
Journal Day 3, Thursday, 28 November

Good evening, journal. It is I again, James Josaphat. Today, I returned to the city to use the services of the internet café. Its name is Excellent City Internet Café. It is a grand place with many computers. I used the e-mail addresses given to me by my dear friend, Goodwin, and started making the contacts necessary for the establishment of my business. The text of my e-mail to the people read as follows:

“Greetings, and peace be with you. I am Barrister John Onobanjo, and I am the chief of ONOBANJO LAW FIRM here in my city.

“I must tell you, a terrible thing has happened! It should seem that one of my clients, the late Miss Mary, has suffered a most serious calamity. Unfortunately, she expired on Thursday last when she was hit by a bus in front of her home. I say, Satan himself must have been driving! She was a good woman. Woe to the man who took dear sweet Mary from this Earth.

“I was called upon to execute her last will and testament, but in my examinations, it would seem as though she left no heir to her fortune in the sum of USD \$15,000,000.00 (fifteen million US dollars). Unfortunately, there is nobody here to whom to make the payments of this money, which is being held in CITY CENTRAL BANK. The government of this country will claim it if it is not taken soon.

“It would be a shame if the monies which dear sweet Mary aggregated should go to waste! She was a blessed woman and wanted all people to be happy. This is the reason for the correspondence today. We should like to entreat you to respond, so that we may begin the payments. If you are interested in making the transaction, please send cash in the amount of US

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\$200.00 (two hundred US dollars) by wire to Eastern Division money transfer agency. This will cover the banking fees associated with our business agreement. Address is listed below.

“I await your prompt reply. I crave deeply to enter into the business with you. Sincerely,
Barrister John Onobanjo.”

I did not receive any replies to my message when my café time was finished, but I am hopeful that when I check my account tomorrow, I shall have e-mails waiting. Sweetest dreams,
journal.

Journal Day 4, Friday, 29 November

Hello journal, I wish to tell you of the wondrous things which happened to me today! I received a reply to my business offer.