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**THIS LETTER IS FROM OUR
FIELD OFFICE**

AT

Box 246, Many, La.
July 2, 1938Dr. H.B. Stenzel
Bureau of Economic Geology
Auston, Texas

Dear Dr. Stenzel:

I am sorry not to have seen you the other day when you were through here. It so happened that my helper was sick and that I was unusually busy. In fact, I did not get in until about nine-thirty that night or would have called you in San Augustine.

I hope you did not see everything you were interested in in this country as I have been looking forward to spending a day or two with you in the field. I shall be glad to show you around any time you can get over.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William P. Rake".