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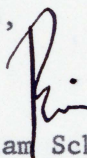
Dear Henri:

What pleasant news you give me. The events that you outline sound exciting indeed. But I do have a problem! I cannot see how I can possibly be in Los Angeles next season. Affairs here at Lincoln Center mount in complexity and number, and it just isn't in the cards for me to plan to be away. Do please understand this.

In any case, I would not have accepted your invitation to conduct, for this is one of the activities which I have given up in recent years as I become more and more involved with administrative problems. Now I am happy if I can find time to compose and function as an administrator. To add conducting seems a little too much.

Please know that I greatly appreciate your thought and send you my affectionate greetings.

Yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'W. Schuman', written over the printed name.

William Schuman

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