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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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Dear Henri,

I have been overwhelmed with work this year, countless things happening at once some of which are awfully entertaining and some not so interesting. Mitropoulos will finally premiere my Piano Concerto another Quartet to write, a Toccata for Orchestra to complete in time for its performance and concerts on the side to conduct and play all of which is in addition to my teaching responsibilities. No time to breathe.

I do hope that we can get together on the 8th or 9th of December. Call me as soon as you get in. (TH 8-4540) Have not had a chance to talk to Crosten (chairman-Stanford) concerning your "Quartet in Residence" idea.

Do you go to Europe this Summer ? I wish that it were possible for us. Still have in mind some kind of tour with my chamber works.

Look forward to seeing you,

Warmest regards,

MILLS COLLEGE, OAKLAND 13, CALIFORNIA

Leon.