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John Fowles, Esq.

Dear Mr. Fowles,

As we discussed today the tentative dates for the meetings of the judges are the 14th and the 28th September. They are scheduled to start at 12:30 pm. and as soon as they are completely definite I will confirm them with you and tell you where they are to be held.

I am enclosing another check list of all the books entered for the Prize. I would greatly appreciate your comments to be filled in with particular emphasis on the books you feel should be strongly recommended and returned to me by the end of August. This is ~~terribly important~~ as all the books each judge recommends for special consideration must have been read and ~~most probably~~ ^{may possibly} reviewed by all before the first meeting in September. I will advise you as to the other judges considerations as soon as I have received all the lists.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Marilyn Edwards