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To the

Nobel Committee of the Swedish Academy.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to propose to you the name of

Rudyard Kipling

as a most distinguished writer of works of an imaginative character, and as in every way suited to be the recipient of the Nobel Prize for Literature, awarded by the Swedish Academy.

(Signed)

author of "Light of Asia" & "Light of the World" Sir Edwin Arnold

M.A. of Oxford, Fellow of Bombay University,

Companion of the Star of India, Knight Commander of the ~~Star~~ Indian Empire, Officer of the Medjedieh and Osmanie,

Grand Officer of the White Elephant and Crown Imperial of Siam,

Commander of the Lion & the Sun of Persia, Second Class of the Rising Sun of Japan etc

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