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Mr. Amon G. Carter, % Star-Telegram, Fort Worth, Texas.

My dear Mr. Carter:-

"Say it in flowers" is a sweet way to express a delicious sentiment. To accompany the flowers with a suitable book, is a good way to convey that sentiment lastingly to the conscience and soul of a poor finite man, struggling always with the more or less vexatious problems of the poor human atoms that in this grand total makes up the activities of our work-a-day world.

The flowers will fade, but the perfume of them will not, and the sentiment of them will last to the

end of things that inspire.

You always possessed a rare faculty of selecting gifts. That faculty is another kind of genius, not possessed in common.

If you had searched through current literature, you could not have selected a modern writer, in my estimation, more worthy of teaching the better things of life than Otto Kahn. Certainly no man of his day is qualified better than he to discuss finance, or that of the soul of an American art.

Jimmie North and Claude Callan, despite their efforts to the contrary to keep their unuttered fears under guard, could not conceal them from me. You owe it to yourself, to your loved ones and moreover to your family and last, but not least your associates who must succeed you in the management and direction of a great news paper, the foundation of which has been so soundly and wisely created, spare yourself from the nerve racking energies, the demands of the day put on your shoulders. All for one and one for all would be a good motto now as it ever has been with us.

Mrs. Wortham joins me whole heartedly in all these expressions, and we will be glad to see you and Mr. Jim Nail at such time as you see fit.

With much respect and deep affection I am,

Very truly yours,
Louis J. Worthom.

