THE VICE PRESIDENT'S CHAMBER WASHINGTON

Uvalde, Texas. August 26, 1939

Mrs. Kathrine Deakins, Secretary to Mr. Carter, Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Dear Mrs! Deakins:

Your letter of August 24 came yesterday and the melon followed right on its heels. Was delivered and sent to the Ice House this morning.

Please tell Mr. Carter that I think it is the acme of human friendship for a man on his vacation to think of his friends at such a time. It isn't one in a thousand who would remember those gracious and loving courtesies when off having a bit of rest. Tell him that we love him- that is about all we can do these days. Mr. Garner took his first real trip to the woods the middle of the week and drove in a few minutes ago. Reported he had a wonderful time.

When Mr. Carter gets back to Texas I hope he will find it necessary to visit Southwest Texas and see how things are.

Tell him we survived the drought and everything is lovely.

Thank you for all your trouble.

Sincerely.

E. R. Garner

Secretary to the Vice President.

