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Dear John:

In a letter dated December 13th, Mr. Roberts has asked me to tell you "that Schneider has written again to the man in New York about his figure 'Belly Dancer' to find out if he really wants it. Until he gets a definite reply Schneider thinks that John could not really sell it to another person. In addition, there is no one leaving here by boat who will reach New York before Christmas. Possibly Bob Venturi could take the figure as overweight at \$5.00 per kilo, but that would be so expensive that he would probably lose on any sale. Van Truex can take the figure with him, but he leaves only at the end of the month."

Sincerely,


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