1851, Memphis. From T. L. Grace. Written for Mrs. Sarah Green. A debt owed to Mrs. Green was to be collected and used by Fr. Reilly in the event of Mrs. Green's death. Mrs. Green has remarried and now wants the money sent to her. 1 page.		
		7. December 20, 1851, Columbus. From John B. Strupper. Writer has sent some fire crackers to his son but must not use them without Fr. Reilly's permission. Writer would like to have son visit a friend but with Fr. Reilly's permission. 1 page.		

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2	3	8.	December 22, 1851, Wilmington. From James Downing. Refer to item 5 of this folder. Mr. Downing has evaluated his needs for water and examined Fr. Reilly's dam. Downing requests that Fr. Reilly allow more water pass thru the heart of his dam. 1 page.
		9.	December 27, 1851, Baltimore. From J. Murphy. Requests Fr. Reilly to contact by mail or see his mother for the purpose of enrolling his little brother at St. Mary's. 1 page.
		10.	December 22, 1851, Wilmington. From George Riddles. Concerns a law (of Fr. Reilly's interest) which has been defeated. 1 page.
		11.	December 24, 1851, Matamas. From John Bayley. Redirects payment of bills for Master Pintado to another concern. 1 page.
		12.	December 25, 1851, Charleston, SC. From D. S. Graham. Pays a bill and is concerned about his son's use of tobacco and that the son has not acknowledged receipt of some money. 1 page.

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2	4	Dece	ember 27, 1851 - January 16, 1852 - 12 items	
		1.	December 27, 1851, Baltimore. From James Murphy. A letter of thanks for Fr. Reilly's favor and also to accept Mr. Murphy's brother into St. Mary's. l page.	
		1A.	December 30, 1851, New Castle. From Peter McCullough. Clarifies a credit given to writer. l page.	
		2.	January 2, 1852, Philadelphia, PA. From Ch. Penevegne. Writer is re-enrolling his son at St. Mary's. l page.	
		2A.	January 4, 1852, Philadelphia, PA. From W. Duval. Writer requests indulgence in payment of a bill and expresses thanks for son's report. l page.	
		3.	January 4, 1852, Philadelphia, PA. From Edw. J. Pounir. A Rev. M. Scanlon is in San Francisco, CA with no papers. Wrirer is asking for information on Rev. Scanlon's character so that he may forward it to US bishop at San Francisco. 1 page.	
		4.	January 7, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From F. P. Kenrich. A letter informs Fr. Reilly that papers with a request that a bill drafted by Mr. Bayard was for- warded to the Administrator of Philadelphia. 1 page.	
		5.	January 9, 1852, Philadelphia. From J. C. Randall. Writer, who has been responsible for funds for one of St. Mary's students, informs Fr. Reilly that he is no longer responsible. 1 page.	
		6.	January 9, 1852, Philadelphia. From F. J. (illegible) Concerns a bill sent to Archbishop Kenrich. l page.	
		7.	January 10, 1852, Bedford. From L. Jamison. Concerns a bill which the writer was surprised to receive. 1 page.	
		8.	January 12, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From C.M. McBay. Writer is concerned about his son, a student at St. Mary's who has been ill and is recovering. 1 page.	

9. January 13, 1852, Brooklyn. From Jose Macia. In Spanish. 1 page.

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2 4 10. January 16, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From Sarah Hassefross. The writer's grandson is dissatisfied at St. Mary's and wants to leave. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly try to prevail upon the student to stay. 1 page.

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2	2 5 January 19, 1852 - February 3, 1852 - 12 items		ary 19, 1852 - February 3, 1852 - 12 items		
		1.	January 19, 1852, From F. Gibbons. A student who was very ill left St. Mary's without receiving Fr. Reilly's permission - Fr. Reilly was unavailable. Writer explains circumstances and states that student will return when he feel better. 2 pages.		
		1A.	January 20, 1852, Clinton, NJ. From Lewis Taylor. Writer, though pleased with his son's education, must remove him from school because of business needs. 1 page.		
		2.	January 21, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From Sarah Hossefross. Writer's grandson has left St. Mary's and will not return. He will be sent to California. l page.		
		3.	January 25, 1852, Dayton. From Joseph Barnard. Writer describes sickness in his family. 1 page.		
		3A.	January 26, 1852, Matengas, Cuba. From George A. Knight. Requests statement (so he may pay his bill) and a report on his brother's progress. 1 page.		
		4.	January 27, 1852, Baltimore. From Sarah Hossefross. See item 2 of this file. Writer's grandson is now returning to St. Mary's and promises to behave himself. 1 page.		
		5.	January 27, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. Writer describes his reactions to the status of some of the students he recommended. 1 page.		
		6.	January 28, 1852, East Boston. From R. A. Lamb. A young man who claims to be from Fr. Reilly's parish wishes to marry a Boston catholic girl. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to determine if young man has been baptized. l page.		
		7.	January 28, 1852. From J. Barbeton (?). Recommends Fr. Reilly write to a J. Walsh concerning informa- tion he, Fr. Reilly, is seeking. 1 page.		

8. January 29, 1852. From N. Lyons. Writer requests information about his son, a student at St. Mary's. 1 page.

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2	5	9.	February 2, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From C.M. McCoy. Writer's brother has left St. Mary's and will not return. Writer is pleased with brother's progress at St. Mary's and is very displeased with his son. Requests clothes be sent to Baltimore. 1 page.
		10.	February 3, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From L. H. F. McCoy. See item 9 of this folder. Writer, former St. Mary's student,, a repeat of his brother's request for his clothes. 2 pages.

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2	6	Feb.	3, 1852 - Feb. 18, 1852 - 10 items
		1.	Februarv 3, 1852, Philadelphia, PA. From F. Gibbons Writer is returning a document from a student who is home recovering from a serious illness. 1 page.
		2.	February 4, 1852, Philadelphia, PA. From Caroline M. Randall. Desires that her son study French. l page.
		3.	February 5, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From L. Gross. Letter is written for a Mrs. Hannah McGreevy who wants to enroll her second son at St. Mary's. l page.
		4.	February 6, 1852, St. Joseph's Academy. From M. Ducey. A newsy letter about writer's family's illnesses and problems. 2 pages.
		5.	February 6, 1852, Baltimore, MD. From C.M. McCoy. Leonard, the writer's brother, has decided to return to St. Mary's and obey all rules if Fr. Reilly will forgive all his previous actions. 1 page.
		6.	February 9, 1852, Dayton. From Joseph Barnard. Writer gives status of his son's illness (scarlet fever) and expects son to return to St. Mary's soon. 1 page.
		7.	February 11, 1852, Baltimore, MD. Writer's grandson was sent back to St. Marv's two weeks hence but has not heard whether he arrived. Writer requests status. 1 page.
		8.	February 12, 1852, Wilmington, DE. From the Infant Drummer. Note with tickets to entertainment. 1 page.
		9.	February 17, 1852, Philadelphia, PA. From P.S. Layiurenne (?). Wants his son to return to Philadelphia to buy clothes. Writer prefers his son to drop German. l page.
		10.	February 18, 1852, New York. From John Graham. Writer's brother who has a son at St. Mary's, will be going to California with his wife. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly break the news to the son as gently

as possible. 1 page.

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2	7	February 18, 1852 - February 24, 1852 - 11 items	Februa	
		. February 18, 1852, New Castle. From Samm Platt. Writer is calling upon Fr. Reilly to settle a debt for an estate. 1 page.	t	
	· .	Pebruary 19, 1852, Milwaukee. From Sister M. Simon (Writer is quite displeased with her sister who was to have sent her son to St. Mary's but has never followed up or even written. News of other friends. 2 pages.	V t t	(?)
		February 19, 1852, Havana. From (illegible). In Spanish. Note: Letter is tattered and handwriting is illegible. Writer is concerned about college rules for his sons. 2 pages.	2 t	
		Seeks refund since son of a client left St. Mary's before paid up period ended. 2 pages.	9 1	
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		. February 22, 1852. From Daniel Muldoon. Writer is destitute and is requesting assistance. 1 page.		
		. February 23, 1852, Philadelphia. From Elizabeth Patrica Smith. Writer had almost fallen away from the Catholic church but has returned. However, she visited a Rev. Reilly at St. Mary's (Philadelphia) and he was so cross that she will not confess to anyone but God. Wants advice from Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.	P t v a a	
		. February 23, 1852, Philadelphia. From W.S. Duval. Writer's son, a student at St. Mary's, has been guilt of bad conduct and thinks he will be expelled from St. Mary's. Father is writing to request Fr. Reilly to seek other punishment than flogging and to ask forgiveness for his son. 1 page.	W O S t	=y
		. February 23, 1852, Baltimore. From C.M. McCoy. Writer requests status of his brother's health. Student has been a source of problems per previous correspondence. 1 page.	W S	

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2	7	9.	February 24, 1852, Philadelphia. From W.S. Duval. See item 7 of this file. Writer is satisfied with his son's punishment and, if the son's behavior does not improve, he will go to St. Mary's to settle the difficulty with the son. l page.
		10.	February 24, 1852, Wilmington. From James Gallagher. A father is very pleased with his son's progress at St. Mary's and will make every effort to satisfy his bill even though his means are not the best. 1 page.

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2	8	Febr	ruary 25, 1852 - March 14, 1852 - 12 items
		1.	February 25, 1852, Philadelphia. From W.S. Duval. Problems son has deserted St. Mary's. l page.
		2.	February 25, 1852, Philadelphia. From Clara Sweeny. See item 1 above. Young Duval is sorry for what he has done. After deserting st. Mary's, he did go home and, not seeing his father, was sent to writer by the student's sister. 2 pages.
		3.	February 26, 1852, Philadelphia. From M. S. Hamilton. A student is being returned to St. Mary's. Writer requests no whipping. 1 page.
		4.	February 27, 1852, Philadelphia. From W. S. Duval. See item 2 of this file. Father is gratified that son has returned to St. Mary's. 1 page.
		5.	 February 28, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. a. Pleased to hear of the progress and deportment of some of the son's of his friends. Parents are also pleased. b. One of the friend's boy, Umutais, is not faring so well at St. Mary's. c. Is sending money to Fr. Reilly, but does not desire that the boys smoke although he knows other boys at school do smoke. d. A father of one of the students (Oxamede) is not well. Send money on Mr. Oxamede's account) 2 pages.
		5A.	March 1. 1852, Philadelphia. From N. Cantunde. Writer is very disturbed that Fr. Reilly asked that a bill be paid. Writer will pay most of bill in middle of April. l page.
		6.	March 2, 1852, New York. From E. W. Brown. Gratified to learn that writer was mistaken about a Master Jaramillo. 1 page.
		7.	March 2, 1852, Charleston. From John King. Nephew of a Mr. Murray is being withdrawn from St. Mary's. Writer, an agent for Mr. Murray, requests Fr. Reilly to recommend what branch of business the nephew is suited for. 1 page.

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- March 11, 1852, San Diego de Los Banos. From (illegible) In Spanish. Writer is concerned about his son. In addition writer has been ill and is taking treatment. 4 pages.
- 8A. March 12, 1852, Gregsville. From A. F. Grogan. Writer wants to pay bill but offers some excused. 1 page.
- 9. March 14, 1851, Philadelphia. From John Mahonev. Writer's brother, a student, wants to drop French because he is not profit from the course since most of the other class are more advanced. Student wants to study the violin. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to exercise his judgement. l page.
- March 14, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. A student, Pablo Oxamine, has been disobedient. The father is pleased with Fr. Reilly's rules and will abide with Fr. Reilly's judgement. 1 page.

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2	9	March 26, 1852 - April 23, 1852 - 16 items
		1. March 26, 1852, Charleston. From John King. Mr. Murray agrees to have his nephew, John, remain at St. Mary's until the end of june. l page.
		1A. March 26, 1852, Fredrick City, MD. From A.D. O'Leary. Writer has received a bill and is very indignent because the postage was not prepaid and charges not authenticated. l page.
		 March 27, 1851, Girard College. From E. C. Dougherty. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to send -im written opinion on his character and abilities as a teacher. Writer had lost his prior document. 1 page.
		2A. March 30, 1852, Philadelphia. From W. Duval. Pays a bill but is displeased that his son is lacking in perseverence and purpose and attributes this, in part, to association with mischievousboys. 1 page.
		2B. March 31, 1852, Reading. From Edw. P. Pearson. Wants bill modified because he plans to remove son from St. Mary's on 4/25 instead of 6/1/1852. 1 page.
		2C. April 5, 1852, Reading. From Edw. P. Pearson. Has received modified bill (see item 2B above) and sends check. 1 page.
		3. April 6, 1852, Kenderton. From A. B. Smith. Writer is concerned that his nephew is not attentive in class and not learning. Wants to give nephew spending money but leaves it up to Fr. Reilly as to the amount, if any. Does not want to have nephew leave St. Mary's during Easter holidays. 1 page.
		4. April 9, 1852, Baltimore. From M. A. Hill. Writer has money problems but will pay his bills for his son. Writer is concerned that his son is not attending church. Asks Fr. Reilly to be more strict. 1 page.
		5. April 13, 1852, Albany. From John Castigan. Writer is sending his son to St. Mary's per a recommendation of a mutual friend, Fr. Kelly. Son wants to be a priest. Requests information. 2 pages.

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2	9	6.	April 17, 1852. From Chas. Kellv. Letter of Introduction – James Sutter. l page.
		7.	April 17, 1852, Havana. From Jose De Reyes. In Spanish. Father, concerned about his son's not writing, requests status. 2 pages.
		7A.	April 20, 1852, Jersey City. From J. Kelly. Recommends a student. Cautions Fr. Reilly to take care of himself. Discusses church polotics. 3 pp.
		8.	April 21, 1852, Philadelphia. From W. Duval. Father has learned that son has taken to chew tobacco and wants it stopped. 1 page.
		8A.	April 22, 1852, Bordentown, NJ. From Wm. Pearson. Will pay bill on June 1. However, son will not return to St. Mary's due to beatings he has received. 1 page.
		9.	April 21, 1852, Chayse. From Manual Villeverde. In Spanish. Illegible. l page.
		10.	April 23, 1852, Albany. From John Castigon. See item 5 of this file. A follow up of item 5 after the boy has been sent to St. Mary's. Father sings high praises of his son and wishes to hear frequently. 2 pages.

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 - 10 April 27, 1852 May 15, 1852 10 items
 - April 27, 1852. From F. Gibbons. A student, Kenderton Smith, has been a problem at school. His guardian, Mrs. Smith, while pleased with the progress the boy has made at St. Mary, despite the obstacles, wants to transfer the boy to a school more remote from home. 1 page.
 - April 28, 1852, New York. From Philip Bohan. The writer, after talking to a mutual friend, Fr. Kelly, feels repentant about his actions at St. Mary's. Offers the excuse that he was not prepared for the way of life. The wrirer is from Ireland. He wishes to return and teach at St. Mary's. 4 pages.
 - April 29, 1852, Havana. From Sr. Oxamerdia. In Spanish. Writer has sent a letter to his son and requests Fr. Reilly's observations of the son when the letter is read by the son. 2 pages.
 - May 2, 1852, Newark. From (illegible) Request for data on the school for a friend who wants to enroll a boy at St. Mary's. l page.
 - 5. May 6, 1852, The Valley. From Sr. Ducey. A newsy letter about mutual friends. 2 pages.
 - May 8, 1852. From J. L. Huntrich (?) Writer has had a problem of which the Archbishop does not approve. Thanks Fr. Reilly for his help. 1 page.
 - 7. May 13, 1852, Matanzas. From John P. Bayley. Guardian of Master Pintado wants the boy sent to Philadelphia at end of term. From there, the boy will procede to Matanzas. 1 page.
 - 8. May 14, 1852. From Phillip Punkill (?). Letter of introduction for Chas. O'Donnell who wants to do tailoring at the college. 1 page.
 - 9. May 14, 1852, Port Carbon. From Daniel Magoniens (?). Approval of Fr. Reilly's resolution "Never again admit any suspended priest into your college." 1 page.
 - 10. May 15, 1852. From Sr. Walsh. Request to come out to hear confessions. 1 page.

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2 11	May	y 16, 1852 - June 2, 1852 - 16 items
	1.	May 16, 1852, Baltimore. From Jane E. Bestor. Request for terms to send boy to St. Mary for 4
		months. 1 page.
	2.	May 18, 1852, Havana. From Sr. Oxamendia. In Spanish. Father of 2 students thinks about removing sons from St. Mary's. However, his better reasoning, changes his mind. 2 pages.
	3.	May 18, 1852, New York. From William Roche. A student at St. Mary's had to go to see his brother
		who is ill in Philadelphia. He requests all his belongings be sent to him in Philadelphia. 2 pp.
	4.	 May 19, 1852, Havana. From - 2 notes in same letter. a. Aristides Delvaille Sr. b. Saturnino Barinaga. In Spanish. A series of 3 notes. Delvaille - Former student recommends other parents to send boys to St. Mary's. Barinagan - Parents sending 2 sons to St. Mary's. He sends advice and recommends older boy to study design. 3 pages.
	5.	May 19, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. Recommends two sons of a friend for St. Mary's. (see item 4 of this file - S. Barinages) 1 page
	54.	May 19, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. The writer tells of the feelings and satisfaction of several parents who boys are at St. Mary's. A parent, having two sons at St. Mary's, is sending a third boy and has recommended several other boys who will be on their way to St. Mary's shortly. 2 pp.
	5B.	May 20, 1852, Havana. From (illegible) In Spanish. Parent is concerned about son's not writing and wants boy to go to another place for vacation. 2 pages.

5C. May 20, 1852, Baltimore. From Mrs. Jane Bestor. Sends payment. Requests Fr. Reilly to make allowances for her son since it's the first time for him to be away from home. 1 page.

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Box	Folder	Inco	oming Non-business Letters
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2	11	5D.	May 21, 1852. From T. Roche. Writer cannot pay sons bill because of illness. In addition, request Fr. Reilly to purchase books and clothes for his boy. 1 page.
		5E.	May 22, 1852, Philadelphia. From J. Morse. Writer has received a draft from Havana and after it matures, Fr. Reilly may draw on it. 1 page.
		6.	May 23, 1852, Baltimore. From J. R. Bestor. Writer has sent his son to St. Mary's and passes on information as to son's diet requirements. 2 pages.
		7.	May 24, 1852, New York. From Manuel Bosque. In Spanish. Parent wants to offer services to St. Mary's in the form of conacting prospective students. 2 pp.
		8.	May 24, 1852. From (illegible). Letter illegible. 1 page.
		8A.	May 24, 1852, Joy Mills. From May Willcox. Requests that a bill be completed before being paid. l page.
		9.	May 28, 1852. From M. A. Baratet. In Spanish. The writer pleads wirh Fr. Reilly to accept, at cheap terms, two boys whose mother is needy and would sacrifice all to save her children's religion. 4 pp.
	· .	9A.	June 1, 1852, Philadelphia. From (illegible). Letter illegible. 2 pages.
		10.	June 2, 1852, New York. From Manuel Villeverde. In Spanish. Concerns a student whose bill has not been paid and whose behavior has not been good. 2 pp.

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2	12	June	4, 1852 - June 18, 1852 - 14 items
		1.	June 4, 1852, New York. From Manuel Bosque. In Spanish. Writer requests data and belongings of a Juan Villiverde who has been a disobedient and undesirable student. 2 pages.
		1A.	June 8, 1852. From Samuel H. Pealle. Fr. Reilly's bill will be paid. The writer will remove his son from St. Mary's at the end of the semester. 1 page.
		2.	June 9, 1852, Philadelphia. From Chas. Penereyne. A student, August Penereyre, has sent a bulletin to his mother. Meanwhile, writer will attend commence- ment and forwards information and a box of clothes, to August for commencement. 1 page.
		3.	June 10, 1852, Charges. From Manuel Villeverde. In Spanish. Father explains why he sent son to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
		4.	June 11, 1852. From M. A. Baratet. In French. In a prior letter, the writer had asked Fr. Reilly to accept 2 needy boys at a very cheap price. In this letter, the writer regrets that Fr. Reilly could not help him. 1 page.
		5.	June 11, 1852, Savannah. From John Cass. The writer is sending a Master Charles Ouigly along with tuition and vacation money. He describes some of the boys characteristics and recommends a lot of hard work. 1 page.
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- 5A. June 12, 1852, Memphis. From Serah Green. Thanks Fr. Reilly for sending her money and requests Fr. Reilly to remit balance of \$20.00. 1 page.
- June 12, 1852, Delaware College. From T. J. Jacobs. Writer wishes to leave Delaware College and wants information about St. Mary. 1 page.
- 7. June 13, 1852, Matanzas. From George A. Knight. Request to give pupil, John Knight, money to go to New York where he will meet his mother who is leaving Matanzas to go to New York. 1 page.

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2	12	 8. June 14, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. Pedro Reyes has left college without Fr. Reilly's or Sr. Reyes' permission. Problem was created when a St. Mary's staff member allowed him to leave. Fr. Reilly, Sr. Reyes and Sr. Poey are very disturbed. All are pleased with progress of the younger Reyes and young Barinagar. They are awaiting young Master Oxamaridis who, with his father, will go to France. 2 pages.
		9. June 14, 1852, Havana. From Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Writer has sent boys to St. Mary and wants to be kept informed of their actions. 2 pages.
		 9A. June 14, 1852, Columbus. From E. Stan. Writer explains why Fr. Reilly has not been paid - The courier, a friend on a bysiness trip, had the money but was not able to stop at St. Mary's due to business. The writer is disturbed that one of his boys, generally very quiet and docile, had to be whipped by a teacher. He suggests that the boy responds to kindness not harshness. 3 pages.
		9B. July 17, 1952, Savannah. From John Cass. Pays a bill. Requests Fr. Reilly to keep his boy close because, while the boy is a quick learner and has a great capacity for retention, he is very wild and hard to control. Suggests subjects he wants the boy to learn. 1 page.
		10. June 18, 1852. From George Winterhalter. Fr. Reilly's mother is cutting grass from a cemetery lot. Fr. Reilly is requested to stop her. 1 page.

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2	13	June	21, 1852 - July 10, 1852 - 12 items
		1.	June 21, 1852, Philadelphia. From P. Y. Sheridan. Letter of introduction for Rev. John Sheridan. l page.
		2.	June 23, 1852, Brooklyn. From Jose Maria. In Spanish. Writer requests students permission to spend vacation with a friend. 2 pages.
		3.	June 24, 1852. From Henry Gallager. Accepts invita- tion to be present at the commencement and offers suggestions to enhance the proceedings. 1 page.
		3A.	June 25, 1852, Dover. From Catherine E. Smith. Bill for writer's brother has been unpaid due to business reversals but mother is now working to help and bills will be paid. l page.
		4.	June 26, 1852, Matanras. From Sr. V. Oxamendia. Negotiation of educational requirements of one of St. Mary's students. 2 pages.
		5.	June 26, 1852, Charges. From Manuel Jose Villaverde. In Spanish. Letter is difficult to read. Writer is concerned for his son who has been very disobedient at school. 2 pages.
		6.	June 29, 1852, Philadelphia. From P. E. Moriarty. Declines invitation to an exhibition at St. Mary's. 1 page.
		7.	July 5, 1852, Gregsville. From Aristis F. Grogan. Letter of introduction for a Mrs. Abernathy and her son. Strongly recommends the son to be a student at St. Mary. 2 pages.
		8A.	July 7, 1852. Faculty of Villanova. Invitation to Commencement. l page.
		9.	July 9, 1852, Philadelphia. From Frank McCosker. Requests a letter of recommendation to enable him to enter the seminary. 1 page.
		10.	July 10, 1852, On board Steamer John Quincy Adams at Pittsburgh. From George Batterbury. Describes his

journey Philadelphia - Pittsburgh. Hot and uncomfortable. Proceeding on to Cincinnatti. 2 pp.

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2	14	July	10, 1852 - July 30, 1852 - 12 items
		1.	July 10, 1852. From Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Parent, concerned for his sons at St. Mary's, is encouraged by their reports. 2 pages.
		2.	July 12, 1852, Baltimore. From Ben Savinon (?). Writer is displeased with his son's education at St. Mary's Philadelphia and wants to enroll him at St. Mary's Wilmington. l page.
		3.	July 13, 1852, Havana. From Saturminot Barinaga. In Spanish. Parent is pleased to send his boys to St. Mary and expresses his preference for their studies. 3 pages.
		4.	July 13, 1852, Camden, Oneida County, N.Y. From Robert Kelaher. Writer, a priest, can no longer exercise his pastoral duties, requests Fr. Reilly to accept him as a teacher and desires to sanctify himself at a religious retreat. 2 pages.
		5.	July 13, 1852, Portsmouth, Ohio. From GeorgeBatterburg. Describes his trip on the steamer from Pittsburgh. Hot weather - Cholera in areas close to the river - Slow moving due to low water in the river. A postscript - after arriving at Cincinnatti. 4 pp.
		5A.	July 13, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poev. News of other families who have interest in St. Mary. 1 page.
		6.	July 14, 1852, New York. From A. S. Gavilan. Writes about his errand to see a Mr. Bowden who will communi- cate with Fr. Reilly. Writer has to leave Cuba due to his ill health. 1 page.
		7.	July 15, 1852, Louisville, Kentucky. From Beorge Batterburg. Writer has arrived at Louisville and must remain there until another steamer heading for St. Louis arrives. 3 pages.
		7A.	July 17, 1852, Hannibal. From James Peake. Letter of intorudction for Mr. Collins who will take charge of writer's son's education after he leaves St. Mary. 1 page.
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8. July 19, 1852, Philadelphia. From E. Roth. Writer has a report on a meeting of June 30 which, before it is printed in the "Pilot", should be read by Fr. Reilly if he can possibly get to Philadelphia. 1 page.

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2 14 9. July 23, 1852, Hannibal, Ohio. From George Batterburg. The writer has visited some mutual friends in the area. He reports that one of the servants had died of cholera. Very hot in the area. 4 pages.

> 10. July 23, 1852, New Orleans. From H. Blair. A friend, Mrs. McCabe, intends to give power of attorney to a lawyer, Phillipe McCabe, to authorize him to act for her and receive all sums that are due to her. Writer recommends against this due to McCabe's reputation. 2 pages.

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- 15 July 23, 1852 August 11, 1852 13 items
 - July 23, 1852, New York. From William Francis Roche. A student requests Fr. Reilly not to ship his trunk because he will be returning to school. The student's brother had requested that the trunk be shipped. 1 page.
 - July 23, 1852, New York. From Juan Villaverde. In Spanish. Former student is attempting to find his trunk. 2 pages.
 - 2A. July 29, 1852, New York. From E. W. Brown. Cannot pay a bill for one of the students because his account is without funds. However, money is promised. 1 pagge.
 - July 27, 1852. From Francis Julio Dominguer. In Spanish. Direction to Fr. Reilly for one of the students. Also financial arrangements. 3 pages.
 - July 28, 1852, New York. From John Knight. A student, now in New York enjoying the people, the family and the general surroundings, requests that Fr. Reilly send his mother the bill for his expenses.
 2 pages.
 - July 29, 1852, Hannibal, Ohio. From Hardage Lane. The writer was escorted to Hannibal by Mr. Batterburg. who has since left. Writer requests papers be forwarded. 1 page.
 - July 29, 1852, Kellyville. From E. Roth. Writer was sent out of town when Fr. Reilly went to Philadelphia to see him. Writer does not know why Fr. Reilly was in Philadelphia. Describes his whereabouts and plans. 1 page.
 - 6A. June 30, 1852. From James Page. Writer wants some charges justified/explained before he pays bill. 1 page.
 - August 2, 1852, Guilford. From John Villaverde. In Spanish. See item 2 of this file. More data on lost trunk. 2 pages.

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2	15	8.	August 3, 1852, Cape Island, N.J. From E. Roth. (See item 6 of this folder. Writer expects to see Fr. Reilly at the resort for several reasons - one of which he wants money so that he can proceed to Wilmington. Describes the weather and enjoyments. 1 page.
		8A.	August 4, 1862, Memphis. From Sarah Green. This is a repeat of a prior letter. Thanks Fr. Reilly for prior payment. Wants to have balance of \$20.00. l page.
		9.	August 10, 1852, Philadelphia. From Francis Julio Dominguer. In Spanish. Parent is settling a bill. 2 pages.
		10.	August 11, 1852, Havana. From Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Parent is pleased with sons' report. Some concern about their pranks at school. 2 pages.

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2	16	August 12, 1852 - August 25, 1852 - 13 items	
2		August 12, 1852 - Magage 25, 1052 - 25 from T.D. Shaw. Writer had gone to New York to place his son, Thompson, in a commercial house but the son has been very ill since his arrival. Writer describes a "Poor Alice Julia's" illness which brings her close to death. 1 page.	
		 August 13, 1852, New Albany, Ind. From George Batterburg. Arrived from St. Mary ill and will stay at New Albany to rest and recoup from illness. Describes his plans to return to Wilmington. Requests Fr. Reilly to attend to some of his money matters and Fr. Reilly send him a long letter of news in Wilmington, since he understands there is a cholera epidemic in Wilmington. 3 pages. 	
		A. August 14, 1852, Temperenceville. From John Martin, Jr. Student requests his bill and cannot return to St. Mary's due to illness. He mentions Bishop Neuman has officiated at a German church. 1 page.	
		B. August 14, 1852, Baltimore. From C. M. McBay (?). Will pay bill as soon as she knows amount. Writer is sorry that her boy has remained at St. Mary's in spite of his behavior. I page.	
		C. August 14, 1852, Charleston. From Fr. P. O'Neill. Writes about money matters for students from Charleston. 1 page.	
		 August 15, 1852. From E. Stan. Will send her son back to St. Mary where all is fine except for one teacher, Mr. Dowles. Plans to send a second son to St. Mary. Requests courses for the first son because his father 	
		feels he would be a good engineer. 2 pages. . August 17, 1852, Philadelphia. From Ricard Rodriguiz. In Spanish. Student request clothing. 2 pages.	
		August 18, 1852, Philadelphia. From Edward J. Sousin (?) Letter of recommendation for Mr. John O'Conned who wishes to enroll his son in St. Mary. 1 page.	
		• August 19, 1852, Baltimore. From Ben A. Savinon. Pleased with his son's progress and will tend to the bill immediately. 1 page.	

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2	16	 August 23, 1852. From John Ohl & Son. Two boys were recommended by Mr. J. Poey. The writer is pleased. Writer believes their progress will be very satisfactory. One boy, Paul, has palms which are affected by a cold. On back page Names of books used at St. Mary's. Letter is in French. Translation included. 2 pages. 	
		 8. August 23, 1852, Weaverville, Trinity County, Ca. No signature. Parentsof one of the students have finally arrived in California where they purchased a hotel which appears to be successful. Writes about some general news of the area. Cannot send money immediately to St. Mary because the nearest station where a draft may be purchased is San Francisco - 400 miles. 3 pages. 	
		9. August 24, 1852, Macon Georgia. From W. B. Watts. The writer's son, Alexander, has left college and the father is not pleased. The son stated that he wants to study medicine and that some courses he wants are not available at St. Mary's. Father will direct son to return to St. Mary. 1 page.	
		10. August 25, 1852, Dover. From Catherine. Written by a sister of one of the students. Parents are pleased with the son's progress and express gratitude. l page.	

Box Folder		Incoming Non-business Letters	
2	17	August 26, 1852 - September 14, 1852 - 12 items.	
		1. August 26, 1852, Delaware Place. From B. Davis. Writer's sons have had some poor marks in studies and attendance. Writer requests that he discipline them unless they have written excuse from parents. 1 page.	
		 September 1, 1852, Newport, Ohio. From George Batterburg. Writer has seen his sister and her son who now, after his brother-in-laws has died, are living in a rough log cabin which is far from ideally located. Writer defines his plans in returning to Wilmington. 4 pages. 	
		 September 2, 1852, Guilford. From Juan Villaverde. In Spanish. Student is having problems locating his trunk. 2 pages. 	
		4. September 2, 1852, Baltimore. From Hannah McGrery. Writer's son was sent to St. Mary. He arrived in Wilmington, sent his trunk on to college and then returned home. Writer request that Fr. Reilly take care of the trunk and she will do all in her power to return to college. 1 page.	
		5. September 6, 1852, Portsmouth, Virginia. From F. Destin. Letter of introduction and religious cre- dentials for a Mrs. Cheater. 1 page.	
		6. September 6, 1852, Brooklyn. From Jose Macia. In Spanish. Writer informs Fr. Reilly of book status for Urrubin boys. Concerned about boys' behavior. 2 pages.	
		 6A. September 7, 1852, Jersey City. Note: There are 2 letters on this document. 1. From Fr. J. Kelly Describes circumstances of Edward McCosker who works to enter St. Mary's. 2. From Edward McCosker, New York. Writer wants to become a priest and he offers Fr. Reilly a plan of deferred payments so that he may attend St. Mary's. 	

3 pages for both letters.

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2	17	7.	September 8, 1852, U.S. Hotel, Philadelphia. From A.G. Allen. Writer is pleased with his son's progress and encloses a check for his bill. Writer does not want to have son study the violin because it interfers with study. 1 page.
		8.	September 8, 1852, Newbern, Va. From Bernard Coll. The writer, a native of Ireland, is poor but has a thirst for knowledge. He would like to work his way thru St. Mary's and, after graduation, would strive to open up and direct a catholic school. 2 pages.
		8A.	September 9, 1852, St. Louis. Mo. From Thomas Gault. Requests receipt for money paid by Mr. Peake, a client, so that the estate may be settled. 1 page.
		9.	September 9, 1852, Philadelphia. From T. D. Shaw. Inform Fr. Reilly about his son's health which has improved and about an "Alice Julia" who is grief stricken and weak. 1 page.
		10.	September 14, 1852, Baltimore. From Hannah McGrery. See item 4 of this folder. Mrs. McGrery's son refuses to go back to college. She request that his trunk be returned and a bill for any expenses incurred. 1 page.

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2	18	Sept	ember 23, 1852 - October 6, 1852 - 10 items.
		1.	September 15, 1852, Havana. From Saturninet Barinaga. In Spanish. Parent is concerned about his boys' health and offers suggestions. 4 pages.
		2.	September 15, 1852, Guilford. From Juan Villaverde. In Spanish. Requests painting of college so that he may advertise the college in Panama. 3 pages.
		3.	September 16, 1852, New York City. From Sr. M. Agnes. Refusal of a lay teacher, recommended by Fr. Reilly for an appointment at the convent. 2 pages.
		4.	September 23, 1852, Baltimore. From Hannah McGreery. Writer has requested that her grandson's trunk be returned. However, trunk has not arrived and writer fears it is lost or Fr. Reilly is holding it until his bill has been satisfied. I page.
		5.	September 25, 1852, Wilmington. From J. O'Donaghy. Dinner invitation. l page.
		6.	September 29, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. One of the writer's friends, Sr. Juan Reyes, has sent his son to St. Mary's but when he arrived at school, he was intercepted by 2 cousins who were leaving St. Mary. Since the father has not heard from the son, writer requests Fr. Reilly to locate the son and write to the parent.
		-	Write to the parent. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to deliver one of his Cuban students to a New York agent so that he may be returned to Cuba. Stident's health is not compatible with Wilmington climate. 2 pages.
		7.	October 3, 1852. From Sarah Mumford. Requests lowest price to send a student to St. Mary. 1 page.
		8.	October 4, 1852, Philadelphia. From Fronco Julio Domingo. In Spanish. Parent is settling financial problems. 2 pages.
		9.	October 4, 1852, Philadelphia. From J. O'Fanile. Writer is seeking information on a friend, James Mc Fadden, who was to visit Fr. Reilly but who has

apparently lost his powers of reasoning and, now,

cannot be found. 1 page.

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2 18 10. October 6, 1852, Philadelphia. From John F. Ole & Son. Informs Fr. Reilly that a Cuban boy, Juan de Los Reyes, is on his way to St. Mary's. 1 page.

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2	19	October 10, 1852 - October 27, 1852 - 12 items
		 October 10, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. By a misunderstanding, a Cuban boy was sent to New York and, from there, to Cuba, and he was leaving St. Mary's due to ill health. Writer explains misunderstanding, apologizes for the boy's mother and requests Fr. Reilly to accept the boy back to St. Mary. 2 pages.
		 October 11, 1852, Havana. From M.V. In Spanish. Parent is very concerned about an error his New York agent made regarding his boys' travel and education. Explains what his desires are. 5 pages.
		 October 11, 1852, Havana. From Mariano Voristia. In Spanish. By the handwriting, writer is same as item 2 of this file. Confirms error of New York agent. 2 pages.
		 October 17, 1852, Newark. From Anne Finegan. Sends money and expresses approval for her son to study French if Fr. Reilly approves. 1 page.
		4A. October 19, 1852, Baltimore. From Hannah McGueey (?). Sends payment for son who has been removed from St. Mary's. Son is now attending Loyola U. but writer is concerned that he will become a truant when he tires of school. 1 page.
		 October 19, 1852, Havana. From Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Parent tries to explain his boys' tempera- ments. 4 pages.

- October 20, 1852, Havana. From (illegible). In Spanish. Sending money and directions by steamer to Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.
- 6A. October 20, 1852, Havana. From Jose Poey. Writer is pleased about the progress of some of the Cuban students. He takes the liberty to return them to St. Mary's for future training and defines what subjects should be taught to them. 1 page.
- October 22, 1852, Philadelphia. From E. C. Brewster. Writer offers to assist in a legal suit. 2 pages.

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2	19	8. October 26, 1852, Boston. From Ben Burgess & Sons. A legal firm has been commissioned to provide a boy from Trinidad de Cuba an American education. Firm is sending boy to St. Mary with assurances that all expenses will be paid. 1 page.
		 October 26, 1852, New York. From Manual Bosque. In Spanish. Writer has letters from a student's mother and wants to forward them. 2 pages.
		 October 27, 1852, Baltimore. From Jane E. Beston. Writer is withdrawing her son from school because of finances. 1 page.

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2	20	Octo	ber 29, 1852 - November 30, 1852 - 14 items
		1.	October 29, 1852, Baltimore. From Jane E. Beston. See item 10, Box 2, Folder 19. Writer wants her son to return to school but can pay only \$40 but will make up difference in June 1853. She requests Fr. Reilly's approval. 1 page.
		2.	October 29, 1852, Havana. From (illegible). In Spanish. Boys are returning to college. Tries to explain reasons for boys' behavior. Wants boys to be mechanics. Sends money. 8 pp.
		3.	November 1, 1852, Boston. From Ben Burgess & Sons. A charge, Martin Justis Cantero of Trinidad de Cuba, has arrived at St. Mary. Writer expresses desire that student concentrate on English studies. 1 page.
		4.	November 2, 1852, Philadelphia. From Edward Soinni. Status of two priests. One will stay at St. Mary's pending Bishops orders. The second has problems and will not be sent to St. Mary. 1 page.
		5.	November 4, 1852, Boston. From Ben Burgess & Sons. See item 3 of this file. Student will be allowed to study drawing and music if they do not interfere with his primary studies. 1 page.
		5А.	November 6, 1852, Savannah. From John Cass. Writer is guardian for 3 boys one of who goes to St. Mary. Due to finances, the writer would like to send all 3 boys to St. Mary's if Fr. Reilly will reduce the costs to be the same as two other schools. 1 page.
		6.	November 9, 1852, Macon. From W. B. Watts. Writer's son claims to be in ill health and wants to return home for the winter months. Writer has given son approval if required but requests Fr. Reilly to investigate. l page.
		7.	November 11, 1852, Havana. From Sr. de les Reyes. In Spanish. Writer wants his son, Juan, who is ill, to return home to recover. 3 pages.

7A. November 13, 1852, Philadelphia. From P. L. Laquirenna (?). Sends money for his nephew's education. Writer is not pleased with the boy writing both in handwriting and composition. He requests Fr. Reilly to investigate. 1 page.

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2	20	8.	November 13, 1852, Philadelphia. From Edw. Soinni. See item 4 of this file. Further information on the two priests. l page.
		9.	November 14, 1852, Philadelphia. From John Camile. Writer requests that his be allowed to smoke a cigar now and then if Fr. Reilly approves. 1 page.
		9A.	November 16, 1852. From Jane E. Beston. Sends money for son's education and requests that Fr. Reilly do all he can for the boy. 1 page.
		9B.	November 27, 1852, New York. From Archbishop Hughes. Loaned a party money based on party's statement that Fr. Reilly says he's O.K. Requests answer. 1 page.
		10.	November 30, 1852. From P. Andrew Vroblen (?). Recommends that a teacher who has not brought a certificate with him be given a test before a commission. However, writer feels that the teacher is capable of teaching Latin, Greek and math. 1 page.

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3	1 .	November 30, 1852 - December 18, 1852 - 14 items
		 November 30, 1852, New York. From Fr. Rossano. In Latin. (No translation) 4 pages.
		1A. December 2, 1852, Sarannah. From John Cass. Writer is guardian of 3 orphans who want to go to college. In prior letter writer was going to send two of them to another college which was cheaper. Now this college has reniged and the writer will send boy to St. Mary's. 1 page.
		2. December 5, 1852, Bristol, PA. From James Johnson. Writer has financial problems but requests Fr. Reilly to take his son back with the understanding that he will pay when he can. l page.
		 2A. December 5, 1852. From Manuel Villaverde. In Spanish. Student is leaving college - has luggage problems. 2 pages.
		 3. December 7, 1852, Weaverville. From D. S. Graham. Espresses thanks to Fr. Reilly on the treatment given to writer's son. Also approves of his sons studying music - particularly piano. Writer has bought a large house but will sell it and return home. Writer does not like country. 1 page.
		4. December 9, 1852, Havana. From (illegible) In Spanish. Writer sends money to encourage the boys to study and apply themselves. 1 page.
		5. December 10, 1852, Philadelphia, from P. Hamilton. Expresses appreciation for the many kindnesses afforded to his son and himself. 1 page.
		6. December 15, 1852, Chester, from Edw. Roberts. Writer could not discharge his obligation on time and requests approval of new plan. 1 page.
		 December 15, 1852, Savannah, from J. Mahony. Expresses appreciation on his son's progress which, at first, was not very good but has improved. 2 pages.
		8. December 16, 1852, Philadelphia, from Wm. McGrugan. Letter of introduction for a man who will preresent the writer on some business matters with Fr. Reilly.

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3	1	December 17, 1852, Villanova College, from M.A. Meagher, Requests information in instruction given for the writer's ward who is currently enrolled at Villanova. 1 page.	r.
		0. December 18, 1852, from G. J. Bradley. Note requesting acceptance of a gift for Fr. Reilly's altar. 1 page.	
		OA. December 1852, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Writer had written to Fr. Reilly in behalf of Edw. McCosker who wanted to become a priest but had no funds. In this letter he regrets not following thru but McCosker's deportment has been bad. Writer goes on to discuss hard times and possible aid from England. 3 pages.	
		OB. December 1852, New York, from Jose Villaverde.	

10B. December 1852, New York, from Jose Villaverde. A former student is being sent to another school by his father and now is looking for his trunks which he feels are at St. Mary. 2 pages.

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3	2	December 20, 1852 - January 21, 1853 - 14 items
	:	1. December 20, 1852, Savannah, from John Cass. Payment of dividends and tuition for one of the students. Writer is concerned that one of the boys was not sent to college. 1 page.
and a second second second second		2. December 27, 1852, Matangas, from George A. Knight. Writer wants information as to his brother's progress at St. Mary, 1 page.
		 December 29, 1852, Brooklyn, NY, from Jose Macia. In Spanish. Writer investigating trip to Havana for 2 students. 2 pages.
		 December 31, 1852, from Mariane, in Spanish. Illegible. 3 pages.
		5. January 4, 1853, Philadelphia, from John N – Bishop of Philadelphia. Rev. P.S. Coffee will go to St. Mary. Writer appreciates cooperation. 1 page.
		6. January 5, 1853, Philadelphia, from M. Macy. Wants Fr. Reilly to explain some charges. 1 page.
		6A. January 5, 1853, Savannah, from John Cass. The writer, guardian of 3 orphans at St. Mary, has had difficulty raising the school expenses. There is a misunderstanding between Fr. Reilly and the writer who, in this letter, defines recommenda- tions to pay the bills. 1 page.
		7. January 8, 1853, from Thomas Abernathy. Writer's son is returning to school but wants his son to drop history because he cannot commit data to memory. Wants Fr. Reilly to be easy on son until the memory improves. 1 page.
		8. January 8, 1853, Philadelphia, from J. A. Honan. Writer describes his qualifications in French. 2 pages.
		9. January 9, 1853, Philadelphia, from B. M. Calhoun. Writer approves, with Fr. Reilly's permission, his son's starting to study French or Greek. In addition wants to be sure son pays attention to arithmetic. 1 page.

