

Fort Wayne Oct. 14. 1871

U. Rev. E. Terin, Gen. C. S. C.

Dear Father,

Father Frier must have  
 dreamed about the \$50,000 —  
 and given you his dream  
 as an actual fact. Every  
 thing concerning the personal  
 property of Bishop Leers  
 is now, as deep a mystery  
 for me, as it was in the  
 beginning, and the best friends  
 of the prelate know no more  
 than I do. He has not insured  
 his life in Fort Wayne, and  
 there is no insurance policy.  
 There are, at least, \$30,000 —  
 debts, but his real property is worth  
 that.

This is all I know, but  
Come next-week, I will  
remain at home, and I  
will try to receive you  
as an old and good friend,

Yours devotedly  
O. Aenoit

Adm.

Father Fiere may go  
back to Notre Dame,  
I do not want to keep  
any one who is dissatisfied,  
and against his will. I  
can replace him at  
St. Vincent's.