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Amon G. Carter, Esq.,  
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Dear Mr. Carter:

I thoroughly appreciated your very informative letter and its inclosures of May 21st and your cable of May 15th. What a relief it was to us all, and particularly for you and Mrs. Carter, to learn of Amon Jr's. status. I have written him in answer to the card that he sent me. I know that you are meeting all of his requisitions and, if cigars can break through the lines, that he is more than supplied by this time.

The gag that you were telling Secretaries Knox and Jones was mighty clever, and their reaction terrific. Your expression in the picture is perfectly natural. I have used the story many times since and have forwarded the copy of Life on to His Majesty. The latter, being in North Africa, will undoubtedly not receive it for some days, but I am confident that he will highly appreciate it upon receipt. It was the most personable page of Life that has ever come to my attention.

The PM will get a great kick out of the Texas Stetson sombrero.

Many thanks for the pictures of Amon Jr., which shall go into my aide memoir, as well as "el torxo" published in the Star-Telegram about me.

With many happy memories and my very kindest regards, I am

Most sincerely,

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