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HISTORICAL COLLECTION FORM
WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION
Indian-Pioneer History Project for Oklahoma

Field worker's name Zaidee B. Bland

This report made on (date) January 14, 1938

1. Name of person owning collection Mrs. T. S. Christian

Address 500 N. Julian St. Altus, Oklahoma.

2. Name (if any) of collection Statue of girl and lamb.

3. This collection contains the following types of material Mrs. Christian says the entire statue is brass; personally I rather think it is pewter.

4. Amount of material One statue. Mary and Little Lamb.

5. Material deals with

6. Approximate period (dates) material is for Mrs. Christian says this figure has been her family one hundred years or possibly one hundred and twenty-five years.

7. Locations of the collection (where it is kept) Mrs. Christian's home.

8. Condition of storage place Safe.

Condition of collection Been painted in three different colors.

9. What does the owner intend to do with this collection Dispose of it.

Would he be willing to part with it? Yes.

10. Any other information about the collection, including its history Mrs. Christian does not know for sure where it ame from.

11. Does this owner know other people who have or might have collections. Give names & addresses No.

NOTE: In the event that any of the above questions cannot be answered fully in the space allowed, attach sheets firmly, and give all available information. Referring to question by number.

Number of sheets attached 1.

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Zaidee B. Bland,
Journalist.
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"THE STATUE"

This statue is very heavy. A base of about three inches in diameter, solid bottom. Imitation grass painted green. Lamb white with outlined eyes backstanding against the girl.

The girl has on a dress with a looped up overshirt painted old rose, bodice of dress same color with laced front and collar of white. Picture hat with flowers.

The figure stands out in bold relief, clearly defined; hands, fingers, eyes, hair, etc., very plain. Paint shows an addition to original figures.

The girl is about six inches high. I am really surprised at the heaviness of the figure but cannot guess the metal on account of the paint. Mrs. Christian says brass, but I feel sure the figure is far too heavy for brass unless filled with something to make it heavy.

She would like very much to sell this and might be persuaded to give it away to some one she thought would appreciate and give it the care she always has.