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Mr. Amon Carter
Ft. Worth Star Telegram
Ft. Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

I have three photographs of our late mutual friend, Will Rogers, which I think would fit into the Will Rogers Room at Ft. Worth's Centennial, if they have not copies of them.

Two of these photographs were taken while Will was in Kimper Military School when he was about sixteen or seventeen years old. One shows him dressed in his Military Uniform playing cards with another boy--with some pistols out on the table. The other one shows him all dressed up in a whole lot of new clothes, taken with another boy. Resemblance is very marked as he appeared in later life.

The other photograph is published by the Chicago American and shows Will at his last trip to Chicago at the depot waiving farewell, and is one of the best pictures I have ever seen of him.

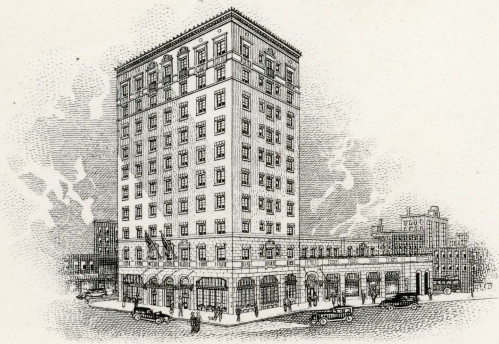
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If the Committee would like to use these pictures I would be very glad to lend them to them to place in the Will Rogers Room. Of course, I would like to get them back at the end of the centennial.

I am like you--am a great admirer of Will and his philosophy, and I often think of the wonderful good things he gave to the world.

Very best wishes, I remain

Yours very cordially,

W. A. McCartney Sr.
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