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May 10, 1919.

Mme. C. J. Walker,
108 West 126th Street,
New York City.

Dear Madame Walker:

All of us have been deeply concerned over your illness. We missed you at the National Conference on Lynching, knowing how much pleasure you would take in what proved to be a splendid Conference.

The announcement by Mrs. Talbert at Carnegie Hall on Monday night of your most generous gift, the largest the Association has ever received, produced a tremendous effect upon the whole audience and was received with great applause. Immediately another gift of \$1,000 was made, which I feel sure we would not have received had not yours preceded it. This came from Mr. Scott Bond of Arkansas.

At the meeting at Ethical Culture Hall on Tuesday night it was my privilege to make announcements at the close. The first announcement I made was of your gift, then of Mr. Bond's, after which from the audience an additional \$2,400 was pledged, the greater part of it coming from colored people. I know our branches and individuals subscribing and pledging were inspired to do so as much by your contribution as by the inspiration of the gathering itself.

Mr. Storey asked me to express to you his personal gratification that the work we are doing appealed to you so much as to compel you to contribute as you have done.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of your check for \$1,000. Mrs. Talbert informed us that the \$4,000 additional would be payable on demand up to January 1, 1920.

Sincerely yours,

JRS/RR

Secretary.

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October 11, 1919.

Mr. John K. Shillady,
70 Fifth Ave.,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Shillady:

Your letter addressed to Mrs. Lelia W. Wilson, with reference to the late Madam C. J. Walker's pledge of \$5000.00 to your anti-lynching fund was referred to me for reply and I beg to advise that while at this time, owing to the death of Madam Walker funds are not available for the taking up of this pledge, on the other hand, we have it in mind and shall be in position to pay you in full on or before the first of January, 1920.

Hoping that this will be satisfactory, I am

Respectfully,



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I do not find any letter just prior to the date of this reply from Mr. Ransom in the files. Whether or not it was a form letter sent to all pledgees to the Anti-Lynching Fund I cannot say.

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Mr. F. B. Ransom
640 North West Street
Indianapolis, Indiana

My dear Mr. Ransom:

We have received your letter addressed to Mr. Shillady of October 11, and I am writing in his name and mine to thank you sincerely for your swift response.

The Association deeply appreciates Madam Walker's generosity in pledging \$5,000.00 and that of the estate in assuring the payment on or before the first of January 1920. I am writing for Mr. Shillady as he is at home with a slight illness.

Very sincerely yours,

MWO:AB

Chairman.

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January 6, 1920.

Mr. F. B. Ransom, Attorney & Manager,
The Madam C. J. Walker Mfg. Co.,
640 North West Street,
Indianapolis, Ind.

My dear Mr. Ransom:

Receipt is acknowledged of yours of the 2rd in which you inform us that because of the filing of an unjust claim against the estate of the late Madam Walker, the payment of the balance of \$4,000 due upon Madam Walker's pledge of \$5,000 to the Association's Anti-Lynching Fund would not be sanctioned by the Judge of the Probate Court and that you feel, therefore, compelled to defer payment upon this claim until a final accounting of the estate, which is to be made on or before June 12, 1920.

Owing to the nature of our work and need for the Fund we naturally will regret the delay in payment. Under the circumstances we can do nothing but abide by your decision and the law on the matter.

Thanking you for your letter,

Sincerely yours,

Secretary.

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ATTY. & MGR.

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National Association for Adv. of Col. People,
Seventy Fifth Ave.,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I am writing you with reference to the pledge made by the late Madam C. J. Walker in April of last year, under which she promised to give \$5000.00 to your Anti-lynching fund, paying \$1000.00 on such pledge and promising to pay the balance on or before January 1st, 1920. You, of course, know that since making this pledge Madam C. J. Walker passed away and the pledge automatically became a claim against her Estate and is not collectible under the law until twelve months after the probate of her Will, which was duly probated June 12th, 1919.

The management of the Estate, however, intended to pay off this pledge as well as other pledges within the time stated by Madam C. J. Walker, but owing to the fact that very recently an unjust claim has been filed against the Estate, any paying off of pledges at this time would not be sanctioned by the Judge of the probate court, as all claims are regarded as of equal importance and none can be given preference over the others. We shall, therefore, treat your claim as other claims and you may rest assured that we shall pay same on or before June 12th, 1920. Madam C. J. Walker's Estate is absolutely solvent and all claims will be duly paid.

