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# CARTER REFUSES QUIT TECH BOARD

## CONFESSES DENIES

## 70 FRIEND MISSION

### ISSUES DENIAL OF ALL CHARGES MADE GOVERNOR'S LETTER

### SAYS AFFAIR IS EFFORT OF FERGUSONS TO DIVERT ATTENTION

By Associated Press.  
Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 1.—Amon G. Carter, chairman of the board of directors of Texas Technological College, whose resignation was requested yesterday by Governor Ferguson, will not accede to her request, he announced in a formal letter to her today.  
The letter denied all the charges made by the governor.  
Carter, in a formal statement issued along with the letter, declared the affair is an effort on the part of the Fergusons to divert attention from the highway disclosure.

### IRE OF GOVERNOR AROUSSED AND WARM LETTER SENT CARTER

### REQUEST FOR RESIGNATION FROM TECH BOARD WAS SCATHING

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Dec. 1.—Protesting that the act gave her much pain Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, in a lengthy letter Monday demanded resignation of Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth newspaper publisher, as member of the board of directors of the West Texas Technological College. Mr. Carter's alleged disregard of prohibition laws is the cause given for the governor's request.

In her letter Governor Ferguson charges Carter with causing stimulants to be dispensed when the Oh Men's Association met in Fort Worth last year. She charges, too, he was under influence of stimulants Thanksgiving day at College Station when he attended the Texas University-Texas A. & M. football game.

"I assure you this is an unpleasant task which I have carefully considered and only a strict conception of duty impels my action," the governor wrote.

Amon G. Carter is president of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. At the Texas A. and M. college and Texas university football game Thanksgiving day he is reported to have admitted yelling "hurrah for Texas Aggies and Dan Moody."

Moody is the attorney general of Texas, who has been investigating and who has recovered \$600,000 from the American Road Company.

At the game Carter's statements evidently aroused the ire of Governor Ferguson and her husband, former Governor James E. Ferguson, for Saturday she issued a proclamation offering a \$500 reward each for the conviction of all wealthy Texan persons for violation of the liquor laws.

The governor's letter says in part:  
"If those in charge of the management and direction our educational institutions shall by their personal department display those vices that are repugnant to the idea of strict morality and sobriety, the such result in the student of these institutions cannot be expected. If as head of the board of the West Texas Technological college you reserve to yourself the

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