Ray Crowder Funeral Home "The Perfect Tribute"

Fort Worth, Texas April 5, 1948

Mr. Amon G.Carter C/o Fort Worth Star-Telegram Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

Last evening, while driving past Will Rogers Coliseum, I noticed with interest a car full of people stopping to admire the statue of Will Rogers and his horse.

What particularly interested me was the fact that they turned their spotlight on this fine statue to admire it. The thought occurred to me that some type of nice lighting on the statue at night would be beneficial, especially to strangers in our town, as I noticed that this particular car was from out of the state.

Mr. Carter, I am a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and I feel almost certain that the Board of Directors would approve the lighting of this statue as a project for us, if you think it would be in good taste. I would like to have your opinion on this matter, and if I have your approval, I would like to present the matter to them, as soon as possible.

May I hear from you at your earliest convenience?

Yours very truly, Edd Pyland

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