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St. Louis, Mo.

THIS LETTER IS FROM OUR  
FIELD OFFICE

AT

Box 246, Many, La.  
Nov. 13, 1938Dr. H. B. Stenzel  
Bureau of Economic Geology  
Austin, Texas

Dear Dr. Stenzel:

I am returning by insured parcel post your bulletin on Sabine River. I found it most interesting and appreciate your loaning it to me.

Sorry not to have been here when you made your recent trip to this area. I did not know until the last minute whether or not I would be able to get away or would have dropped you a note to that effect.

I trust you had a profitable trip and obtained the additional information you required.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William P. Pate, Jr." The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name.