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3	2	9A.	January 13, 1853, Wilmington, from Phillip Plunkett. Writer complains about the expensive books and that his son scribbles all over the books. Wants son to bring books home periodically so that he can examine them. l page.
·		9B.	January 17, 1853, from T. M. Hopkins. A student's father has died. Writer is collecting estate's bills in order to pay Fr. Reilly. l page.
		10.	January 19, 1853, Havana, from (illegible), in Spanish. Mother of students is very dismayed about sons' behavior and application. Discusses corrective actions and punishment. 6 pages.
		11.	January 21, 1853, from Committee of Arrangement. Invitation to 19th anniversary of Athenaen Literary Society. 1 page.

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- 3 3 January 22, 1853 March 5, 1853 16 items
 - January 22, 1853, Macon, from W. B. Watts. Writer is concerned about his son's leaving St. Mary without permission. Writer hopes son is just visiting someone in Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - 1A. January 30, 1853, from E. O. Stan. Pays a bill. Wants Fr. Reilly to stimulate her boys and she wants one of the boys to read certain books which she will define later. 1 page.
 - February 1, 1853, New York, from W. McClellan. Writer has a box of books which belong to a Mr. Graham and, which are to be sent to St. Mary as soon as Graham's son attends college. Writer awaits Fr. Reilly's directions. Question of power of attorney discussed. 1 page.
 - February 2, 1853, Philadelphia, from George W. Todwise. Writer is trustee of an estate and having communication difficulties with a Mr. Macauley on some property. Request Fr. Reilly's assistance. 1 page.
 - 3A. February 6, 1853, New York, from Joseph D. Arguellis. Requests information if the writer's bills have been paid and wants receipt. 1 page.
 - February 7, 1853, Trinidad de Cuba, from Jose Pertusio. In Spanish. Writer has lost school bill and requests another. 2 pages.
 - 5. February 10, 1853, Philadelphia, from George Hyde. Writer gives permission for his son to study drawing provided he has given sufficient attention to present studies and Fr. Reilly approves. 1 page.
 - 5A. February 18, 1853, Philadelphia, from Mary Matthews. Sends money for son's boots. Writer is concerned about her son's behavior and suggests that he study drawing. 1 page.
 - February 20, 1853, Cardenas, from A.S. Gavilon. Ex student, writing for his father, wants to pay Fr. Reilly for what is owed but will not pay for good treatment he received at St. Marv's. 1 page.

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3	3	7. February 21, 1853, Newark, from Catherine A. Corr Writer is sending a message for her mother who wa surprised and regretful that one of her sons returned home without permission. Mother will se him back to college. I page.	as
		7A. February 22, 1853, Philadelphia, from M.A. Frenye The writer is interceding for a person who owes a bill which can be paid from a deposit made at the school. l page.	a
		7B. February 26, 1853, Marietta, Ohio, from Peter (illegible) Requests a receipt for money forward l page.	ded.
		7C. March 3, 1853, Baltimore, from Jane E. Bestor. Sends money for her son who is careless and has 1 all his Christmas money. In addition, she compla to Fr. Reilly that her son's letters remain in th office several days prior to posting. 1 page.	ains he

8. Note: This document contains two letters. Letter No. 1 March 2, 1853, Albany, from John Costigan to Fr. J. Kelly. Writer has distributed copies of a lecture to the Gov., Lt. Gov., and leading members of the legislature. Lecture concerns sectarian subjects relative to public schools. 1 bage.

Letter No. 2 March 4, 1853, Jersey City, from J. Kelly. Forwards letter No. 1 to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.

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- 9. March 3, 1853, Havana, from Sr. Reves, in Spanish. Writer is arranging to send sons to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
- March 5, 1853, Matamoras, from John Bayley. Writer, 10. with permission of a student's mother, Sra Pou, wants to have the student sent to Philadelphia at end of school term. 2 pages.

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3	4	Marc	ch 4, 1853 - April 15, 1853 - 19 items
		1.	March 4, 1853, Bristol, Tenn., from J. G. Shaw Writer is very concerned about a student's extravagance. 4 pages.
		2.	March 5, 1853, Foy Mills, from Joseph Willcox. Informs Fr. Reilly of death of his (writer's) father. l page.
		2A.	March 8, 1853, Philadelphia, from M. A. Frenenya. Writer has collected money for a bill owed to St. Mary by a Mrs. Hogan. l page.
		2B.	March 9, 1853, Bordentown, from T.M. Hopkinson. Acknowledges Fr. Reilly's bill but wants it corrected for time son was not at St. Mary's. 1 page.
		2C.	March 15, 1853, Savannah, from E. H. Kinchley. Sends money for brother's bill. Hopes that there is no ill feeling but he wants brother to return home because the student is not contented. 1 page.
		2D.	March 18, 1853, Philadelphia, from P. S. Laquirenne. Pays bill. He is concerned that his nephew is not doing well because his nephew's name was not in the school bulletin. 1 page.
		3.	March 21, 1953, Philadelphia, from M. A. dos Santos. A newsy letter about friends and about a poor widow who wants to send her son to St. Mary but can only pay \$2.00 a week. 2 pages.
		4.	March 22, 1853, Guilford, Conn., from John Villaverde. In Spanish. Problem with clothing charges by Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
		4A.	March 23, 1853, Philadelphia, from M. A. Frenenye. Interceding for a Mrs. Hogan who had received some money from Fr. Reilly. Letter is a receipt. 1 page.
		5.	March 24, 1853, Philadelphia, from G. W. Codwise. Writer has been ordered to New Orleans and has issued direction as to how payments on a bond will be paid for by Fr. Reilly. 1 page.

- 5A. April 1, 1853, Jersey City, from Fr. John Kelly.- Has collected a check for Fr. Reilly.

 - The Archbishop has postponed the building of the Cathedral and urges erection of schools. The writer defines his change of plans. 2 pages.

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3	4	5B.	 April 6, 1853, Jersey City, from Fr. John Kelly. See item 5A above. Has cashed check for Fr. Reilly and will remit money. Has heard nothing about the rumor that the Archbishop was going to Europe. 1 page.
		6.	April 7, 1853, Philadelphia, from M. G. Frenage. Letter of introduction for a Mr. Fox. 1 page.
		7.	April 8, 1853, Brandvwine Village, from P. Miller. Writer wants to remove son, who is ill, from St. Mary. 1 page.
		7A.	 April 11, 1853, Matamoras, from George A. Knight. Pays a bill for his brother's education. Has found a position for his brother in an accounting office and requests Fr. Reilly send him home. 1 page.
		8.	April 13, 1853, Philadelphia, from B. M. Calhoun. Request to have one of the students sent to Phila- delphia so to have him in court where his guardian will be chosen. 1 page.
		9.	April 13, 1853, New York, from John Loughlin. Writer has some questions on a document named "Coyne" 2 pages.
		10.	April 15, 1853, Zara, from Joseph Pertusio. Letter of introduction and recommendation for a Nicholas Boggiano who wants to learn English at St. Mary's. 1 page.
		10A.	April 18, 1853, Newark, from Anne Finigan. Pays a bill for a student. Writer is displeased with the student's progress in writing. 1 page.

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3	5	April 22, 1853 - May 19, 1853 - 10 items
		 April 22, 1853, Havana, from Jose Poev. Sends payments for a student, Sr. Unrutia. Complains that the student's father does not hear from his son and, therefore, would like some data as to the son's progress.
		 April 22, 1853, Havana, from Sr. Reves. In Spanish. Father discussed vacation trip for son. Sends gifts to Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.
		3. April 23, 1853, Trinidad de Cuba, from Antonio Boggiano. In Spanish. Father is sending son to St. Mary. 2 pp.
		4. April 28, 1853, Baltimore, from J. R. Bestow. Writer has not heard from Fr. Reilly as to writer's son's being accepted in the drawing course. 1 page
		5. April 29, 1853, New York, from John S. Knight. Writer describes his trip to New York. 1 page.
		 May 3, 1853, Jersey City, from George Battenbury. Writer has arrived from England and settled an account with a Mr. Cranston for Fr. Reilly. Visited Fr. J. Kelly. Writer is unwell. 4 pages.
		7. May 10, 1853, Philadelphia, from Sam Welsh. Letter of introduction Don Nicholas Baggioni. l page.
		8. May 11, 1853, Baltimore, from J. R. Bestow. Request for charges to allow writer's son to remain until Nov. 1 at St. Mary. 1 page.
		 May 11, 1853, Jersey City, from Rev. J. Kelly. Writer ponders over the trials and tribulations of a priest. 3 pages.
		10. May 19, 1853, Baltimore, from Joseph McFarland. Writer requests statement from Fr. Reilly that he attended St. Mary's and dates. 1 page.

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3	6	May 19, 1853 - June 8, 1853 - 12 items
		 May 19, 1853, Philadelphia, from Sam Welch. Letter of introduction for Juan N. J. Rodrigues who will attend St. Mary's. 1 page.
		 May 22, 1853, South Carolina Cottage, from J. Carolon. Writer describes his problems in trying to get enough money to pay a student's next half year's pension. 2 pages.
		3. May 25, 1853, Baltimore, from Jane E. Bestow. States that son's trunk had arrived. 1 page.
		3A. May 25, 1853, Baltimore, from Jane E. Bestor. Has returned trunk sooner than expected. 1 page.
		 June 3, 1853, New York, from Alice C. Shubrick. The writer, a postulate in the Order of Mercy, describes her duties, how much miserv exists in a large city and expresses her happiness in being able to do some good. Describes the ceremony on the Feast of Sister Magdelone of Pizza. 2 pages.
		4A. June 8, 1853, New York, from Everett W. Brown. Has received bill for Manuel Villaverde's education and is forwarding it to Sr. Villaverde for payment. 1 page.
		5. June 9, 1853, Philadelphia, from George Hyde. Writer has investigated the whereabouts of his son, Barry, and concluded there has been a misunder- standing and no cause for anxiety. 2 pages.
		6. June 6, 1853, Newark, NJ, from Philip F. Corrigan. Writer's brother has left St. Mary's very suddenly and so close to vacation. Family has not seen him. Writer feels there is no problem because they feel boy must work very hard and realize that he should have never left school. 1 page.
		7. June 7, 1853, Havana, from Saturmino Barinage. In Spanish. Boy's father has given permission for boys to go to Philadelphia during vacation. 2 pp.
		8. June 7, 1853, Havana, from Sr. Reyes. In Spanish.

(2 letters - duplicates.) Concern for sons at college. 3 pages.

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3	6	9. June 7, 1853, Chester, PA, from Edw. Roberts. Writer is distressed over the disappearance of a student, Orlando, from St. Mary's. 1 page.
		 10. June 8, 1853, Binghanton, NY, from George Batterbury. Writer had arrived from Jersey City for a water cure. He had a large boil on his hand. Describes his treatment for the boil and the area around Binghamton. 2 pages.

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3	7	June 11, 1853 - June 20, 1853 - 12 items
		 June 11, 1853, Havana, from Raphael Pintado. Writer describes his itinerary since he left Wilmington and arrived at Havana. Writer met a man - Aranguron - who had traveled throughout Europe and professed to have learned many things. Writer does not believe him and tested him by asking a question in Italian. He failed. 2 pages.
		 June 11, 1853, Havana, from Jose Pou. Writer is sending his son, Simon, back to college and states while the son's English has not improved, he has improved in other branches. Son wishes to learn commerce. 1 page.
		 June 11, 1853, Brooklyn, from Wm. P. Savage. Writer is a student of Latin at St. Francis Xavier and wants to transfer to St. Mary. Describes his academic assets but has little or no money. He is willing to work to earn his way thru college. 3 pages.
		 June 12, 1853, Havana, from Estabon Reyes. In Spanish. This is a letter to 3 students at St. Mary. Writer describes his trip where he saw students' family. 2 pages.
		5. June 13, 1853, from Thomas Abernathy. Writer is concerned as to the progress his son, Charles, who has not written in over a month. 1 page.
		 June 13, 1853, St. Mary's Asylum, from Sister Breman. Writer is an old friend of Fr. Reilly and has heard that Fr. Reilly was going to sell St. Mary. She does not believe it but asks Fr. Reilly about it. Describes the work some of the sisters are doing. 3 pages.
		 June 14, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. Writer is at a water cure spa. He has improved. Describes his treatments, the area and some of the other people at the spa. 4 pages.

- 7A. June 16, 1853, Sarannah, from John Cass.
 Writer is guaridan for 2 Quigley boys, students at St. Mary's. He sends money to pay bills.
 - Older student wants to go to Newarke to learn a trade but writer rejects this because he feels it's a trick to leave school. Writer requests Fr. Reilly hold tight reins on second boy who the writer feels is not doing well in his studies. 1 page.

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3 7	7B. June 16, 1853, Philadelphia, from John H. Ecky. Sends money to pay bills for one of his Cuban charges. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that his partner has died and that he has taken full charge of the firm and will be responsible for the Cuban boy. 1 page.
	8. June 16, 1853, East Berlin, PA, from Bartholomew Lynch. Writer wants to attend St. Mary's and is inquiring data on specific subjects. 2 pages.
	 8A. June 18, 1853, Chagres, from Sr. Manuel Villaverde. The writer has received Fr. Reilly's bill and will pay it after the dozen of shirts he ordered for his son are delivered. P.S. In Spanish - written by the writer on the writer's son - "He received a strong letter from Juan and the shirts were never made." 1 page.
	 June 20, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. Writer is at a spa where he is undergoing treatment. Fr. Reilly may send a mutual friend, Justo Cantero, to the spa. Writer requests information so that he may help. Writes about some of the successful cures at the spa, the local, the railroad. 4 pages.

10. June 20, 1853, Newark, NJ, from Thomas Corrigon. Writer's son who left St. Mary's without permission, has been located and now repents and wants to return to college. 1 page.

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3	8	June 20, 1853 - June 29, 1853 - 12 items
		 June 20, 1853, from Edward Roberts. Writer's son left St. Mary's without permission with two other (See Box 3, folder 7, item 10). Writer has located his son and has returned home. 2 pages.
		 June 21, 1853, Boston, from Benj Bruger & Sons. (See box 3, file 7, item 9). Permission to send a student, Justo Cantero, to Binghamton for a water cure. 1 page.
		3. June 21, 1853, Philadelphia, from Timothy Lynch. Writer is sending some books from which Fr. Reilly will pick out what he wants. 1 page.
		 June 23, 1853, Philadelphia, from P. A. Scanlon. Writer has located a bible, printed in Spanish, which Fr. Reilly may want. 1 page.
		5. June 24, 1853, Philadelphia, from Henry Mayer. Writer's request has been denied. 1 page.
		6. June 25, 1853, Chesapeake City, from Charles W. Bradie. Writer wants to attend St. Mary but must work to earn tuition and will board outside the college. 1 page.
		6A. June 22, 1853, Philadelphia, from P. S. Laguierenni. Writer's brother has directed that his (not writer) son be sent to Mexico where the father will evaluate the son and determine if the boy will return to St. Mary's. In addition, the parents would like to know what subjects the boy should continue while in Mexico. 1 page.
		 June 26, 1853, Carbon County, PA, from P.J. Coffey. Due to local business, writer cannot accept Fr. Reilly's invitation to attend commencement. Expect Fr. Reilly to visit him. 2 pages.
		 8. June 27, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. - Writer is at a spa undergoing water cure. - Writer does not know how much longer he will be at the spa and doctors who examined him state that there is a slight heart problem caused by indigestion. - Awaits information on Justo Canero (See box 3, file 8, item 2)

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3	8	 June 27, 1853, continued Awaits information as to whether Fr. Reilly will come to spa for cure. Describes a person, addicted to morphine taken to reduce pain, is now cured of his malady but must continue on the morphine. 4 pages.
		8A. June 28, 1853, Camron, from Thomas Abernathy. Writer is very pleased with his son's progress and is returning the boy to St. Mary's. 1 page.
		9. June 29, 1853, Newark, NJ, from P. Moran. Writer is suggesting visit exchanges. 1 page.
		10. June 29, 1853, Havana, from Jose Pou. Writer is directing a son of one of his business associates to St. Mary's. 1 page.

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3	9	July 3, 1853 - July 19, 1853 - 10 items
		 July 1, 1853, Baltimore, from J. R. Bestor. Request for list of exercises to be conducted on July 30. 1 page.
		2. July 2, 1853, St. Peters, from P. A. Pendergast. Apology for the Bishop's not coming to the distribu- tion and a dinner invitation for Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
		3. July 3, 1853, New York, from Edward M. Cosker. Writer has found accommodations for Fr. Reilly and friends New York visit. 2 pages.
		 July 9, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. Writer has not heard from Fr. Reilly concerning Justo Cantero. Writes about his health. 2 pages.
		5. July 9, 1853, Philadelphia, from John Ecky. Permission for one of his charges, Master Codrington, to accompany Fr. Reilly to New York if cost is not too great. Requests costs. 1 page.
		 July 15, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. - (See box 3, folder 9, item 4) - Writer has heard that Fr. Reilly is in Cape May and is concerned that he may not be at the spa if Fr. Reilly arrives with Justo Cantero. 2 pages.
		7. July 15, 1853, Seminaire de Philosophie, Angers, France. From G. Raymond. Writer supplies excellent recommenda- tions for a professeur who wants to settle in America. 2 pages.
		 July 16, 1853, Philadelphia, from John Ecky. - (See box 3, folder 9, item 5) - Writer was unaware as to the seriousness of his charge's illness. While the writer has no faith in the water cure, he sends money to Fr. Reilly for expenses to take his charge for the cure. 1 page.
		9. July 17, 1853, Dagsboro, from Joseph Barnard. Writer will be removing his son from St. Mary's but wishes that his son be taught chemistry before leaving St. Mary's. 1 page.

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3	9	10. July 19, 1853, Fishkill Landing, Dutchess Co., from Ed Roth. Writer and Mr. McCabe are at Fishkill and want Fr. Reilly to stop in if he comes up the Hudson River. 1 page.

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3	10	July 19, 1853 - July 28, 1853 - 10 items
		 July 19, 1853, Philadelphia, from S. Welsh. Writer was in error in sending one of his charges, Master Juarez, to St. Mary's and requests end date of term. 1 page.
		 July 20, 1853, Havana, from Jose Pou. Writer is sending his son Simon to continue his studies at St. Mary's. Son wants to study commerce. Writer will send another son, Pepe, to St. Mary's later. A business friend's son is going to St. Mary's at the same time as Simon. The writer will be responsible for his expenses. (See Box 3, folder 8, item 10.) Wants updated prospectus - particularly printed in Spanish and stating that the college is Catholic and teaches religion. 2 pages.
		3. July 20, 1853, Chagre, from Manuel Jose Villaverde. In Spanish. Explains a money problem. 2 pages.
		 July 22, 1853, Fishkill Landing, Dutchess Co., from Ed Roth. (See Box 3, Folder 9, Item 10.) Writer is at a water cure spa. Writer is disappointed that Fr. Reill- did not stop in Fishkill. The writer and E. McCabe are leaving to go back to Wilmington and defines his planned itinerary. Requests Fr. Reilly to send money. 2 pages.
		5. July 23, 1853, New York, from Luis Simon Poy. Writer is in New York and on his way to Binghamton. Reports on his stay in New York. 2 pages.
		 July 24, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. Writer is concerned that L. Pou (See Box 3, Folder 10, Item 5) and his companions did not show up. The writer will be leaving Binghamton shortly and running short of money. 3 pages.
		7. July 26, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. (See Box 3, Folder 10, Item 6) Writer is very dis- turbed. He received a letter from Luis Pou stating time he would arrive at Binghamton but no one showed up at the train station. Writer is leaving Binghamton in 2 days. Writer requests \$15.00 since he is low on funds. 2 pages.

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 July 27, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. (See Box 3, Folder 10, Item 7) Reiterates that he has not heard from Luis Pou. Defines his future plan in going to Wilmington. 2 pages.

- 9. July 27, 1853, Binghamton, from George Batterbury. (See Box 3, Folder 10, Item 8) Writer has received Fr. Reilly's letter informing him that Luis Pou and his friends are back at St. Mary's. Reiterates his plan to return to Wilmington. 1 page.
- July 28, 1853, (city illegible), from (name torn off) Guardian of Don Antonio Boggiano is removing Boggiano from St. Marv at the father's direction. Request

 Send Don Antonio and his effects to the city (2) Send account.
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3	11	July 29, 1853 - August 17, 1853 - 11 items
		 July 29, 1853, New York City, from George Batterbury. (See Box 3, Folder 10, Item 9) Writer has arrived in New York and describes his visits in New York. Will be in Wilmington on Monday, August 1. 1 page.
		2. July 29, 1853, Mount Prospect Water Cure, from Luis Pou. Writer needs extra money for he and his friend, Justo Cantero, because they will remain for about 2 weeks. However, Justo Cantero may remain longer (approximately 1 month). Writer has seen George Batterbury. (See Box 3, Folder 11, Item 1). 2 pp.

- August 1, 1853, Philadelphia, from Edw. Soinin. Writer is concerned that some students will be withdrawn from St. Mary's due to improper activities by Spanish students. 3 pages.
- August 7, 1853, Mount Prospect, Binghamton, from Luis Pou. (See Box 3, Folder 11, Item 2) Writer and his friend, Justo Cantero, are progressing. States plans in returning to Wilmington. 2 pages.
- August 8, 1853, Charleston, SC. from Alfred Hugar. Defines dates for mail makeups for Kev West and Cuba. 1 page.
- August 8, 1853, Binghamton, from Justo Cantero. In Spanish. Writer, with eye problems, a short general note to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- August 8, 1853, Philadelphia, from T. D. Shaw. Writer is concerned about his wife who is in Cape May. 2 pages.
- August 9, 1853, Rockaway, from Edw. M. Cosker. Writer is transferring from St. Mary's to a school in Baltimore and requests a letter of recommendation – a requirement of the new school. 3 pages.
- 8A. August 14, 1853, Camrow, from Thos. Abernathy. Writer is sending boy to St. Mary's with the hope that he conducts himself well. Writer has sent payment. 1 page.

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- 3 11 9. August 15, 1853, Wexford, Ireland, from Jos. Conway. The writer has some relatives, by marriage, who owe money to him but, as yet, not paid any attention to letters. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly assist in getting the debt settled. 4 pages.
 - August 17, 1853, New York, from Edw. M. Coster. Writer wants to settle an account but feels there is an error. 3 pages.

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3 12 August 17, 1853 - August 31, 1853 - 11 items

- August 17, 1853, Washington, from Sister Maria. Renews old acquaintence with Fr. Reilly and asks for prayers during the Octave of the Nativity of the Blessed Mother. 3 pages.
- August 18, 1853, Havana, from Vincente Larrinaga. In Spanish. Writer, returning to Cuba, describes his trip, in particular, he was disturbed about the behavior (rude and selfish) of two boys. 4 pages.
- 3. August 18, 1853, Charleston, SC, from P. N. Lynch. Letter of introduction for a Mrs. Preston who is taking her son to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- August 21, 1853, Binghamton, from Justo Cantero. In Spanish. Writer, taking the water cure, writes about his life. 2 pages.
- August 22, 1853, New York, from Fr. William McClellan. Letter of introduction and recommendation for a Master Metthew Geoffrey. 1 page.
- 6. August 22, 1853, Ivy Mills, from Edward J. Willcox. Informs Fr. Reilly of some of the particulars for a dedication which will take place on Sunday. 1 page.
- 6A. August 23, 1853, Philadelphia, from J. Page. Has received bill and will send check. 1 page.
- 7. August 25, 1853, Binghamton, from Justo Cantero. (See Box 3, Folder 12, Item 4.) In Spanish. Writer is having a problem getting his clothes from the express company. 2 pages.
- 8. August 26, 1853, Cardonas, from John T. Knight. Reports on his progress since leaving St. Mary. 1 page.
- August 27, 1853, Philadelphia, from James Sutton. Writer is removing his son from St. Mary's due to some changes in regulations. 1 page.
- August 31, 1853, Baltimore, from Michael McDonald. Writer's stepson, Thomas Hutchinson, wants to return to St. Mary's after spending time at sea where he learned that education is important. 1 page.

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3 13 August, 1853 - September 7, 1853 - 10 items

- August 1853, St. Mary's College, from Students. This is a petition from some of the students who promise to study hard, keep out of trouble and conduct themselves quietly during play hours. 2 pages.
- September 1, 1853, Nashville, Tenn., from (?) Bedford. Father is informing Rev. Reilly that he (the father) is urging and persuading his son to be more attentive in class. Expresses hope that his methods will be successful. 1 page.
- 3. September 1, 1853, Savannah, from P. J. Cawlan. The family of one of the St. Mary students has been gravely ill. The father died suddenly and the rest of the family has been split up and being cared for by different people. 2 pages.
- September 1, 1853, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly. Writer informs Rev. Reilly of his plan to educate his children. 1 page.
- 5. September 2, 1853, Binghamton, from G. Cantero. In Spanish. Writer, taking the water cure, would like to leave. 2 pages.
- 6. September 2, 1853, New York, from ??. Expression of regret caused by a clerical error. 1 page.
- 7. September 3, 1853, Jersey City, from J. Kelly. A newsy letter. Several members of the church are a little disturbed at Fr. Reilly for not having called. Fr. Kelly is sending a new instructor to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
- September 4, 1853, Binghamton, from G. Cantero. In Spanish. Writer, taking water cure, asks a favor. Also, he is getting fat. 2 pages.
- September 6, 1853, from Francis Morris. Writer's son has requested some money to take care of knee he injured in a fall. Writer is forwarding some money. 1 page.
- 10. September 7, 1853, Binghamton, from (?) Thayer. (See items 5 and 8 of this file) G. Cantero, a St. Mary student, has had a misunderstanding with one of the bath attendents. Writer has resolved the problem. 1 page.

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3	14	September 6, 1853 - September 23, 1853 - 11 items
		 September 6, 1853, Philadelphia, from Sarah Holahan. Writer is not sending one son, john, back to St. Mary because he is ill and requests that Fr. Reilly submit a status report on her second son, Amos. 1 page.
		 September 7, 1853, from Fr. J. Kellv. New instructor who is being sent to St. Mary's by Fr. Kelly has been detained. Fr. Kelly is very disturbed at an article written in a newspaper, evidently from Ireland. A Fr. Lynch has picked up 11 candidates for a . Writes of quality of candidates from England. Writes about Rev. O'Hanlon, who has visited Ireland. 3 pages.
		3. September 12, 1853, Delaware Place, from S. B. Davis. Writer has received word of his son's misbehavior and suggests to Fr. Reilly to punish him severely. 1 page.
		4. September 15, 1853, Binghamton, from G. Cantero. In Spanish. Writer discusses his treatment. 2 pages.
		 September 15, 1853, Philadelphia, from Dr. H. Meier. Good status report for James O'Donnell. See items 5 and 7 of this folder. 1 page.
		 September 19, 1853, Philadelphia, from Dr. H. Meier. Good status report for James O'Donnell. See items 5 and 7 of this folder. 1 page.
		 7. September 16, 1853, Philadelphia, from Dr. Meier. See items 5 and 6 of this folder. Good status report on James O'Donnell. Document contains typed advertisement of Dr. Meier's facility. 2 pages.
		8. September 20, 1853, Philadelphia, from A. Chamberlain. Writer describes his illness which caused him to temporarily lose his memory. 1 page.
		9. September 21, 1853, Binghamton, from G. Cantero. See item 4 of this folder. In Spanish. Writer is leaving the water cure. 2 pages.

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September 23, 1853, from James O'Donnell. See items 10. 5, 5, and 7 of this folder. Writer feels better and requests that Fr. Reilly send after him because he wants to return to college. 1 page.

11. September 24, 1853, Philadelphia, from Dr. Meier. Good status report on the health of James O'Donnell. Document contains typed advertisement of Dr. Mejer's facility. 2 pages.

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- 3 15 September 26, 1853 October 13, 1853 9 items
 - September 26, 1853, Carbon Co., PA, from Fr. Jos. Coffey. Fr. Coffey tells of his parish debt and his hopes of having it all paid up. Expresses gratitude to Fr. Reilly for his help. 2 pages.
 - September 26, 1853, New York, from James McMannus. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's opinion on the integrity of a Mr. Gray who is holding some of the writer's money. 1 page.
 - 3. Relocated. Dated September 24, 1853
 - September 28, 1853, Savannah, from John Cass. Writer is requesting data for a friend who wants to send his son to St. Mary's. Writes about other students at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 5. September 28, 1853, Peru, Ill., from M. Reilly (Fr. Reilly's brother). Writer is going into business with G. Batterbury. Writer does not need money at present because he expects payment on some photographs he will be taking. 1 page.
 - September 1853, Savannah, from Jane Carolan. Mrs. Carolan, the writer, has suffered great loss. She and her family has been very ill. Mr. Carolan died and her family has been split. She now is physically well and will get her family together. 2 pages.
 - October 3, 1853, Trinidad, from Dr. Nicolas Gallo. In Spanish. Writer requests a new bill since he lost last bill. He also will recommend to a friend to send son to St. Mary. 2 pages.
 - 8. October 3, 1853, Philadelphia, from Tom Mason. A student, Juan Lewis, is having denture work performed. 1 page.
 - 9. October 11, 1853, Wilmington, from James Gallagher. Writer's son goes to St. Mary's part time. He is studying drawing which seems to be his niche. 1 page.

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3	15	 10. October 13, 1853, Carbon Co., PA, from Fr. Patrick J. Coffey. - Writer will go to St. Mary's to visit and bring his
		sister along. - Fr. Coffey's church at Mauch Chunk is completed and
		will be dedicated on December 8. 2 pages.

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- October 14, 1853 October 25, 1853 11 items 3 16
 - 1. October 14, 1853, Emmettsburg Village, from B. J. Randolph. The writer tries to correct any misunderstanding Fr. Reilly may have concerning the writer's intentions to help St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 2. October 14, 1853, Havana, from Jose Poey. - Writer's son, Sirercen, is doing very well at St. Mary's. Another son, Pepe, is at St. Mary's.
 - The two sons want to visit a Mrs. Gallagher for the Christmas holidays. The writer approves if Fr. Reilly approves but after the visit wants the sons to remain at St. Mary's to concentrate on studies.
 - Another family, Delgado, has sent a son who is verv lacking in formal education to St. Mary and hopes that, through Fr. Reilly's efforts, he will improve. Another Delgado son will attend St. Mary's next year. - Another student, Master Matamoras, will be returning from St. Marv's and will visit writer.

3 pages.

- 3. October 16, 1853, Philadelphia, from A. Merino. - Due to breakdown in communication, the writer placed a Master Gabriel Arongo mistakingly at St. Mary. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to let the boy remain at St. Mary's until he can get clarification.
 - In a post script, the writer has found out what the correct college is but feels St. Mary is better. The writer feels that once the student sees the other college, he will return to St. Mary. 2 pages.
- 4. October 18, 1853, Wexford, Ireland, from Joseph Conway. Writer, through Fr. Reilly, is trying to collect a debt from a Mr. Fluin in America. Writer expresses gratitude to Fr. Reilly for all his help. 2 pages.
- October 18, 1853, Philadelphia, from A. Merino. 5. See item 3 of this folder. Master Gabriel Arango who was placed in St. Mary's by error is to remain at St. Mary's for 3 months. 1 page.
- October 19, 1853, Matangas, from Luis Dam'as Pou. 6. - Writer returned to Cuba with some letters to be delivered for Fr. Reilly. He has done so. - Writer has seen his sister-in-law and two sisters died of cholera and he was not informed.

- Box Folder Incoming Non-business Letters 3 16 6. continued - He has obtained temporary employment and did not see a Mr. Bagley (a person to whom the writer was recommended by Fr. Reilly) who is in Europe. 3 pp. October 21,1853, Havana, from Saturnin Barrinaja. 7. In Spanish. Discusses his satisfaction with St. Mary's College. 2 pages. 8. October 20,1853, Havana, from Jose Poey. See item 6 of this folder. Writer is very pleased with one of his son's progress. Defines study objectives for a second boy who will leave for St. Mary's on October 27. - Helps recruit boys for St. Mary's. 2 pages. 8A. October 20, 1853, Emmittsburg, from B.J. Randolph. Writer, having heard from Fr. Reilly, regrets having to remain in Emmittsburg for a longer period of time. Because of time of year, expresses concern for trip. 1 page. 9. October 22, 1853, Havana, from Vincente Larrinaga. In Spanish. Pays a bill and also sends money for his boys. However, he is concerned with the boys' conduct and application. 3 pages.
 - October 25, 1853, Savannah, from Jane E. Carolan. 10. - Writer has had very bad sicknesses in her family. Now, her brother-in-law has passed away.
 - Pleads with Fr. Reilly to allow her son to remain in school although she cannot immediately pay the bill.
 - Other friends are in dire need. 4 nages.

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- 17 October 25, 1853 November 13, 1853 10 items
 - October 25, 1853, Havana, from Jose Poey.
 Letter of introduction for his son, Pepe.
 - Sends money and copies of two Havana papers which contain St. Mary's prospectus. 1 page.
 - October 26, 1853, Havana, from Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Writer is concerned with his boys' education.
 2 pages.
 - 3. October 27, 1853, Marshall Co., Va., from Thomas Abernathy. Writer gives permission for his son to drop Latin if Fr. Reilly feels it will help in other studies. 1 page.
 - 4. November 3, 1853, from Jane Bestor. Writer is sending her son, Rollin, to St. Mary's and gives permission for him to go to town with other boys and a teacher. 1 page.
 - 5. November 3, 1853, Carbon Co., PA, from Fr. Patrick J. Coffey. Presents plan of visits to Fr. Reilly. 2 pp.
 - November 8, 1853, Wexford, Ireland, from Joseph Conway.
 Writer encloses all the bills owed by Mr. Flinn along with an explanation.
 - In addition, the writer has heard not written that his brother-in-law owes Fr. Flinn 5 pounds which Mr. Conway will pay Mr. Flinn upon settlement of his bill. 4 pages.
 - 7. November 7, 1853, from George Hyde. Informs Fr. Reilly of when two students will go to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 8. November 11, 1853, Sarannah, from Jane E. Carolan. Expresses appreciation for allowing her son to remain at St. Mary's even though she cannot immediately pay. Mrs. Carolan has been plagued with sickness to herself and her family and has lost her husband and brotherin-law very suddenly. 2 pages.
 - 9. November 11, 1853, Philadelphia, from Edward Souren. Cautions Fr. Reilly not to be concerned about his (the writer's) problem because he will lay it all out to the bishop. 1 page.

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3	17	 10. November 13, 1853, Stafford Co., VA, from Peter Oates. Writer requires an affadavit of his character in order to apply for his naturalization papers. Writer has son at St. Mary's, has health problems in the family and cannot practice his religion properly since there is no priest nearer than 70 miles. 3 pages.

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November 15, 1853 - December 12, 1853 - 10 Items

- November 15, 1853, Emmittsburg, from B. J. Randolph. Writer is awaiting final word before he reports to work at St. Mary's. He describes his humble background. 2 pages.
- November 20, 1853, Havana, from Jose Poey.
 Writer has 2 sons, Simon and Pepe, at St. Mary's. Pepe has just arrived. Discusses what he feels they should study.
 - Writer is sending a son of another friend to St. Mary and since the boy is young and cannot speak English, it would be helpful if Fr. Reilly knew someone in Philadelphia to assist him (and in the future, others) to get to St. Mary's.
 l page.
- 3. November 21, 1853, Havana, from Vincente Larrinaga. Writer is sending a young man to St. Mary. Sends money for his education and itemizes the account. Sends other moneys for his boys. 4 pages. (In Spanish)
- November 21, 1853, Selany Grove, from H. W. Snyder. Writer wants to send his son to St. Mary's and is inquiring as to the school requirements for clothing, books, payments, etc. 1 page.
- November 27, 1853, St. Mary's Asylum, from Sister Berman. A newsy letter from a sister who was at St. Peter's school when Fr. Reilly was pastor of St. Peter's. Writer recalls happy memories and gives news of mutual acquaintences. 3 pages.
- November 28, 1853, from Peter Burke. Writer complains about punishment given to his son by a Mr. Savage. 1 page.
- 7. December 2, 1853, Alexandria Boarding School, from C. West. Writer is a former St. Mary student who was transferred to the Boarding school by his father who wishes his som to be an engineer and go to West Point.

Writer states that there were no ill feelings about his transfer but that his father thought that the new school offered better courses for his objective.
Writer wishes he were back in St. Mary's. 1 page.

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3	18	 December 5, 1853, Stafford Co., Virginia, from Peter R. Oates. Requests an urgent response to his previous request. 1 page.
		9. December 11, 1853, from Mary B. Wilcox. Writer has heard that Fr. Reilly will come to say mass at his parish and invites Fr. Reilly to spend Christmas with them. 2 pages.
		10. December 12, 1853, Matanzas, from Louis D. Pau St. Mary graduate has found his permanent job and

expresses gratitude. - Writer requests books to help Spanish students to study English and is starting to be a go-between for sending Spanish students to St. Mary's, 2 pages.

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December 13, 1853 - December 29, 1853 - 14 Items

- 1. December 13, 1853, French St., from W. Chapter. Writer has conducted a drawing class for Fr. Reilly and has never been paid and has been treated very badly. A rather nasty and pointed letter. 4 pages.
- December 16, 1853, Baltimore, from Janes Bestor. Writer has 2 sons at St. Mary's and they have been a problem. However, writer feels badly about their attitudes but feels that they have respect for Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
- December 17, 1853, Matanzas, from Louis Pau. Bad news (written in Spanish) about Vicente Larringan sent to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- December 18, 1853, Havana, from ???. In Spanish. Two students, having lost their guardian, are to be returned to Cuba. 2 pages.
- 5. December 19, 1853, New Castle, Del., from Mathias Coffin. Will arrive on Tuesday, AM. 1 page.
- December 19, 1853, Chester, from Edward W. Roberts. Writer has been unable to pay his bills but expects a large sum after January 1st. He will pay at that time. 1 page.
- 6A. December 21, 1853, Savannah, from John Cass.
 Sends payment. Requests state of health and progress of the Quigley boys. Requests courses for one of the boys. 1 page.
- 7. December 21, 1853, Havana, from Jose Pou.
 Writer is pleased to hear how his younger son is progressing.
 - Writes about V. Larrinaga (see item 3 of this file) who has died and left no will. As a result the widow has no income because the estate belongs to the sons. Writer requests immediate action to send the two Larrinaga boys back to Cuba. 2 pages.
- 7A. December 24, 1853, Cardenes, from A. S. Gavilan. Writer, a former student, berates Fr. Reilly for going to another source to obtain the writer's father's address. Fr. Reilly claims he owed a bill. The writer states that his father is honest, well known, and able to pay any bill. Requests an itemized bill for his father. 2 pages.

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1 page.

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- 20 December 29, 1853 - January 17, 1854 - 10 Items
 - December 29, 1853, Guilford, CT, from John Villaverde. 1. Writer is very disturbed about money sent to Fr. Reilly for the purpose of buying shirts for the writer. Full purchase has not been made and the writer accuses Fr. Reilly of dishonesty. 1 page.
 - 2. 1853, Labantha del a Palma, from Raphael Reyes. In Spanish. Illegible. 2 pages.
 - 3. January 5, 1854, Metangas, from Louis D. Pou. A newsy letter about former students of St. Mary. 2 pp
 - 4. January 9, 1854, Philadelphia, from Catherine Carolan. Writer will keep James Carolan until the 16th to see his mother. 1 page.
 - 5. January 10, 1854, Baltimore, from J. Murphy. Requests Fr. Reilly to inform writer as to how his son, Bernard, is progressing. 1 page.
 - January 10, 1854, Brandywine, from J. T. Walsh. 6. Letter of introduction for 2 boys who want to go to St. Marv's for only a few months to improve their education. 1 page.
 - 7. January 15, 1854, from Chapter. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that unless his bill is satisfied by Jan. 18, he will place the bill in legal hands for collection. 1 page.
 - 8. January 16, 1854, Brooklyn, from P. O'Donnell. Writer gives his permission for his son to study music provided it does not interfere with his other studies. 1 page.
 - January 16, 1854, Newark, NJ, from P. Moran. 9. - Writer is very displeased as to how Fr. Reilly was treated in New York City and Cape May. He has some suggestions as to how he would treat the culprits. - Recommends a boy to attend St. Mary's and prepare for the ministery. Payments and other requirements are discussed. 3 pages.

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3	20	 10. January 17, 1854, Philadelphia, from Francis Morris. Writer feels his son's taking Latin was not very useful since the son can hardly spell correctly. Writer wanted to go to St. Mary's to discuss the matter but was taken ill. 1 page.

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- 4 1 January 20, 1854 February 4, 1854 10 Items
 - January 20, 1854, Havana, from Saturnino Barinaga. Writer expresses gratitude to Fr. Reilly and describes his happy reunion with his family. 1 page.
 - January 23, 1854, New York, from James Martin. Writer is Fr. Reilly's cousin and is inquiring as to the state of health of Fr. Reilly's parents. 2 pages.
 - 3. January 23, 1854, Wilmington, from M. C. Patterson, Attorney. Attorney Patterson has been engaged by Dr. Chapter who has had a major disagreement with Fr. Reilly over payment for services owed to Dr. Chapter. The doctor wants \$200 for his service but the attorney, Mr. Patterson, has an agreement that he will accept \$123. However, the agreement is only valid for one week. 3 pp.
 - 4. January 24, 1854, Philadelphia, from Jamet Carolan. Mrs. Carolan has had much sickness and several deaths in her immediate family. She has held her son, James, from school for a long time and wants to keep him longer. 1 page.
 - January 20, 1854, Wilmington, from M. Patterson, attorney. See item 3 of this folder. There has been an exchange between Fr. Reilly and attorney Patterson on Dr. Chapter's claim. A receipt has been sent by attorney Patterson but no mention of payment has been made. 1 page.
 - 6. January 24, 1854, Carmelite Convent, Ireland, from Mathew Scally. The writer is sending the letter in behalf of his housekeeper who had a brother, John Kevs, die while residing in Wilmington. Housekeeper is attempting to obtain whatever property her brother may have left. 2 pp.
 - January 24, 1854, Philadelphia, from James Young. Writer is inquiring for terms to send his son to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 8. January 30, 1854, Newark, NJ, from P. Moran. Letter of introduction for a new student, Edw. Hickey, who is being sent to St. Mary under the writer's responsibility. 1 pg.
 - 9. February 3, 1854, Wilmington, from Ephiam Fauvre. Writer is requesting payment promised by Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 10. February 4, 1854, Carbon Co., PA., from P.J. Coffey, Writer feels he cannot take care of his parishioners by himself and wants to run away. He has written to the Bishop but no response. He is now requesting Fr. Reilly's advice. 1 page.

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- February 4, 1854 February 20, 1854 10 Items
- February 4, 1854, Matanxas (?), from Louis Pou. After reading books sent to him by Fr. Reilly, the writer has a better understanding of the 1848/49 revolution. Writer wants a list of expenditures for his education at St. Mary's. Sends news of mutual friends who are in Cuba. 3 pages.
- February 6, 1854, Havana, from Saturnino Barinagan. Expresses gratitude in hearing from Fr. Reilly and having missed the very bad weather in Wilmington. 1 page.
- February 6, 1854, Havana, from Jose Pou. The Unnutia boys returned safely to see their mother before their education was completed, for which the writer regrets. Writer is pleased with his boy's progress. 1 page.
- 4. February 6, 1854, Philadelphia, from D. Shaw. News of writer's friends. 2 pages.
- 5. February 11, 1854, St. Alphonse Church, from P. Francis Krutil. Appeal to Fr. Reilly to employ a needy teacher from France. 1 page.
- February 13, 1854, New York, from J. W. Cohlbro (?).
 Corrects a financial debt owed by Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- February 14, 1854, Charleston, SC, from J. Preston.
 Writer expresses concern for his son who has improved but the parent wants him to improve at a better rate. 2 pp.
- 8. February 16, 1854, Philadelphia, from Francis Morris. Writer's son has been badgered and challenged to fight. He wants the matter corrected or he will be forced to take matters in his own hands. 1 page.
- 9. February 19, 1854, Baltimore, from Jane Bestor. Request to defer payments on bill. 1 page.
- February 20, 1854, Havana, from Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Expresses wishes as to subjects a father wants his sons to study at college. 2 pages.

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February 21, 1854 - March 13, 1854 - 10 Items

- February 21, 1854, Philadelphia, from Francis Morris. Writer's son had been badgered and challenged to fights. Writer has received Fr. Reilly's response and is satisfied with the action taken. He apoligizes for his thoughtless comments in his original letter to Fr. Reilly and explains some of the thoughts behind those comments. He has not given his son permission to smoke on school premises but off the school grounds. 2 pages.
- Februarv 22, 1854, Charleston, SC, from J. Preston. Writer pays his bill and is pleased with his son's progress, but is concerned with his son's extravagence.
 2 pages.
- 3. February 27, 1854, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Request for notarized statement that Messers. McNally and Reilly taught at St. Mary's. 1 page.
- February 28, 1854, Havana, from B.A.B. (initials), in Spanish. Letter is womewhat illegible. A parent has heard that his son has been ill, expresses concern. 3 pages.
- February 28, 1854, Havana, from Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. A parent expresses concern for his son and the son of a friend. 2 pages.
- 6. March 2, 1854, Matansas, from Louis D. Pou. Expresses thanks for articles sent to him by Fr. Reilly but requests no more items be sent since postage rates have increased enormously. 1 page.
- March 2, 1854, Carroll Co., Marvland, from B.J. Randolph. Writer, who is waiting for a teacher's opening at St. Mary's, informs Fr. Reilly of his change of address. 1 page.
- 8. March 7, 1854, Havana, from Jose Pou. Writer settles accounts. Expresses thanks for his sons', Pepe and Simon, progress and gives Fr. Reilly his thoughts on the sons' study habits. 1 page.
- 9. March 8, 1854, Bristol, MD, from Robert Shyne. Writer, who, in his younger years, wanted to become a priest but could not, requests a teaching position at little or no pay and with the opportunity of becoming a priest. 2 pages.

