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Seymour Rosen, Director SPACES 1804 N. Van Ness Los Angeles, CA 90028

Dear Mr. Rosen:

Here is a copy of a "memoir" we just produced on the Missouri idiosyncratic artist Jesse Howard. I believe you know his work well. It's something of a working paper, and gave me the opportunity to shed a bit of light on Howard's work in terms of "folk art" (which it isn't quite).

But the main purpose of the little booklet is to tip our hats to Howard, in accompaniment to an Art Department showing of some of his signs and constructions.

Keep up the good work with "SPACES."

With kind regards,

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