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Mr. John V.N. Dorr
The Dorr Foundation
99 Park Avenue
New York City, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Dorr:

Many thanks for the copy of Mrs. Dorr's book which I find very intriguing. Surely it should help the effort for universal understanding.

With regard to the use of our recorded bird songs we are always glad to cooperate with any non-commercial educational project that will bring the songs of birds into the lives of our people and if we can have your assurance that Mrs. Dorr's film is in no way commercial we will be glad to make up a tape of the songs she would like to use and in the form that will make them most useful in her film. There would be only a nominal service charge.

On the other hand, if any film is to be sold or distributed through the regular commercial channels we make a charge of $100.00 for each species used, the payment to be made to the Cornell Trust for Ornithology which finances our bird song recording efforts.

With best wishes for the success of Mrs. Dorr's film,

Sincerely,

Arthur A. Allen

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