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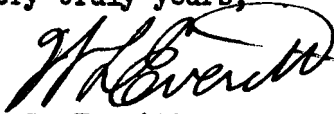
Mr. Grote Reber
212 W. Seminary Avenue
Wheaton, Illinois

Dear Mr. Reber:

I wish to apologize for not having answered your letter with regard to a survey of Cosmic Static.

I recognize that this is a fundamental problem which should be supported. It might be possible that such a research would be supported by the Navy under its new Office of Research and Invention, since Cosmic Static does have some application to problems in VHF communication. At the same time I recognize its importance beyond the field of communication. I would be glad to do anything I can to assist you, but I am so extremely busy at the moment I can only follow your lead and not take the initiative.

Very truly yours,



W. L. Everitt

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