

Adm. Vanhook Hill the 14-2-93.

Gas J Hill Esq.

Honored Dear Sir Friend,

Please be not angry
at my undoubted confidence in you.
You are kind generous and noble
minded; & that I have many things
to be not displeased at my insis-
ting at getting a little Donation to
help me in this dire necessity.

Our Right Reverend Archbishop
has permitted us to have a Bazaar
to help us pay part of the debt

I have 6000 \$ debt on the Convent
enormous sum for this poor place
without ressources, so that I am obli-
ged to have recourse to generous friends
of the outside for a little assistance.
All I ask you, generous and kind,
is to dispose of the inclosed 20
tickets at 25¢ = 5⁰⁰. The sum
is so small and Mr. Hill is so
generous that I cannot, will not
believe he would refuse me this little
help. I fully know, Dear kind
Noble Friend, how bitter it is to receive
refusals especially from those who
have it in their power to relieve our
need, you, a perfect gentleman would
not inflict that pain on any one,
less so on a poor religious devoting
her whole life to the education of poor
little children; perhaps you yourself

have dearly beloved Children if so
help us for their sake. I hope this
request will reach you and will have
a better chance than my two previous
letters which I am almost sure
you never got, for, for you, Respected
Friend, what are a few Dollars?
and for me, what a help?
Therefore I am full of confidence
in your noble Heart and not
only I have confidence but I am
sure of an early reply provided my
letter comes into your hands.

And in return for your great kindness
we will pray the Almighty Oh! how
 fervently, that He may grant you Dear
Friend, his choicest blessings but above
all a very good health, and you
know Dear Friend the Lord listens
to the prayers of grateful hearts.

With sentiments of the highest
consideration, I remain Dear Kind
Friend,

Your humble servant
S. Camille Superior
Sisters of St. Mary
Van Hook Mill Ont.

Please, I find if absolutely, you
cannot do anything for us, return the
tickets soon