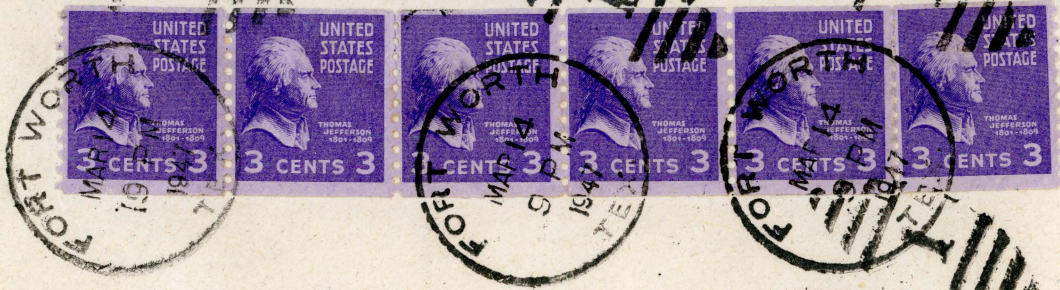
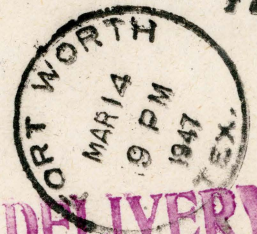


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Mr. Amon Carter
Star-Telegram
Fort Worth, Texas



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Dallas, Texas

March 14th,
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Mr. Amon Carter
Star-Telegram
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

A young lady representing herself as a reporter on the Star-Telegram handed me the enclosed unsigned note which she alleged had been written by the Editor of your Newspaper.

I am indeed sorry if it is true, as this unsigned communication alleges, that you "resent the way I treated you". I was quite unaware of the fact that you invited me to be your guest at the Fort Worth Club and at the Rodeo. If I had received your invitation, I would have been glad to have accepted it, as I have heard much about you and was anxious to make your acquaintance. But, since I did not receive it, I was unable to accept it.

My assistant, Mr. Denys Rhodes, who has been travelling with me, had to fly home to England a few days ago at very short notice, as his father had died. It may be that in the confusion of his departure some correspondence may have gone astray, or that he may have neglected to inform me of your invitation.

I am extremely sorry that there should have been any misunderstanding; but I am sure that you will realize from the foregoing that it was not my intention to be discourteous, and that I was indeed entirely ignorant of the whole affair.

If the enclosed unmannerly communication is indeed from your Editor, perhaps you will be good enough to explain the situation to him and do your best to discourage him from pestering strangers with communications of this sort in the future.

Yours sincerely,

Randolph S. Churchill

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