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Mr. Amon G. Carter,
The Fort Worth Star-Telegram,
Fort Worth, Tex.

Dear Amon:

Thanks for your note of February 11. It looks as though there is quite a prize package tied up in Will Rogers' final decision, since it means you and him or neither. Therefore, we are rooting strongly for a "yes" from Will.

You surprise me by what you say concerning your determination not to take a political appointment and I suppose a lot of your friends will feel the same way. Mutual contacts have been saying recently that they expected to see you highly placed somewhere by the new administration. Of course, I appreciate fully your desire to stick by the newspaper first of all as a matter of pride as well as the old meal ticket. However, I did figure on calling you Mr. Ambassador or Mr. Secretary or sumthin'. Maybe they will get you when you are not looking.

When you get a flash from Will, I will appreciate advice as quickly as possible.

As ever yours,

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