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Mrs. Hilde Reitzes
The Julius Rosenwald Fund
4901 Ellis Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Hilde,

I'm adding Clinton F. Oliver's digest to the others previously received.

See you soon.

Ever,



Arna Bontemps

AB/rdj

HR 3/8 HR 8
ERE ERE —

How much
is he worth
to you?

HR

What say $\frac{100}{100}$ $\frac{20}{100}$

He has served long & faithfully

Fellowship
Comm.

513 East 86th Street
New York, N. Y.
March 4th, 1948.

Dear Mrs. Reitze: Thanks so much; the tickets arrived and I am all set. I think, however, that you are granting me supernatural powers if you expect me to get there for luncheon at 12:30. My plane, according to a time-table I looked at is not due in until 11:50, and as I remember it the trip in from the airport takes about forty minutes. So, unless I am early, I shall probably grab a sandwich or lunch where they let me off, then come on out.

The weather does not look too encouraging either. If it keeps up the way it is I may make a reservation on the train the night of the 10th in case I get rained or snowed out. In any event I shall do my best to get there on schedule. Or if you prefer you could get me on a plane out Wednesday night, any time after six or even as early as five-thirty. *Or train, of course.*

Probably I should not mention this. Certainly I owe the fund a great deal, for which I am most grateful, but I am also a fairly busy man. I want to come and will in any event. But since I was not paid last year and this is the last year of the fund, and also since I must take time off from my own work, do you think you might suggest to someone that a honorarium, however slight, might not be objectionable to me?

Come what may, then I shall see you the eleventh. I am looking forward to it.

Cordially,
Buck

Bucklin Moon

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