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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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Dictated but not read

July 23, 1962

Mr. Henri Temianka
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IN RE:-BARTOK RECORDING, ETC.

Dear Henri:-

I fully realize that, by now, you may well have the impression that I may be trying to stall or avoid getting together with you about the Bartok tapes and also about future plans. However, this is not so.

The situation is the result of your having been out of town so much and my life having been so very hectic.

It just happens that, since your return to town this time, everything has been particularly hectic and unsettled for me. Now, I am leaving for two weeks for concerts in Denver, Chicago and Philadelphia. When I come back, between August 1 and August 4, I shall be facing the Gershwin Concert at the Bowl on August 11 and the last of the big pre-recordings of "BYE BYE BIRDIE". I shall also be facing a hectic month of arranging and orchestrating for a new LP of "SHOWBOAT" that I must record for RCA Victor during the latter part of September.

Thus, even when I get back to town during the first week of August, I shall once again hardly be a man of leisure. On the other hand, I do want to get together with you, and I am sure that we can arrange the necessary time right after the August 11 Gershwin Concert,- provided that you are then available.

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I am sorry that this thing has dragged on for so long,
but life just isn't an easy thing these days, is it?

All my very best wishes to you and yours.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be the name 'Johnny' written in a cursive style.

jg:bs

(*per*) JOHNNY