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# **Phil Costar letter**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Arkansas State Archives
<b>Title</b>	Phil Costar letter
<b>Date</b>	1840
<b>Extent</b>	0.02 Cubic feet 1 folder, 1 reel microfilm
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Language of Materials</b>	Materials entirely in English.
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## **Biographical/Historical Note**

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Philip Costar served as postmaster, 1839-1843; County Clerk, 1838-1840; Sheriff, 1840-1846; and state representative, 1848-1850, for Monroe County, Arkansas. William F. Hunter was a United States Congressman representing Ohio's 17th district from 1849-1853.

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## **Scope and Contents**

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Correspondence discussing the possible sale of William Hunter's land in Monroe County, Arkansas, for two hundred dollars cash. Philip Costar, who lived in Monroe County, was advising against the sale for the proposed offer. This letter also describes property and agriculture in Monroe County, Arkansas, in 1840.

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## **Administrative Information**

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1840 January 28: Phil Costar, Lawrenceville, Monroe County, Arkansas, to William F. Hunter, Woodsfield, Monroe County, Ohio