

Oct. 2, 1925

Mr Charles Sale
Fort Hill Road
Scarsdale, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Sale:

I have your note and have deposited the \$100 check, which means of course that you have the rights on "He Knew Lincoln" for "a few weeks" as you say.

I don't wonder that the contract bewilders you. Mr. Klaw and the American Plays Co. worked it out, not I; and I must confess that I never did know just what rights I had. What I think we should have is not a formal contract like this but an agreement covering the various points - dramatic, movie, vaudeville, radio and parlor rights. Every now and then I have a request for the use of "He Knew Lincoln" as a reading. I referred these to Mr. Klaw and he made some kind of a charge, giving me the royalty the contract provided.

It ought not to be difficult for two simple-minded, as well as, I hope, fair-minded people like you and me, to get our agreement on a sheet of paper, so don't be appalled by the Klaw document.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours