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September 21, 1939

Re: Mann v. Hearst, et al.

Mr. Amon Carter,
Fort Worth Star-Telegram,
Fort Worth, Texas.

Dear Sir:

We represent Mr. William Randolph Hearst and other defendants in the suit by stockholders of Hearst Consolidated Publications, Inc., entitled Mann v. Hearst, et al., now pending in the Superior Court of Los Angeles County. This is the suit which Mr. Alofsin of King Features Syndicate has discussed with you previously.

We are advised by Mr. Alofsin that you have very graciously consented to aid us with your testimony by deposition upon one of the issues, viz., that the salary paid Mr. Hearst by Consolidated over a seven year period was excessive. Your kindness in expressing this willingness to be of help is greatly appreciated by Mr. Hearst and by all of the defense counsel.

The trial of this suit has been postponed to October 30, with the understanding that it will then be again postponed to a later date for actual trial, probably during December or January.

When the trial date is finally set and we know with certainty that your testimony by deposition will be required,

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we will again communicate with you with a view to making definite arrangements to meet your convenience.

Yours very truly,

John M. Hall