

* Yes, he does advise you most strongly. He says to tell you that he has heard about a number of (good) people who are job hunting in America, without success. Therefore he thinks you should accept Buffalo if it is at all possible.

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Dear Mario,

Many thanks for several letters and the Biographical Data. I have deleted 71 and 75. Don't worry, this type of mistake happens all the time. These data are most welcome, and let's hope ^{they} ~~it~~ will soon be used, and with success. We are delighted to hear about the four-months invitation to Texas. Funnily enough, Karl got an invitation for ^{some time in} January (just one lecture) to Austin, but of course we have to be in Indiana on February 1st; therefore we would not see you, even if we decided to go - and if you decided to go. I think you should go. I also think that Karl would advise you to accept Buffalo in spite of the poorness of maths. and science departments; the main thing is to get out here.* After all, why should you get stuck in Buffalo; surely, you can get something better ~~from Buffalo~~ while in Buffalo, or at least your chances would not be worsened by going to Buffalo? About the climate I do not know but again, you would not stay there. So why not accept it?

I am glad you agree to the replacement of Eccles' paper.

About Wollheim: I have seen him only once, do not know him at all, but what happened is, I think, the following: it has nothing whatsoever to do with 'subjects of former British Colonies'. It is only that the fact of the deadline just did not make any sense to him. Karl has contributed to several vols, with deadlines and these deadlines were simply as elastic as anything, and more so. Nobody, at least nobody in England, has ever had a paper rejected because of ^{missing} a deadline. You will remember that Bartley and Ernst Gombrich also got a good shock about that deadline, and for the same reason. I quite understand that you wanted to keep to the agreement but you see, it is really quite unusual, at least in Britain. This is my explanation of Wollheim's reaction.

We still enjoy it here very much. It is so much more pleasant than we expected. Everything: the Center, the house, the climate, the surroundings,

Love Hennie.

