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T. H. BARTON  
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

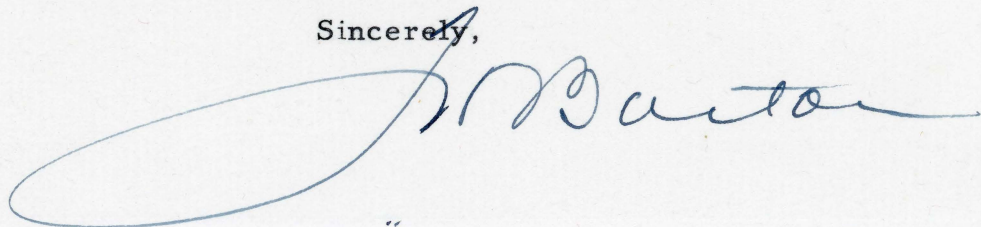
Mr. Amon G. Carter  
P. O. Box 1036  
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Amon:

You are always doing the swellest things! It is one of the regrets of my life that I was not able to be with you at the unveiling of the statue and portrait of Will Rogers. You must derive a great sense of satisfaction for the great deeds you are doing and I commend you.

I send you and yours very best wishes for the Happiest Christmas ever.

Sincerely,

A large, flowing handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "T. H. Barton". The signature starts with a large, sweeping loop on the left side and ends with a long, horizontal stroke on the right.

THB:rm