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10. March 13, 1854, Philadelphia, from Thomas P. Colgan. Writer has contacted Fr. Reilly for a friend, Mrs. McElroy, whose son is in St. Mary's. The letter addresses a bill which Mrs. McElroy feels is extremely high and requests Fr. Reilly to review the bill. 2 pages.

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- March 14, 1854 April 4, 1854 13 Items
 - 1. March 14, 1854, from John Roger. Request for prospectus. Writer wants to send his brother to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 1A. March 17, 1854, Newark, from Michael Reilly. Sends requested receipt and defines spending money for student. 1 page.
 - 1B. March 20, 1854, Philadelphia, from Thomas Dengg (?). Explains why he didn't pay bill on time. 1 page.
 - March 20, 1854, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly. Pays a bill for Edward. Writer is concerned that Edward's progress is not good because his style of writing is not good and he makes many errors. 1 page.
 - 3. March 21, 1854, from Peter N. Brennan. Mr. DuPont is very ill and, although his medication is helping, there is still apprehension. 1 page.
 - 4. March 23, 1854, Nashville, from Wm. Bedford. Father agrees with son's desire to drop Spanish classes but continue French with Fr. Reilly's approval. 1 page.
 - 5. March 24, 1854, Carbon Co., PA, from P.J. Coffev. Fr. Coffey had written to Fr. Reilly for his advice on his (Fr. Coffey) being discouraged with his parish and wanted to leave the priesthood. Writer thanks Fr. Reilly for his help, has seen the Bishop and has gathered strength to continue. He will leave the parish on January 1, 1855. Coffey is expecting a visit from 2 priests for Holy Week and requests Fr. Reilly to be there also. 3 pages.
 - 6. March 24, 1854, Havana, from Sr. Reyes. In Spanish. Illegible. 2 pages.
 - 6A. March 27, 1854, from P. Brennan. See item 3 of this folder. Another report, not too encouraging, on Mr. DuPont's condition. 1 page.
 - 7. March 28, 1854, Pittsburgh, from Joseph Lonagan. Writer is requesting data on his grandfather's health. 1 page.
 - March 29, 1854, Long Island, NY, from J.A. Jackson. Writer requests a prospectus for his son who wishes to obtain a classical education. Does not want his son to attend Episcopal church. 2 pages.

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- 9. March 31, 1854, from Petter Brennan. See item 3 and 6
 - of this folder. Mr. Dupont is improving. 1 page.
- April 4, 1854, Bristol, from Robert Shyne. Writer has been trying to obtain a teacher's position at St. Mary's for a long time. He now has an appointment to see Fr. Reilly. 1 page.

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April 12, 1854 - May 9, 1854 - 12 Items

- 1. April 12, 1854, Philadelphia, from J. G. Dougherty. Request for circulars to send to his brother (in Cuba) who will forward it to a friend who wants to send his 13 year old son to an American school. 1 page.
- 1A. April 14, 1854, Wilmington, Del., from Alfred DuPont. Offers use of loan to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- April 15, 1854, Wilmington, Del., from Any D. D'ouville. In French. Writer, a friend, requests a prospectus for some of his acquaintances one of whom wants to send 3 sons to St. Mary. 2 pages.
- 3. April 18, 1854, Bristol, MD., from R. Shyne. Writer has been seeking a teacher's position at St. Mary for a long time. In previous letter, he was making an appointment to meet with Fr. Reilly, in May or June. 1 page.
- 4. April 19, 1854, Philadelphia, from Anj D'Ouville, in French. See item 2 of this folder. Writer identifies person who wants to send 3 boys to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 5. April 25, 1854, New Ross, Ireland, from Joseph Conway. Fr. Reilly is assisting the writer in collecting a debt from a Mr. Flinn who is from the Wilmington area. The writer has not heard from Fr. Reilly in a long time. He reiterates his hardships in Ireland and is willing to accept payment in installments. 2 pages.
- 6. April 28, 1854, Milwaukee, Wis., from P. O'Hennessy. The writer, an immigrant from Ireland, requests data on St. Mary because he wants to leave his place of employment and add to his education. He writes about his background and what he has been doing since coming to America. Has letters of recommendation on his character. 3 pages.
- 6A. April 1, 1854, Havana, from Sr. L ? In Spanish. Parent defines his payment plan, his son's educational aims, and itinerary to Wilmington. 1 page.
- 7. May 1, 1854, from Cantwel. Writer has satisfied all his debts with Fr. Reilly.

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- May 3, 1854, New York, from Mohllair. Writer has paid his debt to Fr. Kelly and wants to draw some money from Fr. Reilly.
- 9. May 6, 1854, Monmouth Co., NJ, from John Brennan. Writer would like a position as an assistant teacher at a very low pay. 1 page.
- 10. May 9, 1854, Philadelphia, from F. A. Manderfield. Asks respite on a bill he owes. 1 page.

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- 6 May 12, 1854 May 24, 1854 10 Items
 - 1. May 12, 1854, from Lizzie. A thank you note. 1 page.
 - May 18, 1854, Philadelphia, from A.F. Dos Santos (Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law) The writer attempted to get some boxes from Adams Express on Fr. Reilly's word. However, boxes had already been shipped to Wilmington. 1 pg.
 - 3. May 19, 1854, Philadelphia, from Francis Morris. Writer's son is unruly and is in the St. Marv Informary but does not want to stay there even though he is still stick. 1 pg.
 - 4. May 20, 1854, Havana, from Maria de los Ang. Pilona de Coronado. Writer is sending her 17 year old son to St. Mary's. The son has had epilectic fits at age 10 and has been protected by his mother. Now, mother sees the error in not sending him away to school and is correcting the error. Letter written in English by a friend but mother will send some letter in Spanish to Fr. Reilly. (See item 7 of this folder) 3 pages.
 - 5. May 20, 1854, Havana, from Sr. Reyes, in Spanish. Parent expresses faith in Father Reilly. 1 page.
 - 6. May 20, 1854, Baltimore, from J. Murphy. Letter #1 Writer has books which Fr. Reilly ordered in March. In addition he has other collections. Letter #2 - Writer wants Fr. Reilly's opinion on removing his son from St. Mary's for the summer and having him work in the store. 2 pages.
 - May 20, 1854, Havana, from Maria de los Angles Pilona de Coronado, in Spanish. See item 4 of this folder. Student's mother tells tales of woe regarding herself and her son. 2 pages.
 - 8. May 21, 1854, New York, from Pedro Palau, Writer has been sent a boy, Jose Valdes, from Vera Cruz to send to a college to learn English. The boy has been to Bridgeport, Conn, and now, the boy's father directed that the boy be sent to St. Mary's. Without any prior contact, the writer sent the boy to St. Mary's and writes to Fr. Reilly on what has occurred and accepts all financial responsibility. 1 page.

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- 4 6 9. May 24, 1854, Baltimore, from J. R. Bestor. Writer had sent a letter to Fr. Reilly to send her son with all his belongings to Baltimore. However, the event did not take place. This letter strongly reiterates the request. 2 pages.
 - 10. May 24, 1854, Philadelphia, from Durand. Note: Writer detained by business. 1 page.

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- 4 7 May 24, 1854 May 31, 1854 10 Items
 - May 24, 1854, Cardenas, from Cave P. Pascale, in Spanish. Difficult to read. It appears the writer is discussing the management of funds for his brother-in-law's education at St. Mary's. 4 pages.
 - May 28, 1854, New York, from Jose de Valdes, in Spanish. Writer, short of cash due to illness, requests conditions of payment at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 3. May 25, 1854, Havana, from Jose Poey. Writer is sending letter to Rev. John Kelly by way of a student - Lamirraga per Fr. Kelly's directions. Student Delgado and Coronado have been delayed but will leave on May 28. Coronado's mother will send Fr. Reilly further instructions. Young Delgado is frail and has little education since he lived in the country. Fr. Reilly is to monitor his health and return him to Cuba if his health gets worse. Delgado has a brother at St. Mary's and both are allowed to smoke cigars. (See items 4 and 6 of this folder.) 2 pages.
 - 4. May 26, 1854, Havana, from Jose Poey. See item 3 of this folder. Master Lamirraga is leaving on the 28th. 1 page.
 - 5. May 27, 1854, from Louis Dimas Poey. Writer has not heard from Srs. Gavalan or Pascale. 1 page.
 - May 28, 1854, Havana, from Jose Poev. See item 3 of this folder. Letter of introduction for Masters Delgado and Coronado. 1 page.
 - 7. May 29, 1854, Wilmington, from Seevis Rumford. Writer is pleased with improvements his son made at St. Mary's. However, he is looking for better improvement in Latin and reading. 1 page.
 - 8. May 30, 1854, Philadelphia, from James Boylen. Writer is requesting status on his two sons at St. Mary's. Writer is trying to get his sons to compete for a reward for the better improvement. 1 page.
 - 9. May 31, 1854, New York, from Pedro Palau. Writer has sent a student, Valdes, to St. Mary's and has not received word that he had arrived and what was his progress in school. Writer requests data so that he can forward it to the parents. 1 page.

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4 7 10. May 31, 1854, Baltimore, from Rollin. Writer left St. Mary's before commencement but will be there for commencement during which his brother will be praised. Writer hopes some praise may be bestowed on him (the writer) also. 1 page.

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4 8 June 5, 1854 - July 5, 1854 - 10 Items

- June 5, 1854, Havana, from Louis D. Pou. Writer reports that Sr. Pascale will not pay Fr. Reilly what is owed since he (Sr. Pascale) feels Fr. Reilly is at fault. Writer is afraid to write any more in his letter because of internal problems in Cuba. He feels a revolution is imminent. 1 page.
- 2. June 5, 1854, Westminster, MD, from B.J. Randolph. Writer has read that a gunpowder explosion in Wilmington has resulted in great damage to the surrounding area and that St. Mary's college had many windows shattered. He is sending a donation towards paying for the damage. 1 page.
- 3. June 11, 1854, Davinport, from James Moonev. Writer has received a check from Fr. Reilly but cannot change it until he knows there is monev to cover it. Requests a certificate of deposit. Describes his trip to the west. 2 pages.
- 4. June 13, 1854, Sharon Springs, from Peter N. Brennan. Writer is at a Spa but will be leaving soon. He expresses regret for the death of Fr. Reilly's niece and of the damage caused by the gunpowder plant explosion in Wilmington. 1 page.
- 5. June 15, 1854, Charleston, from J. Preston. Writer is very pleased with his sons progress at St. Mary's and wants his son to return home for a vacation. Writer also paid his bill. 1 page.
- June 18, 1854, from Eden Hall Institute. Informs Fr. Reilly of the date (July 18) for the distribution of premiums at the instatution. 1 page.
- 7. June 20, 1854, Savannah, from John Cass. Expresses hope that his sons are doing well at St. Mary's. He is concerned about the health of one of his sons. Pays his bill. 1 page.
- 8. June 30, 1854, Philadelphia, from Simon and Joseph Pou. Writers have heard from their father. They would like to borrow money until the father sends money down. 1 page.

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- 4 8 9. July 1, 1854, New York, from Wm. Denman. Published Fr. Reilly's motice in paper. 1 page.
 - July 5, 1854, Philadelphia, from John Mason. Discussion of money matters for a student, Juan Louis, who is requesting money for vacation. 1 page.

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- 4 9 July 7, 1854 July 19, 1854 10 Items
 - July 7, 1854, Havana Sra. Marie deLos Angeles Pitona. In Spanish. A parent requests money be given to his son and requests courses for his son. 2 pages.
 - 2. July 7, 1854, Camden, from Thomas D. Shaw, Jr. Having received his father's permission, writer wants to know when he may go to Cape May with Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - July 8, 1854, Notre Dame Univ., from E.B. Downing. Writer is looking for a professorship at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - July 8, 1854, Philadelphia, from Simon Pou. Writer is sending some Philadelphia Inquirer newspapers which has printed something from St. Mary's distribution day. Writer wants to borrow \$2.00 from Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - July 11, 1854, Philadelphia, from Mrs. C. Keenan. Informs Fr. Reilly of Thomas Sheridan's death and funeral. 1 page.
 - July 12, 1854, from Jane Bestor. Wants her son sent to Wilmington on the 19th. She will meet him there and return him to St. Mary's in a week or 10 days. She will also stop at St. Mary's at that time and wants to pay her bill. 1 page.
 - 7. July 13, 1854, Philadelphia, from Simon Pou. Writer presses for the \$2.00 loan. (see item 4 of this folder.) 1 page.
 - 8. July 14, 1854, Charleston, from J. Preston. Writer is very pleased with the effect St. Mary's education had on his son and the good influence the son has on his younger brother. 1 page.
 - 9. July 17, 1854, Carbon Co., PA, from P.J. Coffey. The writer never was able to attend St. Mary's Commencement because he was thrown from his wagon from which he was severely injured when his horse ran away. Wants Fr. Reilly to visit him and help by saying masses. Gives Fr. Reilly directions as to how to get to his house. 3 pages.
 - 10. July 19, 1854, Wittenburg, PA, from Thomas Abernathy. Writer's son arrived home but father does not know how he progressed in school. Asks Fr. Reilly for status. Son said he won some premiums at commencement but does not have them due to some error. 1 page.

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- 4 10 July 20, 1854 August 5, 1854 10 Items
 - 1. July 20, 1854, Eden Park, from C. Gauche. Letter of introduction for a French physicion who, after arriving in this country, met with an accident and lost every-thing. Writer is trying to get him a teaching position at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - Julv 21, 1854, Havana, from Sr. Reves. In Spanish. Parent is very concerned of her son's lack of writing home. 2 pages.
 - 3. Julv 24, 1854, Port Hudson, from P. A. Hardford. The writer, 9 years old, requests Fr. Reilly to write a composition on "Due Drop" (probably means "Dew Drop") for him so that he may present it in September. 1 page.
 - 4. July 27, 1854, Brooklvn, from Michael O'Grady. Writer is looking for a position as classical teacher at St. Mary's. Presents some of his credentials but more so, wants to be given a probationary position at little pay. l page.
 - 5. July 27, 1854, Philadelphia, from Simon Pou. Writer has been away in the country and could not respond to Fr. Reilly. Cannot send F. Delgado, a student, any more cigars unless he is sent some money to purchase them. He is still looking for a loan from Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 6. July 29, 1854, Carbon Co., PA, from P. J. Coffey. Writer has received advice from Fr. Reilly but still wishes the Bishop to believe him of some of the parish duties or give him a curate. Settles his bill with Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 7. August 2, 1854, Brooklyn, from Joseph H. Scarisbrick. Writer is seeking a professorship at St. Marv's. Presents his credentials and can obtain other recommendations if required. 2 pages.
 - 8. August 3, 1854, Bethlehem, PA, from George Batterburg. Writer, who has previously been under water cure treatment near Binghamton, NY, reports that he has been at the Ephrata Water Cure facility near Lancaster, PA and was very dissatisfied. He proceeded to Reading, a city he finds very much improved, and has undergone water cure treatment. Sends his regards to friends at St. Mary's. 4 pages.

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- 4 10 9. August 4, 1854, Selins Grove, from H. W. Snvder. Writer is waiting for his bill. Since there is a cholera epidemic in the Philadelphia area, writer wants to defer sending his son to St. Mary (which is close to Philadelphia). 1 page.
 - August 5, 1854, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Writes about Englishman, Scarisbrick. (see item 7 of this folder). Writes about church activities. 3 pages.

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 - August 9, 1854 December 2, 1854 10 Items
 - August 9, 1854, New York, from Edward Roth. Roth is on a business trip in which he has interviewed prospective teachers, students and parents. Speaks highly of a prospective teacher, O'Grady. 2 pages.
 - 2. August 10, 1854, Washington, from B.J. Randolph. Writer is waiting for a decision from Fr. Reilly on a teaching position. 1 page.
 - 3. August 13, 1854, Baltimore, from J.B. Schafleitner. In Latin. (Schafleitner is a German priest) Cannot kind offer. l page.
 - 4. August 16, 1854, Washington, from B.J. Randolph. See item 2 of this folder. Writer has received two letters of Fr. Reillv's which had been side tracked. He now will leave Washington to arrive at Wilmington the 25th. 1 pg.
 - 5. September 3, 1854, Washington, from B.J. Randolph. See item 4 of this folder. Writer is awaiting Fr. Reilly's response. 1 page.
 - 6. September 8, 1854, Philadelphia, from M. A. Dos Santos (Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law). News of relatives, friends and himself who have all been ill. A rather sad newsy letter. 3 pages.
 - 7. October 7, 1854, Dover, Del., from Edward Ridgely. The new political party, True American's Party which is being formed to primarily keep foreigners out of office. However, writer feels that the underlying reason is anticatholic. Party feels that catholics owe allegiances to the Pope. Writer feels catholics owe spiritual allegiance only and requested Fr. Reilly's advice. 4 pages.
 - 8. October 23, 1854, New York, from George Quackenbos. Writer is inquiring about a possible teacher's opening at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 9. November 22, 1854, Havana, from Maria de LosAngeles Pilona In Spanish. Parent is concerned about the punishment given to her son for some infractions at college. 3 pp.
 - 10. December 2, 1854, New Orleans, from Edgar Girard. Writer is trving to clarify the payment of his bill. 2 pages.

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- 4 12 December 8, 1854 January 4, 1854 11 Items
 - 1. December 8, 1854, Philadelphia, N. Mergre. In French. Writer has money to pay for the son's new semester and is trying to arrange payment. Would like his son home for Christmas. 3 pages.
 - December 10, 1854, Havana, from Sr. Lammoga, in Spanish. Parent is concerned about son's progress. Suggest subject changes. Also has another son to send to St. Mary. 3 pages.
 - December 21, 1854, from Wm. Rowan. Writer has an offer to teach at another college but is willing to teach at St. Mary if Fr. Reilly can match the offer. 2 pages.
 - 3A. December 24, 1854, Philadelphia, from M. A. Freneye. Received payment from Mr. Mansfield. 1 page.
 - 4. December 26, 1854, Wittenburg, PA, from Thomas Abernathy. Writer is paying part of his bill and is transferring his son to Lorata College which is closer to home. 1 page.
 - December 28, 1854, St. Catherine's Convent of Mercy New York, from Sister Mary Jerome. An old friend of Fr. Reilly. A very newsy letter about her life at the convent and about some mutual friends. 4 pages.
 - 6. December 30, 1854, Newark, NJ, from C. Moran. Writer is paying a debt to Fr. Reilly. Writer requests a bulletin on an Edward Hickey - a student at St. Marv's. Writer is disturbed that Fr. Reilly did not stop to see her when he went to New York. 1 page.
 - 7. January 3, 1855, Svracuse, NY, from Sister (illegible) A newly letter about mutual friends. 3 pages.
 - January 3, 1855, Philadelphia, from B. Calhoun. Writer's son, a St. Mary student, wants to enter in some king of business. Wants his son with some inducement by Fr. Reilly to write to a lawyer. 1 page.
 - 9. January 3, 1855, Philadelphia, from M. Mergre. Writer wants his son transferred from Mr. Durand's class because, Mr. Durand, after visiting the writer's home was rude. 1 page.
 - 10. January 4, 1855, from J. Walsh. Invitation to Fr. Reilly for dinner. 1 page.

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- 4 13 January 4, 1855 January 15, 1855 12 Items
 - 1. January 4, 1855, New York, from (illegible) Writer is seeking an opening for a young Cuban (M. Sicke) who has been recommended to go to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - January 5, 1855, Philadelphia, from John Mason. Writer wants to have a student meet a vessel which is going to haiti. 1 page.
 - 2A. January 5, 1855, Wittenburg, PA, from Thomas Abernathy. Pays bill. Writer's son is going to another college and is very dissatisfied. 2 pages.
 - 3. January 5, 1855, from J. S. Marsh. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly substitute for him at his parish. 1 page.
 - 4. Januarv 6, 1855, from Kate Bean. A letter from a former St. Peter's student who is inquiring about the school, old friends and Fr. Reilly and his family. 3 pages.
 - 5. January 8, 1855, Charleston, from J. Preston. Writer wants to send a second son, Bernard, to St. Mary. The son is ill mannered, backward i- school, chews tobacco etc. Writer wants to give Fr. Reilly a free hand to straighten the boy out. 2 pages.
 - 6. January 8, 1855, Philadelphia, from (letter is torn). Writer agrees with Fr. Reilly's suggestion on the treatment of the son. However, the writer received a letter from his son. The letter is in sharp contrast with his son's behavior at home. 1 page.
 - 7. January 11, 1855, Charleston, SC, from D.S. Graham. Writer's son, a delicate boy, has been ill. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to buy whatever the boy needs, take extra care of him, and write often. 2 pages.
 - 7A. January 11, 1855, Philadelphia, from Marv Lorenza Cowan Rendosa. Writer has received a box from Cuba. It does not contain what was expected. 1 page.
 - 8. Januarv 13, 1855, Waterford, Ireland, from Marian Matilda Fowles. Writer's brother, Doctor Wilson, left St. Marv, went to Cuba and died. Writer is attempting to obtain all his belongings and to settle any obligation he owed or owed to him. 3 pages.

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- 4 13 9. Januarv 14, 1855, New York, from Anne Wright. Writer's brother, a student at St. Marv, has been ill, Writer is arranging to have him moved. 1 page.
 - 10. Januarv 15, 1855, Lansingburg, NY (part of Troy, NY), from H. Ouigley. Writer is seeking a teaching position for a friend, Rev. J.A. Drew, who must leave the cold climate due to his health. 1 page.

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- 4 14 January 16, 1855 February 6, 1855 11 Items
 - 1. January 16, 1855, New York, from Anne Wright. Writer's brother is gravely ill at St. Mary's. Writer is attempting to move him to New York. 2 pages.
 - January 15, 1855, Mittenburg, from Thomas Abernathy. Request for receipt. Letter is not very legible. 1 page.
 - 2. Januaru 17, 1855, Macon, from W.B. Watts. Writer is transferring his son to Georgetown College and expresses gratitude to Fr. Reilly. He owes a bill to Fr. Reilly and promises to pay him in full as soon as his cotton is sold. 2 pages.
 - 3. January 24, 1855, Baltimore, from J.R. Bestor. Writer is willing to purchase the missile for his son but is concerned about his son's carelessness. 1 page.
 - January 29, 1855, New York, from Anne Wright. See item 1 of this folder. Writer is anxious to get her sick brother removed from St. Marv before the start of another term. 2 pages.
 - 5. January 26, 1855, from Richard O. Bowling. Writer has two sons who are at Georgetown college which is expensive and teach subjects the writer does not feel is necessary (Latin and Greek). Writer requests terms for St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - 6. January 27, 1855, from H.F. Ashew. Writer is attempting to clear up any errors in his debts after his bookkeeper passed away. 1 page.
 - 7. January 31, 1855, Wilmington, from J.O'Donaghue. Writer is ill and wants Fr. Reilly to conduct mass for him. 1 pg.
 - 8. February 3, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Reyes. Writer has not written to Fr. Reilly since he arrived in Cuba. Sends his best wishes and requests that Fr. Reilly send his brother's violin which was left at St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 9. February 5, 1855, Philadelphia, from J.R. Santello. A bank draft had been sent to Fr. Reillv but writer has no receipt. Wants to know if account was settled. 2 pages.
 - Februarv 6, 1855, Jersev City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Letter of introduction for John McEvoy who wants to complete some studies for the holy ministry. Highly recommended. 3 pages.

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- 4 15 February 6, 1855 February 26, 1855 1⁰ Items
 - 1. February 6, 1855, Philadelphia, from Mich Martin. Writer has received flattering reports on a Mr. Maxwell and requests Fr. Reilly if he knows of Mr. Maxwell. 1 page.
 - Februarv 6, 1855, Arecibo, from John Lewis Morse. A St. Marv graduate has arrived home but before he left college, he could not find Fr. Reilly to sav goodbve and express his gratitude. He does so in this letter. 1 pg.
 - 3. February 8, 1855, Wilmington, from H.F. Asnew. Writer was to visit St. Mary but was confined due to illness. 1 page.
 - 4. February 8, 1855, from Edward Bryan. Writer's nephew, George Bryon, a student at St. Mary, is ill. Writer requests that nephew receives the best of care and that all expenses will be taken care of. 1 page.
 - 5. February 10, 1855, Arecibo, from John L. Morse. St. Mary graduate has arrived home and has shown his family a likeness of Fr. Reilly. Requests another since the one he has is cloudy. 2 pages.
 - February 10, 1855, Wilmington, from J. O'Donoghue.
 Writer requests Fr. Reilly to be a substitute for mass.
 1 page.
 - 7. February 12, 1855, Philadelphia, from (not available) Letter is worn due to ravages of time. Writer is trying to clear up a draft problem which has been caused by an agent in St. Thomas. Fr. Reilly has been helpful in this matter. Writer is going to St. Thomas to finally resolve the problem. 2 pages.
 - 8. February 15, 1855, Philadelphia, from Peter McKenna. Problem with an advertisement for St. Mary's in the Herald. Writer does not feel the ad will harm St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 9. February 26, 1855, Baltimore, from J.R. Bestor. Writer's son will be getting visitor and writer is making sure no communication gaps or financial problems exist.
 - 10. February 26, 1855, Newark, from Bishop of Newark. Letter of introduction for Martin A. Clemens who wants to study at St. Mary and eventually become a priest. 2 pp.

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- 4 16 February 26, 1855 March 17, 1855 11 Items
 - February 26, 1855, from Fr. J. Kelly. Writer strongly recommends John Garrich as a student and teacger at St. Mary. He believes Garrich would be a better professor than some of Fr. Reilly's degreed personnel. Writer's nephew, Tom, may enroll at St. Mary's. 4 pages.
 - February 27, 1855, Newark, from Elizabeth Rielly. Writer's son has a rupture and requests Fr. Reilly to review the situation. 1 page.
 - February 28, 1855, New York, from James Greene. Writer is asking for information to send a 15 year old boy to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 4. February 28, 1855, Notre Dame du Lac, from E. Sosin. A package is being sent to Fr. Reilly for his review. 1 pg.
 - 5. March 2, 1855, New York, from Simon Madriz. The writer, a Colonel in the Venezuelan army, has two sons he would like to enroll at St. Mary. He is short of funds since he had to flee his country due to the revolution. 2 pages.
 - March 5, 1855, Philadelphia, from James Macnamara.
 Writer is looking for a position as a gardener at St. Mary's. Has the best of references. 1 page.
 - 6A. March 11, 1855, Havana, from Sra. Maria De Los Angeles Pilone. In Spanish. Parent is concerned that her son wants to study piano and that it may be distraction for his other subjects. 3 or 4 pages. Depends on number of typed pages.
 - 7. March 15, 1855, from Rev. J. Kelly. See item 1 of this folder. John Garrich will attend St. Mary until age 21. All bills will be honored by Garrich's father or Fr. J. Kelly if the student behaves himself. 2 pages.
 - 8. March 16, 1855, New York, from Henry Miller. Writer has been ill and has not been to see Fr. Reilly but expects to visit Wilmington in a week. 1 page.
 - 9. March 17, 1855, Savannah, from John Cass. A student, Eddy Quigley, is threatening to run away from St. Mary because he feels that he is being mistreated. Another boy, apparently an ex student, will be returned to St. Mary's because his behavior has worsened. 1 page.

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4 16 10. March 17, 1855, Philadelphia, from James F. Maguire. Writer is looking for a loan. 1 page.

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- 4 17 March 17, 1855 April 13, 1855 10 Items
 - March 17, 1855, Philadelphia, from W. Steele. Writer has a son, a student at St. Mary's, whom he has not seen or heard from in a long time. Writer and his wife have been separated. Writer would like to have his son with him in New York for Easter holidays and requests Fr. Reilly to contact the mother for permission. 2 pages.
 - 2. March 18, 1855, Baltimore, from J.R. Bestor. Writer is very indignant because he has found out that his sons, students at St. Mary's, have been mistreated, their letters intercepted and generally abused by St. Mary professors/personnel. He has been advised to take the full extent of the law. 3 pages.
 - 3. March 20, 1855, Philadelphia, from John Mason. Writer is paying a bill but has a problem with a draft from a person from St. Thomas. 1 page.
 - March 22, 1855, Havana, from Sra. Maria de Los Angeles Pilona. In Spanish. A son has been ill. Parent sends recipe for medicine. Parent is also concerned about son's progress in school. 6 pages.
 - 5. March 26, 1855, Philadelphia, from G. Johnson. Writer's son, a student at St. Mary, was home for Easter holidays during which time he expressed desire to commence his studies in the city. Permission was granted with the proviso that if he does not show marked improvement, he will return to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 6. April 5, 1855, from John Fagen. Writer is going to Wilmington to settle his bill and to escort a friend's son who want to attend St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - April 6, 1855, Havana, from Sra. Maria de Los Angeles
 Pilona. In Spanish. Parent is concerned about her son's illness in addition to his school work. 3 pages.
 - 8. April 6, 1855, from John Mason. See item 3 of this folder. Payment of bill. Problem as defined in item 3 of this folder appears to be solved.
 - 9. April 9, 1855, Jersey City. Letter of introduction for Master Felix Collins. Informs Fr. Reilly that Mr. Garrich will be in Wilmington next week. 1 page.

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4 17 10. April 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from Robert Shyre. Express thanks for money. Express feelings toward some personnel at St. Marv's - some good, some not so good. 1 page.

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- 4 18 April 15, 1855 April 23, 1855 10 Items
 - 1. April 15, 1855, from G. Sosin. Permission to be married for John Russell McIntyre. 1 page.
 - 2. April 15, 1855, Newark, from Anne Finegan. Mrs. Finegan's son, John, a student at St. Mary's, will be transferred to a proposed college in New Jersey. However, if the college does not open on time, John will resume studies at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 3. April 16, 1855, Philadelphia, from Robert Shyre. Writer wants to return to Ireland. He had attempted to leave before but returned after 15 days, frostbitten and ill. He is going again but this time will have to sleep on deck since he does not have money for a cabin. He requests a loan of \$5.00 to pay a bill. 2 pages.
 - 4. April 17, 1855, Philadelphia, from A. Merino. A student, Antonio, wants the privilege of going to the smoking room. The writer, his USA sponsor, does not want to give permission. Other data on purchasing of clothes and letters from his father. 1 page.
 - 5. April 18, 1855, from John James. Writer has not paid his bill but will go to Wilmington to pay and also will be accompanied by a man who wants his son to go to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 6. April 20, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Lavnimarv, in Spanish. Parent is returning son to college. A second son will be escorted to college. The escort, a Philadelphia resident, will act as guardian and will have the bovs at her house for vacation. 4 pages.
 - 7. April 20, 1855, Baltimore, from J. Murphy. Writer is pleased with his brother's progress at St. Mary. He requests Fr. Reilly's opinion as to whether the brother should continue on with his studies or if he is ready to be brought into the business. 1 page.
 - 8. April 21, 1855, Philadelphia, from Mr. Aug D'ouville. In French. Writer is busy with some of Fr. Reilly's affairs but does not have the information Fr. Reilly needs. 2 pages.

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- 4 18 9. April 23, 1855, Havana, from Nicholas Del Muro. In Spanish. Parent expresses his desires as to what his son will be taught. 3 pages.
 - April 23, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Lavnimary. In Spanish. Parent informs Fr. Reilly about his son's trip to St. Mary's. 2 pages.

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- 4 19 April 23, 1855 May 3, 1855 10 Items
 - April 23, 1855, St. Joseph's, from J.L. Walsh. Letter of introduction for Mr. Berman Toll who is looking for a position. 1 page.
 - April 24, 1855, Philadelphia, from Aug D'Ouville, in French. The writer has seen Mr. Santelli and brought him up to date on Fr. Reilly's affairs. It appears Mr. Santelli has some financial problems which are connected with funds belonging to Mrs. Santelli's children. 3 pages.
 - 3. April 25, 1855, Covington, KY, from George Carroll, Bishop of Covington. The writer sends his best to Marie Cassidy and plans to come east to see her. He describes his debta and how he plans to build, man and support a seminary. 2 pages.
 - April 25, 1855, Dubuque, from R.A. McCabe. A Mr. James Mooney had a note written by Mr. Sosin. The writer requests Fr. Reilly to honor the note. 3 pages.
 - 5. April 28, 1855, Girard College, from P. W. Gengenbres. Writer had co-authored an English grammar book for which he requests Fr. Reilly's opinion. 1 page.
 - April 30, 1855, Warren, from Pedro Larrinage. Writer's brother feels he cannot continue at St. Mary's and will be transferred to Girard. 2 pages.
 - 7. May 1, 1855, Beloit, Wis., from G.A. Gardner. The writer, a lawyer for the widow Mrs. Ann O'Neal, requests the widow's marriage certificate in order to probate the will. 1 page.
 - May 1, 1855, from Fr. J. Kelly. Writer is sending Fr. Reilly his (Kelly's) brother's address in St. Louis in order to establish power of attorney there. In a P.S. the writer describes the problems in the building of a church. 3 pages.
 - 9. May 2, 1855, Newark, from Anne Finigan. Delays payments due to income schedule. Investigated rumor of a new college near Newark. 1 page.
 - 10. May 3, 1855, from James Smith. Acknowledges receipt of check. Son has guit school. 1 page.

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- 4 20 May 3, 1855 May 21, 1855 10 Items
 - May 3, 1855, from Patrick O'Donnell. Writer is very put out due to lack of communication both from his son and from Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 2. May 4, 1855, Havana, from Juan de Los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer is elated at a letter Fr. Reilly wrote. However, he is somewhat mystified at some statement that he (the writer) is not recommending boys to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - May 5, 1855, Havana, from Ma. de los Angeles Pilona de Coronado, in Spanish. Parent is concerned because Fr. Reilly is discontented with son's behavior. 2 pages.
 - 4. May 8, 1855, Davenport, from James Moonev. Requests money Fr. Reilly owes writer. 1 page.
 - 5. May 8, 1855, Havana, from (part of letter missing), in Spanish. ^parent is very concerned about her son's behavior in college. She misses him very much. Letter is incomplete. 8 or 9 pages, depends on number of typed pages.
 - 6. May 12, 1855, Philadelphia, from E. Welch. Writer is Fr. Reilly's nephew. Writer is attempting to collect two outstanding bills owed to Fr. Reilly. One bill has international problems since assets are in France. 4 pp.
 - 7. May 14, 1855, from Wm. Keating. A letter of introduction for Mr. Patrick Kelly. 1 page.
 - 8. May 14, 1855, from James Mooney. See item 4 of this folder. Writer requests money from Fr. Reilly. 2 pp.
 - 9. May 18, 1855, from Henry Hamilton. Letter of introduction for Mr. H. Munder, a professor of dancing, who wants to establish a class in St. Mary's and in Wilmington. 1 page.
 - May 21, 1855, Philadelphia, from Maria Lorenza Cowan de Rendon., in Spanish. Concerns the son of a friend. Writer is concerned that student may not complete term and requests Fr. Reilly's aid. 2 pages.

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 - May 21, 1855, Trinidad de Cuba, from Nicholas Boggiano, in Spanish. Writer explains loss of books on the Propagation of the Faith and where more may be obtained. 2 pp.
 - 2. May 21, 1855, Matamoras, from Louis Pou. Writer gives a short summary of the political revolution in Cuba and the greeting given to the Spanish Capt. General. Writer does not believe a fight between Spain and USA will come to pass. Tells about other St. Mary Graduates in Cuba. 4 pp.
 - 3. May 22, 1855, Nashville, from Wm. Bedford. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly not wrip his son for not doing his lessons but to coax him because he feels the son will respond better. In a PS - writer is anti-whig party. 2 pages.
 - 3A. May 22, 1855, from Edw. McCabe (Fr. Reilly's nephew). Writer is on vacation and has no money to pay room and board. Requests money of Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.
 - 4. May 24, 1855, Orwigsburg, from James Gaynor. Writer pays his bill but is transferring the student to a new school in town so that the student may live with his sister and brothers. 1 page.
 - 5. March 25, 1855, Davenport. There are 2 parts to this document. Letter #1 from James Mooney. Summary Writer is still requesting money from Fr. Reilly. He has borrowed money at a 36% rate. Letter #2 from A.H. Miller. Summary Urges Fr. Reilly to loan the money to Mooney. 2 pages.
 - 6. May 26, 1855, Philadelphia, from August Merino. Writer is pleased with one of his charges, Antonio, has improved his handwriting but regrets that Antonio is so changeable. Wants Antonio well clothed. 1 page.
 - 7. May 28, 1855, Sacramento, from Mrs. MS. Graham. Writer has a son at St. Mary's and wants him to return home to California. She has not paid her school bills and has no money to have her son come to California because the land her family bought in California is in litigation between the U.S. and Mexico. Writer has borrowed \$400 and asked Fr. Reilly to release her son to an agent. 2 pages.

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- 5 1 8. May 28, 1855, W. Stockbridge, Mass., from B. Hoffay. Writer, a former professor at St. Mary, is destitute and requests money and a letter of recommendation so he can go to Canada and get a professor's position and start life anew. 2 pages.
 - 9. May 28, 1855, Pensacola, Florida, from T.D. Shaw. Writer sends a check for his son's credit and tells of his fruitful winter trip to the Caribbean and South America. l page.
 - June 5, 1855, Warren, from (letter is torn), in Spanish. Student left college but was directed by his father to return. He left college because he was abused by other students. 2 pages.
 - 11. June 5, 1855, from David Matthew. Explains why he would not pay bill but offers alternate method. 1 page.

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- June 11, 1855 June 26, 1855 12 Items
 - June 11, 1855, from H. W. Snyder. Writer has taken son, Simon, out of St. Marv's and placed him in his business as an assistant. Writer sends monev and requests Fr. Reilly send all his son's belongings. 2 pages.
 - June 11, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Laminazar, in Spanish.
 Writer discusses treatment of students.
 4 pages.
 - 3. June 11, 1855, Havana, from Nicholas del allo, in Spanish. Handwriting is difficult to read. Writer is concerned of his son's application at school. 2 pages.
 - 3A. June 12, 1855, Philadelphia, from Edw. McCabe (Fr. Reilly's nephew). Writer urges Fr. Reilly to keep him informed on Mr. Santilli's debt. Mr. Santilli who normally resides in St. Thomas, VI, appears to be a slippery person. 4 pages.
 - 4. June 12, 1855, Charleston, from John Preston. Writer has two sons, Bernard and John, at St. Mary's and he is pleased with their progress. Writer is sending a bundle of clothing to Bernard. 2 pages.
 - 5. June 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from Maria Lorenza Cowen de Rendon. Writer, upon Fr. Reilly's invitation, will go to St. Mary's with her husband and brother-in-law to inspect the school. At the same time she will pick up her son, Coronodo. 1 page.
 - 6. June 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. The writer explains that the financial problem between Fr. Reilly and Mr. Santelli, is tied up due to French legal formalities which must be satisfied. 3 pp.
 - 6A. June 18, 1855, from Villanoca College. Invitation to Commencement at St. Thomas college. 1 page.
 - 7. June 21, 1855, Philadelphia, from A. Mereno. Writer's charge, Antonio, wants to leave St. Mary's during vacation even though his father wants him to remain at St. Mary's. The writer will Allow Antonio to come visit him for one or two weeks and requests Fr. Reilly to assist in getting Antonio to Philadelphia. 1 page.

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- June 22, 1855, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer assists in sending boys to St. Mary's. Writer wants to send boxes of tobacco to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
- 9. June 25, 1855, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. Mr. Santelli has left for St. Thomas and has promised to pay his bill when he returns. The writer feels that the children will be stripped of their money by Santelli. 3 pages.
- 10. June 26, 1855, Savannah, from John Cass. Writer pays a bill for his charge Edward Quigley. Writer received a school bulletin stating that Edward was not doing well in his studies and that he attempted to run away. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to keep the boy busy. 1 page.

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 - 3 June 27, 1855 Julv 10, 1855 13 Items
 - 1. June 27, 1855, Charleston, from J. Preston. Writer is verv pleased with his sons' (2) application to school and intends to keep both in college. 1 page.
 - 2. June 29, 1855, from Peter Brennan. Writer is to publish a document which must first be approved by St. Mary's. However, Dr. Miller of St. Mary's did not appear for the event and writer is attempting to expedite. 2 pages.
 - 3. June 30, 1855, San Francisco, from A. J. Gore. Writer is paying his bill and is somewhat put out that Fr. Reilly felt that the bill would not be paid. Writer is relieved that his son was not sent to Philadelphia because the Philadelphia contact is unreliable. Writer wants her son to remain at school. 2 pages.
 - 4. June 30, 1855, Philadelphia, from W. DePris. Writer has to decline Fr. Reilly's invitation for student examination. 1 page.
 - 4A. June 31, 1855, Jasper Co., Ill., from Joseph Shiffustem.Sends tax bill for Fr. Reillv's property which containsa log cabin inhabited by a non-paying tenant. 2 pages.
 - 5. July 2, 1855, Jersev Citv, from Brvan Bennett. Writer is looking for a teaching position at St. Marv's, but he has limited experience which may hinder him. 3 pages.
 - 5A. July 2, 1855, from P. Brennan. Requests Fr. Reilly to attend meeting of St. Jos. Beneficial Society and give lecture to children. l page.
 - July 3, 1855, Brooklyn, from Edward McCosker. Writer requests a letter of recommendation to be sent to Bishop Bayley. Writer wants to enter the seminary. 1 page.
 - July 4, 1855, Wilmington, from O. Fronket. Writer seeks a position as French professor at St. Mary's. Letter contains recommendation from the Royal family of Prussia. Writer also gives background. 3 pages.
 - 7A. July 5, 1855, from Ladies of Sacred Heart. Invitation to Distribution. 1 page.

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- 5 3 8. July 9, 1855, Baltimore, from William Byrne. Writer seeks a teaching position in return for studies of Latin and Greek. 2 pages.
 - 9. July 9, 1855, Gettemani, Ky, from H. Fontaine. The writer, a priest from Canada, is seeking a professor's position at St. Mary's instead of returning to the missions. 2 pages.
 - 10. July 10, 1855, from Sr. Laminanga, in Spanish. Letter is illegible. 3 pages.

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5 4 July 16, 1855 - July 20, 1855 - 10 Items

- July 16, 1855, San Francisco, from Amanda Gore. Writer requests a summary of her account and reiterates her requests to keep her son from contacting undesirable people in Philadelphia. 1 page.
- Julv 14, 1855, St. Marv's School, from Sister Marv Alovsus. A newsv letter about herself and some mutual friends. 4 pages.
- 3. July 14, 1855, Kellvsville, from Chas. Kelly. Writer's son has been complaining of mistreatment by one of the teachers and he requests Fr. Reilly to investigate. 2 pages.
- 4. July 15, 1855, Nashville, Tenn., from W. H. Bedford. Writer, a student, has returned home for vacation and has received some expensive equipment from his father. Writer requests a room for his non-school books and equipment when he returns to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
- 5. July 15, 1855, Jersey City, from Rev. J. Kelly. Writer, a long time friend of Fr. Reilly, is sending a teaching applicant, Mr. Paulin, to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- July 16, 1855, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. Letter of recommendation for a Mr. Trochet, a French professor. 2 pages.
- 7. July 17, 1855, Philadelphia, from Jose Poev. Writer had two sons at St. Marv's and cannot convince them to return. Writer, who is visiting Philadelphia from his home in Havana, Cuba, has not had the opportunity to visit St. Marv's. 1 page.
- 8. July 18, 1855, Wilmington, from Sisters of St. Peter. Request to hear their confession this day in lieu of tomorrow. 1 page.
- 9. July 19, 1855, Wilmington, from Wm. McCaulley. Authorization to receive something for his client who has left for Europe. 1 page.
- July 20, 1855, Baltimore from H. W. Munder. Request that any money collected for the writer be forwarded to a York address. 1 page.

