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Description

This collection contains material pertaining to the life, career, and activities of Henri Temianka, violin virtuoso, conductor, music teacher, and author. Materials include correspondence, concert programs and flyers, music scores, photographs, and books.

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Maniko Piano,
Tesuque,
Santa Fe,
New Mexico

June 5,

1946

12:30 p.m.

Temperature:
delightful

My dear Tom,

Where art thou? What's cooking? Rumors are abroad about an artist to be called Paganini, Sarasate, Tencianca or something similar to that. What's the truth and nothing but the truth? Where, when and how much? I have a very particular interest in a handsome venture as I have composed a string quartet which without any doubt is the best thing written for that medium since old Ludwig hit the bucket back in 1827.

So give me an autobiographical sketch of you two and do not forget to include a few hopeful predictions à la Nostradamus.

Vilge sends her love and I the quartet, shall you want it.

Yours, ever,

Vilbor

P.S. Mrs Coolidge said something about a Beethoven Cycle. Holy cat! You will have to do a lot of cycling. V.

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Rancho Piano,
Tesuque,
Santa Fe,
New Mexico
June 5,
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My dear Temi,

Where art thou? What's cooking? Rumors are abroad about an outfit to be called Paganini, Sarasate, Temianka or something similar to that. What's the truth and nothing but the truth? Where, when and how much? I have a very particular interest in a fearsome venture as I have composed a string quartet which without any doubt is the best thing written for that medium since old Ludwig hit the bucket back in 1827.

So give me an autobiographical sketch of you two and do not forget to include a few hopeful predictions a la Nostradamus.

Vitya sends her love and I the quartet, should you want it.

Yours, ever,
Victor.

P.S. Mrs. Coolidge said something about a Beethoven Cycle. Holy cat! You will have to do a lot of cycling. V.