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Miss Doris Dana  
15 Spruce Street  
Roslyn Harbor, L.I.  
New York

Dear Miss Dana:

Thank you so much for your letter of January 2, which would have been answered sooner but for vacations and absences here at the Press. We are delighted that Miss Mistral is interested in our projected translation of a book of selected poems. We are glad that she liked the *Lorca* book. Unfortunately, Mr. Humphries finds himself too far committed at present to undertake the Mistral volume. We are about to approach Langston Hughes, who would, in our opinion, be an able translator. Should he be unavailable, we should, of course, get in touch with Mrs. Moussetau, and are glad to know about her.

Assuming that we can find the proper translator, we suggest a contract calling for the customary 10% royalty on the list price of the book to be published in or about the Fall of 1957, said royalty to be divided equally between Miss Mistral and the translator, and the book to consist of 60 to 80 poems although this need not be a hard and fast number. Naturally, we should like to have Miss Mistral, if she wishes, help in the selection of poems to be translated.

We continue to be pleased with the prospect of doing this fine work and will, of course, be in touch with you again in due course.

Cordially yours,

  
Bernard B. Perry

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