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- July 23, 1855 August 4, 1855 10 Items
 - 1. July 23, 1855, Jersey City, from Bryan Bennett. Writer, who is seeking a teaching position at St. Mary's, could not keep his appointment due to illness. 3 pages.
 - July 23, 1855, Philadelphia, from Simon Poey. A question of goods sent to Havana. Writer requests which Senor Keyes received goods. 1 page.
 - 3. July 24, 1855, Wilmington, from (illegible), in French. Letter is hard to read. Writer adds his recommendation of Mr. Frachet to those of Mr. Ceron and Mr. D'Ouville. 3 pages.
 - 4. July 27, 1855, New York, from Edward McCosker. Re request of a letter of recommendation for writer who wants to enter seminary. 1 page.
 - July 28, 1855, New Orleans, from J. Edgar Girod. Pays a bill. Will have college pamphlets for Aug. 1 (Aguas Calientas day). 1 page.
 - 6. July 30, 1855, from J. Corroon. Writer is looking for employment. 1 page.
 - 7. July 31, 1855, Camillus, from Charles McCallison. The writer, a teacher at St. Mary, has been ill and now requests, at the advice of his doctor, that his work load for next year be lighter (ie smaller classes). 3 pp.
 - 8. July 31, 1855, from Edw. McCosker. Acknowledges letter of recommendation. See item 4 of this folder. 1 page.
 - August 1, 1855, Chester, from Edw. Roberts. Writer owes a bill to Fr. Reilly but due to business failures and/or delays has not been able to settle the debt. 2 pages.
 - August 4, 1855, Philadelphia, from S. Welch. Pays a bill for Nicholas Boggiano. Requests Fr. Reilly to keep him informed of rule changes because they may affect student behavior. 1 page.

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- 5 6 August 6, 1855 August 24, 1855 10 Items
 - August 6, 1855, St. Mary's School, from Sister Mary Aloysius A newsy letter. 2 pages.
 - August 9, 1855, New York, from Henry Miller. Expresses satisfaction that his boys are doing well in their studies. Will be at St. Mary's in mid August for visit and settle accounts. 1 page.
 - 3. August 11, 1855, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Letter of introduction for John Gannon and his two boys. 1 page.
 - 4. August 13, 1855, Washington, DC, from Richard Bowling. Writer has received word that his sons will be expelled due to unruly behavior. He requests that Fr. Reilly not expell his two boys. 1 page.
 - 5. August 15, 1855, Philadelphia, from H. F. Miller. Pays a bill and reports his friend is returning to St. Mary's after having fever attacks. 1 page.
 - August 19, 1855, Wilmington, from Hugh L. Loughlin. Writing for a friend who has two sons he wishes to place in St. Mary's. While near home, sons are not attentive to studies. 2 pages.
 - 7. August 20, 1855, Newark, NJ, from P. Moran. Writer wants to visit FR. Reilly but Fr. Reilly objects. Writer sends some payments and requests that he pay rent for his son's books. 1 page.
 - 8. August 22, 1855, Havana, from Senor Larringa. Writer has 2 sons at St. Mary's and is very concerned with all the expenses incurred. He has letter written which defines costs and therefore feels he is overcharged. 3 pp.
 - 9. August 23, 1855, Carlisle, from James F. Maguire. Writer was to go to St. Mary's to visit Fr. Reilly but due to family illness, does not know when he can make it. 1 page.
 - 10. August 24, 1855, Philadelphia, from Nicholas Coronado. Writer, a former student, has been in Philadelphia and is transferring to another private school. He requests that his belongings be sent to his Phila. residence. A P.S. by Mary Lorenzo Corvan Rendon, the writers' landlady or hostess. She reiterates the belongings request and adds that she would like to know the account status. 4 pages.

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- August 27, 1855 September 13, 1855 10 Items
 - 1. August 27, 1855, New York, from James Connary. Writer is removing his son from St. Mary's because his wife does not want her son so far from home. 1 page.
 - 2. August 28, 1855, Ste. Marie, from Joseph Picquet. A Mr. O'Donnell, Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law, is in debt to Fr. Reilly and has been lax in payments. Writer is acting as a go between. O'Donnell bought a farm but farm produce is low priced and O'Donnell cannot afford to have hired help. As a result, he is barely making ends meet. In addition, writer describes other O'Donnell problems. O'Donnell would also like to have Fr. Reilly take and educate two of his children. Writer quotes from one of Fr. Reilly's letters which indicate that the money forwarded to O'Donnell was to insure that Fr. Reilly's sister and children have a place to live. Now, it appears, Fr. Reilly wants his money back. (A change in attitude. 4 pages.
 - 3. August 28, 1855, New York, from John Jovce. Writer wants his son to study for a business career. The son will be allowed to study violin. 1 page.
 - September 1, 1855, Philadelphia, from Michael Ryan. Writer wants to send his son to St. Mary's to study English and requests costs and what books and clothing are required. 1 page.
 - 5. September 1, 1855, Jersey City, from J. Kelly. Fr. Kelly is a long time friend of Fr. Reilly. The letter is very newsy and addresses several people whom both know. 3 pp.
 - September 3, 1855, Eden Park, from John a Garesche. Writer is looking for a copy of a paper, Boston Pilot, which contains an address, the future historian's view of the present war, by Cardinal Wiseman. 2 pages.
 - September 8, 1855, Philadelphia, from James Smith. Writer's mother wants to pay her bill and a status of the account is requested. 1 page.
 - September 11, 1855, Dover, DE, from Edward Ridgelv. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that he knows of no Kent County land transaction which concerns the catholic church or persons of Fr. Reilly's church. 2 pages.

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- 5 7 9. September 13, 1855, from H. W. Snyder. Writer's son left college without Fr. Reilly's knowledge because he was ill and was wrongly punished. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's explanation and that the son's belongings be sent to his home because the boy will not be returning to St. Marv's. 2 pages.
 - September 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from M. Vermillion. Writer requests information of Mr. Santilli who has left St. Thomas, VI. Note: Mr. Santilli has been the concern of many previous letters written by Mr. D'Ouville. 1 page.

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September 15, 1855 - October 12, 1855 - 10 Items

- 1. September 15, 1855, Philadelphia, from Thomas Mansfield. Writer submits a letter, written by his son, to Fr. Reilly and is very surprised that the boy cannot write a good letter. He requests Fr. Reilly to be stricter. 1 page.
- September 15, 1855, Philadelphia, from John McCann. Writer, on Fr. Reilly's advice, will not send his son to St. Mary's until the following uear. 1 page.
- 3. September 21, 1855, Philadelphia, from Master Henry Smith. Writer, a student, apologizes for his conduct and promises to be better behaved. 1 page.
- September 26, 1855, Philadelphia, from James Smith. Writer is brother of Henry Smith per item 4 of this folder. Writer, at his mother's request, asks permission to return Henry Smith to St. Marv's. 1 page.
- 5. October 5, 1855, Mt. Holly, from C.C. Chrisman. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's comments on Mr. J.A. Fitzsimons who is seeking a professor's job and who gave Fr. Reilly's name as a reference. 2 pages.
- October 6, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Larringa, in Spanish. Writer discusses conditions of his sons' admittance to St. Mary's. In addition sends money and defines its use. 7 pages.
- 7. October 6, 1855, Goshen, from S.H. Waters. Writer pays his bill to Fr. Reilly and expresses his satisfaction on his son's education. 1 page.
- 8. October 11, 1855, Wilmington, from James Gallagher. Writer is very disturbed at one of St. Mary's teachers, Mr. McGuire, who dismissed his son from class. Writer requests a bill to date and will remove his son from school. He also states that two of his other sons went to St. Mary's and had no problems. 1 page.
- October 11, 1855, Philadelphia, from Mrs. Catherine Strong. Writer is sending her nephew, Lawrence Linden, to St. Mary's to train for a mercantile trade. 2 pages.
- October 12, 1855, New York, from John Carroll. Writer is sending his son to St. Mary's. The son has been attending public schools but has not progressed very well. 1 page.

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 - October 15, 1855, Philadelphia, from Rose Gallagher. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to assist her in locating the James Mcintiver and his family from County Armagh, Ireland. 1 page.
 - October 15, 1855, Charleston, SC, from J. Preston. Writer pays a bill and expresses gratitude for Fr. Reilly's efforts. Also requests that his son be pressed in doing well and to write home. 1 page.
 - 3. October 18, 1855, Philadelphia, from Anna M. Smith. Writer is surprised at her bill because many items are marked "cash". Writer requests that, in the future, her son's spending money be limited to 12¹/₂ cents per week, insists on breaking his tobacco habit and that any future items of necessity be supplied by herself. 2 pages.
 - 3A. October 20, 1855, from Richard Bowling. Pays a bill. Writer is concerned about his son's health, wants Fr. Reilly to buy skates for son, and asks Fr. Reilly's opinion on placing the boy in mercantile trade. 2 pages.
 - October 22, 1855, Philadelphia, from (illegible). Writer, a Cuban native, wants to place a boy in his charge in St. Mary's. An agent, Mrs. W. Welch, has been authorized to pay all costs. 1 page.
 - 5. October 27, 1855, Nashville, from W.S. Bedford. Writer, concerned about his son's behavior with the school vice president, feels his son is wrong and has written to him about the subject. 2 pages.
 - 6. October 29, 1855, Philadelphia, from H. Lane. Writer is sending 2 brothers to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 7. November 2, 1855, New Castle, from M. Connally. Writer will send money at Christmas time when her son returns to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 8. November 8, 1855, New York, from John Carroll. Writer is suspicious of his son because he received a letter in which the body of the letter, written by one hand, was very well done and the signature and heading were written by another hand. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to have the son's teacher be certain that letters are written by his son. 1 page.

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- 9. November 8, 1855, from 8 students. Students ask permission to practice speaking. 1 page.
- 10. November 9, 1855, Philadelphia, from E.M. Writer is Fr. Reilly's nephew. Writer is trying to collect past due bills for his uncle. He has been successful on some but two debtors, Mr. Nichols and Mr. Santilli, are problems. Mr. Nichols promises to pay after Jan. 1 but questions some of the last entries of the bill. Mr. Santilli is a very difficult matter because no longer can a person be jailed for nonpayment and this debtor has no assets to attach. Note: Mr. Santilli has been the subject of many letters prior to this. 4 pages.

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- 5 10 November 10, 1855 November 25, 1855 11 Items
 - 1. November 10, 1855, from Juan Perez, in Spanish. Mother defines studies for son. 2 pages.
 - November 10, 1855, Baltimgre, from not available, letter is torn. Writer is very sorry that his son could not be induced to remain in school. 2 pages.
 - 3. November 12, 1855, Wilmington, from James Plunkett. Pays a bill but after the 22nd, his son will attend school as a day student because he cannot afford board. 1 page.
 - November 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from Sister Maria Lorenza Cowan de Rendon, in Spanish. Concern about a students' passport. In addition she has sent cigars to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 4A. November 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from Edw. McCabe. Forwards letter on Mr. Santilli's debts. 2 pages.
 - 5. November 13, 1855, Philadelphia, from Anna M. Smith. Writer regrets that her son wants to leave St. Mary's. Hopes to have him return later but will not command him to do so. 1 page.
 - 6. November 14, 1855, from Richard Bowling. Writer has received correspondence which was late in arriving. He promises to pay in a short time. He is pleased with the progress of his bovs. 2 pages.
 - 7. November 19, 1855, New York, from J.S. Macias. Another son of Juan Del Dios Larrigna arrived from Cuba for the purpose of being educated at St. Mary's. Writer requests Fr. Reilly send someone to New York to Escort the bov to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - November 22, 1855, New York, from (?) Benjammins. Writer, a St. Marv graduate, expresses his admiration for Fr. Reilly and St. Marv's because his happiest days were as a student at St. Mary. 2 pages.
 - November 22, 1855, from Edward Roth. See item 7 of this folder. Writer is to escort son of Sr. Juan del Dios Larringa to St. Mary's. He gives a status of his time and when he expects to arrive at St. Mary's. 1 page.

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- 5 10 10. November 25, 1855, St. Joseph's, from (Letter has been cut off so that name of sender was removed. Writer has left St. Mary's and, since leaving, has been in a mental turmoil. He requests prayers and advice from Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.

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- 5 11 November 26, 1855 December 14, 1855 10 Items
 - November 26, 1855, New York, from James J. McManus. Writer asks advice of Fr. Reilly about obtaining money owned by his brother but held by a Mr. Grev. 1 page.
 - November 27, 1855, from H. W. Snyder. Writer's son refuses to return to St. Mary's and, therefore, requests that his son's belongings be sent home. 1 page.
 - 3. November 28, 1855, Philadelphia, from M. C. Knight. Writer, a student's mother, tries to keep the student in school even though his bills have not been paid. Student's father has died and a second party has forwarded money to St. Mary's. If the boy cannot stay at St. Mary, he and his belongings are to be sent home. 2 pages.
 - November 28, 1855, Philadelphia, from A. F. Dos Santos. Writer, Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law, announces the birth of a boy and requests Fr. Reilly to be his godfather. 1 page.
 - December 1, 1855, New York, from James Green. A bill for a student, Thomas Reilys, cannot be paid at this time. Writer promises to pay on 12/20. 1 page.
 - December 3, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Juan del Dios Larringa, in Spanish. Writer is concerned about expenses and food for the son of a deceased friend. 5 pages.
 - 7. December 4, 1855, Havana, from Sr. Juan Del Dios Larringa, in Spanish. Sends money for his son, Ignacio, education but is concerned that he may not start school on time. Son, Louis, is starting college and writer defines subjects for his study. Sends money for Louis' education. Pleased with his sons' progress. 5 pages.
 - 8. December 5, 1855, Philadelphia, from M. Prevovne. Writer has not heard from his son or Fr. Reillv. Requests correspondence and status. 1 page.
 - December 11, 1855, Baltimore, from Jane E. Beston. Writer is concerned about her sons who do not like the teachers bur think highly of Fr. Reilly. Requests Fr. Reilly to descipline the boys when rhey misbehave. 3 pages.
 - December 14, 1855, Washington, DC, from F.C. Mundes. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to assist her in collecting money from students who received dancing lessons. 1 page.

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- 5 12 December 20, 1855 January 3, 1856 10 Items
 - December 20, 1855, Washington, DC, from E. Marsh. Writer wants to send his grandson to St. Mary's for ½ year and more, depending on circumstances. Requests data. 1 page.
 - 2. December 25, 1855, Nashville, from W. H. Bedford. Writer's son wants some money for Christmas but due to his behavior and study problems, parent is reluctant. However, leaves it up to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 3. December 27, 1855, Gowanus, from James Donnally. Writer, a student at St. Mary's, has arrived home and is working in the family store. He requests letters be forwarded to his home. 1 page.
 - 4. December 29, 1855, Savannah, from John Cass. Pays a bill for Edward Ouiglev and wants to plan for studies for a trade. 1 page.
 - 5. December 29, 1855, St. Josephs, from J. S. Walsh. Wants Fr. Reilly to be ready to say mass at St. Joseph. 1 page.
 - 6. January 1, 1856, Valley Forge, from J.W. Roy. Writer states that his brother would rather study subjects to prepare for business. 1 page.
 - 7. January 2, 1856, Washington, from Fenelon D. Dowling. Writer, a student's brother, states that clothes were either bought or made for the student but, if more are needed, Fr. Reilly is to purchase them and will be reimbursed. Brother's improvement in conduct and intelligence has been noted by his acquaintences. 2 pages.
 - January 2, 1856, from C. Gausche. Writer is ill and requests copies of the newspaper, Dublin Review, which Fr. Reilly may have after having read them. 1 page.
 - 9. January 2, 1856, Washington, from E. Marsh. Writer is sending his grandson to St. Mary's with a draft to pay for expenses. Writer will pay up all expenses at end of term and wants boy to concetrate on English studies. 1 page.
 - 10. January 3, 1856, Philadelphia, from Patrick Fav. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to say a mass for repose of the soul of his dead wife. 1 page.

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- 5 13 January 7, 1856 January 17, 1856 0 10 Items
 - January 7, 1856, Wilmington, from James Gallagher. Request for son's bill which writer feels better account of his son's time should be exercised. 1 page.
 - 2. January 7, 1856, Newarkm NJ, from P. Moran. Pays money for account of one of his charges and is concerned about his charge's application since he has had no correspondence. 1 page.
 - January 8, 1856, St. Mary's School, from Sister Mary Aloysius. A newsy letter. A new church was dedicated and Fr. Reilly and Fr. Kelly did not attend the ceremony. A large city fire. 3 pages.
 - January 8, 1856, from Richard L. Bowling. Writer is delinquent in payments and explains his problems and what he proposes to do. Disposal of property. (Inc. Nogvos). 2 pages.
 - 5. January 8, 1856, from Frank Cooper. Pays a bill which was past due and expresses concern for his grandson who is now attending public school and is very deficient in math. 1 page.
 - 6. January 11, 1856, Philadelphia, from W. Meroyne. Writer explains that he cannot send his son to school due to financial problems but hopes to send him soon. 1 page.
 - January 14, 1856, Bordentown, from Margaret Cormich.
 Writer is concerned that her boys never arrived at school since she has not heard from them. 1 page.
 - Januarv 14, 1856, Columbus, from M.D. Shaw. Remits a payment and requests status of her son's work, application and behavior. 1 page.
 - January 16, 1856, from Ben Alexander. Explains his nonpayment of bill and that his son is in business and doing very well. 2 pages.
 - January 17, 1856, Baltimore, from Gustav Engler. States that he is doing well, expresses thanks and that he hopes to pay his bill soon. 2 pages.

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- January 17, 1856 January 31, 1856 11 Items
 - January 17, 1856, Philadelphia, from Patrick Clay. Requests that Fr. Reilly say 5 masses for the repose of the soul of his dear wife who has just passed away. Sends donations. 3 pages.
 - 2. Januarv 24, 1856, Philadelphia, from A. Seiberlick. States that his son, who is ill, and his wife have arrived home safely and express thanks for the assistance given to them. 1 page.
 - 3. January 24, 1856, New York, from Rev. Hilliam Ouinn. Letter of introduction for Mr. Spence who is taking his brother to St. Mary's for schooling. 1 page.
 - 4. Januarv 26, 1856, Philadelphia, from Nick Keenan. Writer had investigated Fr. Reilly's uncle's life. The uncle has died after living a disturbed life with a mean wife who disliked catholics and 2 sons who have bad reputations. 2 pages.
 - 5. January 28, 1856, Carbondale, from Wm. Brennan. Asks Fr. Reilly if he will accept his son in St. Mary's. States that another son is now an invalid and doubts his future health. 1 page.
 - 6. January 28, 1856, Washington, from Fannie Hull. Express regret to hear that unfavorable accounts of her son and has written to him. 1 page.
 - January 29, 1856, Philadelphia, from Richard Keenan.
 Writes for a person to inform Fr. Reilly that the person's brother is dying. 1 page.
 - 7A. January 30, 1856, from Edw. McCabe. Status of some of Fr. Reilly's debtors. Writer is not to successful. 4 pages.
 - 8. Januarv 31, 1856, Washington, DC, from George Jones. Requests for St. Marv's catalogue and a copy of the rules or regulations by which it is governed. 1 page (in an envelope)
 - 9. January 31, 1856, Philadelphia, from Nick Keenan. Writes the History of the Albright family per Fr. Reilly's request. The Albright family background was very tainted. 2 pages.
 - January 1856, Havana, from Francisco Barya, in Spanish. Discusses college expenses for a friend's son and his son. Pleased with son's progress. 3 pages.

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- 5 15 February 1, 1856 February 21, 1856 10 Items
 - February 1, 1856, Philadelphia, from A. Seiberlich. Writer has been ill and will pay his bill later. His son and wife who have just returned from St. Mary's are doing well.
 1 page.
 - February 6, 1856, Bordentown, from Margt. Cormich. Pays her bill. Writer is very pleased to hear her boys are doing well. 1 page.
 - 3. February 7, 1856, Guadaloupe, from J.R. Santilli. Writer who is in debt to Fr. Reilly explains his problems. He has been living on what little his sons owned. He is a partner in a sugar plantation which must sell all its processed sugar to France. He explains his plan to pay Fr. Reilly. He is sending a Mr. Parsons, his porter, to St. Mary's to pick up the children who will be educated in Guadaloupe. 3 pages.
 - 4. February 8, 1856, Philadelphia, from C. Martin. The writer is settling an estate and will send money when he gets court approval. 1 page.
 - 5. February 9, 1856, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Pays a bill and requests that his son write because he has heard nothing for 2 months. 1 page.
 - February 11, 1856, East Newark, NJ, from Stephen Reilly. The writer, a student, had left college to take care of his father's (who has been ill) business. States when he plans to return. 1 page.
 - 7. February 14, 1856, Wilmington, from L. C. McLaughlin. Writer is sending letter for Mr. King who has a son at St. Mary's. The son sent a letter to his father and stated he was severely punished for a trifling circumstance. Mr. King wants Fr. Reilly to investigate the matter. 2 pages.
 - 8. February 14, 1856, Wilmington, from Chas. Starr. Writer explains a watch repair bill which he sent to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 9. February 16, 1856, Albany Flats, from Daniel and James Reillv. Writers are concerned about a student. They would like Fr. Reilly's opinion as to why the student wants to guit college and other conditions. 1 page.

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- 5 15 10. February 21, 1856, Philadelphia, from N. Seiberlich. See item 1 of this file. Sends payment for his son's doctor bill and feels it is too high. Gives health status of his wife and son. 1 page.

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- 5 16 February 22, 1856 March 17, 1856 11 Items
 - February 22, 1856, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville. In French. Writer requests a loan for 2 months. He states that he has not heard from Mr. Santelli since his last letter to Fr. Reilly - for which he is hurt and astonished. 3 pages.
 - 2. February 25, 1856, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. See item 1 of this folder. Writer receives \$40 loan he requested and expresses thanks. He also plans to write to Mr. Santelli, the children's grandfather and their brother of the money problems with Mr. Santelli. 2 pages.
 - February 25, 1856, Charleston, from J. Preston. Pays a bill for his two sons. Wants his son, John, to make his first communion and that both his boys serve mass every day. Wants John to be punished as Fr. Reilly sees fit for misbehaving. 2 pages.
 - March 2, 1856, from Juan del Dios Larringa, in Spanish. Discussed sons' attitude towards college - generally is average attitude. Generally pleased with sons' progress. However, is not pleased with son's (Ignacio) violin lessons. 8 pages.
 - 4A. March 5, 1856, from H. F. Askew. Objects to an added charge on his bill. 1 page.
 - 5. March 6, 1856, Washington, from W. C. Barney. Writer describes the marital state of the parents of one of the students, his nephew. Asks Fr. Reilly to prevent the father from removing his son from St. Mary's but that the son should communicate with the father. 2 pages.
 - March 7, 1856, from Andrew Brady. Pays his bill. Writer does not feel that his son has shown much improvement in English and states that the son should not concentrate on Latin and French. 2 pages.
 - March 7, 1856, St. Joseph's, from Fr. J.S. Walsh. The writer tries to correct a misunderstanding with Fr. Reilly who assists the writer in serving mass at St. Joseph's. 2 pages.
 - March 13, 1856, St. Thomas, V.I., from J.R. Santelli. Writer describes a plan which will help pay his debt to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.

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- 5 16 9. March 14, 1856, Charleston, from J. Preston. See item 3 of this folder. Stress that his son, John, receive his first Communion and that John be prepared for Easter. Requests Fr. Reilly give son, Bernard, pocket moneyl page.
 - 10. March 17, 1856, New York, from John Lavne. Directs Fr. Reilly to send his brother home on Easter Monday with all his belongings because he wants the brother to enter into his business when the writer leaves for California. 1 page.

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- 5 17 March 18, 1856 April 8, 1856 11 Items
 - March 18, 1856, St. Marv's Asylum, from Sister Bernard Boyle. A newsy letter about mutual friends. The writer states that she could not write earlier due to an epidemic which devastated their city. 3 pages.
 - 2. March 20, 1856, Norfolk, from Ferdinand Beillart. This letter concerns the debt his step-father, Mr. Santelli, now in St. Thomas, V.I., owes the estate of the writer's mother. 1 page.
 - March 25, 1856, West Chester, from Simon Poey. Writer owes Fr. Reilly a debt which will be paid as soon as possible. 2 pages.
 - 4. March 27, 1856, Norfolk, from Ferdinand Bullert. See item 2 of this folder. Sends money for his brothers' (3) use. States that Mr. Santelli, the stepfather, has sent for the children and they will be going to St. Thomas, V.I. 1 page.
 - 5. March 27, 1856, Philadelphia, from John Mason & Co. Mr. Santilli, in an earlier letter stated that he would be doing business with the writer. The writer states that Mr. Santelli's proposition was not acceptible and, therefore, the writer's company would not be doing business with Mr. Santilli. 1 page.
 - 6. March 28, 1856, from J. W. Cunningham. Writer has asked a student to pay his bill. However, if the bill is not paid by the student, the writer will do his best to raise the money for the bill. 1 page.
 - 7. March 28, 1856, Philadelphia, from Chas. Reilly. Writer has left St. Mary's and has been ill, bed ridden, at the advise of his doctor. 1 page.
 - March 29, 1856, Havana, from Juan de Los Reyes, in Spanish. Enjoyed the Philadelphia/Wilmington trip. Wants to see the college. 2 pages.
 - April 4, 1856, Havana, from Juan de Los Reyes, in Spanish. See item 8 of this folder. Ex student has a good position but regrets not having followed Fr. Reilly's advice. 2 pages.

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- 5 17 10. April 5, 1856, Philadelphia, from Mrs. C. Strong. Writer asks if Fr. Reilly has heard from Rev. P. Shellinger since there is a trial scheduled for April 15. 1 page.

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11. April 8, 1856, Philadelphia, from Edw. McCabe. Writer collects from two of Fr. Reilly's debtors and forwards checks. 2 pages.

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- 5 18 April 16, 1856 May 2, 1856 10 Items
 - April 16, 1856, Norfolk, from (illegible) Writer pays a bill for his son, Charles. He questions a statement Fr. Reilly put in a letter and is very disturbed to feel that Fr. Reilly has been misinformed. 4 pages.
 - April 14, 1856, New York, from John Carroll. Pavs a bill for his son. Writer is pleased with his son's progress and hopes the son will be more obedient. 1 page.
 - 3. April 18, 1856, Almologa, from Lvdia Engler. Writer is sorry that her son has run away and feels that Fr. Reilly can place her son in a store to earn his keep. It would help her. 1 page.
 - April 18, 1856, St. Mary's school, from Sister Mary Aloysius. Writer is leaving for St. Joseph's and will try to stop and see Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 5. April 20, 1856, Carbondale City, from Peter Byrne. Writer has not been able to pay her son's bill since there are no banks in this city. He now submits part payment but feels he was not completely informed by Rev. McCullen as to costs and payments. 3 pages.
 - 6. April 21, 1856, New York, from Fr. J.W. Cummings. Fr. Marcocci who was recommended to Fr. Reilly by the writer and Fr. Kelly (of Jersey City) did not pay what he owes to Fr. Reilly. The writer and Fr. Kelly will pay. In addition, Fr. Marcocci will be going to Europe but before leaving the writer requests Fr. Reilly to recover Prof. Jaeger's note from Fr. Marcocci. 2 pages.
 - April 22, 1856, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. Describes what he is doing to get Mr. Santilli to pay his debts and feels that he as much as Fr. Reilly is being put off. Expresses appreciation for Fr. Reilly's loan of \$40. 4 pages.
 - 8. April 23, 1856, Philadelphia, from Catherine Clark. Writer has lost her husband and she will go down to see Fr. Reilly to settle her son's account as soon as things get settled in Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - 9. April 25, 1856, Philadelphia, from C. Strong. Writer deserves what is happening with the trial. 1 page.
 - May 2, 1856, Philadelphia, from Philip Fitzpatrick. Informs Fr. Reilly of the death of one of the students, Charles Rilev. 1 page.

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- 5 19 May 3, 1856 May 14, 1856 10 Items.
 - 1. May 3, 1856, New York, from J.H. Simonton. Writer has difficulty obtaining a job but has finally almost obtained a position. He has given Fr. Reilly's name as a reference and requests Fr. Reilly to write in high terms when the prospective employer writes. <u>Interesting note</u>: Writer has changed his name from Fitzsimmon to Simonton because he felt his name was "too republican" and prevented his getting a job. 4 pages.
 - 2. May 4, 1856, New York, from Michael Joyey. Writer explains why his bill has not been paid - his brother forgot to send the check. 1 page.
 - 3. May 6, 1856, Matamagas, from Louis Simon Pou. A newsy letter about former students from Cuba. Writer will be sending his brother to St. Mary. 3 pages.
 - May 8, 1856, New York, from John Carroll. Sends money for his son to get good clothes because examination time is coming. 1 page.
 - 5. May 12, 1856, from Richard Bowling. Explains that he cannot pay his sons' expenses at present time but will in the near future. 1 page.
 - 6. May 12, 1856, Philadelphia, from Catherine A. Firth. Sends correction to her address. 1 page.
 - May 12, 1856, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. Writer has received letters from Mr. Santilli and is sending the letters to Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.
 - 8. May 12, 1856, from (paper has deteriorated). Informs Fr. Reilly that Mr. Meagher has not arrived and that Dr. Wilson will dine and sleep at his home. 1 page.
 - 9. May 13, 1856, Philadelphia, from N. Reroyre (?). Writer is surprised that Fr. Reilly does not remember his address. 1 page.
 - 10. May 14, 1856, Savannah, from John Cass. Writer wants to take Edy Quigley out of St. Mary's so that he may be trained as a ship's carpenter if Fr. Reilly feels he is strong enough and that the boy would be successful. If not, what does Fr. Reilly recommend. Edy's brother is a sailor in the Merchant Marines. 1 page.

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- 5 20 May 19, 1856 June 10, 1856 12 Items
 - May 19, 1856, Wilmington, from Charles A. Murphy. Informs Fr. Reilly that a student, John Murphy, has been punished for skipping classes. 1 page.
 - 2. May 20, 1856, New York, from Michael Millany. Writer is sending this letter for his nephew who wants to be a priest but cannot get a degree because the college he is attending is not incorporated. Writer would like to have the nephew attend St. Mary's for two months - at no cost - in order to be graduated from an incorporated college. 1 page.
 - 3. May 20, 1856, Philadelphia, from John A. Vaughn. Note of introduction for James Donelly. 1 page.
 - 4. May 21, 1856, Wilmington, from James Flinn. Fr. Reilly wants to see writer but writer has been out of town and will stop to see Fr. Reilly as soon as possible. 1 page.
 - 4A. May 24, 1856, from no name. Fr. Reilly's clergy is requested to attend funeral services for John Keating. 1 page.
 - 5. May 24, 1856, Havana, from Juan Beaza, in Spanish. Discusses expenses for son's education. 2 pages.
 - May 26, 1856, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. Writer proposes another way to force Mr. Santilli to pay his debt to Fr. Reilly. 4 pages.
 - 7. May 30, 1856, Philadelphia, from John Dillon Smith. Letter of introduction for Mr. Howell. 1 page.
 - June 3, 1856, Norfolk, from Seon Lynch. Writer has received a request from his brother for money to buy clothes. However, writer is surprised since he has already sent a box of clothes his brother requested. Writer requests Fr. Reilly check with express company. 1 page.
 - June 9, 1856, New York, from John Villaverde, in Spanish. Ex student is displeased with Fr. Reillv's bill and calls Fr. Reillv a rogue. 2 pages.
 - 9A. June 8, 1856, Philadelphia, from Edw. McCabe. Status of some of Fr. Reilly's debtors, particularly, Mr. Santilli. 3 pages.

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5 20 10. June 10, 1856, Savannah, from John Cass. Writer is very disturbed as to the cost of sending his children to St. Mary's. He will pay the bill begrundgingly. 2 pages.

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6	1	June 11, 1856 - June 25, 1856 - 11 Items

- June 11, 1856, Savannah, from John Cass. The writer has been in continual disagreement with Fr. Reilly on his son's bills at St. Mary's. In this letter, writer wants to deduct \$26.00 for books he has already prepaid. 1 page.
- 2. June 12, 1856, Columbus, from M. D. Shaw. Writer is sending money for her son who will remain at St. Mary's during vacation. Writer is pleased with her son's progress and wishes him to study other courses during vacation. 1 page.
- 3. June 13, 1856, Philadelphia, from E. Waldron. Letter of intorudction for a Mr. John Casey (from Cuba) who wants to send his boy to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 4. June 16, 1856, Washington, from Richard Bowling. Writer has financial problems which prevent his paving his full bill. Writer's son claims to be ill. Fr. Reilly feels the son is faking. Writer suggests what Fr. Reilly should do about it. 2 pages.
- 5. June 17, 1856, Charleston, from John Preston. Writer has 2 sons at St. Mary's. One son requests some items which, due to illness, writer cannot purchase. He requests Fr. Reilly to buy the items and writer will pay for them. 1 page.
- 5A. June 20, 1856, Villanova, from Villanova College. Invitation to attend Distribution ceremonies. 1 page.
- June 22, 1856, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Asks Fr. Reilly's opinion on Bishop Newman's feeling to employ a West Indian priest. Asks Fr. Reilly's opinion on the paper, The Pilot, story on legislation against the constitution, society and christianity. 3 pages.
- 7. June 22, 1856, Philadelphia, from E. Waldron. See item 3 of this folder. Expresses hope that this year's distribution ceremony exceeds all others. Expresses confidence that young Casey will do well. 1 page.
- 8. June 23, 1856, Philadelphia, from Catherine Ferth. Desires that her son remain at St. Marv's during vacation, and the son come to Philadelphia for a short time before vacation. 1 page.

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- 9. June 25, 1856, from Richard Bowling. See item 4 of this folder. Sends some money for his sons. Although writer is claiming financial problems he wants to return his sons to St. Mary's because they have shown great improvement. 2 pages.
 - 10. June 25, 1856, Anadalusia, from S. L. Darbant. Expresses regret that writer or her husband cannot attend distribution due to earlier committment. 1 page.

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- 6 2 June 25, 1856 July 18, 1856 10 Items
 - 1. June 25, 1856, Charleston, from John Preston. Writer requests that his sons remain at St. Marv's for a week extra because they cannot make the last steamer leaving Philadelphia. Sends his plan for their departure. Expresses thanks for his sons' schooling. 2 pages.
 - 2. July 2, 1856, Wilmington, from John Cole. Invitation to spend 4th of July. 1 page.
 - July 4, 1856, St. Mary's School, from Sister Mary Aloysius. A newsy letter. Writer expresses regret that she was not able to visit Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.
 - 4. July 7, 1856, Savannah, from John Cass. Writer has been having a running battle with Fr. Reilly on expenses. He expresses regret that Fr. Feilly does not agree with him. Request that his son return by steamer and he will pay any bill. 1 page.
 - 5. July 9, 1856, from David Matthew. A Mr. Grady of New Castle owes a bill to Fr. Reilly. He will pay when he gets funds. However, writer will pav if Mr. Grady does not. 1 page.
 - 6. Julv 10, 1856, Charleston, from J. Preston. Writer reports that his 2 sons arrived home in good health after a pleasant voyage. Writer is pleased with his sons' progress - particularly one son who has been a problem. 2 pp.
 - July 2, 1856, E. Newark, NJ, from Stephen Reillv. Request for recommendation for a position on the NJ railroad. 1 page.
 - July 15, 1856, Philadelphia, from Rafeal Pintado. A former student explains why he did not attend distribution day and inquires about another student. 2 pages.
 - July 17, 1856, Washington City, from John Dowling. Writer wants to have his nephew, 8 years old and from Peru, go to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - 10. July 18, 1856, Philadelphia, from Rafael Pintado. See item 8 of this folder. Writer has received Fr. Reilly's letter which has information the writer requested. 1 page.

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- July 17, 1856 August 6, 1856 11 Items
 - July 19, 1856, Washington, from J. A. Bayard. Requests Fr. Reilly to visit him at his Wilmington office in order to resolve some problems. 2 pages.
 - 1A. July 19, 1856, Wilmington, from Henry Echel (Publisher of Delaware State Journal). Offers use of paper's column for obituary and tribute to Fr. Sheridan (a friend of Fr. Reilly) who was killed in a railroad accident. 2 pages.
 - Julv 31, 1856, New York, from Benj. Aminus. Writer, a St. Mary graduate, will be attending Yale University. He reflects on his days of happiness at St. Mary's and wishes he was returning to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - August 1, 1856, St. Mary's School, from Sister Marv Alovsius. Writer has lost her mother who has been bedridden for ten years. She describes her mother's last hours. 3 pages.
 - 4. August 2, 1856, Oxford, from Gustav Engel(?). Writer, who had received Fr. Reilly's help when he was poor and ragged, is doing well and will repay Fr. Reilly as he promised. 1 page.
 - 5. August 2, 1856, Matamas, Cuba, from Louis D. Pou. A newsy letter about mutual friends. Writer requests the loan of a book and mentions that his young brother will go to St. Mary's after he has learned Spanish grammar in Cuba. 2 pages.
 - August 2, 1856, Philadelphia, from F.D., in Spanish. Returns a letter sent to writer by error. 2 pages.
 - 7. August 3, 1856, Beals Bar, from D. S. Graham. Writer pays a long term debt for his son's schooling and is anxious to have the son home. Request son's status in school. 1 page.
 - August 4, 1856, Jersev Citv, from Bryan Bennett. Writer describes his disadvantages of travel and has been ill with "summer complaint" which has left him weak and thin. 2 pages.
 - 9. August 4, 1856, Washington City, from John Dowling. Writer who wants to send his nephew (from Peru and speaks only Spanish) to St. Mary's but Fr. Reilly wants to charge him \$25 for extra attention because the boy speaks only Spanish. Writer will send boy to Georgetown because it is as expensive as St. Mary but is closer to his home. 1 page.

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- 6 2 10. August 6, 1856, New York, from Ben. Writer inquires about mutual friends and requests permission to visit St. Mary without an escort. 1 page.

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- August 8, 1856 August 18, 1856 10 Items
 - August 8, 1856, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Writer makes payment on his bill for his two sons who are returning to St. Mary's via steamer. Writer does not want to send his boys early because he fears illness. 1 page.
 - August 8, 1856, Baltimore, from George W. King. Writer is handling debt owed by Mr. John Bestor. Bestor claims the school owes him \$200 damages because one of his sons was mistreated. Trial is set for August 15. 1 page.
 - 3. August 9, 1856, Charleston, from P. O;Neill. Praises St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - August 9, 1856, Philadelphia, from S. M. Landes. Writer informs Fr. Reilly of a patient who was very troublesome, left without being fully cured and did not pav his bill. 1 page.
 - 5. August 9, 1856, from John McGann. Writer is delaying sending his sons to St. Marv's because his wife is ill. Writer describes his earlier contact with a Fr. Reilly and wonders if this Fr. Reillv is the same person who heads St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - August 12, 1856, Washington City, from John Dawling.
 Writer had previously decided to send his nephew (from Peru) to Georgetown and not St. Mary because of costs. He now will send the nephew to St. Mary. 2 pages.
 - August 12, 1856, Carbondale City, from P. Byrne. Writer is very pleased with his son's progress not only in his studies but also morals and religion. Sends payment. 2 pages.
 - 8. August 14, 1856, New York, from Ben Aminus. Sends Fr. Reilly his address. 1 page.
 - August 16, 1856, Hastings on the Hudson, from B. Savinson. Writer's son has determined to graduate and requests Fr. Reilly to give more attention so that he may accomplish his objective. 1 page.
 - 10. August 18, 1856, Wilmington, NC, from J. King. Writer is sending his two sons to St. Marv but without money but will send money by check in a few days. 1 page.

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- August 18, 1856 September 3, 1856 10 Items
 - 1. August 18, 1856, Newark, from P. Moran. Sends payment for Edward Hickey. Writer is pleased with Hickey's progress. Sorry that he and Fr. Reilly did not see each other during the vacation. 1 page.
 - August 18, 1856, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer pays a bill. He has added responsibility due to death in the family. He is sending his boy, Bernard, by steamer to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - August 18, 1856, Havana, from Juan de Los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer expresses concern about how well boys, educated in St. Mary's, are doing in Havana. 2 pages.
 - 4. August 20, 1856, Jersey City, from Rev. J. Kelly. Discusses problems with two of St. Mary's students. 2 pages.
 - August 23, 1856, Philadelphia, from Br. P. A. Seiberlich. Will pay bill as soon as Fr. Reilly thinks he can make a good boy out of the student, Frank. 1 page.
 - 6. August 29, 1856, Wilmington, from James Fox. Pavs a bill. Writer wants his son to progress rapidly because the son is at an age when he should start business. 1 page.
 - 7. August 29, 1856, Newark, NJ, from T. Reilly. Pays a bill. Has yet to locate a suitable situation. 1 page.
 - 8. September 2, 1856, Philadelphia, from Rafael Pintado. The father of one of the students is very concerned that he has received no letters from the student. Writer urges Fr. Reilly to have the student write once or twice a month. Writer is attempting to locate a Sr. Rodriguez who lives in Philadelphia. 2 pages.
 - 9. September 2, 1856, Philadelphia, from M. L. Spooner. Writer wants to send her son to St. Mary's but wants to pay the school bill by the month in lieu of 6 months in advance. 1 page.
 - September 3, 1856, Philadelphia, from ? Hogan. Writer wants to send a boy to St. Mary's but boy cannot speak English. Requests conditions. 1 page.

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- 6 6 September 3, 1856 September 20, 1856 11 Items
 - September 3, 1856, Washington, from E. Marsh. Pays a bill for grandson. Desires grandson to study English, algebra and bookkeeping. 1 page.
 - 2. September 3, 1856, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer will send one of his sons to Mt. St. Mary for two years because the son does not pay attention to his religeous duties. A second son, Bernard, is to remain and study hard. Wants his son to go to 10 AM Mass instead of going to Mass with other students. 3 pages.
 - September 4, 1856, Luzerne Co., PA, from Edw. Fitzmaurice. Writer, a priest, has two parish boys who want to go to St. Mary. Writer wants to go to St. Mary to meet Fr. Reilly and prepare for the boys' reception. 1 page.
 - 4. September 5, 1856, Norfolk, from Ferdinand Beilest. Writer is Mr. Santilli's stepson. Writer is very surprised at Mr. Santilli's action toward Fr. Reilly and will write to his grandfather who will also pay what is owed Fr. Reilly. Writer wants two of his brothers sent to Mr. Santilli (as Santilli requested) and that the 3rd brother, Julius, be sent to Norfolk because writer has a position for him. 2 pages.
 - 5. September 5, 1856, New York, from James Green. Pays a bill for his son's board and tuition. Pleased to learn that the boy is doing well. 1 page.
 - 6. September 7, 1856, from J. R. (?), in French. Handwriting is difficult to read. 1 page.
 - 6A. September 8, 1856, from J. O'Conner. Writer does not know a McHenry who is seeking a teaching position. 2 pages.
 - September 10, 1856, San Jose, from Rafael, in Spanish. This letter is misplaced. It is sent to a student. The writer, a brother, sends news from home. 5 pages.
 - 8. September 13, 1856, Media, from August Beauland. Letter of introduction for Madame Luioste, the writer's sister, who has two sons at St. Marv's. She recently moved to Media to be closeby so that, with Fr. Reilly's permission, she may visit her sons. 3 pages.

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- 6 6 9. September 16, 1853, Newark, from Owen (letter is torn). Writer has two sons at St. Mary's. He has mislaid his bill and requests a copy so that he can pay. Requests that his son, Owen, be allowed to take more air for his health. 1 page.
 - 10. September 20, 1856, Philadelphia, from Julia L. Shulnick (?) Writer's cousin is on his death bed and writer strongly begs Fr. Reilly to see the dying person. She warns Fr. Reilly that he may have problems getting to her cousin because the cousin has constantly refused help; one of the family has become a zealous Protestant and prefers to have an Episcopalian clergyman. 4 pages.

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- September 22, 1856, Nashville, from W. Bedford. Writer is concerned about the high bill he received from Fr. Reilly. He wants his son to have a better room (no roommates, warmer, larger and more light) so that he may study. He is concerned that dividends from bank stock has not been credited to his account. 2 pages.
- 2. September 29, 1856, Philadelphia, from Rafael Pintado. Writer's charge, Arturas, wants to study French, German and Latin but writer feels it is too early and that the student must have a command of English before starting other languages. However, writer will contact charge's father for confirmation. Writer has given up on locating Rodriguez. Writes about John Knight who will be a machinist or engineer. 2 pages.
- 3. October 7, 1855, from Edw. Corrigan. Writer's son has left St. Mary's and is continuing his education in All Hollow's College in Dublin, Ireland. The son has been accepted on condition that a letter of recommendation is received from Fr. Reilly. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to send letter to All Hollow's College. 1 page.
- 4. October 7, 1856, Baltimore, from illegible, paper is town also. Writer's nephew who wants a commercial education has been attending Mt. St. Mary where he had to study Greek, Latin, etc. subjects not considered applicable to the education requirements. Writer asks Fr. Reilly if he would accept the nephew and not require the classical languages. 1 page.
- 5. October 8, 1856, from James Fox. Writer does not want to stand between his son and school rules. If son is to be punished, that is the way it will be. 1 page.
- October 10, 1856, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Writer received a bill for which he has sent a check. He has receipt. He requests Fr. Reilly to make inquiries in Philadelphia and if money cannot be found, the writer will initiate action. 1 page.
- 7. October 11, 1856, Hastings on the Hudson, from Ben A. Savundur (?). Writer's son has been ill. Doctor recommends less study and more moderate exercise. He would like son to return to St. Mary's. Writer requests approval from Fr. Reilly with proviso that if son becomes ill again, he will return home. 1 page.

