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Dear Nell,

Thank you for your letter and the good news that the exhibition is ready a year ahead of time.

Your friend Miss Mayer at the Museum of Modern Art is very enthused with the idea of the exhibition. Perhaps, if you are interested, it could be made a travelling exhibition circulated by the A.F.A., or the Smithsonian or some group that you might prefer. Eventually, perhaps, under the auspices of the Dorr Foundation or U.S.I.A, it could have world-wide distribution. In any case I am looking forward to seeing it.

Before you ship it to us we should like to know the number and sizes of the packing boxes. This information is most necessary since our storage facilities are greatly over-taxed.

I gathered from something said some time ago that the stock of Mother and Child books is about exhausted. Do you have any ideas concerning a catalogue for the exhibition? Would there be some 8 x 10 photographs of the exhibition that we could send to possible exhibitors to stimulate their interest?

Lib and I hope you will have a chance to visit us. Dee is coming out, we hope, for Thanksgiving and the opening of our Four Centuries - of American Art exhibition on the 27th of November. Steve has initiated several short walks of four or five steps, much to our joy. He and Tom tackle each other and play rather roughly.

Our new, old home, is located at 2014 West 21st Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55405.

I hope I'll hear from you shortly.

Love
~~Sincerely yours~~,

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Goldthwaite H. Dorr, III