Respectfully,

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*Anti-Lynching
Contribution*

June 30, 1920.

Mr. F. B. Ransom
640 N. West Street
Indianapolis, Ind.

My dear Mr. Ransom:-

In our file of matters pending, I have come across correspondence between yourself and Mr. Shillady which took place in January last, regarding the Four Thousand Dollars due on Mrs. Walker's pledge of Five Thousand Dollars to the Association's Anti-Lynching Fund. You state in your letter of January 3rd that this pledge would be treated as a claim against the estate, and that it would be paid on or before June 12, 1920.

In the absence of Mr. Shillady, I am taking this matter up in so much as the date mentioned is already passed, in order to bring it again to your attention.

Yours very respectfully,

Field Secretary.

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Atty. & Mgr.

July 2, 1920.

Mr. Jas. Weldon Johnson
70 Fifty Ave
New York City

Dear Mr. Johnson:-

Replying to your favor of recent date with reference to the \$4000.00 due on pledge made by the Late Madam C. J. Walker to your Association sometime ago, I am writing to advise that just as stated in my letter to Mr. Shillday under date of Jan. 3rd, the pledge has been treated as a claim against the Estate, but when I stated that same would be paid on or before June 12th, I had in mind that June would be the date of the expiration of one year required by the State of Indiana for the administration of an Estate. However, in large estates additional time may be petitioned for and allowed. We found it utterly impossible for the Court to reach the Walker Estate before the closing of same for "vacation period" and the matter, therefore, will have to go over for the September term of Court which convenes Tuesday, September 7th.

I can assure you, however, that on or before that date the Executrix will take care of yours and similar claims against the Estate.

Respectfully,

(Signed) F. B. Ransom

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Mr. F. B. Ransom,
Indianapolis, Ind.
640 North West Street

My dear Mr. Ransom:

In going through my files of matters pending I come across your letter of July 29 with reference to the pledge of \$4,000 made to this Association by the late Mrs. C. J. Walker. You stated in your letter that this pledge had been treated as a claim against the estate but that it could not be met until the estate was closed. You also stated that the closing of the estate would come up at the September term of the court convening September 7, and added that you could assure us that on or before that date the executrix would take care of this claim.

May I inquire what is the status of the matter? It happens that just at this time on account of heavy expenditures to which the Association has been put, the receipt of this pledge would be extremely acceptable.

Thanking you for your interest, I am

Very truly yours,

Acting Secretary.

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Mr. Jas. Weldon Johnson,
70 Fifth Ave.,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

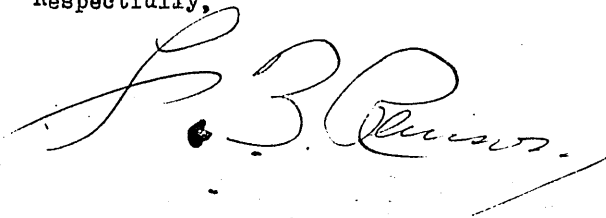
I am in receipt of your favor of recent date with reference to the unpaid pledge of the Late Madam C. J. Walker amounting to \$4,000.00 and I am writing to advise that we had hoped to reach the matter of the Madam C. J. Walker Estate during the September term of our Court. However, our courts are slow here and the matter has not as yet been reached.

However, you have my assurance that we will send you a check covering this sum on or before January 1st, 1920. As a matter of fact, I am expecting to send check within the next thirty days.

Permit me to congratulate you on your exposure of the government's operations in Haiti.

With regards, I am

Respectfully,



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Handwritten notes:
Received
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October 23, 1920

Mr. F. B. Ransom,
420 North West Street,
Indianapolis, Ind.

My dear Mr. Ransom:

In Mr. Johnson's absence I am acknowledging your letter of the 20th in which you assure us that we shall receive the unpaid pledge of the late Mme. C. J. Walker before January 1, 1921, and in which you also state that you expect to send the check within the next thirty days.

We appreciate with you the delay that attends the legal work in our courts. I am hoping that when women become of more importance in politics they will manage somehow to hasten the movement of the courts of the land. I shall never forget my first experience when a settlement worker. I had to be a witness in a case of non-support. It seemed to me that I spent the most of my mornings for some months going to court and having the case postponed; so I can appreciate the length of time it takes to settle Mme. Walker's estate.

Very sincerely,

Chairman.

MWO/RR