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Hon. Amon Carter
Star Telegram
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

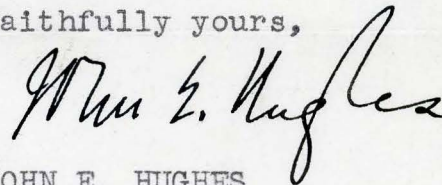
I congratulate you on the deal you made today and think it will eventually prove very profitable.

Now that the order of sale is public, some investment trust like Atlas may make an offer for the Aviation block 4 or 5 points above market and, if so, the directors may have to take it. A corporation is not precluded from controlling an airline unless it is engaged in some other phase of aeronautics. We will do our best to prevent this happening and to see that the block is widely distributed.

When today's deal is consummated, you, next to The Aviation Corporation, will be the largest stockholder of the American Airlines.

With best regards, I am,

Faithfully yours,



JOHN E. HUGHES

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