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Dear Buck: For the past year or so, Arna Bontemps has read and rated the manuscripts that come to us in support of fellowship requests. This year, I should like very much to add you to this literary jury if you think you could find the time. It would involve having you fly out here at our expense for a day or two and with Arna read the various synopses and sample chapters on hand, probably ten to fifteen in all. Arna usually manages to get through them in about a day and a half, including a brief rating and report.

I thought you might think this arrangement would have sufficient professional overtones to warrant your acceptance. This jurying is usually about the middle of March, but it could be set up for any date that was agreeable to you and Arna. Will you let me hear as soon as you can on this score?

Sincerely yours,

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