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Department of History

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Mr. Bruce Hartford 819 Pearl Street Grenada, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Hartford:

Thank you very much for your letter of January 11th asking about our project to collect materials on the Civil Rights movement. Our Department is very much interested in this project which is under the auspices of the State Historical Society, of Wisconsin.

I will refer your letter to Dr. Leslie H. Fishel Jr., the director of the Historical Society who has been intimately concerned with the Civil Rights project since its beginning several years ago. He will undoubtedly be back in touch with you shortly to discuss ways in which you can help. We hope very much that this project will result in Wisconsin being the major center for research materials on the Civil Rights movement. I know that the Society is eager to have materials of any sort pertaining to the Civil Rights movement.

We appreciate your interest.

Cordially,

E. David Cronon

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cc: Leslie H. Fishel Jr.