

Dear Madam:

A man can't afford to get in an argument with a woman. In the first place it isn't proper, and in the second place he never can win. This holds good even if the lady happens to be the Governor of a State.

But if I were inclined to argue with you about the charges made in your letter to me of November 30th, in which you demand my resignation as a regent of West Texas Technological College, my anxiety for the welfare of that growing young educational giant would prevent me from doing so. The recollection of what happened to another of our Texas schools when there were differences of opinion between a Governor and its Board of Regents impels me to hasten to place in your hands this my resignation to take effect at your pleasure.