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March 12

Maurice
(Saint Palais), ~~Maurice~~ (de), Bishop of
Vincennes, Indiana)

to (Father Edward Sorin, C.S.C.)
(Notre Dame, Indiana)

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The bishop sends a sheet of ~~rules~~ duties for (Father Richard) Shortis and (Father Christian) Schilling. He authorizes Father Sorin to give the faculties to the two ~~priests~~ priests when they need them. (Father) Fitzpatrick should do the best he can on his project should Father Sorin wish him to finish it. Brother Joseph does not agree with Father Sorin's views on establishing the Brothers of St. Joseph in Vincennes. He enumerates objections of Brother Joseph and attributes such objections to a German attitude. ~~conduct~~ The conduct of Brother Joseph is good; he has not renounced at all his vows of chastity and poverty. The displeasure of the California trip turned Brother Joseph against Father Sorin's community. He asks to be remembered to (Father Francis) Cointet and (Father Alexis) Granger.

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