Prof. Heb Wataghin Av. Brigadier Luiz Antonio, 784 S. Paulo Brazil.

Dear Wataghin,

I have just a few words to add to my last letter.

I received your cablegrams, which I interpreted as meaning that you did not consider it too late for me to come and that you still invited me to do so not—withstanding the delay. This is very nice of you indeed, but I still believe that I did well in deciding to call everything off. As I told you in my last letter the probable outcome of further attempts would have been to wait a couple of weeks longer for an extremely doubtful possi—bility of finding a place on the airplane.

In the meantime I got a letter from the Department of Foreign Affairs of Canada saying that nothing has been decided about that flight Canada to Brazil of which Ambassador Desy had spoken, so that even that possibility was excluded.

I had notice from the Banker's Trust in New York that the \$1000 were there at my disposal, so I instructed them to return the money to the sender at once. Hence you will have to take no further action in this matter.

I wish to thank you and the others of your Faculty for the pain that you have taken to make my visit possible, and it is certain that if it failed it was not due to lack of cooperation on your part.

Mours very sincerely

F. Rasetti