

Phila. May. 2nd 1891

My dear Aunt

Enclosed please find New York Draft, for \$229.²⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars, the Amount of income due you to date.

I suppose before this Algamine has paid you a visit, as she wrote me that she was going to Oregon, about the 19th of April to see Mary, and I take it for granted that she would pay you a visit when so near, she tells me that Allie Derbyshire and his Wife have gone to Oregon to Engage in business with Mr Thomas

We are having very pleasant weather here now, but might be made a little more so by a nice shower, as the surface of the ground is getting pretty dry. We have not had any rain since the 16th of April, and up to that time, we had been having about four rainy days in a week, so that it made it necessary to carry an umbrella almost all the time, but when it did stop it stopped altogether.

We have a very good prospect for a large yield of fruit this year if the season continues favorable for it. Do you remember my Uncle Isaiah Stockton, he died on the 25th of

March very suddenly, he had not been feeling very well all winter, altho he had been going out all the time, this day they were going to kill some Chickens that they had penned up in the Chicken house, and he told his grand Daughter that he would go into the Chicken house to catch them, and whilst making the effort she noticed ^{him} sinking down in the corner of the Chicken house, and she spoke to him but he never spoke again they carried him into the house and he died in about ten minutes after they got him in, he was in his 74. year.

Your Affectionate Nephew,

Alex; D. Stockton

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