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- October 12, 1856, Wilmington, from Domingo Posterna. In Spanish. Students dropping out of St. Mary, due to illness, asks that his letter and goods be forwarded. 2 pages.
- 9. October 14, 1856, from Richard Bowling. Writer owes a bill but cannot pay it right away. He hopes the non-payment will not affect his son's education. 1 page.
- 10. October 16, 1856, New York, from Bryan Bennett. Writer is a student who has been very ill but has been considered cured by the doctors. However, he feels his lungs are not cured. He will leave for Utica for 8 10 days to breathe pure air. 4 pages.

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- 6 8 October 17, 1856 November 1, 1856 10 Items
 - 1. October 18, 1856, Baltimore, from illegible. Writer, an agent for Fr. Reilly, is making steps to sue Mr. Bestor for his bill to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - October 21, 1856, Columbus, Georgia, from John B. Strupper. Writer will arrive in November with his son who will remain at St. Mary's. Writer gives info on where to write for the son's account. 1 page.
 - 3. October 23, 1856, Baltimore, from A. McAdams. Writer has been interviewed by Fr. Reilly to teach at St. Mary's in return for education and board. Writer wants to enter the priesthood. Writer states his background and credentials. 3 pages.
 - 4. October 24, 1856, Carbondale, from Wm. Brennan. Writer has another student he wants to send to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - October 24, 1856, from J. P. Coniegys (?). Writer sends thanks for a Mr. Clayton who unexpectedly received \$3 from Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 6. October 25, 1856, Wilmington, from John Steegler. Writer asks Fr. Reilly for a loan in a long winded way. 4 pages.
 - October 25, 1856, Charleston, from Robert Preston. Pays a bill. One of his sons is not certain to return to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - 8. October 31, 1856, New York, from James Green. Writer has a problem paying a bill and with his child. 1 page.
 - 9. October 31, 1856, Glen Mills, from Chas. Willcox. Writer has a charge who is ill at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - November 1, 1856, Charlestown, from R. Preston. Writer's son wants to study languages w-ich the parent is in agreement if Fr. Reilly agrees. However, parent wants son to study mathematics for business. 2 pages.

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- Box Folder Incoming Non-business Letters
- 6 9 November 4, 1856 November 15, 1856 10 Items
 - 1. November 4, 1856, Charleston, from P. O;Neill. Writer pays a bill on account. Writes about her son's arrival with his trunk at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 2. November 6, 1856, Forest Port, NY, from Bryan Bennett. Writer had left New York for Utica where the clean air was expected to complete his cure. However, upon arrival at his brother's home in Forestport (New Utica), he had a relapse which he feels will be hong and hard. 4 pages.
 - 3. November 7, 1856, Wilmington, from James Fox. Writer is concerned about his son's punishment. 1 page.
 - 4. November 7, 1856, St. Thomas, V.I., from J.R. Santilli. The writer, who has a long standing debt to Fr. Reilly and who has not been too trustworthy, promises to go to the U.S.A. and pay Fr. Reilly. He also writes about his stepsons. 2 pages.
 - 5. November 8, 1856, Savannah, from A. Dauvergne. Writer is very pleased with her sons attending St. Mary. 1 page.
 - November 10, 1856, Norfolk, from F. Beillert. Writer is Mr. Santilli's stepson - see section 4 of this folder.) Expresses concern about Mr. Santilli's behavior towards Fr. Reilly. Writer has communicated with the grandfather. 1 page.
 - November 11, 1856, Jersey City, from Rev. J. Kelly. Writer pays some bills for his charges at St. Mary's. Writes about a democratic triumph which he feels will be temporary. 3 pages.
 - November 12, 1856, St. Jos. Church, from J. L. Walsh. Writer describes the debts of Mrs. Dougherty and her unreliability. 3 pages.
 - November 13, 1856, Carbondale Citv, from Peter Byrne. Pays a bill. Writer is very pleased with his son's studies. ; ¹/₂age.
 - November 15, 1856, Newark, from Owen Grev. Writer has two sons at St. Marv and wants to pay his debt in full. However, due to non-payment of accounts owed him, he has been unable to settle his account. 4 pages.

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- 6 10 November 18, 1856 December 3, 1856 11 Items
 - November 18, 1856, Hastings on the Hudson, from Ben A. Lavender. Writer is removing his son from St. Mary's because the son is melancholy. 1 page.
 - 1A. November 19, 1856, Wilmington, from YMCA. Invitation to Fr. Reilly to speak at a YMCA function. 1 page.
 - 2. November 20, 1856, Savannah, from E. L. Riberg. Pleased to hear that his nephew is doing well at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - November 21, 1856, Wilmington, DE, from W.J. Purcell. Writer is sending Fr. Reilly some money for which there will be no interest. 1 page.
 - 4. November 22, 1856, East Boston, from M. Dillon. Writer is requesting that Fr. Reilly send his son home immediately because of important business. 1 page.
 - 5. November 25, 1856, Havana, from Francis Braza. Writer has received no letters from his son or from Fr. Reilly. Requests communication. 1 page.
 - November 23, 1856, Havana, from O.B. de los Reves. In Spanish. Writer is trying to dispell a bad rumor about St. Mary's in Havana. 2 pages.
 - November 25, 1856, Philadelphia, from Laurence Kelly. Writer has sent 12 small trunks to Fr. Reilly and wants payment. 1 page.
 - 8. November 26, 1856, Savannah, from R. Preston. One of writer's sons is studying French and not Spanish. The father believes Spanish will be more useful and asks Fr. Reilly to make a judgement. Requests Fr. Reilly to keep separate accounts for his two sons. 2 pages.
 - 9. November 29, 1856, from R. Preston. Son now wishes to study violin. The parent agrees. 1 page.
 - 10. December 3 , 1856, Easton, PA, from Thomas Reardon. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to come up for Christmas where he will enjoy sleigh riding and the jingle of bells. If Fr. Reilly cannot make it, writer invites others from St. Mary's. 2 pages.

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- 6 11 December 11, 1856 December 24, 1856 11 Items
 - December 11, 1856, Philadelphia, from Alex Aralv. Pays a bill. Pleased to hear that his nephew is doing well. 1 page.
 - 2. December 12, 1856, Columbus, from E. W. Starr. Writer is very concerned that his son is very homesick. However, the boy is doing well at school. 1 page.
 - 2A. December 15, 1856, Philadelphia, from Edw. McCabe. Status of some of Fr. Reilly's debtors. In addition, writer is now working in a law office which assists him in his business. 4 pages.
 - 3. December 17, 1856, New York, from James Grim. Sends money for one of his charges and is pleased to see that he is doing well. 1 page.
 - 4. December 17, 1856, Philadelphia, from David Matthews. Writer owes St. Mary's a bill but has been delayed due to a note owed to him. 1 page.
 - December 18, 1856, Philadelphia, from August D'ouville. In French. Letter is torn. Writer has received letter from Mr. Santilli and is very pleased. 2 pages.
 - December 18, 1856, Jersey City, from A. C. Morrogh. Writer has a son, Peter, at college but does not hear from him. He wishes his son well and sends gifts. 2 pages.
 - 7. December 18, 1856, from H. W. Snyder. Writer had planned to return his son to St. Mary's after the holiday but, due to monetary problems, he cannot. Perhaps in the spring. 1 pg.
 - 8. December 20, 1856, Sanannah, from A. Dauvergne. Sends a gift to his sons via Fr. Reilly. Grateful that they are doing well. 1 page.
 - 9. December 23, 1856, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer, ex student, discusses minor problem. 2 pp.
 - 10. December 24, 1856, Baltimore, from E. Roth. Writer describes his travel and his problems. 1 page.

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- 6 12 December 26, 1856 January 5, 1857 11 Items
 - December 26, 1856, from REv. J. Kelly. Fr. Kelly writes of sons of the people who, because of their positions, can bad mouth a school or favor schools. 3 pages.
 - 2. December 26, 1856, Columbus, GA, from E. W. Starr. The writer's son is having study and deportment problems. The writer makes recommendations. 1 page.
 - 3. December 27, 1856, Wilmington, from J. King. Pays a bill. Writer feels the students should be more prompt in writing and take more pains in their letters. 1 page.
 - 4. December 27. 1856, New York, from Wm. Spence. The writer, a student, went home for the Christmas holiday very unexpectedly. However, his parents were happy to see him and he is having a good time. When he returns to St. Mary's he wants to learn bookkeeping so he can go into his father's business. 3 pages.
 - 4A. December 28, 1856, Columbus, from M. D. Shaw. Writer is short of money due to bad collections and requests Fr. Reilly advance money for clothes and spending money for his son. 1 page.
 - 5. December 30, 1856, Media, from Angelo La Coste. Requests that a package sent to the writer by his sister be held so that he may pick it up. 2 pages.
 - December 31, 1856, St. Mary's School, from Sister Mary Aloysius. Sends Season Greetings. Describes the winter environment at St. Mary's School. 3 pages.
 - December 31, 1856, Norfolk, from F. Beillert. Writer has received a letter from his stepfather, Mr. Santelli. Letter repeats information which Fr. Reilly received in an earlier letter from Mr. Santelli. 1 page.
 - 8. December 31, 1856, Wilmington, from S. A. Dogherty. Season's Greetings. Promise of a small present. 1 page.
 - 9. December 31, 1856, St. Louis, from Julie Francis. Writer is a friend of Fr. Reilly, went to settle in St. Louis feeling that the city was "western" and bad. To her nephew it was just the opposite - warm, strongly Catholic and friendly. 4 pages.

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6 12 10. January 5, 1857, Philadelphia, from Marv Hogan Wall. Writer is returning her son to school and expresses her pleasure at his improvement.

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- 6 13 January 8, 1857 January 22, 1857 10 Items
 - January 8, 1857, Norfolk, from Ferdinand Beillert. The Mr. Santelli affair. The writer, Santelli's stepson, received a letter from his grandfather who will pav Mr. Santelli's debt to Fr. Reilly and have the 3 remaining brothers (now at St. Marv's) sent to the grandfather. 1 page.
 - 2. January 8, 1857, Philadelphia, from J. E. Hiller. Writer is seeking a position of teacher in French, drawing or the arts. 1 page.
 - 3. January 9, 1857, from Edward McCabe. Writer is trying to obtain a set of books for Fr. Reilly. Informs Fr. Reilly that a Mr. Kelly will no longer send his son to St. Mary's due to illness. Also Kelly will settle his bill. 3 pages.
 - January 10, 1857, Columbus, from E. W. Stan. The mother of a student feels Fr. Reilly does not have a good opinion of her. Mother wants to have her son return home and does not promise to return him to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - January 13, 1857, Philadelphia, from Domingo Poterondo, in Spanish. Writer is moving to another city due to health. 3 pages.
 - January 15, 1857, Brooklyn, from Mrs. Mary Murray. Writer will not send her son back to St. Mary's until spring. Meanwhile, requests his clothes, books, trunk etc. be sent home. 2 pages.
 - 7. January 14, 1857, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Writer is concerned that his son is unduly thrashed by Mr. Roth. If what his son says if true, he wants the son returned home. 1 page.
 - January 15, 1857, from John Bennett. Writer announces the death of his brother who, in his last words, had praise for Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 9. January 21, 1857, Chester, from A. Harland. Writer states that the grandson of Gen. Simon Bolivar is being detained by non-Catholic family which is trying to convert him. Writer requests assistance to control boy's father. 2 pages.
 - January 22, 1857, Macon, GA, from Mrs. M. Files. Writer is very pleased with her son's progress and pays a due bill. 1 page.

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- 6 14 January 22, 1857 February 6, 1857 10 Items
 - January 22, 1857, Jersey City, from A. C. Monagh. Writer's son has been having sleep walking problems and the writer thanks Fr. Reilly for his assistance in trying to break the problem. 3 pages.
 - January 23, 1857, Philadelphia, from M. L. Spooner. Writer cannot pay his bill until July and would like to know if he may send his son back to St. Mary's. l page.
 - January 26, 1857, Jersey City, NJ, from J. O'Brien. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to reduce some of the school expenses for his son. 2 pages.
 - 4. January 29, 1857, Wilmington, from C. L. Laughlin. Writes for a Mr. King who is very ill and requests that Mr. King's eldest son, James, be returned home immediately. 1 page.
 - 5. January 30, 1857, Washington, from John Dowling. Pays a bill for his son, James Dowling, who was born and reared in Peru. He sends news of the family and is greatful that the boy is doing well. Writer is concerned that <u>Yarber boots</u> are made to sell, not to wear. 2 pages.
 - 6. January 31, 1857, Columbus, GA, from E. W. Stan. Writer sends a duplicate of a letter she has written but not received by Fr. Reilly. She sends money to be applied to her credit and requests that her son be held until summer vacation and then returned home via the land route. (Note: this is unusual since heretofore, the steamer route was used.) 1 page.
 - February 1, 1857, Savannah, from Eugenia Beaularo. Writer is concerned about his son's health which cannot stand the severe cole weather. 1 page.
 - February 2, 1857, Newark, from Bishoprick of Newark. The Bishop has received a letter from a Mrs. Fleming of Waterford, Ireland who fears her brother, Rev. Wilson, is very ill. Since Rev. Wilson is listed as a professor at St. Mary's, the Bishop requests information from Fr. Reilly, 1 page.
 - 9. February 3, 1857, Newark, from Anne Finegan. Writer's son has returned to St. Mary's. She is concerned that the boy does not pay attention to his study nor appreciate the value of education and he has not made his first Communion. 2 pages.

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- 6 14 10. February 6, 1857, Havana, from Ignacio de los Reves. Writer requests cumber of Cuban students at St. Mary's. 1 page.

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- 6 15 February 8, 1857 February 15, 1857 10 Items
 - 1. February 8, 1857, Smyrna, DE, from Gryphina Dion. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to recommend someone who could teach her French on a part time basis. 1 page.
 - 2. February 9, 1857, Charleston, from P. O'Neil. Writer has received a bill which he believes does not include a credit he had sent in November. 1 page.
 - February 10, 1857, Cardenas, from Juan Carey, in Spanish. Writer sends letter of credit with disbursement instructions. 2 pages.
 - 4. February 10, 1857, St. Thomas, VI, from J. R. Santelli. (Note: There has been much correspondence about Mr. Santelli who owes a great debt to Fr. Reilly and who does not appear to be too trustworthy.) Writer sends Fr. Reilly a money draft, tells of his business dealings in sugar and promises to see Fr. Reilly in the spring and settle his account. He is also concerned that he does not receive work from his stepsons. 1 page.
 - 5. February 11, 1857, St. Agnes Church, from Edward Eaton. Requests verification of a donation. 1 page.
 - February 11, 1857, Charleston, from Roger Gannon. Writer expresses concern about his son's punishment but is willing to trust Fr. Reilly's judgement. 1 page.
 - 7. February 12, 1857, Savannah, from A. Dauvegne. Writer is concerned that clothing sent by Mrs. Beaulard to her son was not sufficient. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to provide what is missing and to keep an account. 1 page.
 - 8. February 12, 1857, New York, from Owen Grey. Writer owes Fr. Reilly for his son's education but has withheld part payment because he wished to pay the total in one lump sum. However, if Fr. Reilly wishes, a contractor is owed much money for buildings he has erected on 34th street. 1 page.
 - 9. February 13, 1857, from Fr. J. Kelly. Writes of an ex-lay brother who is staying with the writer until May and who is seeking employment. Letter has an addendum written by Thos. Ashton who sends Fr. Reilly to price of fish in New York City. 3 pages.
 - February 15, 1857, Trenton, from James O'Brien. Writer cannot get to St. Mary and requests that any mail sent to him in care of Fr. Reilly be held. 1 page.

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- 6 16 February 19, 1857 March 9, 1857 10 Items
 - February 19, 1857, San Francisco, from Lydia Englier. Writer was surprised that his children were not properly clothed because he had sent money to Fr. Reilly thru his wife, Mrs. Englier. Cautions Fr. Reilly not to rely on his wife. Sends money and promises more to keep his children well clothed. 3 pages.
 - February 21, 1857, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Sends money. Writer is satisfied with the punishment his son has received for misbehavior. 1 page.
 - 3. February 21, 1857, Philadelphia, from (illegible). Writer is satisfied with Fr. Reilly's response. 1 page.
 - February 26, 1857, Philadelphia, from Thomas Mansfield. Writer has not received bill Fr. Reilly said he sent. Asks for another bill. Pleased to hear that his son, James, is doing well. 1 page.
 - 5. March 5, 1857, from Rev. J. Kelly. Writer has placed his friend Ashton. Writer's nephew has had a relapse. 2 pages.
 - 6. March 7, 1857, Philadelphia, from E & M O'Donnell. Gratitude for letter. 1 page.
 - March 7, 1857, Wilmington, NC, from J. King. Writer's son, Jeremiah, has not written. Requests Fr. Reilly to have him write. 1 page.
 - 8. March 7, 1857, Brandywine, from J. Walsh. Invites Fr. Reilly to attend a lecture given by Rev. O'Brien. 1 page.
 - March 9, 1857, Cardinas, from Felix M. Alvaner, in Spanish. Writer sends letter of credit with disbursement instruction. 2 pages.
 - March 10, 1857, Philadelphia, from August D'Puville, in French. Asks for a loan of \$100 for 2 months. 2 pages.

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- 6 17 March 10, 1857 March 25, 1857 10 Items
 - March 10, 1857, Richmond, VA, from James O'Brien. Writer went to Washington after leaving St. Mary's. He got very ill. Request Fr. Reilly to forward any mail sent to him. 1 page.
 - 2. March 11, 1857, Philadelphia, from Rich Keenan. Solicits help for his wife who has started to collect miney to rebuild Rev. Collins church at Falls of Schoulkill. 1 page.
 - March 12, 1857, from Fr. J. Kellv. Recommends a Mr. Beirn for a professorship at St. Mary's. Urges Fr. Reillv to keep fighting for the Catholic right. 2 pages.
 - 4. March 13, 1857, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. Fr. Reilly has turned down the writer's request for a loan of \$100. However, the writer is hardpressed and urges that Fr. Reilly complete the loan at his earliest possible convenience. 2 pages.
 - 5. May 16, 1857, Havana, from Franco Braza, in Spanish. Sends letter of credit with instructions. 2 pages.
 - March 16, 1857, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Writer has been trying to contact her brother in New York city but has been unsuccessful. Requests bill for Gabriel and will arrange to pay or visit Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 7. March 20, 1857, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly. Sends payment for two sons accounts. Pleased to hear that son John is doing well and that they will be happy to see him at Easter. 1 page.
 - March 23, 1857, Philadelphia, from August D'Ouville, in French. See item 4 of this folder. Requests \$50 to \$60 of \$100 requested loan because writer is in great need. 2 pages.
 - 9. March 23, 1857, Philadelphia, from J. N. Neumann (Bishop of Philadelphia) Recommends a bearer, Mr. Shaad, for a teaching position. 1 page.
 - March 25, 1857, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. See item 6 of this folder. Writer will not be able to come to St. Mary's due to illness. Requests safest mode of sending money to Fr. Reilly because she wants to liquidate a bill. 1 page.

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- 6 18 March 29, 1857 April 13, 1857 10 Items
 - 1. March 29, 1857, New Castle, from M. D. Ochichee. Return of marriage certificate. 1 page.
 - March 30, 1857, Philadelphia, from M. H. Wall. Sends money. Suggests that the students spending money be curtailed.
 2 pages.
 - March 31, 1857, Philadelphia, from S.M. Lander. Writer has a health clinic. He assures Fr. Reilly that he can cure Fr. Reilly's froemds amd states cpsts. A very positive letter. 3 pages.
 - 4. April 1, 1857, Havana, from Ignacio de los Reyes. Letter of transmittal for an enclosed letter to a friend. 1 page.
 - 5. April 2, 1857, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to tell one of his students that his father and mother are well. 1 page.
 - 6. April 5, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer feels that his son, Bernard, who wants to study Latin, should start next year because of lateness in the year. Moreover, he feels Latin will be useless since he has heard that 7 years of study are requested and his son will be at St. Mary's only 3 more years. 2 pages.
 - 7. April 7, 1857, Wilmington, from M. Hilles. Writer's father has money problems due to a check being lost/misplaced/misdrawn due to similarity of name. 1 page.
 - 8. April 8, 1857, Philadelphia, from S. M. Shully. See item 3 of this folder. Writer wants Fr. Reilly's friend, J. Hafferty, to remain an extra week at his clinic to be sure Mr. Haggerty is cured. 1 page.
 - 9. April 13, 1857, St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, from Edward McCosker. Expresses thanks that Fr. Reilly had complied with writer's request. Writes about the hardship of Lenten fast and the ceremonies of Holy Week, 2 pages.
 - 10. April 13, 1857, Baltimore, from Edward Roth. Explains that he will be one day late due to disappointments and accidents. l page.

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 - 6 19 April 15, 1857 April 27, 1857 10 Items
 - 1. April 15, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer has two sons, John and Bernard, at St. Mary's. Writer is surprised that both are studying Spanish and insists that Bernard continue study of English and he should not give up the study of geography. 1 page.
 - April 16, 1857, New York, from James Green. Sends money. Has been away for 3 months and will pay any balance as soon as he receives Fr. Reilly's bill. 1 page.
 - 3. April 18, 1857, Montgomery, from E. Beaulard. Writer has not been home but at her daughter's home where she enjoys the sunshine. Her account has been handled by Mr. Dauvergue who only receives salary at stated times. 1 page.
 - April 20, 1857, Columbus, from M. D. Shaw. Writes of her boy, Banky, who is doing well at St. Mary's. Due to home problems, Banky, had to return home to help his mother. He will return to St. Mary's after vacation. 2 pages.
 - 5. April 22, 1857, New Jersey, from John Duff. Writer is looking for a teaching position in return for studies to complete his education. 2 pages.
 - 6. April 12, 1857, New Orleans, from Thomas Fitzwilliams. Inquires as to cost of sending a boy to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - April 23, 1857, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. See item 5 of this file. Letter of commendation for Mr. Duff. 1 page.
 - 8. April 25, 1857, Philadelphia, from Anther Bournouville, MD. Wants to send his boy to St. Mary's. Requests school data. 1 page.
 - 9. April 27, 1857, New York, from James Green. Sends money. Wants to know when quarter will be over because student may to transfer to another school. 1 page.
 - 10. April 27, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Pays a bill. Has not decided to have his son, Bernard, return home for vacation due to expense. 1 page.

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- 6 20 April 28, 1857 May 17, 1857 11 Items
 - April 28, 1857, Dillworthtown, PA, from John Hendlev. Sends money. Writer is very displeased with progress of charge, Albert M. Lunt, and after the vear is up, will remove him from St. Mary's and send him out to sea. 2 pp.
 - April 28, 1857, Philadelphia, from M. Santos. Writer is discouraged about Mishs Lanty who has had another attack. Asks that mass be said. 2 pages.
 - 3. May 1, 1857, Norfolk, from Ferdinand Beillert. Announces the death of his brother. 2 pages.
 - 4. May 1, 1857, Washington, from E. Marsh. Makes a payment. His charge, Ellis McLean, may remain at St. Mary's for another year because no business agreeable to Ellis has been found. 1 page.
 - 5. May 4, 1857, from Lydia Englar. Pays a bill. Writer will go to Teuhautepec City to open a hotel or resturant. 1 page.
 - 5A. May 6, 1857, Newark, NJ, from Fr. P. Moran. Sends payment on debt. The writer was delayed in remitting payment due to trustee's decision. He also was disappointed with St. Patrick's day receipts. 1 page.
 - 6. May 8, 1857, Jasper Co., from C. O'Donnell. Writer has paid some taxes on land owned by Fr. Reilly. He is trying to rent or sell the land but the house and fence are in disrepair. He has been offered \$5.00 an acre for the land by a speculator but other lands are selling for \$10 or \$15 dollars an acre. NOTE: This document has two letters. Letter #2 to: Marv Ann from Elizabeth O'Donnell. Writer scolds Marv Ann for not writing not only to her but also to two friends to whom Mary Ann promised to write. 3 pages.
 - May 12, 1857, Malangas, from Mary Ganesche de Laine. The writer, a friend of Fr. Reilly, feels that she did not make a good general confession before her first communion. She briefly tells about her life away from America. 3 pages.
 - 8. May 13, 1857, New York, from August D'Ouville, in French. Writer cannot pay his debt of \$100 by the time he promised because the business venture for which he needed the money was not ready. Writer begs for more time because he has a venture which will make money. Expresses gratitude to Fr. Reilly. 4 pages.

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- 6 20 9. May 13, 1857, Philadelphia, from Henry D. Gilphy (?). Requests school catalogue. 1 page.
 - May 17, 1857, Philadelphia, from David Matthew. Writer sent Fr. Reilly a note on another company to pay his bill. Writer tell Fr. Reilly to sue the company who issued the note. 1 page.

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- 7 1 May 17, 1857 June 8, 1857 10 Items
 - 1. May 17, 1857, Wilmington, NC, from James King. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to have his brother write to the family because they are all worried. 1 page.
 - 2. May 18, 1857, Norfolk, from F. Beillert. Writes about his brother's death and funeral ceremonies. Requests brother's trunk be sent to Norfolk. 1 page.
 - May 20, 1857, New Orleans, from A. Delpuch, in French. Wedding invitation to assist in mass for marriage of writer's son and Mlle. Anais Delvaille. Invitation translated. 2 pages.
 - 4. June 1, 1857, Wilmington, from W.J. Purcell. Encloses a letter from a mutual old acquaintance. 1 page.
 - June 1, 1857, St. Mary's Asylum, from name obliterated. A newsy letter from an old friend. (I believe to be a nun. 2 pages.
 - June 2, 1857, Macon, GA, from Mrs. M. K. (name missing) Writer is very ill and requests Fr. Reilly to get her son, William, what ever he needs and she will pay for it. 1 page.
 - 7. June 2, 1857, from E. L. Ribero. Receipt received. Wishes his nephew, Peter, well and wishes that he write to his sisters even though his writing is poor. Peter's father has abandoned his children and may want to know how much is owed. 2 pages.
 - 8. June 3, 1857, Jersey City, from A.C. Monogh. Requests that his son be returned home for vacation with some older boys whom Fr. Reilly can trust. If not, writer will journey to Wilmington to pick them up. 3 pages.
 - 9. June 7, 1857, New London, Chester Co., from Wm. Wheeler. Writer is sending a bundle and a watch to his son at school. Writer is very pleased with the school and has asked Fr. Reilly to help him find a good school for his daughters. 3 pages.
 - 10. June 8, 1857, Carbondale, from Wm. Brennan. Writer has received a letter from his son and he is very very displeased with his son's progress, especially in his native tongue. 1 page.

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- 7 2 June 9, 1857 June 17, 1857 10 Items
 - 1. June 19, 1857, Philadelphia, from M.O. Driscoll. Requests Fr. Reilly collect money from a draft to satisfy a payment writer owes. 1 page.
 - 2. June 10, 1857, from C. Chambers. Letter written on stationary from J.C. of BVM. Writer is soliciting Fr. Reilly for two teachers (men who are studying for the priesthood preferred) and some provisions for the next term. 2 pages.
 - 3. June 12, 1857, Philadelphia, from M. O. Driscoll. Writer has some concern on a bank draft from Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - June 13, 1857, Savannah, from A. Dauvergne. Pays a bill. Expresses regret that his payment was late. Expresses pleasure that the students are doing well. 2 pages.
 - June 13, 1857, Philadelphia, from M. O. Driscoll. See item 3 of this folder. Expresses pleasure to receive Fr. Reilly's draft. 2 pages.
 - 6. June 15, 1857, Nashville, from W.H. Bedford. Wants son to return home for vacation. Requests a status report on her son because she would like to send him to France or start him in business. Mentions she has purchased some stocks for her son. 2 pages.
 - 7. June 16, 1857, from Sister Mary Aloysius. A newsy letter reflecting on old times. 3 pages.
 - 8. June 16, 1857, Wilmington, DE, from Peter N. Brennan. Some members of St. Joseph's church, some of whom were former parishoners of Fr. Reilly, have taken a collection to buy small church gifts for Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 9. June 16, 1857, Jersey City, from A.C. Monogh. Sends \$5 to Fr. Reilly to purchase some clothing for her son. When the son comes home for vacation, a complete outfit will be purchased. 2 pages.
 - 10. June 17, 1857, Columbus, from Mrs. E. O'Hara. Sends money to pay bill and for son to return home. Requests packaging of son's clothes and states route he will take home. 2 pages.

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- 7 3 June 19, 1857 - June 26, 1857 - 10 Items
 - 1. June 19, 1857, Columbus, from M. D. Shaw. Sends money as part payment. Requests that his son be sent home for vacation and that Fr. Reilly impress upon him the virtues of ambition, energy, etc. 2 pages.
 - June 19, 1857, Savannah, from (letter is torn). Sends money 2. for the boy's schooling and an express receipt for a package containing clothing. 1 page.
 - 3. June 20, 1857, New York, from James Green. Writer is leaving for Europe and will settle his bill with St. Marv's upon his return. 1 page.
 - June 20, 1857, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Writer had sent 4. his boy a draft but it was lost. Mants Thomas to return home with his trunk so that the clothes may be repaired in time for school. He would like Thomas to return home in the company of some boys returning to Charleston. 1 page.
 - June 20, 1857, Philadelphia, from Mrs. A. Dos Santos. Mrs. 5. Dos Santos is Fr. Reilly's sister. A newsy letter about friends and that her husband, Angelo, ahas been ill but is now feeling well. 2 pages.
 - 6. June 27, 1857, Carbondale City, from Peter Byrne. Bearer of letter has some money for Fr. Reilly. Fr. Reilly has allocated some of writer's money for a Greek reader which is an error. 1 page.
 - June 22, 1857, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. See item 4 of 7. this folder. Writer encloses duplicate of original draft that was lost. Reiterates desires previously written to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 8. June 22, 1857, Philadelphia, from C.L. Waldon (illegible). Bishop's trip to the mountains has been cancelled. Therefore, he may be able to fulfill Fr. Reilly's claim for services. 1 page.
 - 9. June 24, 1857, from (name has faded). Pleads with Fr. Reilly to recall a priest from a Brandvwine church because the priest is "crazy". 1 page.
 - June 26, 1857, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Sends a package 10. of tickets for his two sons to return home for vacation. Requests that the sons leave their books at college because they will need them in the fall. 1 page.

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- Box Folder Incoming Non-business Letters
- 7 4 June 27, 1857 July 11, 1857 11 Items
 - June 27, 1857, Washington City, from John Dowling. Writer is guardian for a student who has returned home earlier than requested and without his baggage. Writer is concerned about extra costs for his ward and for the lost baggage. 3 pages.
 - 2. June 29, 1857, Bean's Ville, from Kate Bean. A newly letter concerning sisters at St. Peter's school. 2 pages.
 - 3. June 29, 1857, New York, from L. Larringa, in Spanish. Student wants to spend his vacation time in New York and requests Fr. Reilly to send his vacation money. 2 pages.
 - 4. June 29, 1857, New York, from J. S. Remits money for balance of bill. Wants son to return with all his belongings because she may not be able to afford sending him back to school. 2 pages.
 - 5. June 30, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer has decided to have his sons return home by steamer. He intends to get a situation for his older son and have the younger son return to St. Mary's after vacation. 2 pages.
 - 6. July 1, 1857, Washington City, from John Dowling. See item 1 of this folder. Writer's ward, Thomas, has arrived and the trunk, with lock brocken due to heavy load, arrived 3 days later. Writer lectures Fr. Reilly on economy. 2 pages.
 - July 1, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Telegraph informs Fr. Reillv that his son's passage on a steamer from Baltimore to Charleston has been confirmed for July 4. 1 pg.
 - 7A. July 2, 1857, from Sacred Heart. Invitation to attend Distribution. 1 page.
 - 8. Julv 5, 1857, Wilmington, from James Tucher. Writer failed to see Fr. Reilly but leaves a note requesting entrance dates for St. Marv's. 1 page.
 - 9. July 11, 1857, Dunmore, Luzerne Co., from Michael McDowell. Writer inquires about Fr. Reilly's family and other people at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 10. July 11, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer states that his boys arrived safely by steamer. He is pleased with their appearances. See item 7 of this folder. 2 pages.

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- 7 5 July 13, 1857 July 29, 1857 10 Items
 - July 13, 1857, Baltimore, from E. Roth. Writer has been working on St. Mary's catalogue, proofs of which will be sent out. 1 page.
 - 2. July 14, 1857, Baltimore, from Ben A. Lavender. Writer's son will remain at St. Mary's for the balance of vacation. The writer wants his son to continue with his regular studies but sutstituting German and music for Latin. 1 page.
 - July 15, 1857, Hastings on the Hudson, from Ben A. (faded).
 Pays part of his bill. Writer has had a bad time. His wife has had a breast cancer operation. 1 page.
 - July 15, 1857, from Michael Crictary (?). Sends money to sons. Asks Fr. Reilly their status since the boys do not write. 1 page.
 - 5. July 16, 1857, Macon, GA, from M. Kiles. Writer is pleased with his son's progress. Pays a bill. 2 pages.
 - 6. July 21, 1857, Poughkeepsie, from Juan Perez, in Spanish. Letter is poorly writen. Writer requests money which his father sent to Fr. Reilly in order to buy clothing. 2 pp.
 - 7. July 22, 1857, Danmore, from James Garvey. Requests bill from Fr. Reilly so that he can pay total. 1 page.
 - 8. July 27, 1857, Lamagna, from J. McHugh. Points out an error in Fr. Reilly's bill. 2 pages.
 - 9. July 28, 1857, Hartford, Joseph B. Furlong. Writer, who has been attending St. Charles College, wishes to transfer to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - 10. July 29, 1857, Savannah, from E. Beaulard. Writer is very pleased with the progress of his two nephews who have had a very difficult life at home. 1 page.

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 - 6 July 29, 1857 August 10, 1857 10 Items
 - 1. July 29, 1857, Carbondale City, from M. J. Byrne. Writer is very angry that Fr. Reilly leveled charges against him and wrote to his father without informing him and giving him a chance to defend himself. It appears money was stolen and a book taken from the library and never returned. The writer swears that he is innocent and demands that Fr. Reillv name and question the accuser (s). 4 pages.
 - July 30, 1857, Carbondale City, from Peter Byrne, Counseller at Law. See item 1 of this folder. Writer fully defends his son and, in addition, points out some charges (in his bill) that did not appear fair or correct. 4 pages.
 - 3. July 30, 1857, Poughkeepsie, from Louis Larringa in Spanish. Writer requests passports, letters, etc. 2 pages.
 - 4. August 2, 1857, Matanzas, from Louis D. Pou. Writer, a St. Mary alumnus, describes his work, position and chance for advancement. He writes about other St. Mary graduates who have good jobs or own businesses. Yellow fever is starting to hit foreigners and Spanish troops. Does not believe a war with Mexico will occur. 4 pages.
 - 5. August 3, 1857, Baltimore, from Chas. J. Coughan. Requests any items sent to writer by way of St. Mary from St. Joseph parish be forwarded. 1 page.
 - 6. August 4, 1857, Bristol, PA, from T.D. Shaw. Request prospectus be sent to a friend in Norfolk, VA. 1 page.
 - 7. August 5, 1857, from O. Sperry. Pays a bill. Is very pleased with his son's progress and that his son has obtained a situation in a wholesale house. 1 page.
 - August 7, 1857, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Sends money. His sons and a friend are leaving for Wilmington via New York. 1 page.
 - August 8, 1857, Reading, PA from B. Ouinn. Writer, a teacher of French, Latin and Greek wishes to obtain a teaching position at St. Mary's. Wants to leave Reading because of pressure from the public schools. 2 pages.
 - August 10, 1857, Beaver Meadow, from Michael Scanlon. Letter of introduction for Chas. McFadden who wants to study Latin in preperation for the Seminary. Writer of mutual friends, Frs. Walsh and Fitzsimmons. 1 page.

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- 7 7 August 11, 1857 August 19, 1857 10 Items
 - August 11, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Requests bill. Pleased that his boys are in excellent health at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - August 12, 1857, St. Peter's Asylum, Wilmington, from Sister Benedicta Parsons. Letter of respect and gratitude for all the prayers and kindnesses from Fr. Reilly. 3 pages.
 - 3. August 15, 1857, Philadelphia, from Lewis Baker. Letter of introduction for a Mr. Wilson who wishes to enter writer's nephew in St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - August 15, 1857, from A. H. Grimshaw. Writer offers to lecture on Physicology and Chemistry. He feels all colleges must teach Physicology especially since all the leading schools have started it. 3 pages.
 - 5. August 16, 1857, New York, from Owen Grey. Sends money. While his contracting business has been good, his collections have been less than good. He is returning his son to school. 1 page.
 - 6. August 16, 1857, Philadelphia, from M.G. Spooner. Wants to continue son in school but does not have the readv cash due to poor business and high expenses. However, could settle up in a month or two. 1 page.
 - August 17, 1857, Philadelphia, from Robert Kleineidam. Letter of introudction for Rev. Stengel who has been commissioned by Bishop Neumann to assist German Catholics in Wilmington. Requests Fr. Reilly to assist where he can. 1 page.
 - August 17, 1857, Easton, from Thomas Reardon. Returns Thomas Carey to St. Mary accompanied by Mr. B. Murtagh who will have money to defray traveling expenses. 2 pages.
 - 9. August 18, 1857, from George Ryan. Requests bill be corrected by adding costs of violins. 1 page.
 - August 19, 1857, Binghamton, from Gusto Cantero, in Spanish. Writer has no money and complains about the temperature in Binghamton. 2 pages.

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 - 7 8 August 21, 1857 September 1, 1857 10 Items
 - August 21, 1857, Nashville, from Wm. Bedford. Student will return to St. Marv only under certain conditions, ie. private tutors, selected subjects, acceptable room, one day a week to go to Wilmington with his escort, etc. (Note: A spoiled brat) 2 pages.
 - 2. August 22, 1857, Emmittburg, from (letter is torn and worn). Writer is looking to further his education by teaching and studying at St. Mary. Changes, which show his progress, have occurred at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - August 23, 1857, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer is happy to receive data on boys in college. Data has been shown to other fathers. 2 pages.
 - 4. August 26, 1857, Nashville, from Wm. Bedford. See item 1 of this folder. Writer requests a bill and reports that his son will not report until mid September. 1 page.
 - 5. August 26, 1857, Washington, DC, from Wm. Dant. Wants to send his sephew to St. Mary's to study only English. 1 page.
 - August 27, 1857, Washington, from E. Marsh. Requests total bill for Elias McLeon who will be resuming college at Wooster, Mass. 1 page.
 - 7. August 27, 1857, New London, Chester Co., from Marion Wheeler. Requests Fr. Reilly bear with her son who has been a problem. Requests he receive no visitors since they distract him. 1 page.
 - 8. August 27, 1857, Chester, from (name has faded) Writer requests Fr. Reilly aid in getting his sister, a non-Catholic, into St. Josephs, Emmitsburg, MD. His mother and sisters were educated at St. Peters, Wilmington, where Fr. Reilly was pastor. 1 page.
 - August 28, 1857, Washington City, from John Dowling. Sends balance of payment for James Dowling's bill. He is very pleased with Jame's English. Feels some of the medical expenses are high. 2 pages.
 - September 1, 1857, Washington City, from John Dowling. See item 9 of this folder. James has been delayed for a day or so. Requests that James's needs - books, boots, etc. - be taken care of by school. Writer will pay expenses. However, he requests keep expenses down. 2 pages.

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- 7 9 September 1, 1857 September 19, 1857 10 Items
 - September 1, 1857, Wilmington, NC, from James King. Writer is a former student. Pays a bill to Fr. Reilly and sends news of his work and of his brother. 1 page.
 - 2. September 1, 1857, Baltimore, from C.A. Walworth. Writes of Fr. F. Walsh who has postponed his mission. 1 page.
 - 3. September 4, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Writer tells of his son's steamship passage to Wilmington and schedule. Requests that his son start Spanish and advance on to bookkeeping. Sends money. 2 pages.
 - September 5, 1857, Poughkeepsie, from P.J. Perey, in Spanish. Writer tries to resolve a misunderstanding about the \$50 sent to Fr. Reilly by the writer's father. 2 pages.
 - 5. September 12, 1857, Washington from John Dowling. Pays a bill. Writer is happy about his ward Jamie, and how he is progressing. He has a book to send to Jamie. Requests Fr. Reilly to impress upon Jamie the advantages of good handwriting for communication. 3 pages.
 - September 13, 1857, Mt. Sherrytown, from Sister St. P (letter is town). Describes the problems at their school. 3 pages.
 - 7. September 15, 1857, Concord, from A. Demetrius Doyle. Writer wants to teach and study at St. Mary's but has several conditions. If he goes to college he will study law but, if he does not go to college, he will study medecine under his brother and brother-in-law. He states his background. 3 pages.
 - September 16, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. See item 3 of this folder. Writer is concerned that he has not received a receipt for money he sent with his son. 2 pages.
 - 9. September 19, 1857, Philadelphia, from A. Bourainville. Writer is very concerned about his son's behavior. He is forward and independent, lies, fantasizes, careless, etc. His behavior has not improved by going to St. Mary. He wants his son's spending money limited, wants Fr. Reilly to be more strict. Pays a bill. 3 pages.

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9 10. September 19, 1857, from James McFarland. Writer has not obtained a teaching position but does have a position as a commissioner but he needs help to succeed. Writer wants Fr. Reilly to parse some of his sentences and send results back. 4 pages.

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- 7 10 September 19, 1857 September 28, 1857 11 Items
 - 1. September 19, 1857, from P. Plunkett. Writer cannot comply with Fr. Reilly's request because has other engagements will keep him away. 1 page.
 - September 19, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Thanks Fr. Reilly for a receipt for money which he sent to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 2A. September 20, 1857, McSherrytown, from Sister St. John. The writer does not recommend (rather strongly) that Sister Magdalene be returned to Brandywine. 2 pages.
 - 3. September 21, 1857, from M.L. Spencer. Knows nothing about the whereabouts of a couple of students. 1 page.
 - September 22, 1857, Havana, from Franco Brava, in Spanish. Writer sends letters of exchange for son's expenses and requests report on son's progress. 2 pages.
 - 5. September 22, 1857, from P. L. Larringa. Sends money for his nephew's bill. Expresses thanks for the kindness shown to his nephew and also pleased with his improvement. 1 page.
 - September 23, 1857, Nashville, from Wm, Bedford. Reports that his son has left for St. Mary and is pleased that the son wants to return to school. Approves of his son's priveleges if he does not abuse them. 2 pages.
 - 7. September 24, 1857, Cincinnati, from J. Lewis Baker. Writer is concerned and displeased that his son played hooky from school. The writer feels the boy was mislead by other boys because the boy was always good. Approves corrective treatment if it is not too harsh. 1 page.
 - 8. September 25, 1857, Kent County, from Richard Willson. Apologizes that his son could not leave on time for start of school. Hopes that his son will discover what vocation he wants. 1 page.
 - 9. September 26, 1857, Elliot's Mill, MD, from Alex Claxton. The writer, a former student now attending a different school, asks permission to return to St. Mary. 1 page.

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- 7 10 10. September 28, 1857, Philadelphia, from M. H. Wall. Writer has a nephew at St. Mary. Student's father, who is in Europe after many years in Central America, may want to take his son out of school when he returns to the U.S.A. Writer pays for nephew's bill states there are problems in Central America and is concerned about receiving money to pay bill. 3 pages.

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7	11	September 30, 1857 - October 18, 1857 - 10 Items
		 September 30, 1857, Philadelphia, from Mary H. Wall. Pays her son's bill. Will go to St. Mary's to learn what course she will pursue with her son. 1 page.
		2. October 1, 1857, Conawago, from J.N. Bishop of Philadelphia. Schedule of retreat, synods, etc. 2 pages.
		3. October 3, 1857, Baltimore, from Wm. Rogers. Seeks the whereabouts of Rev. Scanlong. 1 page.
		4. October 6, 1857, Wilmington, from George Batterbury. Writer, an employee of St. Marv, informs Fr. Reilly on the interest rates in New York. 1 page.

