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Kate dearest, thank you for your letter - and Johnny's. I am so sorry he is so hard to handle - and yet can be so sweet and really is not a bad boy! - I will be home soon and take over all your responsibilities so you can rest from my numerous family!! - That Ala is really something! The fact that she does not go around visiting and asks everybody to see her is due mostly to the fact that she has no money for cabs etc. and buses probably seem to her a much too difficult proposition what with chair and such! - Will she be in N. York at Xmas? - Eva thinks we abandon the

Because of Ala, grama & Paul)

plans of going to her?! — In any case I am absolutely independent of Ala — and even grama — she could go there for one night (to a hotel of course) Arthur is not going to stay more than 2 or 3 days anyway — so I don't see why we should change anything — Of course if you think after the week end — that it is too complicated — we could all go just for 2 days and come back — As too Paul, I did not hear from him since five weeks and have no idea what his plans are now. — Anyway if he comes to run around New York and not to be with us I don't care, otherwise he can come with us for those few days — I want to hear from you after the week end — In any case we planned to all stay at the inn — or we only, and the chicks in Eva's house — I don't remember what was said. — We had a long letter from Eva — very sweet — and interesting — I worry a bit that she gained so much Pro lb

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already - how can she resist gaining in the last 7 weeks ?- I hope her doctor is good! — Now about her piano: Arthur said he will send it to her on his cost so why don't you organise it right away if possible?

I am disgusted with André's light head about Johnny and his toupé with Lana - Arthur was very cross - and says it is inconceivable to talk above Lana's head to Johnny! He has to mind her. He telephoned us the other day from N.York and was very nice as usual - Bude finally wrote about his tour and it looks as if he had success so far. Do you know why the office dislikes him is it his fairyness or tuppence what?

97 Avenue Ave. if I were coming the 8th Ad Glas h..... I will let you know in time to meet me.

I am so glad Linnie's fair was a success – Good for her! – I miss those two children terribly and am counting days now! – I hope Johnny improves his school studies – is he again under some boy's influence who does not work? – Arthur was delighted to hear he plays the Mendelsohn! Tell me what happened (if it materialised) at the lunch of the Radots!

Do you have someone lined up to help when we come back?

We arrived here today – in this divine hotel – I love it – It is so comfortable run like a luxurious private apartment such service! – Arthur is very nervous before the concert tomorrow the program is hard the same will be in Paris – The hall is sold out – all our friends are buzzing with plans to see us etc. – It will be pretty hectic – For the moment we are hiding and going to see an australian play tonight – So that is all for now Lots love – kisses – millions of them the little ones included your Mela R.

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