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Anti-F. R. Drive Denied by Carter

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FORT WORTH, April 29.—Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth newspaper publisher, wrote Secretary of Interior Harold L. Ickes today, denying Texas supporters of Garner for President are "anti-Roosevelt."

Ickes last week criticized Carter for implying in editorials that he (Ickes) was a "carpetbagger" attempting to interfere with the Texans' support of the vice president. Ickes charged the Garner movement was solely a "stop-Roosevelt" affair.

"This is a misstatement entirely disproved by facts," replied Carter. "No one has a greater personal respect or higher regard and admiration for President Roosevelt than I have. . . . However, he has not indicated by word of mouth or in print that he is a candidate for a third term, and in keeping with our previous attitude we are supporting Mr. Garner as we did in 1932, and have supported Roosevelt and Garner since that time. Garner being the only full-pledged candidate at this time, we are supporting him on his qualifications. For this, we have no apology."