- 5. October 7, 1857, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer sends bank notes to see if they be exchanged in Wilmington. 2 pages.
- October 8, 1857, Montgomery, GA, from Eugenia Beaulard. 6. Writer's nephews, students at St. Mary, have no good clothes. Writer is very surprised because the boys were well supplied before they left for school. Note: Letter rambles on and on, poor handwriting and hard to follow. 4 pages.
- 7. October 9, 1857, Savannah, from A. Dauvergne. See item 6 of this folder. Will settle bill as soon as a Mr. Epping returns. Sorry to hear that boys are destitute of clothing. He will instruct Mr. LaCoste (an agent) to provide what is needed. 2 pages.
- 8. October 10, 1857, Easton, from L.A. Brennan. Wants to pay his bills but cannot at this time since all his money is tied up in new construction. Will settle in about one month. 1 page.
- 9. October 11, 1857, from Geo. Canning. Writer has a chest (supposedly filled with valuables) which is owned by a St. Mary professor who has died. Requests information on 1 page. administration.
- 10. October 18, 1857, St. Josephs, from Sister Fanny Jordan. Not very legible. Congratulates Fr. Reilly on being appointed Bishop. 2 pages.

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- Box Folder Incoming Non-business Letters
- 7 12 October 19, 1857 November 4, 1857 10 Items
 - October 19, 1857, Atlanta, GA, from M.D. Shaw. Writer wanrs to pay his bills but cannot write a draft due to the confusion in the banking systems. Requests direction. States that his son is well and working in a grocery store where he is well liked and pleased to be at work. 2 pages.
 - October 20, 1857, St. Vincent Hospital, from Bernard Boyle. A newsy letter about mutual friends. 3 pages.
 - 3. October 23, 1857, Reading, PA, from Bernard Quinn. Writer is looking for a teaching position at St. Mary. Reading school is small, pay is poor and hard to get. 2 pages.
 - 4. October 25, 1857, Galveston, from J.S. Miller. The writer, a priest, is temporarily in charge of a college which has been abandoned by the Oblate fathers. Writer is anxious to hear about friends at St. Mary and an aunt who lives nearby. 1 page.
 - October 29, 1857, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer is trying to collect a debt owed to Fr. Reilly by a well established person in Havana. 3 pages.
 - 6. October 30, 1857, St. Vinvent's Hospital, from Bernard Bovle. Letter badly town. A newsy letter about friends. 4 pages.
 - October 31, 1857, Savannah, from A. Dauvergne. Boy's bills will be paid in about a week after a delay due to banking confusion. In addition, problems of boy's clothing is being corrected. 2 pages.
 - 8. November 1, 1857, Huntsville, Alabama, from Robert Knox. Writer wants to pay his bill but due to banking confusion cannot get enough money from a reliable bank to do so. However, with the help of one of his customers, he is gathering cash. 2 pages.
 - November 2, 1857, Philadelphia, from J.A. Dougherty. Writer has a French client who now lives in Cuba. Client wants to send his children to a college which teaches French and Spanish. Writer requests Fr. Reilly about St. Mary's subjects. 2 pages.
 - November 4, 1857, Huntsville, Alabama, from Robert Knox. See item 8 of this folder. Writer sends a check drawn on a reliable bank. Requests Fr. Reilly give his love to his boy and to supply him whatever he needs. 1 page.

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- 7 13 November 7, 1857 November 20, 1857 10 Items
 - November 7, 1857, Savannah, from A. Dauvergne. Pays a bill. Expresses pleasure that his son continues to improve. 1 page.
 - 2. November 10, 1857, Nashville, from W. Bedford. States that Fr. Reilly could not draw money on a dividend since the writer had already cashed the document under a favorable exchange. Writer is pleased that his son is doing well and has his own private room. 1 page.
 - 3. November 10, 1857, New York, from Elizabeth Bonaud. Writer is pleased that the boy, Peter, is being cared for by his father. 2 pages.
 - 4. November 12, 1857, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly. Writer received a bill for his son and was surprised to finds costs for violin lessons which he never approved. Pays his bill less costs for violin and lessons. 1 page.
 - 5. November 13, 1857, Philadelphia, from Angele 1a Coste. Writer is pleased that her son is doing well. Complains that some one has her son's overcoat, probably by error, asks Fr. Reilly to look into it. Begs Fr. Reilly to buy "Balm of 1000 Flowers" for her son so that he may bath his face in a solution of water and Balm to cure acne. 3 pages.
 - November 17, 1857, Jersey City, from M. Cornelian (?). Pays a part of her bill and explains her financial problems. 1 page.
 - 7. November 18, 1857, from Mary Willcox. Writer has a son who had attended St. Mary at one time, became ill and has been weak and sickly for several years. It appears the son has improved sufficiently well to attend school part time (winter months). Writer requests information on sending the 19 year old. 2 pages.
 - 8. November 19, 1857, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Writer is concerned as to how to get money to St. Mary's for her son's education. 1 page.
 - 9. November 19, 1857, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly. Writer does not want to have his son continue any music lesson especially the violin. He is willing to pay expenses incurred so far but no more. 1 page.
 - 10. November 20, 1857, Philadelphia, from C. Clark. Requests money which Fr. Reilly holds for the writer. 1 page.

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- 7 14 November 20, 1857 December 5, 1857 12 Items
 - November 20, 1857, from Thomas Lawton. Mr. Dos Santos, Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law, had another attack but is now much better. 2 pages.
 - November 20, 1857, Philadelphia, from Martinez. See item 1 of this folder. This is a telegram. Santos is ill. Come at once. 1 page.
 - 3. November 21, 1857, Philadelphia, from C. Clark. Is pleased that Fr. REilly will let him have the money requested. Clark's nephew will pick up money. 1 page.
 - 3A. November 22, 1857, Detroit, Michigan, from Sister Mary Luciete (?). Fr. Reilly to arrange for the celebration of the sacrifices for several sisters under the writer. 1 page.
 - November 24, 1857, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer has talked to Fr. Reillv's debtor but it is claimed that Fr. Reilly owes money. 2 pages.
 - 5. November 26, 1857, Philadelphia, from Crancis Engler. In a previous letter, Mrs. Elizabeth Engler of San Francisco, stated that she sent money to St. Mary via Mr. Braddock. In this letter writer states Mr. Braddock has not received the money but will pay St. Mary from his own funds if the money does not arrive on the next steamer. 1 page.
 - 5A. November 28, 1857, Charleston, from R. Preston. Requests Fr. Reilly to purchase clothing for son but cannot send draft due to bank suspension and confusion. 1 page.
 - 6. November 29, 1857, Baltimore, from Alex Claxton. Sends receipts for money. Writer is now at St. Ignatius and eats boardinghouse food which has made him prematurely grey. 1 page.
 - 7. November 30, 1857, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Pays an account and states that he is not purposely delinquent in payments but delays have been in obtaining drafts. 1 page.
 - 8. December 2, 1857, Washington, from Elizabeth Borbon. Pays a bill which her agent had failed to pay. Wants her son to write and let her know if he wants to return home for Christmas or have a new suit sent to him. 1 page.

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- 14 9. December 3, 1857, Philadelphia, from J. Wilson. A student had left St. Mary per orders of one of his family (the browns). Writer states that no one has any right to take the bov from college except the writer or the boy's grandmother (Baker). Further, the Browns have never done anything for the boy and none is to see the boy. 1 page.
 - December 5, 1857, Baltimore, from Edward McCosker. The writer, studying to be a priest, asks Fr. Reilly for prayers because he feels he does not have the humble and fervent heart to discharge his duties. Also writes of other St. Mary alumni. 3 pages.

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- 7 15 December 7, 1857 December 23, 1857 11 Items
 - 1. December 7, 1857, Cincinnatti, from Lewis Baker. In a prior letter, a Mr. Wilson had written to Fr. Reilly about the removal of a bou, Angelo Baker, from school by Grand-father Brown. The boy is back in college. This letter, written by the boy's father, reiterates very strongly the directions given by Mr. Wilson ie, The Browns are not to control or see the boy. 2 pages.
 - 2. December 7, 1857, Wilmington, from A. H. Grimshaw. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's support in the writer's plan to set up a series of lectures on Philosophy, Chemistry and Comparative Anatomy. 1 page.
 - 3. December 12, 1857, Wilmington, from John Leonard. The writer has opened a tavern after having taken the pledge in 1841 and since that day has not violated it. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's opinion as to whether he can save his soul after selling liquor and listening to cursing, blas-phemy and other profane words after all these years. 1 page.
 - 4. December 12, 1857, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Since the writer has not heard from Fr. Reilly, he is concerned that Fr. Reilly feels that he (the writer) has shirked his commission to collect the bills. 2 pages.
 - 5. December 15, 1857, from John (illegible). Writer declines to receive Mr. Clark into the ministry because of several reasons - testimonials were not adequate, he is fickle, etc. Recommended Mr. Clark to go to the Bishop. 1 page.
 - December 18, 1857, Nashville, from Wm. Bedford. Gives permission for his son to go to Philadelphia or Baltimore Christmas holidavs. 1 page.
 - December 20, 1957, Havana, from Franco Brava, in Spanish. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly take a special interest in a boy recommended by the writer.
 2 pages.
 - 7A. December 21, 1857, Jersev City, from J.M. Cometiso. Cannot pay bill because of business problems. Requests Fr. Reilly's indulgence. 1 page.
 - 8. December 21, 1857, Wilmington, from unknown. Invitation to attend funeral of Jos. F. Burgis. 1 page.

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- 7 15 9. December 22, 1857, Charleston, from Mary Preston. Writer's mother is dying and requests Fr. Reilly to inform her son who will not be returned home for the funeral per the grandmother's request. 1 page.
 - December 23, 1857, Philadelphia, from Angele La Coste. Writer will go to St. Mary's to pick up her sons for the holidays. 2 pages.

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- Box Folder Incoming Non-business Letters
- 7 16 & 17 Inadvertently omitted.
- 7 18 December 23, 1857 January 15, 1858 13 Items
 - December 23, 1857, Jersey City, from A.C. Monogh. Writer's son, Peter, has been ill and is attending a private school in Jersey City until he feels well enough to go to St. Mary. 2 pages.
 - 2. December 26, 1857, Fort Walla Walla, from James Tucker. A thank vou note from a soldier. 1 page.
 - December 27, 1857, from George Canning. Writer sends Cuban express receipts for a company which he recommends to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 4. 1857, from J. Larringo, in Spanish. Illegible. 2 pages.
 - 5. Januarv 1, 1858, Savannah, from Mr. M.J. Reilly. Writer did not send her boy to St. Mary's because he was ill and upon her doctor's advice, she will not send him until Mav. 2 pp.
 - 5A. January 2, 1858, Nashville, from W. Bedford. Banking confusion and suspension. The writer owes a bill to St. Mary but, due to the bank suspension, he does not receive dividends (interest) and cannot pay. 2 pages.
 - January 6, 1858, Lynchburg, from P. McDevitt. Writer wants to send his son to St. Mary's after spending two years at Georgetown where he developed an aversion for one of the teachers. 2 pages.
 - 7. January 7, 1858, New York, from (name has faded out). A boy, Jose Secke, will be sent to St. Mary's although he is older than the average. However, he will obey the rules and study. 1 page.
 - 7A. January 9, 1858, from Jane Bestor. Sends payment. The company has reduced its force by 10%. Monev is hard to get. 1 page.
 - Januarv 11, 1858, Enfaula, from Banks S. (last name faded).
 A letter from an alumnus who is in business and who expresses appreciation for his education at St. Marv's. 1 page.
 - 9. Januarv 12, 1858, Havana, from Juan de los Reves, in Spanish. Writer is trying to clarify a misunderstanding between Sr. Larringo and Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.

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- 9A. Januarv 12, 1858, Philadelphia, from Marv Hogal Well. Writer is not certain monev she sent has arrived at St. Marv's. She will endeavor to make another trv. 1 page.
 - January 15, 1858, Washington, from Elizabeth Barber. Writer has a son, a St. Mary student, who has eye problems and her doctor does not want the boy to use his eyes for several months. Writer requests unused portion of his board and tuition returned. 2 pages.

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- 7 19 January 15, 1858 February 3, 1858 12 Items
 - 1. January 15, 1858, Philadelphia, from Frank McClosky. Writer, a student, states when he will return to school. 1 page.
 - 2. January 19, 1858, Washington, from Mrs.Barber. In previous letter, writer stated that she would not send her son to school until May due to eye problems. Writer is now returning her son to school and asks Fr. Reilly to check on the boy and determine if the eyes are ok for school. 2 pages.
 - January 21, 1858, Havana, from Franco Braza, in Spanish. Writer pays a bill and requests data on bill of exchange out of New York City. 2 pages.
 - January 23, 1858, from Jos. R. Dixon. Requests a mass be said for his father and expresses appreciation that Fr. Reilly is such a good friend. 1 page.
 - 5. January 24, 1858, Rock Hall, MD, from Richard Willson. Writer's son, Thomas, has returned home with a very bad cold and a skin eruption on his hands. The boy will return to St. Marv's as soon as he is well. 1 page.
 - 6. January 28, 1858, New York, from Eugeno Kelly. Writer has not decided if he wants his sons to study music. Money is a factor. 1 page.
 - January 29, 1858, Columbus, GA, from John B. Strupper. Writer wants his son, William, to study violin if it does not interfere with his other subjects. 1 page.
 - 8. January 30, 1858, New York, from Eugeno Kelly. See item 6 of this folder. Writer has decided against having his sons study music. 1 page.
 - February 1, 1858, Lynchburg, VA, from J.M. Garson, Pastor of Lynchburg. Letter of recommendation for C. McDowell. 1 page.
 - 10. February 3, 1858, from Susanne A. Perkins. A man recommended by Fr. Reilly appears to be a major problem. Writer feels he is deranged and should be returned to his father (who can care for him) or be sent to a lunatic asylum. 2 pages.

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 - 7 19 11. February 3, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Writer sends money to Fr. Reilly. She is very grateful for the care and concern Fr. Reilly has gone to for her two sons and will send another in the next year. 2 pages.
 - 12. February 3, 1858, New York, from O.W. Brennan. Pavs a bill. Writer is concerned that his sons do not give enough attention to their studies and requests Fr. Reillv to be severe and punish them until they become diligent. 1 page.

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- 7 20 February 3, 1858 March 17, 1858 16 Items
 - Februarv 3, 1858, from B. Willcox. Writer's son, a student, is a very big concern for the father who requests Fr. Reilly for his son's status. 2 pages.
 - 2. February 13, 1858, from John Dowling. Explains why he maintains his banking account. 1 page.
 - 2A. February 15, 1858, Newark, from Anne Finegan. Due to money problems writer will pay her bill at a later date. 1 page.
 - February 19, 1858, Savannah, from Eugenie Beaulard. Writes about boys who are going and/or will be attending St. Mary. 3 pages.
 - 3A. February 19, 1858, Philadelphia, from Pedro Flore, in Spanish. Student, having left college, requests his effects and money be shipped to a Philadelphia address. 2 pages.
 - 3B. February 23, 1858, Kent County, MD, from Richard Willson. His son is returning to St. Mary after being ill. Sends information on payment. 1 page.
 - 4. March 1, 1858, Philadelphia, from S. A. Dougherty. A newsy letter about mutual friends. 3 pages.
 - 4A. March 3, 1858, New Orleans, from Jacob O.H. Pays a bill but is not satisfied with boy's progress if his writing is proof. Suggest changes in subjects but will remove son if he does not improve. Writer works his farm with no negro slaves. 2 pages.
 - 5. March 4, 1858, Norfolk, from F. Beillert. Writer has brothers who are Mr. Santilli's stepchildren and students at St. Mary's. The grandfather, Mrs. Santilli's father, wants to have the boys sent to the West Indies. The writer is attempting to get enough money together to have the boys sent to Norfolk from where they will go on to the West Indies. 2 pages.
 - 5A. March 4, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Sends money to St. Mary's. Writer is disturbed to hear from a friend that her two bous are unhappy. She will go to St. Mary's to see for herself. 2 pages.

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- 7 20 6. March 8, 1858, Norfolk, from F. Beillert. See item 5 of this folder. Writer has sent money to his brothers for passage to Norfolk and also has arranged the passage. 1 page.
 - 6A. March 8, 1858, Philadelphia, from Nick Keenan. Reports on a Mr. Clark's position to pay money he owes St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 7. March 10, 1858, Philadelphia, from Mrs. Bounonville. Writer sends her son, Charles, clothes and requests Fr. Reilly to impress upon him the meaning of cleanliness and neatness. In addition she wants Charles to remain at St. Marv's during Easter holidays, and receive First Communion. 2 pages.
 - 8. March 11, 1858, from J. H. Noues. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's agreement on his teaching Army Tactics to the students. 1 page.
 - 9. March 12, 1858, Pittsburgh, PA, from Issac Gardner. Writer seeks information on the where abouts of Ann O'Neal who went to St. Mary's school in Wilmington. 1 page.
 - 10. March 17, 1858, Philadelphia, from (?) Keenan. Informs Fr. Reilly of the impending death of Aunt Gaffney. 1 page.

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- 8 1 March 18, 1858 April 13, 1858 16 Items
 - 1. March 18, 1858, Philadelphia, from Michael McDermott. Announcement of Aunt Gaffney's death. 1 page.
 - 1A. March 18, 1858, Philadelphia, from Nick Keenan. Informs Fr. Reilly of Mrs. Gaffney's death. 1 page.
 - 1B. March 23, 1858, Philadelphia, from Jane Berrele. Inquires as to son's wants and well being. 1 page.
 - March 26, 1858, from John Carey. Writer hopes Fr. Reilly had collected on a draft and forwarded a share to Mrs. O'Driscoll. 1 page.
 - 3. March 29, 1858, Philadelphia, from Mark Willcox. Requests status of his son, Henry, and if his son has expressed any desire for a profession. 1 page.
 - March 31, 1858, from Mrs. A. LaCosta. Letter concerns her son's (Charlie) clothing and payment by Mr. LaCosta.
 2 pages.
 - 4A. April 3, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Expresses thanks for data on her children and that Fr. Reilly has received money for her children. Stresses the point that her children not be denied. 1 page.
 - 5. April 7, 1858, Savannah, GA, from E. Quiglev. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to get her a position as a store clerk. 2 pages.
 - 6. April 7, 1858, Biloxi, Miss., from R. B. Yardnev. Writer is addressing the letter for a Mr. Ott who has a son st St. Mary's. Mr. Ott can only send his son to St. Mary's for 2 years and then become a mechanic. Mr. Ott, therefore, wants his son to take subjects which will be useful. In addition Mr. Ott does not want his son to leave the college during the college year or be distracted by military subjects. 3 pages.
 - 6A. April 8, 1858, Philadelphia, from Thos. Sheeran. Writes for a Mr. Raleigh who will be away but will settle his bill when he returns. 1 page.
 - 7. April 9, 1858, Philadelphia, from H. Shundley. Writer, a musician, cannot locate a music teacher who will work for the terms Fr. Reilly wants. However, the writer will fill in for a short time under the terms of ½ hour lessons and travel expenses. 1 page.

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- 8 1 8. April 12, 1858, Philadelphia, from Mrs. M. L. Spooner. Writer's son has left school to go to his father. Writer requests bill so she can make arrangements to settle. 1 page.
 - 9. April 13, 1858, from Mrs. Angele LaCosta. See item 4 of this folder. Writer is returning her son, Charles, to school. She cannot send monev due to some communication problems. 2 pages.
 - 10. April 13, 1858, St. Jos. Church, from J. S. Walsh. Writer wants to arrive a little early on Saturday so that he may hear confession. 1 page.
 - April 19, 1858, Philadelphia, from M. O'Driscoll. Cannot pay because draft due to writer was sent to someone more needy. 1 page.
 - 12. April 19, 1858, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly. Pays a bill. Writer is displeased that son is taking music even though he OKed it and with son's going to another party at Christmas. 1 page.

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- 8 2 April 21, 1858 June 8, 1858 16 Items
 - April 21, 1858, Savannah, from E. Quigley. In a prior letter, writer had requested Fr. Reilly to obtain a store clerk's position in Wilmington for him (the writer). Writer is very disgusted with Georgia. Fr. Reilly had written to him that no clerk's jobs were available. Writer will accept any job just to get away from Georgia. 2 pages.
 - April 21, 1858, Columbus, GA. from John B. Strupper. Writer has been trying to collect money from bills owed to St. Mary's, but has received nothing but promises. 1 page.
 - April 24, 1858, from Chas. Evans, See Armory of America.A list of resolutions passed at a meeting. Resolutions deal with a moonlight parade. 1 page.
 - 2B. April 24, 1858, Newark, NJ, from Fr. P. Moran. Invitation to Consecration of St. John's, 1 page,
 - 2C. May 3, 1858, Newark, from Anne Finegan. Cannot pay her bill at this time but promises to pay at end of term. 1 page.
 - 2D. May 6, 1858, New York, from Eugene Kelly. Pays a bill for clothing but strongly objects to it because of the repeat of several purchases. 2 pages.
 - 3. May 14, 1858, Collinsville, from M. Myers. Letter Fr. Reilly had written finally reached the writer. Writer requests that any bill he owes be sent to new address and he will pay it. 2 pages.
 - May 23, 1858, Philadelphia, from J. F. Wood. Instructs Fr. Reilly to do what is most prudent in the case of a burial, let him know what's been done and instructions will be issued. 1 page.
 - 5. May 24, 1858, Louisville, from (?) Baker. Corrects misconception Fr. Reilly has. Explains why he removed boy from school and will pay his bill as soon as possible. 2 pages.
 - 6. May 24, 1858, from J. H. Nones. Donates some books. 1 page.
 - 6A. May 25, 1858, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Writer is hard pressed to pay her bill because her husband and his family have moved away. Somehow, she will pay. However, she requests a reduction in payment because of her situation. 3 pages.

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- 7. May 26, 1858, from J. M. Cornelias. Expects to liquidate
- claims in a few days and will pay bill. 1 page.
 - 7A. May 26, 1858, Jersey City, from Fr. John Kelly. Regrets not being able to collect money from Mr. Daley's estate. Writer has been ill but now can relax because he has an assistant. Writes of lack of work for laborers in the city. 2 pages.
 - 8. June 4, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Writer has 2 boys at St. Mary's and wants to send a third boy. However, since her home and business has been burned out, she is moving to another se-tlement to start a business which she hopes will be successful and will pay her bills. Writer is concerned that her sister-in-law does not write. 2 pages.
 - June 5, 1858, Havana, from Juan de los Reyes, in Spanish. Writer has some tobacco which he would like Fr. Reilly to help him in selling. 2 pages.
 - 10. June 8, 1858, Philadelphia, from Mary H. Wall. Writer's nephew has unexpectedly left St. Mary to everyone's surprise. However, the student will return to St. Mary and the writer requests Fr. Reilly to find out all he can as to the reason for the departure. 4 pages.

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June 9, 1858 - July 4, 1858 - 18 Items

- June 9, 1858, Washington, from (illegible). Writer was surprised that his charge did not have winter clothing and, therefore, direcrs Fr. Reillv to obtain whatever is necessary. Also directs that the bov be given spending monev not to exceed \$2 per month. Mr. Bell, who placed the student in writer's charge will arrive in America and will like to see Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- 1A. June 14, 1858, from (?) St. John. Invitation to Exhibition at St. John's Academy. 1 page.
- 2. June 16, 1858, Columbus, GA, from Homer Starr. Writer has been in good health and will be Confirmed shortly. Request catalogue of distribution. 1 page.
- 3. June 20, 1858, Philadelphia, from Mary Wall. Writer cannot attend Commencement due to illness. The student, Gabriel, will remain at St. Mary's but he evidently wants to leave the country. 3 pages.
- 3A. June 25, 1858, New York, from Wm. E. Joyce. Writer has sent payment and requests receipt. 1 page.
- June 26, 1858, Philadelphia, from L. G. M. O'Driscoll. Requests Tommy Carey be allowed to come to the city to spend some time with his sister. Requests information as to when Mr. Carey will send funds. 2 pages.
- 5. June 27, 1858, LaSalle, Ill., from Sister Marv Alovisus. Writer has sent some Scapulars to Fr. Reilly. She is leaving to go to St. Marv's school, Philadelphia, and hopes to see Fr. Reilly soon. 2 pages.
- June 28, 1858, Philadelphia, from L.G.M. O'Driscoll. See item 4 of this folder. Tommy Carey will only spend a few days visiting his sister. 2 pages.
- 6A. June 29, 1858, New York, from Eugene Kelly. Sends a check. However, writer is disturbed that when he sent a prior check, it was payment to date but finds his new bill contains articles dated prior to last bill. Feels the billing is disgraceful. 2 pages.
- 7. June 29, 1858, Philadelphia, from M. H. M. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly not release Gabriel to a gentleman unless he first calls on Fr. Reilly. Writer, who is ill, will be going to the country but wants to settle Gabriels account. 3 pages.

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7A. June 29, 1858, Reading, from Edw. Pearson. Writer points

- out the errors he feels are on his latest bill . He requests review and then will pay. 1 page.
 - 7B. June 29, 1858, Columbus, from John B. Strupper. Sends spending money to be given son and stipulates how it is to be spent. 1 page.
 - June 30, 1858, Jersev City, from J. Kelly. Writer has not been able to obtain Mr. Daley's money. Students, Thomas and Joseph, are not to resume studies unless for some decided bias for some suitable profession. Explains why he did not attend St. Marv's Commencement. 2 pages.
 - 8A. July 1, 1858, from G. Fitzmaurice. Will pay bill later and will send by Hope Express, not Adams. 1 page.
 - 9. July 1, 1858, from Jane E. (letter is torn) Sends \$5 on account. Since she is leaving town because of her health, her next payment may be late. 1 page.
 - 9A. July 2, 1858, from Sacred Heart. Invitation to Annual Distribution. 1 page.
 - 10. July 4, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. In a previous letter, writer was moving to another settlement because her house and business were burned out. She has 2 boys at St. Mary's and wants to send a 3rd boy. Father Reilly will accept the 3rd boy and writer will send him on the next steamer. Writer requests data about her sisterin-law and receipts for all past payments because all her papers were lost in the fire. 2 pages.
 - 11. July 3, 1858, from J. S. Walsh. Invitation to dinner and celebration of July 4th. 1 page.

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- 8 4 July 6, 1858 July 24, 1858 11 Items
 - 1. July 6, 1858, Washington, from E.C. Lvon. Mr. Belt who placed a student, Frank, in writer's charge, will not be arriving until August. Meanwhile, the student will not be permitted to go to Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - 2. July 6, 1858, Providence, RI, from John Jos. Purtell. The writer, a principal at St. Peter & Paul Male Free School, has been told to vacate because the school will be taken over by the Christian Brothers. Writer seeks a position under Fr. Reilly and, if none is available, requests information of other schools. 2 pages.
 - 3. July 9, 1858, Philadelphia, from M.H. Wall. Letter of introduction for a new student, Manuel Esquibel. 1 page.
 - July 10, 1858, St. Peter's School, from Sister Benedicta. Announces the dates for a retreat which ends on the feast of St. Vincent de Paul. 1 page.
 - July 12, 1858, Hamilton, from I. Mackeys. Expresses dissatisfaction that a friend was not attending St. Mary after kindness shown by Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 6. July 14, 1856, Montgomerv, GA, from Guss EuBeaulard. Regrets not having written to Fr. Reilly for a long time and looks forward to hear the results of Dolphy's examination. 1 pg.
 - 7. July 14, 1858, New York, from J.T. Hecker. This is a Circular of Missionary Priests addressed to their friends of the Clergy and Laity in the U.S.A. Formation of religeous congregation under the name of "The Congregation of Missionary Priests of St. Paul the Apostle". An institute must be built on grounds already chosen - 40-50 L meeded. Purpose is defined. 3 pages.
 - 8. July 15, 1858, Wilmington, from Patrick McMarrus. Writer has written to Andrew Crumlish and request Fr. Reilly also to write a letter. 1 page.
 - 9. July 19, 1858, from Sister Benedicta. Letter accompanies some gifts sent to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.

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- July 24, 1858, Macon, from Mary Hills. Explains error in money. Would like to see her son but due to the lack of money, cannot do so. 2 pages.
- 11. July 24, 1858, Wilmington, from Jos. Miller. Donates cost of beef delivered to St. Mary's and money for other projects. 1 page.

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- 8 5 July 28, 1858 August 31, 1858 11 Items
 - 1. July 28, 1858, Philadelphia, from H. Johnston. Writer reduests that Fr. Reilly respond to a letter written by James H. Lockey. 1 page.
 - August 8, 1858, Columbus, GA, from Homer Starr. Letter has faded areas. Writer wants to become a student at St. Mary's to study chemistry and anatomy because later he wants to study medecine. He also requests data about uniforms. 2 pages.
 - August 10, 1858, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Letter of introduction for Michael Kennedy who wants to enter his son in St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 4. August 11, 1858, Richmond, from John Purcell. Sends money for the son of his gardner, Richard Cahill. Praises both the father and son for industry and self reliance and expresses the father's hope to ask for Fr. Reilly's favorable consideration for the son. 1 page.
 - 4A. August 16, 1858, Wilmington, from Chas. Murphy. Requests bill for one sent but not received. 1 page.
 - August 16, 1858, West Chester, from Prospero Vallauris, in Spanish. Writer is concerned about a friend who had been kidnapped. 2 pages.
 - 6. August 18, 1858, Charleston, from John Preston. Expresses thanks for the good education and training received by the son, Bernard, who now has a job in a respectable house. 2 pages.
 - 7. August 20, 1858, Waterford, from E.P. Scott. Writer is happy with her son's progress and apologizes for sending spending money after her husband had sent some already. Requests that her son's teeth be looked at by a dentist. 3 pages.
 - August 26, 1858, from Mrs. M.D. Shaw. Mother is very concerned about her son who has been always very feeble and sickly and who has never been away from home. She suggests studies kind treatment. 2 pages.

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- 8 5 9. August 30, 1858, Newark, NJ, from J.H. Liddy. Former student wants to return to St. Mary's to take care of students and do more dtudying. 3 pages.
 - 10. August 31, 1858, Savannah, from Eug. Beaulors. Writer, brother of Mrs. LaCosta, does not know anyone in Philadelphia where his sister, who is ill, lives. He requests Fr. Reilly to obtain information on her health. 1 page.

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- 8 6 August 31, 1858 September 15, 1858 11 Items
 - August 31, 1858, Baltimore, from John Hickev. Writer is a priest seeking the whereabouts of a Dr. Kennedv and a Rev. Murphv who are supposed to be in the Wilmington area. Purpose - to help settle an estate. 2 pages.
 - September 1, 1858, Binghamton, from O.V. Thayer. Writer describes the condition of a student's eve problem which is now very improved but warns that the boy should not read by candle or gas light. 2 pages.
 - 3. September 3, 1858, Williamsburg, from Thomas Rogers. The writer, an ex student, writes a very humorous letter. He has been very ill. He has heard that he is in debt to Fr. Reilly and requests an accounting so that he may pay his debt. 2 pages.
 - 4. September 4, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Writer has two boys at St. Mary's and has not heard from them. She asks Fr. Reilly for help in getting them to communicate. Enclosed are two notes to her children - one from a brother Charley and one from the writer. 3 pages.
 - 5. September 6, 1858, from W. H. Bedford. Writer requests an account because he is removing his son from St. Mary's and sending him to a commercial college in Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - 5A. September 6, 1858, from J. W. Coffery, Pres. of Mt. St. Mary. Invitation to attend 50th anniversary celebration of Mt. St. Mary College. 1 page.
 - September 7, 1858, Reading, PA, from Edw. Pearson. Writer's son returned home unexpectedly and told his father that he was not received at St. Mary's because he was too big. Writer requests explanation. 1 page.
 - 7. September 8, 1858, Tamawua, PA., from Wm. McHugh. Writer's son has been complaining that he has too many subjects to study and that he does not want to study for the seminary. Writer wants Fr. Reilly to have his son study whatever he (Fr. Reilly) feels will be an advantage. 1 page.
 - 8. September 12, 1858, Newark, NJ, from (illegible). Letter of recommendation/introduction for a James Ward. 1 page.

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- 8 6 9. September 14, 1858, Wilmington, from Cornelius McDevitt. A letter from one of the students who is very displeased and states that his father wants him to go home immediately. Reason - Since Fr. Reilly does not trust the son, the parent does not trust Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - September 15, 1858, Hazardville, from Arthur Francis. Writes about his uncle, John Gaurder, who died very suddenly. Asks for prayers, etc. 4 pages.

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- 8 7 September 15, 1858 October 5, 1858 13 Items
 - September 15, 1858, Tamaqua, PA, from (?) McHugh. This is a repeat of an earlier letter in which Mr. McHugh wants Fr. Reilly to guide his son into subjects which will be beneficial to the son. 1 page.
 - 1A. September 18, 1858, Washington City, from Elizabeth Barber. Writer has received money to pay Fr. Reilly and requests directions as to how to send it safely. 1 page.
 - September 18, 1858, New York, from E.L. Bonand. Writer is returning his son late for the start of school due to illness in the family. 2 pages.
 - 2A. September 20, 1858, Philadelphia, from M. Driscoll. Requests Fr. Reilly settle his bill before extra charges are added. 2 pages.
 - 3. September 20, 1858, Newark, from Michael Morrison. Writer, a former student, has wanted to visit St. Mary's but has been unable to do so due to eye problems. He sends this letter by way of his brother who is entering St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - September 22, 1858, Great Neck, from Joseph McFarland. Letter of thanks for a speech Fr. Reilly sent to the writer. 1 page.
 - 5. September 29, 1858, Covington, KY, from George A. Carrell, Bishop of Covington. Writer, who is planning to visit Fr. Reilly, sends an outline of his planned visit. 1 page.
 - September 30, 1858, Bristol, from J.J. McShain. Writer who has attended college in Westmoreland County wants to enter St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 7. October 1, 1858, Philadelphia, from Anne Valdes. Writer, who is separated from her husband, has had her monthly allowance cut off. She explains what she plans to do with her children but wants to send one boy to Fr. Reilly. She requests Fr. Reilly write to her husband for the boy's expenses but if the husband doesn't pay, she will find a way to pav. 3 pages.

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- 8 7 8. October 2, 1858, Nashville, from W. A. Bedford. Encloses a letter to his son, William, who was supposed to have left St. Marv's. Requests Fr. Reilly send his son's account. 1 page.
 - October 2, 1858, Fredrick City, from Walter Ringgold.
 Writer requests information about St. Mary because he wants to study English only. 3 pages.
 - 9A. October 2, 1858, from W.J. Purcell. Informs Fr. Reilly that one of the donors has given more than he had promised. 1 page.
 - 10. October 5, 1858, New York, from Wm. Starr. The writer addresses this letter at the request of a Mrs. Burke, a widow. Mrs. Burke has a son who has been living with his grandfather in Wilmington but since she cannot adequately support the boy, she wants Fr. Reilly to request the grandfather for continued support. 2 pages.

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- 1. October 6, 1858, Blossburg, PA, Tioga Co., PA, from Patrick J. Coffey. The writer, a former student and now a priest, has been ill and has been relieved of his duties in his parish. He asks Fr. Reilly for a \$60 loan. 3 pages.
- October 11, 1858, Dunsmore, PA, from E.W. Fritzmaurice. 2. Writer will comply with Fr. Reilly's request but asks Fr. Reilly to state the matter to the Bishop. 1 page.
- October 11, 1858, Philadelphia, from Edw. McCabe. Writer 3. is trying to collect monies owed to St. Marv from a Mr. Kelly and a Mr. Matther. He requests further data before he can proceed with legal action. 3 pages.
- October 13, 1858, Biloxi, from (illegible). Writer has 4. had problems collecting his monies so that he cannot pay Fr. Reilly for his son's account. He is pleased with his son's progress but does not agree with Fr. Reilly's military affairs program. 1 page.
- October 15, 1858, Macon, GA, from Mary Hills. Writer has 5. not received any word from her son and requests Fr. Reilly to submit status. 1 page.
- October 15, 1858, Charleston, from Fr. P.Q'Neill. Letter 6. introduction and recommendation for a family who wants to enroll a boy in St. Mary's. 1 page.
- October 16, 1858, Charleston, from Fr. P. O'Neill. Sends 6A. money for some of his boys' education. Money is tight. In addition writes about a major flu epidemic in Charleston. 1 page.
- 7. October 19, 1858, Philadelphia, from Anna Valdes. In a prior letter, writer explained her problems and what her plans were. She now has a boy, Quinton, at St. Mary's. She writes to tell Fr. Reilly that in general, her boy is good and that she is happy that he is under Fr. Reilly's care where he will not be exposed to bad boys. 3 pages.
- October 20, 1858, Savannah, from Eugene Beaulard. Letter 8. of recommendation/introduction for a new student, James Blair. 1 page.

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- 8 9. October 20, 1858, Savannah, from H.J. Thomasson. Writer informs Fr. Reilly of his son's planned trip to St. Mary's and requests Fr. Reilly let him know when he arrives. 1 page.
 - October 20, 1858, St. Joseph, from James Ward. Writer has been with the Jesuits and will be going to see the Father Provincial in Boston. 2 pages.

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- 8 9 October 22, 1858 November 16, 1858 15 Items
 - October 22, 1858, Washington, from Edward Keyes (?). A lien is being put on the writer's Havana Manor for debts owed to Fr. Reilly. Writer submits payment plan. 1 page.
 - 2. October 22, 1858, St. Paul's Church, from James Ward. The writer, a priest, had in a prior letter stated that he was going to Boston to talk to the Jesuit Father Provincial. He now requests that Fr. Reilly say a few good words for him to the Bishop Carroll who will be writing Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 3. October 24, 1858, Wilmington, from Chas. Murphy. Letter of intorduction for Thomas Burke whom the writer wants to place under Fr. Reilly's care at St. Mary. The writer feels the boy is too old to learn academics but should learn morals. 1 page.
 - October 29, 1858, Philadelphia, from Sister Benedicta Parsons.
 A letter from a friend asking Fr. Reilly for spiritual help.
 4 pages.
 - 4A. October 30, 1858, Philadelphia, from no name. Sends donation for new church. 1 page.
 - 5. October 31, 1858, Chicago, from Jos. H. Lonergan. Writer, 18 years old, wants to go to college and have the expenses paid out of his property if his grandfather, the guardian, agrees. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to write to the grandfather to help his cause. 2 pages.
 - 5A. November 1, 1858, Wilmington, from C.P. Johnson, owner of The Delaware Gazette. Sends donation for new church. 1 page.
 - November 4, 1858, Pawtucket, from J. P. Barney. Writer wants to study at St. Mary's and, to defray expenses, wants a job teaching lower grades at St. Mary's. He gives a brief summary of his credits. 3 pages.
 - 6A. November 4, 1858, New Orleans, from Jacob Ott. Sends payment and states how difficult it is in New Orleans. Requests Fr. Reilly to force his son to write. He is concerned that the boy is not doing well and has been away at school for 7 years. 2 pages.

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7. November 13, 1858, Brandywine, from J.S. walsh. Writer wants to have a Fr. Stensil come to St. Mary's on Sunday

1 page.

- 8. November 14, 1858, Covington, KY, from George Carrell, Bishop of Covington. Writer cannot support another seminarian. 1 page.
- 8A. November 14, 1858, Philadelphia, from Dennis Kelly. A former student requests Fr. Reilly to be at his wedding. 1 page.
- 9. November 15, 1858, Baltimore, from James Brady. Writer wants his son who is not well to return home for a few weeks. 1 page.
- 10. November 15, 1858, Savannah, from R. Dillon. Informs Fr. Reilly of the death of one of his students, James Blois', father who died from drinking too much. 2 pages.
- 11. November 16, 1858, Philadelphia, from Wm. Dickson. To settle an estate, writer wants to settle a bill of \$425.25 owed to Fr. Reilly's brother for \$100. 1 page.

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- 8 10 November 16, 1858 November 29, 1858 10 Items
 - November 16, 1858, from Mary B. Williams. Writer discusses the courses that her sons should have, special arrangements for studies, etc. 2 pages.
 - 2. November 19, 1858, from Wm. Cleaden. Parent is concerned that his son is not quizzed in algebra and is concerned that the son is not receiving the proper education. 1 page.
 - November 19, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Engler. Writer is concerned about clothes for her children who are students. 1 page.
 - November 19, 1858, Philadelphia, from Anna Gallagher.
 Writer is concerned about her sons' clothes and carelessness with their clothes. 2 pages.
 - November 19, 1858, Philadelphia, from Edward McCabe. Writer is Fr. Reilly's nephew. Writer is attempting to collect money owed to St. Mary's by a Mr. David Matthew. He now must take Mr. Matthews to court and needs more data from Fr. Reilly. 4 pages.
 - 6. November 21, 1858, Malangra, from J.P. Gaunche. Writer expresses thanks for Fr. Reilly's sympathetic letter concerning the death of the son, John. 2 pages.
 - 7. November 24, 1858, Philadelphia, from M. Ardley. Writer's son, cold, hurt and dismayed, has arrived home stating that he has been mistreated by one of the teachers. 1 page.
 - November 24, 1858, Philadelphia, from Dennis B. Kelly. A telegram - writer informs Fr. Reilly that Mr. Roth will beat St. Mary's Thanksgiving nite. 1 page.
 - 9. November 24, 1858, Biloxi, from Mary Ott. Writer's son has not been doing well at St. Marv. She believes that the problem is mismanagement because all her children have benn well behaved at home where they were directed to perform their duties by only kind words. She recommends that Fr. Reilly talk to her son kindly. In the meantime she has written to her son. Both writer and her husband do not believe in whipping. 4 pages.
 - 10. November 29, 1858, Philadelphia, from Alex Ardlev. See Item 7 of this folder. Writer is student's uncle. The student had returned home without permission and wants to apologize, repent and return to school. 1 page.

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- 8 11 November 30, 1858 December 13, 1858 12 Items
 - 1. November 30, 1858, Philadelphia, from Marv H. Wall. Writer sends clothes to her son. Writer will not have her son come home for the holidays because her husband, who has been very ill and now able to attend to business, is very occupied and selling property to pay bills. 3 pages.
 - 2. December 1, 1858, Philadelphia, from H.H. Bedford. Writer wants a copy of all accounts so that he may evaluate them and come to an agreement as what is to be paid. Writer cites what he believes to be an error in the account. 3 pages.
 - 2A. December 1, 1858, Richmond, from Richard Cahill. Sends payment. Requests any report of proceedings and dedications of St. Mary's church. Is pleased with son' progress. 1 page.
 - 3. December 1, 1858, Savannah, from Mrs. M.J. Reilly. Writer has a nephew to go to St. Mary but writer would like to have someone from St. Mary's meet the Philadelphia steamer. 1 page.
 - 4. December 4, 1858, Ivy Mills, from A.B. Willcox. Writer's son was to go to St. Marv's but since he was exposed to whooping cough, he will be held at home. 1 page.
 - 5. December 7, 1858, Philadelphia, from H.H. Bedford. See item 2 of this folder. Writer is disturbed that Fr. Reilly did not send accounts but stated that a copy of the accounts have been sent to writer's father. Writer feels that the father has stored the accounts and will not surrender them. Therefore, time has been wasted by Fr. Reilly's not sending a copy directly to the writer. Writer feels that some of the items on the bills sent to his father should not be paid. Cash which writer gave to Fr. Reilly was to be held and not credited to writer's father but for writer to draw on. Writer cites other disturbing details. 2 pages.
 - December 8, 1858, from J. Kelly. Writer describes his Jubilee papers. 3 pages.
 - 7. December 9, 1858, Charleston, from B. Gannon. Writer is a stern parent who wants his son whipped if he continues to disobey. If the whipping does not work, he will have the boy transferred to a House of Correction. 1 page.

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- 8. December 10, 1858, from Sister Fanny Jordan. Sends a present for Fr. Reilly's new church. Inquires about Fr. Reilly's family. 2 pages.
 - 8A. December 11, 1858, Charleston, from Fr. P. O;Neill. Sends money. Requests Fr. Reilly not send any of the Charleston boys home for Christmas. Scarlet fever epedemic. 1 page.
 - 9. December 12, 1858, Harrisburgh, from Mrs. A. Pouch. Writer wants to place her son in St. Mary's. She also describes her family changes. 1 page.
 - 10. December 13, 1856, from Sister Mary Aloysius. A newsy letter. Rather illegible. 3 pages.
- ** 4A. December 4, 1858, Philadelphia, from E. McCloskey. Payment of a debt, 1 page,

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- December 19, 1858, San Francisco, from Lydia Englen. Acknowledges a receipt from Fr. Reilly. Wants Fr. Reilly to buy whatever clothes are needed to keep her boys warm. 1 page.
- 1A. December 20, 1858, Philadelphia, from Frances Englen.Wants to know if boys will be home for the holy days. If so, please pay fare and send schedule of arrival. 1 page.
- 1B. December 24, 1858, Fredrick City, from Walter Ringgold. Had received a book bill from Fr. Reilly. It is against the Maryland laws. He returns book bill and requests \$5. 1 page.
- December 27, 1858, Savannah, from E.P. Scott. Sends money to have son's teeth serviced by a dentist. Writer was going to send warm clothing to her son but the person who was to carry it to Wilmington cancelled his trip. She now wants Fr. Reilly to take care of buying warm clothes for her son. 3 pages.
- 2A. December 29, 1858, New York, from (illegible), in Spanish. Writer is going to Costa Rica for vacation and defines where money for Fr. Reilly will be deposited and for what purpose. 2 pages.
- 2B. January 2, 1859, from (?) Cleaden. Writer is collecting money and will go to Wilmington to settle his bill and see his son. 1 page.
- 3. January 3, 1859, Cenfrugos, from Anna Valdes. Writer explains why she or her husband have not written to the sons. Will send sugar and bananas to them. 2 pages.
- 3A. January 6, 1859, Georgetown, DC, from Matthew McLeod. Writer received a son's letter which stated that he was beaten for no reason by a teacher. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to reconcile his son with his teacher. 2 pages.
- 4. January 7, 1859, Savannah, from Robert R. Scott. Writer has sent money per registered letter to his son but he does not know if it was received. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to check and let him know. 1 page.

