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Dear Sol,

Thank you for the good news of the sold-out concerts. I am deeply touched that the New Yorkers are such faithful friends to me.

However, I am a little apprehensive about my concerts. As Nela has told you, I have hurt my right arm by a fall in Londonet it is not yet cured. Some pain in my right arm prevents me from playing the programs as I have prepared them.

I hope that by January 13 my arm will have recovered its full strength, but I do not dare letting you publish the programs before my arrival in the United States on January 1st. I might have to change some of the numbers,if things are not getting better.

Looking forward to seeing you early January,

I am,
Yours affectionately,

Arthur Rubinstein