

Joliet, 20 July 18th 1916

My dear Rev. Mother,

Nothing could have pleased me more than your kind letter of the 16th inst. and I am ever so grateful for the arrangements you have made to keep the schools and I know you will have no reason to regret your action.

^{I have} I have been most ^{favorably} impressed by the members of your Community here and ^{I can} I can assure that I shall be most kind and most considerate towards them.

Hoping to have the pleasure of meeting you some time, with sincere thanks, I am

Very respectfully yours,
Thomas F. Quinn

Pastor of St. Mary's Parish FR