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- 8 12 5. January 7, 1859, Washington, from E. Marsh. Writer's grandson wants to enter St. Mary after having been expelled from St. Mary's in Worchester, Mass. for having been drunk and disorderly. Grandfather explains background and feels the boy went on one-time binge. 4 pages.
 - January 10, 1859, from J. Kellv. This is a letter of recommendation for a position for a Fr. John Gillespie of Paris. 3 pages.
 - 7. January 12, 1859, Philadelphia, from M. O'Driscoll. Writer is out of work and has received an offer to start a Catholic school outside of Mobile, Alabama but has no money to go down. Requests Fr. Reilly to assist him in obtaining a loan to start him off. 3 pages.
 - January 16, 1859, San Francisco, from J.C. Beideman.
 Writer owes Fr. Reilly a debt but cannot pay at present.
 However, he promises to pay as soon as possible. 3 pages.
 - 9. January 18, 1859, Savannah, GA, from A. Dauvergue. Apologizes for not having responded to Fr. Reilly's letters but will pay his bill within a week. 1 page.
 - 9A. January 20, 1859, Philadelphia, from Alex Ardley. Writer's nephew does not want to remain at St. Mary's another term but wants to enter a business. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to send nephew home at end of term. 1 page.
 - 10. January 22, 1859, Savannah, from Eugenia Boulard. Promises to pay her bill and explains that the reason for delay is that her husband does not want to disturb his employer by asking for his back pay. 4 pages.

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- 8 13 January 24, 1859 February 7, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. January 24, 1859, Baltimore, from James Brody. Writer's son has arrived from St. Marv and feels very low since he is not back at school. However, he will be sent to St. Mary's in August along with a brother. 1 page.
 - January 24, 1859, Charleston, from Roger Gannon. Wants his son to have a suit of clothes. Hopes that his son's conduct is satisfactory since his son had written that Fr. Reilly had forgiven him for an offense which the son had not described to the writer. 1 page.
 - 3. January 16, 1859, Nashville, from W.H. Bedford. Sends money for his son's account. Per a friend writer has heard that his son has been skipping school and spending money. He threatens to send son to California or Oregon to put him on his own resources. 1 page.
 - 4. January 29, 1959, Philadelphia, from L. Promie. Writer's son has left school without permission and does not quite understand how the school had not noticed it. He will return the boy along with a younger brother in time for Easter. 2 pages.
 - 5. February 2, 1859, Manayunk, from Wm. Ballisby. Writer's son has been disobedient and has run away from school. If he returns home, he will be returned immediately. If he is still in Wilmington, he will return on his own. 1 page.
 - 6. Februarv 2, 1859, Philadelphia, from M.J. Chadwick. Per Fr. Reilly's letter, writer does not understand if Fr. Reilly wants writer to go to St. Mary to pick up son. If the son is to return home, he will be sent to a public school or to a local catholic school. 2 pages.
 - February 2, 1859, Macon, from Mary Hills. Writer received a notice from Fr. Reilly but nad never received a prior bill. Wants bill. Wants Fr. Reilly to obtain winter clothing for son. 2 pages.
 - 8. February 2, 1859, Cienfargos, from Anna Valdes. Writer thinks Fr. Reilly will send her son away due to nonpayment of bill. Pleads that she will pay. Writer has had problems with her husband who has been gambling and going with the wrong crowd. Writer has brother-in-law who is wealthy and who will educate writer's second son. Writer is working part time which will help her pay off the bill and get her son some more clothing. 3 pages.

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- 8 13 9. February 5, 1859, Philadelphia, from L. C. Bomie (?). Writer is concerned because her children, students at St. Mary's, are homesick. She requests Fr. Reilly to have the professor be more gentle with the children. 1 page.
 - 10. February 7, 1859, Philadelphia, from John M. Jones. Writer is requesting a duplicate account to settle an estate. l page.

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- 8 14 February 9, 1859 February 21, 1859 10 Items
 - February 9, 1859, Philadelphia, from A. LaCosta. Writer has a son at St. Mary's and due to financial problems has to take him out of school and care for his education herself. Writer is having husband problems. 3 pages.
 - February 9, 1859, Philadelphia, from Marv Wall. Pays a bill. Writer is concerned that her son does not receive her letters since she gets none from him. 2 pages.
 - 3. Februarv 11, 1859, Philadelphia, from M. Frenage. Writer is sending an order to Lisbon for wine and wants to know if Fr. Reilly wants some. 1 page.
 - 4. February 11, 1859, Philadelphia, from L. M. Promie. Writer has 2 sons who are having discipline problems. Writer does not want them chastized by the professors but they must be treated with kindness because they are homesick. Otherwise, send them home. 2 pages.
 - 5. February 14, 1859, Philadelphia, from Wm. Dickson. Writer wants money owed to him by Fr. Reilly's brother and settlement promised by Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - February 14, 1859, Philadelphia, from L.A. Daugherty. Writes about mutual friends who attended lectures with him and discussed affairs of the church. 1 page.
 - 7. February 14, 1859, from L. Promie. See item 4 of this folder. Writer does not feel her sons know they are being punished for disobedience because they have always been taught to be obedient. Requests moderation in punishment. 1 page.
 - 8. February 18, 1859, Wythville, from John Butler. Requests information on a student who has been at St. Mary's and now wants to attend Wythville Academy. 1 page.
 - 9. February 20, 1859, Dunmore, from M. Garvev. Requests Fr. Reilly to review his books relative to the writer's bill. Offers some information on payment. 1 page.
 - February 21, 1859, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Writer will collect some money from a debtor and send it to Fr. Reilly. Wants to know if Fr. Reilly knows anything about Fr. Gillespie's character. 2 pages.

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- 8 15 February 22, 1859 March 14, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. February 22, 1859, Philadelphia, from Alex Ardley. Writer's nephew left St. Mary to enter into business. Writer sends Fr. Reilly money to pay up a bill and informs Fr. Reilly that the nephew has a situation in a wholesale dry goods store. 1 page.
 - 2. February 24, 1859, Columbus, GA, from John Strupper. Pays a bill. Hopes that son will improve at St. Mary's and that another son will be entering St. Mary's next year. 1 page.
 - 3. Feb. 26, 1859, Suspension Bridge, NY, from John Daly. Writer, at the Seminary of our Lady of Angels, has written to Fr. Reilly on placement advise because one of the seminarians must leave. He requests Fr. Reilly's reply. 1 page.
 - 4. February 26, 1859, Philadelphia, from L.A. Dougherty. Writer discusses the costs of vestments, the proposed building of a new church by a mutual friend and other goings on. 4 pages.
 - 5. February 26, 1859, Charleston, from R. Gannon. Writer's son has been disobedient and causing problems which have disgraced his parents. Father is leaving for St. Marv's. 1 page.
 - 6. March 1, 1859, Charleston, from R. Gannon. See item 5 of this folder. Writer has not left due to problems. He requests Fr. Reilly to place his son in confinement until he arrives. 1 page.
 - March 5, 1859, Philadelphia, from L. A. Dougherty. See item
 4 of this file. A follow-up on vestments and other items.
 2 pages.
 - 8. March 8, 1859, Havana, from Franco Brava, in Spanish. Writer establishes a contact between Fr. Reilly and a friend/business acquaintance. 2 pages.
 - 9. March 14, 1859, Philadelphia, from W. Dickson. Urges Fr. Reilly to pay his brother's bill which Fr. Reilly promised. 1 page.
 - March 14, 1859, Philadelphia, from L.A. Dougherty. See item 7 of this folder. Writes about sermons she has heard or read about. Discusses the lamp and vestments which she had discussed in previous letters. 3 pages.

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- 8 16 March 15, 1859 March 25, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. March 15, 1859, Savannah, GA. from A. Dauvergne. Pavs a bill for his two sons Is pleased that his sons are doing well and states that he is willing to pay more for better clothing for his sons. 1 page.
 - 2. March 16, 1859, Fredrick City, from Walter Ringgold. Writer owes a large bill to St. Mary's. Fr. Reilly had written to state that there is a letter from California for the writer. Writer wants Fr. Reilly to forward the letter which may contain money and the bill will be paid. 2 pages.
 - March 17, 1859, Philadelphia, from L.A. Dougherty. In prior letters, writer has been discussing vestments which she further discusses in this letter. Discusses other friends. 3 pages.
 - 4. March 17, 1859, from Sister ???. Discusses a retreat. 2 pages.
 - March 19, 1859, Cardenas, from Juan LeCour. Writer is sending his son to St. Mary's. He explains the conditions of his life and defines what he wants the boy to learn. In French, translation included. 4 pages.
 - 6. March 10, 1859, Camden, NJ, from Edward O'Donnell. Request for his marriage certificate. 1 page.
 - 7. March 24, 1859, Savannah, GA, from A. Dauvergne. Gives permission to buy winter clothing for his sons. He will also send materials for summer clothing. 1 page.
 - 8. March 24, 1859, Philadelphia, from E. Gallagher. Writer has two boys at St. Mary's. He is concerned about their clothing. He also will go to St. Mary to settle account. 2 pages.
 - March 25, 1859, Wilmington, from W.J. Purcell. See item 3 of this folder. Writer wants to get a dimension for a vestment for Miss Dougherty. 1 page.
 - March 27, 1859, Havana, from Pablo Garzon, in Spanish. Writer is sending his son to St. Mary and expresses his desires in the boy's education program. 7 pages.

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- 8 17 March 29, 1859 April 9, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. March 29, 1859, Philadelphia, from John Patrick Dunn. Letter of introduction and recommendations for a Mr. McTiernan who is seeking a teaching position. l page.
 - April 1, 1859, Philadelphia, from S.A. Dougherty. Writer has previous correspondence on altar vestments she is getting for Fr. Reilly. This letter is part of the continuing discussion on the vestments. In addition she writes of mutual friends in the church. 4 pages.
 - 3. April 1, 1859, Tamaqua, PA, from James McHugh. Writer is removing his son from St. Mary's because he needs the boy to do his accounting work, Writer's accountant has left his employment. 1 page.
 - 4. April 2, 1859, from Fr. J. Kelly. The letter is about Rev. Coyle who had obtained some land next to St. Mary's. The land has been turned over to Rev. Senev. Rev. Covle plans to go west but has been asked to reconsider. Meanwhile, writer requests Fr. Reilly engage Covle as a temporarv instructor. Character references for Fr. Covle are included. 3 pages.
 - 5. April 5, 1959, Wilmington, from James Elliot. Writer's son has been skipping classes. Writer is very concerned because son has not been delivering his letters to Fr. Reilly. If son is a source of more trouble, the writer will find another school for him. 2 pages.
 - 6. April 7, 1959, Bethlehem, from E. Stensul. A telegram stating when writer will be here. 1 page.
 - 7. April 8, 1859, New York, from Jos. Bridgeman. The writer, a student at St. Mary's, is concerned to think that Fr. Reilly felt that the writer's bill would not be paid and that the writer will not return to St. Mary's after vacation time. Writer explains that he will pay bill and that he never intended to leave St. Mary's. 4 pages.
 - April 9, 18 59, Philadelphia, from J. Gallagher. Writer intended to visit his boys at St. Mary's but could not make it. Requests Fr. Reilly tell boys he will ne there later. 1 page.

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- 8 17 9. April 9, 1859, from Sister Mary Alovsius Lillv. A newsy letter about friends 2 pages.
 - 10. April 9, 1859, Tamaqua, PA, from Mrs. William McHugh. Writer wants her son to return home and assist in the family business. Writer intends to return the boy to St. Mary's as soon as conditions are betters. 1 page.

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- 8 18 April 12, 1859 April 19, 1959 11 Items
 - 1. April 12, 1859, Philadelphia, from L. Promie. Writer explains what his goals are for his children relative to the school semester. 1 page.
 - 2. April 13, 1859, Wilmington, from George Bwzmie. Writer explains why his son was absent from school. 1 page.
 - 3. April 13, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mrs. R. Engler. Writer has been living in California but has returned to Philadelphia. However, her husband has returned to California. Writer requests that her sons be allowed to visit her during the Easter holiday. 1 page.
 - 4. April 14, 1859, Tamaqua, PA, from Mrs. Wm. McHugh. Writer had previously written to have her son come home to assist in the family business. Writer reports to a letter from Fr. Reilly and states that she cannot pay her bill to St. Mary's promptly but if Fr. Reilly would extend her some time, she will be willing to allow her son to remain in St. Mary's and that she would do her best to carry on without her son's help. 2 pages.
 - 5. April 15, 1859, New York, from J.M. Ceballer. Writer discusses the confusion on a bill sent by Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 6. April 16, 1859, from ???. This is part of a torn letter, only a part remains. 2 pages.
 - April 18, 1859, Wilmington, from Corry Chambers. The writer an old friend of Fr. Reillv, is in need of financial help or he will lose his house. He requests whatever help Fr. Reilly may give. 2 pages.
 - 8. April 18, 1859, Savannah, GA, from A. Dauvergne. Writer is concerned that his son and his nephew may be illtreated by one of the teachers. Requests Fr. Reilly to investigate. 1 page.
 - 8A. April 18, 1859, Philadelphia, from Wm. Dickson. Requests a loan to pay for a lein on his property which he put up as a bond for a friend. Friend did not pay his debt. 1 page.
 - 9. April 19, 1859, Philadelphia, from S.A. Doughertv. Writer, who has been gathering altar vestments for Fr. Reilly, will be arriving at St. Mary's to see Fr. Reilly. Writer also discusses mutual friends. 3 pages.

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- 8 18 10. April 19, 1859, Philadelphia, from L . Promie. See item 1 of this folder. Writer appears to be dissatisfied with St. Mary's. She requests that her sons return home with all their belongings. 1 page.

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- 8 19 April 20, 1859 May 8, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. April 20, 1859, Wilmington, from Corrv Chambers. Letter of thanks for some financial assistance the writer had reduested in a prior letter. 1 page.
 - 2. April 23, 1859, Cardenas, from John Carev. Writer has a daughter who was placed in a private school operated by a Miss O'Driscoll. The school has closed (due to finances) and Miss O'Driscoll took the girl to a school in Somerville, Alabama without the parents' permission. The writer requests Fr. Reilly to help locate his daughter since he has not heard from the daughter in 4 months. 1 page.
 - 3. April 29, 1859, Almologa, Mexico, from Lvdia Engler. Writer has boys at St. Marv. She writes to inform Fr. Reillv and her boys that she is returning home. 1 page.
 - 4. April 30, 1859, from Sister Mary Aloysius Lilly. Requests prayers and a mass for a Fr. Hass who recently passed away. 1 page.
 - 5. May 1, 1859, Philadelphia, from C.A. Gallagher. Requests information if boys had arrived at St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - May 2, 1859, Philadelphia, from J. S. Valentine, Agent for Mrs. F. Etting. Requests time to settle a bill for Mrs. Etting who is ill. Final settlement of an account is expected in a few weeks. Meanwhile, Mrs. Etting's son who has been ill will return to St. Mary. 2 pages.
 - 7. May 3, 1859, Wilmington, from James Elliot. Writer's son has been a problem, mainly as a truant. Son had promised to reform but again has been misbehaving and a truant. Father will punish him again. 2 pages.
 - 8. May 4, 1859, San Francisco, from Mrs.Engler. See item 3 of this folder. Writer is happy to hear that her boys are doing well and that Fr. Reilly had received her payment. Writer discusses future payments and that another son will go to St. Mary at a later date. 2 pages.
 - 9. May 5, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mrs. F. Engler. See item 8 above. This letter is in two parts. Part 1 to Fr. Reilly. The letter states that Lydia Engler and her husband cannot any longer support young Frank Engler. This is contrary to all prior Engler letters. Writer wants Frank Engler sent to her home in Philadelphia. (continued to next page)

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- 8 19 9. Continued from previous page. Part 2 is a letter to her 2 nephews. Writer states she has not received letters and that Fr. Reilly will put Frank on the boat to Philadelphia where she will meet him. 2 pages.
 - 10. May 8, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mrs. F. Engler. See item 9 above. Writer states that young Frank Engler did not arrive in Philadelphia. She now wants both Engler boys and their belongings sent to her home. 2 pages.

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- 8 20 May 9, 1859 May 18, 1859 10 Items
 - May 9, 1859, Wilmington, from George Batterburg. Informs Fr. Reilly of the death of 4 members of St. Peter who were victims of sudden death. 2 pages.
 - 2. May 9, 1859, Philadelphia, from Philip Fitzpatrick. Wants to know information on Chas. Lecose and his father. 1 page.
 - 3. May 9, 1859, New York, from John Fowler. Writer is corresponding for Mrs. Fowler (of Waterford, Ireland) who is looking for valuables her brother, Dr. Wilcox, may have left when he died in Cuba. 2 pages.
 - May 9, 1859, Allentown, PA, from Dennis Stengel. Will be 2 days late because he has to assist Fr. Schroder at St. Peter's in Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - 5. May 10, 18 59, from Jane Bester. Sends some money and explains that she was late because her husband's salary has been reduced. 1 page.
 - 6. May 11, 1859, Columbus, GA, from John Strupper. Sends money for his son's dancing lessons but asks that no more money be given to the son until he comes home. 1 page.
 - 7. May 13, 1859, Suspension Bridge, PA, from J. Daly. The writer, a seminarian and former St. Marv student, was supposed to follow Fr. Coyle to the west. However, Fr. Coyle has found the west not so prosporcus and that the writer should remain where he is. Writer requests help from Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 8. May 17, 1859, Philadelphia, from F. Engler. Fr. Reilly has vet to send the Engler boys to Philadelphia. Writer states that he has a place for Francis Engler to stav even though it is not his home. Writer sounds disturbed. 1 page.
 - 9. May 18, 1859, Almologas, Mexico, from Lydia Engler. Writer was supposed to leave by train but could not go because there was no room for her and her luggage. However, she hopes to book future passage. Letter does not infer any non-support of her children, as stated by letters from Mr. & Mrs. F. Engler of Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - 10. May 18, 18 59, Mobile, from James M. Ganahon. Note confirms data to Fr. Reilly re Miss Casey. 1 page.

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- 9 1 May 18, 18 59 June 3, 18 59 10 Items
 - May 18, 13 59, Philadelphia, from Mary P. (illegible) Writer wants to sent her son, George, to St. Mary's but has limited funds. 2 pages.
 - 2. May 21, 1859, Savannah, from Mrs. M.J. Reilly. Writer's nephew has been taken ill and could not go to St. Mary's on the agreed to date. He is now well and will be sent to St. Mary's by steamer. Writer requests that nephew be met at Philadelphia. All expenses will be paid by Mr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 3. May 28, 1859, Washington, DC, from Elizabeth Barber. Writer has nephew at St. Mary's and wants bill so that she may pay. 1 page.
 - 4. May 28, 1859, Savannah, from Mrs. M.J. Reilly. See item 2 of this folder. Writer's nephew requires much food and little work until he gets stronger per doctor's orders. 1 page.
 - 5. May 29, 1859, Valpariso, Chile, from William Ferguson. The writer, a former student, writes for a friend, a widower, who has 4 boys. Requests costs to send all 4 boys to St. Mary's. Writer highly recommends the father and the boys. 2 pages.
 - 6. May 31, 1859, Jersev City, NJ, from Fr. J. Kelly, Writer is having problems locating a delinquent St. Mary account, Mr. Gray. Requests Fr. Reilly's advise regarding Rev. M.G. in staying with Fr. Coyle in Waukegan, Ill. Requests possibility of Mr. Jamison, a non-catholic theological student at Princeton, going to St. Mary to study religion. 4 pages.
 - 7. May 31, 1859, from E.A. McCluskey. Writer is in financial problems until her husband's estate is settled. However, the future looks brighter. Her son, Edward, will visit St. Mary when the amount due is accumulated. 1 page.
 - June 1, 1859, Savannah, from R. G. deSaredes. The writer, a former student, requests a complete accounting paid for his schooling by a Mr. Bogereau. 2 pages.
 - 9. June 1, 1859, Philadelphia, from Bishop James Wood. Thanks to Fr. Reilly for Episc. fund donation. Writer has contacted Bishop Neumann who feel the omission of the Cathedral Collection would establish a bad precedent. 1 page.

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- 9 1 10. June 3, 1859, Philadelphia, from James Berrell. Writer owes a bill which he cannot pay until vacation time. Writer has been very busy because he has changed his business. 1 page.

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- 9 2 June 5, 1859 June 18, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. June 5, 1859, Philadelphia, from Angelo LaCosta. Writer is sending a package of clothing and wants the boys to try them on for size before other clothes are made. 1 page.
 - June 7, 1859, Guanabacoa, from Ignacio de los Reves, in Spanish. Writer contacts Fr. Reilly about a friend who needs help with health problems. 2 pages.
 - 3. June 7, 1859, Charleston, from J. O'Neill. Sends money for clothing for James and Jessup Boyce. If money is not needed, return it to writer. Money was obtained from estate of John Boyce. 1 page.
 - 4. June 8, 1859, Richmond, from Richard Cahill. Sends money for clothing for John Cahill. If money is left over, it is to be credited to Mr. Cahill's account since he intends to send the boy back to St. Mary's. 1 page.
 - 5. June 10, 1859, Baltimore, from Brancis Brady. Writer explains that his mother was planning to go to St. Mary's to visit but could not make it due to some unforeseen problems. Mother will take her youngest son to St. Mary to undergo studies. At that time she will settle tuition. 1 page.
 - 6. June 10, 1859, Columbus, GA, from John Strupper. Authorizes purchase of clothing for his son. 1 page.
 - 7. June 15, 1859, Philadelphia, from James Shaw. Writer anticipates Fr. Reilly's trip to Philadelphia and invites him to his home. 1 page.
 - June 16, 1359, from Angelo LaCosta. Clothing sent to St. Mary's boys are a misfit. They are to be altered at St. Mary's or returned to writer. 3 pages.
 - 9. June 18, 18 59, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Sends money for James and Jessup Boyce account. Explains where money came from. 1 page.
 - 10. June 21, 1859, Cardenas, from John Carey. Writer is pleased to hear about his daughter who was transferred to an Alabama school without his consent or knowledge. Writer is pleased with his son's progress at St. Mary's. Sends money for his son's account. 1 page.

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- 9 3 June 22, 19 59 July 5, 18 59 11 Items
 - June 22, 1859, Georgetown, DC, from M. McLeod. Will pay bill about the first of next month because it will not be convenient before that time. 1 page.
 - June 22, 1859, Havana, from J.F. Pablogargon, in Spanish. Writer clarifies statement in son's age and sends son off to college. 2 pages.
 - 3. June 23, 1859, Baltimore, from Mary Lenox. Writer is corresponding for her aunt who wants her 2 boys, James and Peter Blois, available at the Wilmington train station to be escorted by a friend who will stop at Wilmington. 1 page.
 - 4. June 23, 1859, Savannah, GA, from H.J. Thomason. Writer has made travel arrangements for his son to return home for vacation. Fr. Reilly's assistance is requested. 1 page.
 - 5. June 24, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Writer prefers to have her son remain under Fr. Reilly's care during vacation because she is ill. In addition the writer is having financial problems. 2 pages.
 - 6. June 25, 1859, Parkesburg, PA, from B. Quinn. Writer has been teaching in Newark, DE, where there was a bad anti-Catholic feeling. He is now teaching in Parkerburg, PA. Writer has previously met Fr. Reilly who had offered him a position at St. Mary's. Writer wants to negotiate for the St. Mary position. 3 pages.
 - 6A. June 29, 1859, Philadelphia, from Sr. M. DeLignero. Invitation yo arrend distribution at W. Philadelphia Industrial School. 1 page.
 - June 30, 1859, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Questions about a letter presented by Fr. Reilly after his return from Ireland. 2 pages.
 - 8. June 30, 1859, New Orleans, from Jacob Ott. Writer has been trying to see Fr. Reilly. He now sends money for his daughter and his son who is at St. Mary's. Writer is concerned about his son who does not write very often but when he does write, he sounds discouraged. 2 pages.

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- 9 3 9. July 2, 1859, Saratoga Springs, from Emeque Jose de Vigmier, in Spanish. Writer is in America and wants to meet Fr. Reilly before sending his son to St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - July 5, 1859, Charleston, from J. O'Neill. Writer sends money and states that he prefers that his sons remain at St. Mary under Fr. Reilly's charge during vacation. 1 page.

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- 9 4 July 7, 1959 July 20, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. July 7, 18 59, Auburn, NY, from M. Creedon. Letter of recommendation for a Mr. Daniel O'Sullivan. 1 page.
 - 2. July 7, 18 59, New York, from Henry Darragh. Explains lack of contact with his father on St. Mary's bill. Explains trip to New York from St. Mary and that all party is safe. 1 page.
 - 3. July 7, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Writer wants son to return home because his sister has been severely bitten by a dog. Writer clarifies a prior letter to be sure that Fr. Reilly understands that she has no control over another student, M. Esquebel. 2 pages.
 - July 11, 18 59. Wilmington, from Jas. Bradford. Writer estimates George Bradford was away from school for 4 weeks (to clarify a school bill). 1 page
 - 5. July 12, 1859, Columbus, GA, from John B. Strupper. Writer has sent money to his son so that he may return home for vacation. However, some confusion has arisen and writer does not want his son to come by steamer on the 16th. 1 page.
 - July 15, 18 59, Brandywine, from J. S. Walsh. Requests Fr. Reillv to say mass because writer has to go to Havertown. 1 page.
 - 7. July 19, 18 59, Poughkeepsie, NY, from Joseph Bridgeman. Requests Fr. Reilly's advice on whether he should study Philosophy since he appears to have succient Latin training. 1 page.
 - 8. July 19, 1859, Philadelphia, from W.H. Bedford. Writer requests a loan to pay his board bills. It will be repaid when he receives money from home. 1 page.
 - July 19, 18⁵⁹, Charleston, SC, from John Landry. Writer, a student, returned home for vacation and found that his trunk, which he packed before he left St. Mary, is only half full. He requests Fr. Reilly to investigate. 2 pages.
 - 10. July 20, 13 59, Philadelphia, from Wm. Bedford. See item 8 of this folder. Writer explains his equity and that he expects money from home to pay his debt. 1 page.

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July 20, 1859 - July 28, 1859 - 10 Items

- 1. July 20, 1859, Philadelphia, from L.C. Lartin. Writer relays a letter sent to him from his brother in Valpariso, Chile. Letter requests information about St. Marv's because the brother wants to educate his boys. 1 page.
- 2. July 20, 18 59, Savannah, from H. Thomasson. Request for son's bill so that writer may pay. 1 page.
- July 21, 1959, Havana, from Snr. Maria de los Angeles Pilone, in Spanish. Writer is very concerned about her son's bad behavior and lack of application to his studies. 4 pages.
- 4. July 21, 1859, Kellvville, PA, from E. Roth. Writer, a member of St. Mary's faculty, explains that he does not know when he'll return to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 5. July 23, 1859, St. Louis, MO, from J.P. Gausche. Writer has educated his sons at St. Mary and has also lived in the Wilmingt on area. Writer has moved to St. Louis and has had intentions to return for a visit to Wilmington where two of his children, a son and a married daughter, are buried. Writer would like to do something for the graves and requests Fr. Reilly to help him. Requests were made of his daughter's husband but the writer does not know the status since he had received no word. 4 pages.
- 6. July 25, 1859, Oswego, NY, from Fr. Mich. Riley. Letter of recommendation for a friend who wants to obtain a teaching position at St. Mary's in return for room and board and for the opportunity to improve his Latin and Greek. 2 pages.
- 7. July 27, 1859, Port Richmond, Philadelphia, from G. Gillespie. Explains why he is not at school and when he will arrive. 1 page.
- July 27, 1859, New York, from Peter Ceballer. Explains bills owed to St. Mary. 1 page.
- 9. July 23, 1859, Richmond, from Rev. J. Millon. Letter of recommendation for son of Phillip Toppin. 1 page.
- 10. July 28, 1859, Jersey City, from J.A. Schaad. Writer, a former teacher at St. Mary, wants to return to teach part time. Writer has had an unfortunate love affair which was opposed by the lady's parents who would rather the daughter be in her grave than married to a foreigner and an RC. Also writer has losts sums of money. 2 pages.

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 - 9 6 July 28, 1859 August 4, 1859 11 Items
 - 1. July 28, 1859, Charleston, from Michael Gannon. Writer, an exstudent, asks permission to return to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - July 30, 18 59, Jersey City, from J. W. Schaad. Writer, a former professor at St. Mary's, had written to request to return to St. Mary as a part time teacher. In this letter, a follow-up, writer negotiates for financial return.
 2 pages.
 - 3. July 30, 1859, Columbus, GA, from John Strupper. Pays a bill. Writer is pl eased with his son's education and requests that the son's belongings be sent home. In addition, a second son will be sent to St. Mary's in October. 1 page.
 - 4. August 1, 1859, Lapelo Island, from E. Scott. Writer explains that her bill for her son's education has not been paid due to her husband's iblness. However, it will be paid since her husband is feeling better and that they expect an inheritance from her husband's uncle who recently passed away. 4 pages.
 - August 1, 18 59, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Writer asks for her. Requests date as to when her son may be confirmed. 2 pages.
 - 6. August 2, 18 59, Richmond, VA, from Richard Cahill. Asks permission to send son to school before he can pay for the term. (2 weeks after start of school.) 1 page.
 - 7. August 2, 18 59, Manyunk, from Wm. McGlinchey. Writer feels there's an error in his billing but will settle his account when he takes his son to school in September. 1 page.
 - 7A. August 2, 18 59, from Chas. Murphy. Sends a bill Fr. Reilly owes and also states he will settle his bill in a few days. 1 page.
 - August 2, 18 59, Oswego, from Michael Riley. Letter of recommendation for Mr. Sullivan who is seeking a teaching position at St. Mary's. 2 pages.
 - 9. August 3, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mrs. Shaw. A student, James, has been ill since his return from school. 1 page.

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 - 9 6 10. August 4, 1859, St. Louis, from J.P. Gonuchi. The writer had previously written to request Fr. Reilly to assist him in rearranging and purchasing new gravestones for his deceased son and married daughter if his son-in-law had not agreed to his desires. The son-in-law has decided to erect a separate monument for his wife. This letter now changes previous request. 2 pages.

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- 9 7 August 8, 1859 August 20, 1859 11 Items
 - August 8, 18 59, Norristown, from Jack O'Donogher. Writer invites Fr. Reilly to the ceremony in which the cornerstone for the new church will be laid by Rt. Rev. Bishop Neuman. 2 pages.
 - August 8, 1859, Philadelphia Navy Yard, from S.C. Sarton. Acknowledges receipt of letter which will be forwarded to writer's brother in Chile.
 1 page.
 - 3. August 10, 1859, Philadelphia, from N. Revovne. Writer would like to know if Mr. Durano will be his son's teacher when he returns to St. Mary's. If so, writer will not send the boy to St. Mary because he feels the boy 1 earned nothing from Mr. Durano. 1 page.
 - 4. August 10, 1859, P-iladelphia, from Sr. Mary Ursula. Writer announces the death of Sr. M. Stanislaus and requests a holy mass for the repose of her soul. 1 page.
 - August 15, 1859, Richmond, from Rev. S.L. McGill, Bishop of Richmond. Letter of introduction and recommendation for Mr. P. Toppin who is taking his son to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 6. August 15, 1859, Wilmington, from Chas. A. Murphy. Sends a check. Writer is pleased with his son, John, and will return him to St. Mary. Meanwhile, and her son, Tom. has start ed out on his own without going to school and the father will not allow him to return home. 1 page.
 - 7. August 18,1859, from Fr. J. Kelly. Letter makes little sense. 1 page.
 - 8. August 19,1859, Charl est on, from P.O'Neill. Pays a bill in part. Regrets having sent for the Charl est on boys for the vacation because they have been bad. He hopes to gather themup and return them to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 9. August 19, 1959, Wilmington, from Jas. Monaghan. Invitation to St. Peter's Ben. Society picnic. 1 page.
 - 10. August 20, 1959, Lapelo Island, from F.P. Scott. Writer apologizes for her last letter which she fed s was a bit erronous. She states that her husband, who has been ill, has left his business neglected but now he is gaining strength and will be paying all his bills. 4 pages.

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- 9 8 August 22, 1859 September 7, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. August 22, 1859, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Fncloses a part payment of Mr. Gannon's bill. States that Mr. Gannon had gone up to St. Mary's to bring his son and two other Charleston boys. He hopes to prevail upon other boys to return to St. Mary. 1 page.
 - 2. August 26, 1859, Philadelphia, from John McGann. Announces the death of his cousin, Anne McQuade. Writer is looking for someone to take an interest in the business but must also invest \$3,000. He wishes to speak to Mr. DiSantos about it. 2 pages.
 - 3. August 27,1959, Philadelphia, from George Shaw. Mrs. Shaw has been gravely ill but is recovering. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly return the balance of his son's account. 1 page.
 - August 29,1859, Oswego, NY, from Mich. Riley. Writer had recommended a Mr. Sullivan to be a teacher at St. Marv's. Mr. Sullivan has yet to show up at St. Mary. Writer believes Mr. Sullivan stopped to see some friends at Auburn, NY. Writer will contact those friends and have Mr. Sullivan go to St. Mary's as soon as possible. 2 pages.
 - 5. August 31, 1859, from James T.H. Hau. Writer 1 eft overcoat and skates at college when he left. Requests they be bundled and sent to a party in Philadelphia. 1 page.
 - August 31, 1959, San Jose, from (name has been torn away) in Spanish. Parent is concerned about his son's preparation for a carcer. Makes recommendations and pays bill. 4 pages.
 - 7. September 2, 1359, from W. Draines. Letter of introduction for the son of an old friend of the writer. The writer will be visiting the school shortly and asks that the boy be kept busy until he gets there. 1 page.
 - 8. September 3, 1359, Phil adelphia, from S.H. Dougherty. Writer has been very active in purchasing and caring for altar vestments at St. Mary's. This letter continues that dialogue on vestments. 2 pages.
 - 9. September 6, 1859, Augusta, from F. Quigley. Writer is in bondage to his guardian's wife (husband has died) but will be released. He requests an account of distribution from the college. No reason for ir hut it appears he is searching. 1 page.

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- 9 8 10. Sept ember 7, 1859, New York, from Wm. Joyce. Apologizes for sending incorrect address. Writer is sending his son backto St. Mary. 1 page.

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9	9	September 8, 1859 - September 21, 1859 - 10 Items
		1. September 8, 1859, from Chas. I. DuPont. The writer received a sum of money for a proposed restitution thru the church. He now returns it to St. Mary to apply it to it's faculty. 1 page.
		2. September 9, 1859, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kellv. A teacher known to the writer has many math books which he wants to sell. The writer would like to know if Fr. Reilly wants to buy any because the cost is reasonable. 4 pages.
		3. September 12, 1859, Philadelphia, from R.A. McManus. Writer is concerned about his boy whom he left at St. Mary's. Writer is concerned about his son's clothes and is sending a trunk. 1 page.
		 September 15, 1859, Oswego, NY, from Henry Foley. Writer, a well traveled man, seeks a position as teacher at St. Mary's. 3 pages.
		5. September 15, 1859, New Orleans, from Jacob Ott. Sends a payment. Writer hopes his son's progress will be good be- cause it will be his last year at St. Marys'. 1 page.
		6. September 16, 1859, New York, from J.A. Miller. Telegram - announces date of arrival. 1 page.
		 September 19, 1859, from Jane E. Bestor. Writer wants to know if she had sent Fr. Reilly money she owed. She cannot remember. 1 page.
		8. September 17, ;859, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Letter of introduction for Adolph Bonilla, a boy from Costa Rica. 1 page.
		9. September 20, 1359, Emittsburg, from Henry H. Black. Writer is impressed with St. Mary's and wants to know if there is a vacancy for his nephew. l page.
		 September 21, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. See item 8 of this folder. Writer requests receipt for money given to St. Mary by Adolph Bonelli. Writer is still concerned about her son Gabriel, a St. Mary's student. 2 pages.

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- 9 10 September 22, 1859 October 9, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. September 22, 1859, Brooklyn, NY, from S. Malone. A Rev. Gillespie, a priest who sometimes becomes erratic, has been at St. Mary's and has again become erratic. The writer, a friend of Rev. Gillespie, expresses regrets. 1 page.
 - 2. September 22, 1859, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Writer inquires about his son's progress. 1 page.
 - September 27, 1859, Newark, NJ, from Thomas Corrigan. Sends money. Writer's son has left for Rome but will visit Ireland, England and France before going to Rome. 1 page.
 - 4. September 29, 1859, from G. DeAngeles. Writer inquires as to whereabouts of Mr. Santelli's children. 1 page.
 - 5. October 1, 1859, St. Louis, MO, from J.P. Gaurche. Writer gives his feelings on the stone and graves of his children. 2 pages.
 - 6. October 1, 1859, Chester, from A. Haviland. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that neither a girl by the name of Mullen nor a boy by the name of Jones have ever been married by writer or in the Wilmington district. In Addition, neither had they applied for permission. 1 page.
 - 7. October 1, 1859, Greenbrier Co., VA, from P. R. Oates. Writer has a son, 17 years old, who is wishing for the Delaware Gazette in order to learn the printing business. The boy has been less than perfect in school (not St. Mary) and at home and now is not attending mass. The writer requests Fr. Reilly help in locating the boy and to try to get him back to church. 2 pages.
 - October 3, 1859, Newark, from P. Moran. Letter of introduction for John Cunningham, who is transferring from Fordham because of costs. 1 page.
 - October 4, 1859, Richmond, from Philip Toppen. Sends money. Writer is anxious to hear how his son is progressing since it is his son's first time away from home. 1 page.
 - October 9, 1859, Savannah, from H.J. Thomasson. Writer is sending his nephew to St. Mary's but has to delay due to sickness in Savannah. Writer states what subjects he wishes to have his nephew learn. 1 page.

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- 9 11 October 10, 1859 October 22, 1859 10 Items
 - 1. October 10, 1859, Columbus, GA, from John Strupper. Writer is sending his second son to St. Mary's accompanied by his uncle. Writer sends money and describes his son's health and status. 1 page.
 - October 11, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mrs. R.A. McManus. Writer is encouraged that her son is doing well. Requests that her son's reasonable needs be attended to by Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - 3. October 14, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mrs. R.A. McManus. See item 2 above. Writer has been informed that she had to pay in advance, something which appears to be misunderstood. Writer explains her situation and will remove her son from St. Mary's if necessary. 1 page.
 - 4. October 17, 1859, Charleston, from R. Gannon. When writer's son left for St. Mary's it was understood that the boy wanted to study for the priesthood. Writer wants to know son's status because he is under the impression that the boy does not have the ability to do so. 1 page.
 - October 18, 1859, Philadelphia, from Fr. Edw. Saurin. Writer explains why he has to refuse Fr. Reilly's invitation. 2 pages.
 - October 19, 1859, Philadelphia, from Fr. Michael F. Martin. See item 2 and 3 of this file. The writer explains Mrs. McManus' problem and assures Fr. Reilly that Mrs. McManus is willing and determined to meet her obligations. 3 pages.
 - 7. October 17, 1859, Augusta, GA, from Edward Ouigley. The writer, a former student, is not well and requests that Fr. Reilly allow him to board at St. Mary's for as little cost as possible for 2 months. 1 page. 1 page.
 - October 20, 1859, Havana, from Juan de (illegible. In Spanish. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to visit grave of father of one of his students. 1 page.
 - 9. October 21, 1859, Philadelphia, from Fr. Ed. Sourin. See item 5 of this folder. Writer has submitted Fr. Regilly's request to the Superior and there is no change in the refusal of the invitation. 2 pages.

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9 11 10. October 22, 1859, Paris, from E. Roth. Explains why he has not written. Writer describes his dream of the Pope. Writer enjoys France but is having problems learning the language. He is now boarding at a place which is occupied by a lot of old women, but he is planning to move to the Latin Ouarter where all the students live. Sends his best to many people and requests that Fr. Reilly write and send \$100. Letter is interesting and newsy. 4 pages.

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- 9 12 October 24, 1859 November 6, 1859 10 Items
 - October 24, 1859, Philadelphia, from Fr. Michael Martin. The writer had written to explain his views on Mrs. McManus' problems and has stated that she was a good risk. The letter was evidently misunderstood by Fr. Reilly and this letter reiterates the writer's views. 3 pages.
 - 2. October 24, 1859, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Writer prefers that all the Charleston boys remain at St. Mary's during bacation because he feels they will not be rowdy as they have been previously in Charleston. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly send the boys (if they are returning to Charleston for vacations) via Philadelphia, send bill to writer and all will be paid for. 1 page.
 - 3. October 25, 1859, Huntsville, from Robert Knox. Writer explains that the check for a bill he just received was sent to St. Mary's. Writer explains why he sent boy to St. Mary and that he is dissatisfied. He thinks best to send the boy to another school after the term has expired. 1 page.
 - 4. October 25, 1859, New York, from Michael Victory. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to furnish clothing for his 2 sons. States that he cannot afford to keep his sons at St. Mary's after November 24, 1859. 1 page.
 - 5. October 26, 1859, Philadelphia, from Fr. J. Gillespie. Note: The writer has a reputation for geing erratic. Apologizes for and explains why he left St. Marv's so suddenly. He is now on retreat. States that he is very disturbed as to what Fr. Reilly said about him but he holds no malice and requests advice from Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 6. October 27, 1859, New Castle, DE, from M. Cobbin. Writer will be in Wilmington on Sunday. 1 page.
 - October 27, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mary Hogan Wall. Writer is awaiting funds to pay bills but money did not arrive. 2 pages.
 - October 30, 1859- Canada, from M. G.E.A. Gatieu. Writer is a teacher in Canada and is seeking a teaching position in an American college. He would teach French and study English. 3 pages.

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 9. November 1, 1859, Gibava, Cuba, from E.Codringbone. Writer, a graduate of St. Mary's, has settled down to a good job in Cuba. He now writes for information for a Cuban official who wants to send his son to an American school to study English, etc. 2 pages.
 - November 6, 1859, Havana, from ? Lecoeur, in French. The writer, father of a student, has arrived but has no news of his son. He asks Fr. Reilly for news. 2 pages.

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- 1. November 10, 1859, New York, from C. Medina. The writer's charge, A. Bonilla, has written that he is not learning English at St. Mary. The writer has written to Fr. Reilly for comment but has received no answer. This letter is a repeat of the first letter. 1 page.
- 2. November 11, 1859, New Castle, from M. Cobbin. Writer is leaving Delaware City and will arrive on Saturday. 1 page.
- 3. November 12, 1859, Savannah, from A. Dauvergne. The writer will remit a check as soon as some of his clients arrive. Requests that the boys receive any clothing they need. 2 pages.
- 3. November 12, 1859, Kellvville, from Chas. Kellv. Writer has received his son's note which, I assume, states that he has teacher problems. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to investigate. 1 page.
- 5. November 19, 1859, from Sister Mary Aloysius. A newsy letter about old friends. Requests a mass on the 30th anniversary of her becoming a nun. 2 pages.
- 6. November 20, 1859, Philadelphia, from M.A. Frenage. Thanks to Fr. Reilly for an unexpected contribution. 1 page.
- 7. November 21, 1859, Philadelphia, from John Kidney. Requests Fr. Reilly investigate son's problem. He threatens to remove son from school if no satisfactory answer is received. 1 page.
- 8. December 3, 1859, Philadelphia, from Edw. A. McClusky. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that the bill will be settled after January 1 per the executors of an estate. 1 page.
- 9. December 5, 1859, Richmond, VA, from C.R. Hunter. Writer has an acquaintance who has little means but wants to be educated. Writer asks if friend can obtain a limited education at St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 10. December 6, 1859, Norfolk, from F.J. Beillert. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that Mr. Santelli died in Puerto Rico. However, prior to his death, he drew money from his wife's estate and entered into the sugar business and failed. Now there appears to be no money to pay bills. Writer states that Fr. Reilly will be paid but it will take time. 3 pages.

