

January 12th, 1932.

Mr. Jesse L. Nusbaum,
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Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dear Jesse:

I can not remember whether I told you that I was applying for a Fellowship in the Guggenheim Foundation for the purpose of going to Yucatan to make another series of lantern slides. One of the requisites for this Fellowship is certain letters of recommendation to go on with the other material.

I tried for this Fellowship last year and owing to some misunderstanding, which was evidently my fault for not expressing my plans more clearly, I was not awarded it, though apparently I was seriously considered. Dr. Moe, Secretary of the Foundation has asked me to send in another application, which has already gone in.

I have had letters from Dr. Putnam of the Library of Congress, Mrs. Gertrude Kasebier, Photographer, Mr. George William Eggers, Museum Director and Mr. Arthur A. Fisher, Architect. I would greatly appreciate a letter from you stating your opinion as to the educational value, as well as whatever you wish to say

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regarding the artistic merit of my present plan. As this has so directly to do with archaeology a letter from you would be more than valuable. If you would send it directly to Dr. Henry Allen Moe, Secretary, John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, 551 - 5th Avenue, New York, I would greatly appreciate it.

I should have written you earlier but the rush of Christmas work and subsequent work has kept me very much on the jump. If you can get the letter off within the next few days I would more than appreciate it.

My father is very well and we are both busy. I hope Aileen and Beric are completely well again.

With best wishes to you all and many thanks.

Sincerely yours,