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April 15, 1941

Dear Dean Thompson: We mailed on Saturday notification of scholarship awards to Mr. George Butcher and Miss Elizabeth Jordan. These letters were sent at the same time as the notification of our fellowships. In about two weeks a public announcement will be made of the fellowship awards, but no announcement will be made of the scholarship aid grants. This plan is being followed because the Committee considers these awards still in the experimental stage, and because only a few schools were included this year. I am sending you this note in order that you and Mr. Butcher and Miss Jordan will understand why their names do not appear in the press release.

As Mr. Haygood explained to you, our grants will include tuition and fees, and a flat sum of \$250 toward living expenses. Anything that you can do to help Mr. Butcher and Miss Jordan determine the total amount of tuition and fees for the academic year will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. REYNOLDS
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Dean Charles H. Thompson
Howard University
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Mr. George M. Reynolds
Julius Rosenwald Fund
4901 Ellis Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

My dear Mr. Reynolds:

This is to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter of April 15 informing me that Mr. George Butcher and Miss Elizabeth Jordan were awarded Rosenwald scholarships for the ensuing year, and that your public announcement would not carry this notification since this is an experimental plan. I take it that later on you will send us a general statement indicating the results of the examination as a whole, or is this presumptuous?

Don't answer

I have talked with both Mr. Butcher and Miss Jordan and have advised them as follows: In the case of Mr. Butcher I have advised him to accept the flat sum of \$250 toward living expenses plus tuition and other fees. In the case of Miss Jordan, since her situation is to be a little different from that of Mr. Butcher, I have advised her to request the sum of \$400 which would be in line with your general principle and would be just about enough to cover living expenses here at the University during the coming year, and that we would see if the University could give her a scholarship in sufficient amount to cover tuition fees. You understand, of course, that the University could much more easily remit tuition fees than they could provide the outright grant with living expenses.

Hoping that this meets with your approval and thanking you for allowing our students to participate in this program, I am

Sincerely yours,

Chas. H. Thompson
Chas. H. Thompson
Dean

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April 28, 1941

Dear Dean Thompson: Thank you for your letter
of the 21st, regarding
Miss Jordan and Mr. Butcher. The request for
a payment of a flat sum to Miss Jordan of four
hundred dollars is entirely satisfactory to us,
and we shall be glad to have a letter from her
to the effect that that is her preference.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. REYNOLDS

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