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Dear Mr. Hutson:

Thank you for your interesting and flattering letter of 31/1/96. It arrived on 28/2/96.

My adventures in radio astronomy are an outgrowth of my activities in amateur radio. See article by me in Proc. IRE about 1956-8. My Wheaton dish was sent to and rehabilitated by NRAO at Green Bank, West Virginia several years ago. The electronic equipment and early paper work were sent there last northern summer. I spent a few weeks explaining this material. I think they will take good care of same. However it mite be wise for one of your staff to go to NRAO and examine things, particularly the paper work. Such will deteriorate. Electronic gear will not.

Next time I go to NRAO, I'll be sure to visit you in Washington. Let us keep in touch.

Best wishes,

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