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Dear Nannie -

In the same mail with your letter of May 3, came the bill for balance due on 60 shares American Stores. Since the final date for payment was May 2 I am sending them a check asking for its return if Stan has already paid the amount from my Terminal money. I gather from your letter that he intended to do this but Mr Jones may not have tried to contact him after sending the bill to me.

I ~~was~~ was a bit surprised to find that I owned such a big block of Am Stores but I guess it's O.K. Total loss including all commissions etc on sale of the two other stocks was exactly \$4⁰⁰ which wasn't bad as my luck goes. Many thanks to Stan for making the transaction.

Also in yesterday's mail came a request from Random House to illustrate a juvenile China book for them; also came information concerning an attractive building project in Menlo Park. I am so seldom obliged to make decisions that these seem important at the moment.

Love

Thomas

I advised Fair & Co. to send certificate to Stan, to go in deposit box, or ~~will~~ if this is just a receipt he can send it to me