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| XAVER SCHARWENKA | ENGAGED FOR TOUR | OF THIS COUNTRY

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The Famous Polish Pianist, Xaver Scharwenka, Ready for the Hunt Near His Home in Saarow (Furstenwalde)

XAVER SCHARWENKA, the renowned piano virtuoso and composer, has been engaged for a transcontinental tour of the United States for the season of 1912-13. The tour will begin the latter part of October in New York City and end in the Spring of 1913 in California, and will include nearly every large city in the United States. Scharwenka occupies an eminent position among pianists. The greatest living exponent of the Kullak school, he has gained a world-wide reputation as an interpreter of the classics, and especially of Beethoven. He stands at the zenith of a brilliant career covering a period of more than forty years, and has been the recipient of innumerable honors from royalty.