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- 9 14 December 8, 1859 January 3, 1860 10 Items
 - 1. December 8, 1859, St. Louis, from C.A. Lacoste. Due to some business problems, he cannot pay his bill on time. Promises to pay in early January. 1 page.
 - 2. December 13, 1859, Cardenas, from John Carey. Writer asks Fr. Reilly to banish any fool ideas from the head of his son. Wants a progress report. Writer cannot pay his bills on time due to business problems and promises to pay in a month or two. l page.
 - 3. December 14, 1859, New Castle, from M. Cobbin. Invitation to dinner to celebrate Confirmation. 1 page.
 - 4. December 17, 1859, Philadelphia, from George Fell. Requests permission for Thomas Carey to come to Philadelphia for Christmas to spend holiday with friend. Writer has father's permission. 1 page.
 - 5. December 18, 1859, Philadelphia, from Mary H. Wall. Due to an accident which injured her sister, writer requests that her son remain at St. Mary's for the holiday. Cannot pay her bill on time. 2 pages.
 - December 21, 1859, Philadelphia, from James Lindsey. See item 5 above. Requests Thonas Carey be sent to his house for Christmas week. 1 page.
 - December 23, 1859, Philadelphia, from C. O'Donnell. Writer would like to have an orphan boy, with limited means, sent to St. Mary. However, he feels the boy should not be charged regular rates since he will not be taking advanced subjects for 1 year. 2 pages.
 - 8. December 30, 1859, Philadelphia, from (illegible). Writer requests payment due to a Mrs. Burke. She is ill, her husband has no work and they are poor. 2 pages.
 - 9. January 2, 1860, New York, from Crisanto Medine. Informs Fr. Reilly that Mr. Bonilla should not have left St. Mary's without his father's permission. Bonilla is returning to St. Mary's. Writer is going to Central America and will talk to Sr. Bonilla. 1 page.
 - 10. January 3, 1860, Philadelphia, from Jas. Gallagher. A Rev. Emmett will go to St. Marv's Saturday and Monday. 1 page.

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- 9 15 January 4, 1860 January 27, 1860 11 Items
 - 1. January 4, 1860, Philadelphia, from X. Bazin. Explains that he has not sent his son, Charles, to school because of serious illness in the family. 1 page.
 - 2. Januarv 7, 1860, Philadelphia, from X. Bazin. See item 1 above. Son, Charles, is further delayed due to death in family. 1 page.
 - January 7, 1860, Latrobe, PA, from P.J. Coffey. Writer will send a man for his books if necessary. Rt. Rev. Bishop Neuman is dead. 2 pages.
 - 4. January 10, 1860, Montgonery, GA, from E. Beaulard. Writer is very indignant about one of the St. Mary teachers who punished his son and nephew with a horsewhip and for a long period of time. The writer had previously contacted Fr. Reilly who had investigated and sided with the teacher. 4 pages.
 - 5. January 11, 1860, Paris, France, from E. Roth. Writer thanks Fr. Reilly for money and writes news about Paris and his plans to go to Rome. 4 pages.
 - 6. January 17, 1860, Montgomery, GA, from E. Beaulard. See item 4 above. Fr. Reilly investigated the punishments received by the writer's son and nephew by one of the teachers. Writer is satisfied with Fr. Reilly's response. 3 pages.
 - 7. January 19, 1860, St. Leonard, England, from E. Batterbury. Writer is George Batterbury's brother and, since he has not heard from George in 4 years, requests Fr. Reilly's help in contacting him. 4 pages.
 - 7A. January 24, 1860, Philadelphia, from Principals of Hannah More Academy. Invitation to attend musical. 1 page.
 - January 25, 1860, Jersey City, from Fr. Kelly. A newsy letter about mutual friends. Requests that a pious boy who comes from a poor family be admitted to St. Mary's for \$100 annually. 3 pages.
 - 9. January 26, 1860, Wilmington, from J. Gorgas. Requests interest payment to be made in advance since writer is leaving for 2 months. 1 page.

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9 15 10. January 27, 1860, Wilmington, from J. Perris & Son. Requests payment of a note. 1 page.

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- 9 16 January 30, 1860 March 8, 1860 10 Items
 - 1. January 30, 1860, Wilmington, from J.N. Gorgas. Writer repeats a request for prepayment of interest due. 1 page.
 - 2. February 5, 1860, Cardenas, from John Carey. Makes payment for son's expenses. Requests status of a love affair Fr. Reilly wrote about in his last letter and if son is fit to leave school to follow a merchant's trade. 1 page.
 - 3. February 9, 1860, Hartford, from Robert Grace. Sends payment. Explains a discrepancy in the billing. 2 pages.
 - 4. February 9, 1860, Havana, from Juan Le ??, in French. Sends payment but cannot pay in full but will pay statement every 2 or 3 months. 2 pages.
 - 5. February 12, 1860, Philadelphia, from R.A. McManus. Writer has not heard from his son who requested more clothing. Writer expresses hope that son is progressing well and wants Fr. Reilly to tell son that his friend will go to St. Mary's in the spring. 1 page.
 - February 13, 1860, Wilmington, from Willard Hall. Some vandals have been breaking windows at one of the public schools. Writer states vandals are from St. Mary's and requests Fr. Reilly to investigate and take proper action. 1 page.
 - 7. February 14, 1860, Wilmington, from (illegible) Letter is illegible. 1 page.
 - February 20, 1860, Wilmington, from Jacob Rebman. Writer is ill and cannot pay his debts. He requests a loan from Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - February 23, 1860, Philadelphia, from Elizabeth Layton. Writer has son, 16 years old, who has been taught in public schools. Writer requests school data because she wants to send boy to St. Mary's for advanced training and religious instruction. 2 pages.
 - 10. March 8, 1860, Providence, RI. from Charles McCallion. Letter of introduction for Mr. James Delaney who is looking for a teacher's position. 1 page.

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- 9 17 March 8, 1860 Marcg 26, 1860 11 Items
 - 1. March 8, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Pays a bill. Requests Fr. Reilly to push his son because he feels the son is very capable. 1 page.
 - 2. March 13, 1860, from E. McCoskey. Writer wants to obtain some ostentation Fr. Reilly has in his new church. Sends a message to Jas. Brophy, a student. 1 page.
 - 3. March 16, 1860, Philadelphia, from S.A. Dougherty. A newsy letter about some mutual friends. 4 pages.
 - 4. March 16, 1860, Wilmington, from Sisters of St. Peter. Best wishes to Fr. Reilly on his feast day. 1 page.
 - 5. March 19, 1860, Savannah, from Mrs. M. Reilly. Writer does not want her son to fast during Lent because of his delicate health. This is strongly recommended by his doctor. 2 pp. 2 pages.
 - 6. March 20, 1860, Centerville, AL, from Jane Burke. Writer has not received any letter from her son since November and requests Fr. Reilly's help. 1 page.
 - 7. March 20, 1860, St. Joseph's Church, from J. S. Walsh. Requests for birth information on Mr. John Houtton. 1 page.
 - March 20, 1860, New Brunswich, from letter is torn N.A. appears to be a priest. Collected some money from Mrs. Brophy for Fr. Reilly. Servant girls collected money for a gift for St. Mary's - would like recommendation. 1 page.
 - 9. March 21, 1860, Savannah, from Mrs. M. Reilly. See item 5 of this folder. Writer submits to have Edward Reilly's stock sold and the money remitted to him. 2 pages.
 - 9A. March 26, 1860, Philadelphia, from S.A. Doughertv. A newsy letter from a nun. 3 pages.
 - 10. March 26, 1869, Lawerence, MA, from Fr. James O'Donnell. Sends a file of a Journal which contains Fr. Reilly's controversial letters. Regrets some remarks and levity made by him (the writer). (Handwriting is difficult to read.) 3 pages.

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- 9 18 March 26, 1860 April 19, 1860 10 Items
 - March 26, 1860, Philadelphia, from Maurice Raleigh. Pays a bill. Son wants to come home for Easter. Requests Fr. Reilly's permission and sets conditions for trip. 1 page.
 - 2. March 26, 1860, Paris, France, from E. Roth. Writer is leaving Paris to go to Rome to see the Pope. However, he is short of money and needs \$100. Writer reports unrest in Rome but that will not keep him from going. However, according to French newspapers there is no unrest outside of Rome. He does not believe Pope Pius IX will excommunicate Napolean III. 3 pages.
 - 3. March 28, 1860, Havana, from ? Lecoeur, in French. Since writer has received no letters from his son, he requests son's status and name of agent to forward money to his son. 2 pages.
 - 4. March 31, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Writer has a son at St. Mary's. He is writing for a widow who has a 6 year old son she wants to send to St. Mary's. However, she can only afford \$75 a year. Would Fr. Reillv accept the boy for that sum? 1 page.
 - 5. April 5, 1860, Philadelphia, from X. Bazin. Writer would like his son to return home for several days. Wants the boy to be dressed in his Sunday clothes and take what is needed for 3 days. 1 page.
 - 6. There are 2 letters, one date April 3 and the second April 19. April 3, 1860, from J. O'Donnell. Writer has seen Fr. Reilly letters and lectures. He cannot see how Fr. Reilly can spend 6 hours per day teaching and still do his other services. He must be made of steel. April 9, 1860, from J. O'Donnell. Writer compares Fr. McElroy to Fr. Reilly. 2 pages.
 - 7. April 17, 1860, Jersey City, from Fr. Reilly. Writer is setting up a laboratory in his new home and requests that borrowed books be returned. 1 page.
 - 8. April 17, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Ryan. Mrs. Burke has paid all funeral expenses and that all remaining money is to be sent to writer. l page.

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- 9 18 9. April 18, 1860, Philadelphia, from J.J, Reville, Girard College. Telegram - Requests information if a student has arrived. 1 page.
 - 10. April 19, 1860, Philadelphia, from Wm. Kidnev. Suggests son no longer study geography and history. 1 page.

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- 9 19 April 21, 1860 May 17, 1860 10 Items
 - There are 2 letters on one sheet. April 21, 1860, New York, from W. Scott Jarvis. Pavs a bill. States that student, John Cunningham, has a limited amount of money for school and that the executors feel that, based on the present bill, there will be an overrun. April 21, 1860, from James Meehan. Requests that the student, John Cunningham, review all bills since October 12, 1859. 1 page.
 - 2. April 25, 1860, Philadelphia, from Jas. Gallagher. Promises payment. Encloses a note from the student and requests that note be shown to the teacher because the spelling has not changed. 1 page.
 - 3. May 4, 1860, Havana, from ?? Lecoeur, in French. Writer has not heard from his son in 4 months and that he has written to his son 3 times. Writer requests that Fr. Reilly respond or he will leave on the 1st to find his son. 1 page.
 - May 8, 1860, St. Jos Church, from J. Walsh. Requests Fr. Reilly to come to dinner which will be attended by some of Fr. Reilly's friends. 1 page.
 - 5. May 10, 1860, New York, from Michael Clieting (?). Requests Fr. Reilly purchase a cheap suit for each of his boys. Was pleased to receive such a flattering account of his boys' progress. 1 page.
 - Mav 10, 1860, Baltimore, from Jane McClure. Wants to know if Fr. Reilly will accept her son after the start of the term. 1 page.
 - 7. May 14, 1860, Newcastle, DE, from M. Cobbin. Writer is annoyed that it was not in his power to be of service to an old friend. Suggests a date when he provides his services the whole day. 1 page.
 - 8. May 15, 1860, Baltimore, from Throbala M. Gilmartin. Writer has not been successful in locating Mr. E.W. Roberts who owes a bill to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.

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- 9 19 9. May 17, 1860, Philadelphia, from M. St. (illegible). Writer uncle of a student, received a letter from the student who wants to study medecine and, therefore, wanted his uncle to obtain a job for him in a drug store. Uncle feels the nephew is not qualified and requests Fr. Reilly status. Writer is awaiting word and money from his brother (the student's father). He will forward direction and money immediately. 3 pages.
 - 10. May 17, 1860, Wilmington, from W. White. States that his son was absent from school due to illness and permission from his teacher. Directs Fr. Reilly to send his son home with all his belongings. 1 page.

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- 9 20 May 20, 1860 June 6, 1860 10 Items
 - May 20, 1860, Savannah, from E. Scott. Writer has had problems collecting money to pay Fr. Reilly's bill and asks for his indulgence. Writer explains some of the problems. 4 pages.
 - May 25, 1860, from James Ceullen. Will preach for Fr. Reilly on his celebration day. 1 page.
 - 3. May 25, 1860, Lone Pine, Wisc., from Dennis McGuire, Jr. Writer is evidently a former student. He and his family have moved to Wisconsin. He writes a short account of his family's progress. 2 pages.
 - 4. May 28, 1860, Philadelphia, from Wm. H (illegible). Sends a note to be forwarded to Babriel Bonilla who evidently wants to leave school. Writer is against this action. Writer is executing plans to pay the student's bill. 2 pp.
 - 5. May 29, 1860, Jasper Co., IL, from Mary Anne O'Donnell. Writer is Fr. Reilly's niece. A very newsy letter. Writer sends news about Fr. Reilly's property and the taxes have been paid. She also sends news on the status of the people. 4 pages.
 - 6. June 2, 1860, Philadelphia, from Wm. Kidney. After receiving a detailed bill, writer pays it but states that several items were too high. He states that if the son goes to St. Mary's next term, the son must economize. 1 pg.
 - 7. June 3, 1860, Richmond, from B. Cahill. Wants to have son remain at St. Mary's all year round because it is too expensive to board him in Richmond during vacation. Pledges to pay all bills. 1 page.
 - 8. June 4, 1960, Philadelphia, from J.T. Gallagher. Writer has been ill and could not pay his bill. He will start working and will pay. Requests Fr. Reilly to buy his son a cheap suit. 2 pages.
 - June 5, 1860, Savannah, from E. Scott. See item 1 of this folder. Writer has previously requested Fr. Reilly's indulgence in paying her bill. In this letter she profusely expresses her thanks. Her husband is still ill and both miss their son very much. 4 pages.

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 - 10. June 6, 1860, New York, from Michael (illegible) Wants to have his boys with him in New York for vacation. Writer has not decided if he will send his boys to St. Mary next year and requests his bill so that he may pay it. 1 page.

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10	1	June	9, 1860 - July 3, 1860 - 11 Items
		1.	June 9, 1860, Havana, from B. Lecoeur, in French. Father is rather displeased with the changes at. St. Mary's and directs Fr. Reilly to return the boy to Havana. 2 pages.
		2.	June 14, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Miller. Writer wants his boys to be sent to Philadelphia. 1 page.
		3.	June 18, 1860, St. Mary's School, from Sister Mary Aloysios. A newsy letter about a neighbor who dropped dead, a successful fair and a sister who will be crowned. 2 pages.
		4.	June 20, 1860, from Bryan Mcguire. The writer, a reporter in search of a job, is disturbed and requests help from Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
		5.	June 21, 1860, from Henry R. Codringham. Writer had recommended St. Mary's to a friend whose son wanted to go to college. The friend has since been trans- ferred to Spain and will not be sending boy to St. Mary. 1 page.
		6.	June 23, 1860, Wilmington, from George Battenburg. Writer encloses 2 notes for Fr. Reilly to sign. 1 page.
		7.	June 26, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Writer cannot go to St. Mary and wants his son to return home with another student, son of a friend. In addition, he requests his bill be given to his son. 1 page.
		8.	June 28, 1860, Seton Hall College, from Tho. Brody. Writer is seeking a situation as teacher and/or prefect. States his desires and has recommendations from President of Seton Hall. 1 page.
		8A.	July 2, 1860, from Convent of Sacred Heart. Invita- tion to attend Distribution. 1 page.
		9.	July 3, 1860, Wilmington, from Chas. A. Murphy. Writer has orders from Mr. Davis that there will be no more picnics in his woods. However, writer feels that if he saw Davis, consent would be given to St. Mary. 1 page.

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10 1 10. July 3, 1860, Wilmington, from Geo. O'Neill. Writer expressed Fr. Reilly's picnic invitation to his society but no action was taken. However, the writer and other members of his society will attend. 2 pages.

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10	2	July 3, 1860 - July 14, 1860 - 10 Items
		 July 3, 1860, Milford, from John Wallace. Writer requests a school catalogue and a set of school rules, if not included in the catalogue. 1 page.
		2. July 4, 1860, Philadelphia, from George Felt. Expresses gratitude for allowing a student, Tom Carey, to spend a visit to his house. Requests next visit to be longer because the family enjoyed the student's company. 1 page.
		3. July 5, 1860, Philadelphia, from Thomas Carey. See item 2 above. Requests money from Fr. Reilly to purchase a book on mensuration. 1 page.
		4. July 6, 1860, Philadelphia, from Philip Fitzpatrick. Sends information to Fr. Reilly about the whereabouts of Capt. Stubbs. 1 page.
		 July 7, 1860, Philadelphia, from A. F. Dos Santos. Writer is Fr. Reilly's brother-in-law. Request Fr. Reilly to pay him a bill and invites Fr. Reilly to his home. 1 page.
		 July 7, 1860, Savannah, from E. P. Scott. Expresses sorrow that her boy has been disobedient. However, after being reprimanded by the writer, the boy appears to be repentent. Boy is very pleased with Fr. Reilly. Again writer expressed many thanks for Fr. Reilly's indulgence on her bill. 3 pages.
		 July 10, 1860, Savannah, from Eng. Beauland. Requests that his son be returned home for vacation. 2 pages.
		 July 12, 1860, Kellysville, from Edw. J. Kelly. Writer requests costs to have a room by himself at St. Mary's because he would like to attend for one year. Invites Fr. Reilly to Kellysville where Fr. Reilly can throw aside the cares and worries of St. Mary's and enjoy himself. 2 pages.

- 9. July 14, 1860, Philadelphia, from Thomas Carey. See items 2 and 3 above.
 - Writer would like to remain in the Philadelphia area but at Mr. Lindsey's home for a short time. (He presently is at Mr. Felt's house.) Writer needs some money. 2 pages.

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10	2	 July 14, 1860, Sayannah, from R. Scott. See item 6 of this file. Writer, a student at St. Mary's and son of Mrs. E. Scott, arrived home safely after a rough voyage. 2 pages.

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10	3	July 17, 1860 - August 1, 1860 - 11 Items
		1. July 17, 1860, Hastings, Minn., from P. J. Coffey. Writer, a St. Mary graduate, requests his books. He also writes about the Academy at his church. 1 page.

- 1A. July 21, 1860, Donnally Victoria, Australia, from Pat Delany. Writer is seeking whereabouts of his brother who may have been known by Fr. Reilly. 4 pages.
- July 22, 1860, Newark, from James Leddy. The writer, a former St. Mary student, has contacted people who either owe Fr. Reilly a bill or have boys who want to attend St. Mary's. Writer appears to be successful. 4 pages.
- 3. July 23, 1860, Philadelphia, from Thomas Carey. The writer, a St. Mary student, is on vacation in Philadelphia. He states that Mr. McGinnes (the writer's host) will not pay the sum Fr. Reilly requested. However, Mrs. McGinnes will try to return her son to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- July 23, 1860, Charleston, from A. Gannon. Writer's son states that he is ill so, therefore, writer requests his son be returned home. 1 page.
- July 23, 1860, Kellysville, from Chas. Kelly.
 Sends money.
 - Writer has written to his son at St. Mary's to try to encourage him to attend classes because this is the boy's last year and he should take advantage of his opportunity. 1 page.
- 6. July 23, 1860, Havana, from B. Lecoeur. In French. The writer has been trying to settle his account with Fr. Reilly and to have his son return to Havana. In this letter he explains his position and again requests Fr. Reilly to return his son and explain the difference in his account. 2 pages.
- 7. July 23, 1860, Columbus, Georgia, from John B. Strupper. Pays his bill with a check for more money than bill. Balance is to be given to his son for spending money and to credit his account. He is pleased with his son's progress. 1 page.

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- July 24, 1860, Philadelphia, from Philip Fitzpatrick.
 Writer relays Capt. Stubbs' message.
 - Capt. Stubbs knows nothing about the standing of Mr. Lecoeur but will use his influence to get Charles Lecoeur passage on the first vessel to Havana. Capt. Stubbs is very sorry that things did not turn out according to expectations and that Mr. Lecoeur was represented to him as a man of means. 1 page. Note: See item 6 of this file.
- 9. July 24, 1860, from Mary Whert. Writer who has been ill, is very anxious to see Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
- 10. August 1, 1860, Philadelphia, from James Broadbent. Writer, who was reared as an English Protestant, has a 14 year old boy who has been ill and somewhat spoiled and wishes to send his boy to St. Mary's. 2 pages.

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10	4	August 3, 1860 - August 25, 1860 - 10 Items
		 August 3, 1860, Philadelphia, from Mary Wall. Writer requests a receipt for all payments made for her nephew, Gabriel, from the time the boy was placed under Fr. Reilly's care. Writer requests clothing arrangement for Gabriel's trip to Philadelphia. 2 pages.
		 August 6, 1860, Newark, from James. A newsy letter about mutual friends. 3 pages.
		3. August 8, 1860, Charleston, SC, from M. J. Gannon. Student, home for vacation, requests Fr. Reilly send a progress report to his parents who feel that the son did not improve during the past two sessions. 1 page.
		 August 11, 1860, Philadelphia, from Cortland Saunders. Writer has sent a book, "New System of Latin Paradigms" to Fr. Reilly for comments prior to release of the book. Writer requests data. 2 pages.
		 5. August 18, 1860, New York, from Owen Grey. See item 2 above. Writer feels there is error in his bill because some payments he made are not included. Writer requests corrected bill and term for next year. 3 pages.
		6. August 20, 1860, Philadelphia, from Catherine Clark. Requests interest due to be sent to her. 1 page.
		7. August 20, 1860, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Informs Fr. Reilly that two St. Mary students have returned to college. Also requests subjects to be taught to them. 1 page.
		 8. August 21, 1860, Newark, from James. See item 2 above. Writer regrets he has not been successful in Fr. Reilly's matters. He is being disloyal due to a visit to his uncle. 1 page.
		9. August 22, 1860, Washington, from Theodore Binsher. Requests St. Mary Prospectus for his son who has attended a school in Baltimore but now wants to go to St. Mary's. 1 page.

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10 4 10. August 25, 1860, Newark, from James.

- See item 8 above.

- Writer sends a status of his actions for Fr. Reilly. 1 page.

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- August 28, 1860, Geneva, Switzerland, from Edw. Roth. A very interesting letter from the writer who is a professorat St. Mary's and on a 1¹/₂ year tour of Europe. He describes what he has seen, where he has been and gives some feel for the Garabaldi/Napolean conflict. Mentions Irish volunteers who are not well trained. 3 pages.
- August 29, 1860, Troy. NY, from John T. McCorn. Writer requests Fr. Reilly's autograph so that it may be placed along with other names of persons who have charge of literary institutions in this country. 1 page.
- 3. August 30, 1860, Fabrica de San Uldefonso, Mexico, from Michael
 - Writer, a former student at St. Mary, describes his work, the people and the area he lives in while he likes what he is doing he downgrades the local people very much.
 - Writer wishes that he was more attentive in Spanish at St. Mary's. He needs it now. 2 pages.
- 4. September 3, 1860, from Fr. J. S. Walsh, Rivino.
 Request baptismal data on a child who was reported to be baptized at St. Mary's church.
 - Writer appears to be disturbed. He has refused to marry 3 couples from St. Mary's parish in the past year. 2 pages.
- September 4, 1860, Newark, from P. Moran. Letter of introduction for a Patrick Lackey who has little means and an orphan. 1 page.
- 5A. September 4, 1860, Reading, PA, from F. O'Conner. Invitation to attend laying of cornerstone of St. Paul, the Apostle Church. 1 page.
- September 7, 1860, Havana, from Bonefacio Braza. In Spanish. Writer settles a bill. 2 pages.
- 6A. September 7, 1860, from Catherine Corrigan. Regrets not being able to pay bill. 1 page.

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10	5	7.	September 7, 1860, Charleston, from Michael Kennedy,Sr. Writer expresses his opinions on 5 requests made by his son, a St. Mary's student. 2 pages
		8.	September 7, 1860, Baltimore, from M.L. Slater. States his travel plans. 1 page.
		9.	September 13, 1860, Wilmington, from George Batterbury. Requests Fr. Reilly to write to the Bishop or else he (the writer) will be very uneasy. 1 page.
		10.	September 13, 1860, Newcastle, Del., from Mathias Coffin. States when he will arrive at St. Mary's to be at Fr. Reilly's disposal. l page.

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10	6	September 13, 1860 - September 25, 1860 - 10 Items
		1. September 13, 1860, Baltimore, from M. L. Slater. Writer is concerned that his son, an impulsive boy, may leave school without permission. 1 page.
		2. September 15, 1860, San Jose, Costa Rica, from Lou

- 2. September 15, 1860, San Jose, Costa Rica, from Lou Esquivel, in Spanish. Writer sends letter of credit and states his position of school costs. 3 pages
- 3. September 17, 1860, New York, from Eugene McGuire. Letter of introduction for a Mr. Savage who has two sons he wants to enroll at St. Mary's. The boys are not advanced, were spoiled by an indulgent mother (who is now dead) and require a strong hand. 1 page.
- 4. September 19, 1860, Basil, Switzerland, from Edw. Roth.
 Writer, a St. Mary Professor, is on a long European tour. More about his travels.
 - Writer is very disturbed that he has not received news as to what is going on in Wilmington.
 - More about the Napoleon/Baribaldi conflict. Pope will likely fall into Garibaldi's hands. 2 pages.
- 5. September 20, 1860, New York, from 0. F. Grey. There has been a problem with the bill sent to the writer's father. It appears that all problems are now resolved and the bill will be paid when it is updated and received by Mr. Grey. 2 pages.
- September 20, 1860, Harrison, NJ, from Stephen Reilly. Writer's brother has been behaving badly at St. Mary's. The family is very grieved and have chastized the boy in attempting to straighten him out. 1 page.
- 7. September 22, 1860, BAltimore, from M. Slater. See item 1 of this folder. Slater boy has left St. Mary's without Fr. Reilly's permission and returned home. Boy has promised to behave and will return to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 8. September 24, 1860, Philadelphia, from Daniel McCarthy. Writer requests status of his boys who have never been away from home alone. 2 pages.

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10	6	9. September 25, 1860, Philadelphia, from Jas. Raleigh. Fr. Reilly's bill has been received but check cannot be mailed since the father is out of town. l page.
		 10. September 25, 1860, Philadelphia, from Mrs. dos Santos. Writer is Fr. Reilly's sister. Writer who has been on a trip has rechecked the status of Mr. Batterburg's trunk and found it has not been sent. She will send it. Writer mentions her new house which is very large

- Writer mentions her new house which is very large. She plans on renting the lower rooms as offices. 3 pages.

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10 7 September 26, 1860 - October 9, 1860 - 10 Items

- September 26, 1860, Philadelphia, from Daniel McCarthy. Writer has two boys at St. Mary's and it appears that both are having problems acclimating to the school. Writer expresses concern but feels with Fr. Reilly's stern hand they will be ok. 1 page.
- September 30, 1860, Cape Grandview, MO, from J. Daly. The writer, a former student at St. Mary, reflects on the past and now understands how well off he was at St. Mary's. He is finishing his studies at St. Vincent's and describes the school. 3 pages.
- 3. October 2, 1860, New York, from Mary Savage. The writer is the stepmother of two St. Mary's students. She writes to request as to how the two boys are doing, to tell Fr. Reilly about their background, and to express desire that they are taught religion. 3 pages.
- 4. October 3, 1860, Philadelphia, from Sister A. Dougherty. Writer reflects on her happy days at St. Peters Church when Fr. Reilly was the pastor. She speaks about old friends and of the upcoming fair that Fr. Reilly is planning. 4 pages.
- October 3, 1860, Philadelphia, from E. Keenan. Writer has two boys she would like to send to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 6. October 4, 1860, Kellyville, from Chas. Kelly. Letter of introduction for Chas. Bonner, 1 page,
- October 7, 1860, New York, from Francisco Braza, in Spanish. Writer has just returned from Europe and requests that his son be allowed to spend more time with him (the father). 3 pages.
- October 8, 1860, N. Orange, NJ, from J. Murray. Writer is requesting entrance data for one of his congregation who wants to have his son study for the priesthood. 1 page.

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10	7	9. October 8, 1860, Baltimore, from M. L. Slater. Writer's son has had a lot of problems acclimating at St. Mary's - mainly because he is impulsive and runs away to home. Writer wants to have her son return home and does not want to have his uncle become guardian because he will then be placed in the service. I page.
		 10. October 9, 1860, Trinidad of Cuba, from Nicholas Boggiano. Writer has sent a bill of exchange to St. Mary's for the new church. However, he does not know if it has been received. He requests confirmation. Writer has been happy to receive news via Mr. McCabe but he has not heard from McCabe for a long time. 2 pages.

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10 8 October 10, 1860 - October 22, 1860 - 10 Items

- 1. October 10, 1860, Jersey City, from Fr. J. Kelly. Informs Fr. Reilly that two priests, Fr. F. Coyle and Fr. J. Coyle know nothing of charges for Ec. students. 1 page.
- 2. October 10, 1860, Baltimore, from M. L. Slater. The Slater boy has been of much trouble to his mother and the school. In this letter, the mother is returning the boy to school after he repents but is ashamed to meet his schoolmates. Mrs. Slater requests requests Fr. Reilly's help. 1 page.
- 3. October 11, 1860, Montgomery, Ala., from B. P. Shaw. The writer, a St. Mary graduate, tells of his present situation and of other former students. However, he has not heard much from Wilmington and other students and requests news and whereabouts of other students. 2 pages.
- 4. October 13, 1860, Philadelphia, from Fr. F. J. Barbelin, Spiritual Director, St. Vincent de Paul. The society has pledged to help as many Catholic children from falling into improper hands or homes. The writer requests Fr. Reilly's help in obtaining money and/or proper Catholic homes for the children. 1 page.
- 5. October 13, 1860, Brandywine, from J. S. Walsh. Writer cannot obtain any data as to whereabouts of John McCollough or Peter Moran. He feels that McCallough has been killed in a powder explosion. 1 page.
- October 14, 1860, Philadelphia, from Mrs. Elizabeth Keenan. Writer will not send her boys to St. Mary's at this time because they are too young and she can only send them for 2 years. 2 pages.
- October 16, 1860, from Thomas McGuire. Grants permission to go downtown Thursday PM and Sunday of each week. 1 page.
- October 16, 1860, St. Joseph's, from Sister Mary Raphael. Offers to have Fr. Reilly's niece, Lizzie, study at their school. 2 pages.

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10	8	 October 20, 1860, Wilmington, from W. R. Bullock. Writer solicits Fr. Reilly to give 5 lectures on electricity and/or demonstrate the Ruhmhoff apparatus. 3 pages. 	9.	
		10. October 22, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Son has been pestering his father to come home for Holloween but his father does not want him to come, home until Christmas. Sends Fr. Reilly his son's letter to show how poorly his writing has progressed 1 page.	10.	or ne. 3

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- October 23, 1860 November 2, 1860 10 Items
- October 23, 1860, Philadelphia, from Sister A. Dougherty. A newsy letter - concerns date of 40 hour devotion and the up-coming fair.
 - Writer appears to be miffed in that Fr. Reilly has not told her how he fixed the tables for the Fair and that she was not given any authority to make collections for the Fair. 2 pages.
- October 23, 1860, Baltimore, from L. A. Purenet. The writer and his wife want to move to a quieter city and open up a store to realize a living. They have heard about Wilmington. The writer requests Fr. Reilly's advise. 1 page.
- October 24, 1860, Newcastle, Del., from Fr. Mathias Coffin. Request Fr. Reilly's concurrence on time. Writer can be of aid in hearing confessions and saying mass. 1 page.
- October 24, 1860, Orange, NJ, from J. Murray. Informs Fr. Reilly that the father of a student, R. Connolly, wants Fr. Reilly to let the boy have what he needs. 1 page.
 - October 25, 1860, New York, from Francisco Braza, in Spanish. Writer will delay his leaving New York if it does not affect Fr. Reilly. He wants to go Havana to pursue a life witnout costs. 2 pages.
- October 25, 1860, New Castle, Del., from Fr. Mathias Coffin. Will be at St. Mary's on Saturday morning. 1 page.
- October 26, 1860, Wilmington, from W. R. Bullock. Letter of appreciation on Fr. Reilly's acceptance of the writer's series of lectures on electricity. 1 page.
- October 30, 1860, Wilmington, from Jane Clumlish. Asks to be excused from attending St. Mary's Fair due to frail health. 1 page.
- 9. November 1, 1860, London, England, from ___Gigring. Writer is concerned about his brother, Adolf, from whom he has not heard for a long time. Requests help to locate him and put him on board steamer to Liverpool. 1 page.

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10	9	 November 2, 1860, Trinidad de Cuba, from Nicholas Boggiano. Writer is sorry to hear that previous letters with Bill of Exchange never reached Fr. Reilly. This letter contains new Bill of Exchange. 2 pages.

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10 10 November 9, 1860 - November 26, 1860 - 11 Items

- 1. Novembrr 9, 1860, Scottsville, Abbermarle Co., from Richard Cahill. Sends Fr. Reilly part payment and says that his new position should allow him to make larger payments more often. Writer is pleased that the student is doing well. 1 page.
- November 14, 1860, St. Charles Borromeo Seminary, from P. Lynch. Espresses thanks for a donation from a stranger, Mrs. Cath. Bradford. 2 pages.
- 3. November 14, 1860, Baltimore, from Mary S. Slater. More about a pesky spoiled boy. The boy has again returned home. Writer sends money to pay for her son's fare home and for his books. Writer feels her son is ungrateful and she will send him to local school. 1 page.
- 3A. November 16, 1860, from M. A. Frenaye. Has received Fr. Reilly's money for items including wine. Will get more wine if Fr. Reilly needs it. 1 page.
- 4. November 19, 1860, New York, from Owen Grey.
 - Pays part of bill owed.
 - Will send brother back to St. Mary's January because they do not want to owe a large bill.
 - Explains reason for delay in payment.
 - Complains about Mr. Leddy's being a "blabbermouth" 3 pages.
- 5. November 20, 1860, from Meta Gilpin. Writer requests Fr. Reilly to replace the fence between the properties because repairs have not been successful in keeping the writer's cow from going on to Fr. Reilly's property. Writer goes on to say that her father has put up more than his share of the mutual agreement. 2 pages.
- November 20, 1860, Dover, from M. Hayes. Informs Fr. Reilly that a watch has been found. The writer evidently made a charge against a girl and now regrets it and apologizes. 3 pages.
- 7. November 21, 1860, Savannah, from Mrs. M. J. Reilly. Writer complains that her son, a delicate boy, was severely beaten by one of the teachers - enough to cause a nose bleed and cut eye. She requests Fr. Reilly investigate and that, in the future, Fr. Reilly chastise the boy when punishment is required. 2 pp

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10	10	8.	November 22, 1860, from Theodore Hyatt. Announcement that Electricity lecture and experiments on Ruhm Korrf's induction coil have been scheduled. 1 page.
		9.	November 26, 1860, Philadelphia, from R. A. McManus. Send money for a suit of clothes for his son but asks Fr. Reilly's judgement if the boy should return home. 1 page.
		10.	November 26, 1860, New York, from Mary A. Savage. Writer requests status of her sons and knows that one, William, causes problems due to his dealings on

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10 11 November 29, 1860 - December 17, 1860 - 11 Items

- November 29, 1860, Newark, from E. McClosher. If it is OK with Fr. Reilly, writer will send a man, Edw. McGowan, to St. Mary's on January 3 for training and ultimately be a priest. Terms per prior agreement will be required. 2 pages.
- November 30, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Due to lack of business since Abe Lincoln was elected, writer must remove his son from St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 3. December 1, 1860, from Michael Martin. The Bishop grants Fr. Reilly the faculty of absolving a person from excommunication. Persons name not given. 1 pg
- 3A. December 1, 1860, Charleston, from Fr. P. O'Neill. Boyce brothers have left St. Mary's. Writer wants to know why and to have Fr. Reilly force them to return to St. Mary's. 1 page.
- December 5, 1860, Charleston, from P. O'Neil. Sends a check. The writer tells Fr. Reilly that some of the Charleston boys want to return to Charleston. He will not permit it because of the wild life they will lead. 2 pages
- 5. December 6, 1860, New Castle, from Ch. Lespes. Writer would like to do some part time tutoring in Spanish and French at St. Mary's. 1 page.
- December 7, 1860, Syracuse, from Martin Gam. Writer inquires if a person is authorized by the state or an agent for the lottery. Name of person not given. 1 page.
- 7. December 11, 1860, Philadelphia, from John Palmer. Writer states that his son has arrived home but, due to poor collections, he cannot pay his bill until later. 1 page.
- December 14, 1860, London, England, from M. A. Bonilla. Writer inquires as to health and whereabouts of his brother who was to have left for London. If the brother had not left yet he requests Fr. Reilly to keep him at St. Mary's. 2 pages

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- 10 11 9. December 14, 1860, New York, from James Mechan. Letter is torn. Writer sends a note on the same letter his charge has sent to him requesting money. Writer's charge has requested a small amount for Christmas but writer requests Fr. Reilly to advance the student the money because the amount is very small. 2 pages.
 - December 17, 1860, New York, from James and Mary Savage. Writer does not want to have her sons return home for Christmas due to the conditions in the streets of New York. Sends money to boys for Christmas. 3 pages.

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10 12 December 18, 1860 - January 10, 1861 - 10 Items

- December 18, 1860, Alexandria, from Thomas Hurdle. Writer is seeking the whereabouts of a Dr. Drane. 1 page.
- December 18, 1860, Newark, from E. McCosker. Sends some money. Sends a note about James Kelly whose family has financial problems. 2 pages.
- December 19, 1860, New Castle Del., from M. Cobbin. The writer, a priest and graduate of St. Mary's, informs Fr. Reilly as to when he will be at St. Mary's. 1 page.
- 4. December 20, 1860, from Charles Dupont. Writer had to renew notes due to financial problems. 1 page
- 5. December 25, 1860, Philadelphia, from Mary Anne Dos Santos. Writer is Fr. Reilly's sister. Writer is sending articles for Fr. Reilly's fair. 1 page
- December 20, 1860, Poughkeepsie, from Joseph Kleene. Writer wants Fr. Reilly to pay him by check instead of a note he is returning. 1 page.
- 7. 1860, from Alousius Jones. Writer, in the wilds of North Carolina, seeks help for a church that is being built in the area. 3 pages.
- January 1, 1861, from E. McCosker. Letter of introduction for a young man who will be under Fr. Reilly's care. 1 page.
- 9. January 3, 1861, Germantown, from Wm. Murphy. Writer requests status of his son who has promised to write but doesn't. 1 page.
- 10. January 10, 1861, Washington, from C. Medina & Son. Writer informs Fr. Reilly that Senor Adolph Bonilla never answered his letter and therefore, assumes Bonilla has left for England. 1 page.

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10	13	January 11, 1861 - January 31, 1861 = 10 Items
		 January 11, 1861, Reading. Letter is incomplete. Name not available. Father reilly had evidently been asking writer for payment of Bill. Writer states that Mr. Crumlish's demands were too high. 1 page.

2. January 14, 1861, Albany, St. Vincent's, from Sister Mary Aloysius. Writer has been ill and could not write. Sister was transferred to this asylum and is a complete stranger. 3 pages.

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- 3. January 14, 1861, Newark, from Edward Keogh. Pays a bill for son's schooling. Writer is pleased that Fr. Reilly suggests that son be restrained from taking so many classes. 1 page.
- 4. January 18, 1861, Millcreek, Del., from Nathan Yearsley. The writer has loaned Fr. Reilly money for one year and has had problems collecting his interest. He has researched Fr. Reilly's properties and finds that they have heavy liens. Writer would like to restate the loan with all parties present. 3 pages.
- 5. January 21, 1861, Emmittsburg, from Sister Matilda Coskery. Asks for prayers. 3 pages.
- 6. January 12, 1861, from B. Quimm. The writer, a student, requests Fr. Reilly to speak to Charles McCabe, another student, who wakes up other students in the dormitory, talks and uses vulgar language. 1 page.
- V 7. January 22, 1861, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. Sends money. Writer is very upset because he feel that some of the Charleston boys have left school and are in Baltimore. Some of the boys want to join the army. 1 page.
 - January 29, 1861, Wilmington, from Bonilla. A tele-8. graph. Writer wants all his brother's belongings sent to New York and have a person appointed to review his account. 1 page.
 - 9. January 31, 1861, New York, from A. Bonilla. See item 8 above. Sends money. Writer is evidently the long lost Adolph Bonilla. 1 page.

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- 10 13 10. January 31, 1861, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. The Charleston boys are starting to return to Charleston and join the southern army. Writer states that two are back, one is returning and request Fr. Reilly, not to allow a fourth boy to return. 1 page.

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- January 31, 1861, Millcreek, Del, from Nathan Yearsley. Previously the writer had contactedFr. Reilly because he was not getting interest on a loan he had made to Fr. Reilly. In this letter he finds that the agent, Mr. Montgomery, had taken the money and used it. The writer wants Fr. Reilly to send the monthly check directly, therefore, by-passing Mr. Montgomery. 1 page.
- February 1, 1861, St. Joseph's Vale, from Lizzie (Fr. Reilly's niece) A newsy letter about family. The letter mentioned the seccession of South Carolina which she and others thought was amusing. 4 pages.
- 3. February 12, 1861, New York, from Mary Savage. The Savage boys at St. Mary's want to leave college but Mr. Savage will put them away where they can't leave if they do leave St. Mary's. 2 pages.
- February 13, 1861, New York, from Scott Jarvis, agt. The writer, agent for Martin Cunningham, pays a bill but stresses that funds for the boy's education are limited. Therefore, he requests that the French course be discontinued. 2 pages.
- 5. February 14, 1861, Charleston, from P. O'Neill. The writer has given up on preventing the Charleston boys from leaving school. He now requests bill for each so that he can pay. He also makes a payment. 1 page.
- February 17, 1861, St. Charles Seminary, from J. P. Shanahan. Invites Fr. Reilly to be present at the semi-annual exams for the students. 1 page.
- 7. February 19, 1861, Baltimore, from Mary Dowling. Writer is very pleased with her grandson's progress but owing to difficulty in collecting money, she cannot pay the school bill at this time. 1 page.
- 8. February 19, 1861, Chancery Office, Archbishoprick of New York, from J. S. Preston. Requests Fr. Reilly's aid in contacting a Mr. Burke to tell him that his daughter has been injured and needs help. 1 page.

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- 10 14 9. February 20, 1861, San Francisco, from Catherine Martin. Writer is pleased with her son's progress at St. Mary's but is displeased with her sister who has written to the student stating that he will not return to St. Mary's after distribution. Writer feels that the boy must stay at St. Mary's. 2 pp.
 - 10. February 22, 1861, Havana, from G. Le Coeur. In French. The writer has returned from a 5 month sea voyage and having heard no news, requests his son's status and the account. 2 pages.

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- 10 15 February 25, 1861 March 7, 1861 11 Items
 - February 25, 1861, Wilmington, from John Bauers. Writer obtained a steamer ticket for Thomas Strupper at the student's father's request. However, writer has no authority to tell the student to leave school. 1 page.
 - February 25, 1861, Wilmington, from W. R. Bullock. The writer, an experimentor in electricity, requests Fr. Reilly to let him know when to schedule the experiments that were agreed upon. 1 page.
 - 3. February 25, 1861, Newark, from Catherine Corrigan. Writer's father cannot pay immediately but will pay at the earliest convenient time. 1 page.
 - JA. February 27, 1861, Wilmington, from Edw. M. McCosker. Sends money. Writer has dissuaded Edw. McGowan from joining a military company but he now leaves the matter up to Fr. Reilly. 1 page.
 - March 4, 1861, Wilmington, from W. R. Bullock. See item 2 of this folder. Writer does not want to accept Fr. Reilly's check until he completes the electrical experiments. 2 pages.
 - 5. March 4, 1861, Newark, from Edward McCoster. Forwards money paid to him by Master Yaskey's sisters. Since writer is leaving the parish - he cannot get along with the pastor - he suggests that the receipt be sent directly to Miss Laskey. 2 pages.
 - March 4, 1861, Germantown, from Wm. Murphy. Writer requests Fr. Reilly send status of son since he has not heard from the boy in 3 weeks. 1 page.
 - 7. March 4, 1861, New York, from Mary Anne Savage. The writer is concerned about her sons' behavior because life in New York is very difficult and many of the boys' companions are in prison. Parents will pay but aside from the threats are leaving the discipline up to Fr. Reilly. 4 pages.
 - V 8. March 6, 1861, Philadelphia, from Daniel McCarthy. Sends money. Son wants military clothes which the writer feels unnecessary but will allow Fr. Reilly to buy if not costly. 1 page.

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10	15	 March 7, 1861, Havana, from Franco Braza, in Spanish. Writer reports on a commission (to collect a large bill in Havana) that Fr. Reilly had assigned to him. 2 pages.
		10. March 7, 1861, Wilmington, from Mrs. Nilliam France. Letter of introduction for a woman who works for the writer. The woman, a very hard worker, wants to send her son to St. Mary's and e kept off the streets. 2 pages.