

SEASON 1947 - 1948

14/15/16 September, Berlin / **17 September(*)**, Potsdam (Château Sans-Souci) - BPO
Hindemith: Symphonic Metamorphoses
Strauss: Don Juan
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

22 September(*), Hamburg (NWDR Orchester)
Mendelssohn: a Midsummer Night's dream, 3 excerpts
Brahms: Double Concerto
Erich Röhn, Arthur Troester
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

28/29 September, Berlin - BPO
Mendelssohn: a Midsummer Night's dream, Ov.
Beethoven: Violin Concerto (*Yehudi Menuhin*) and Symphony No. 7

2 October, Berlin - BSOK
Gluck: Alceste, Overture
Beethoven: Violin Concerto (*Yehudi Menuhin*)
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

3 October, Berlin State Opera
Wagner: Tristan und Isolde
Schlüter, Klose, Suthaus, Frick, Prohaska

8 October, Stockholm - SKO
Hindemith: Symphonic Metamorphoses
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

10/12 October(*), Stockholm - SKO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Coriolan
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

15/17/18 October, Munich (Munich Philharmonic)
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Hindemith: Symphonic Metamorphoses
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

21 October, Berlin - BSOK
Gluck: Alceste, Overture
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

24 October(*), Berlin State Opera
Wagner: Tristan und Isolde
Schlüter, Klose, Suthaus, Frick, Prohaska

26/27 October, Berlin - BPO
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Strauss: Metamorphoses
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

30 October, Berlin State Opera
Wagner: Tristan und Isolde
Schlüter, Klose, Suthaus, Frick, Prohaska, Paula Büchner

4 November, Leipzig - GOL
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Ov. and Symph. No. 4
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

8/9 November, Vienna - VPO
Mendelssohn: a Midsummer Night's dream, Overture and Violin Concerto (*W. Schneiderhan*)
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

15(*)/16 November, Vienna - VPO
Hindemith: Symphonic Metamorphoses
Strauss: Don Juan
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

29/30 November, Vienna - VPO
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

3/4 December, Vienna - VSO
Brahms: a German Requiem
Elisabeth Schwarzkopf, Paul Schöffler

12/13 December, Geneva - OSR
Beethoven: Coriolan, Symphonies No. 6 and 7

17 December, Winterthur and **19 December**, Schaffhausen (Winterthurer Stadtorchester)
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Beethoven: Leonore III and Symphony No. 7

12(*)/13 January, Bern (Berner Stadtorchester)
Bruckner: Symphony No. 8

24/25 January, Paris - OSCC
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

31 January/1 February(*), Vienna - VPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 8, Leonore III and Symphony No. 7

4/5 February, Wien - VSO
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Ravel: Daphnis et Chloé, 2nd Suite
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

15/16 February, Berlin - BPO
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strawinsky: the Fire Bird

22/23 February, Berlin - BPO
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2 (First time)

Performances in London (LPO)

29 February
V. Williams: Tallis Fantasy
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

4 March
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Mahler: Lieder eines fahrenden Gesellen
Eugenia Zareska
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

5 March, Birmingham and **6 March**, Leicester
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

8 March, Watford and **9 March**, Wimbledon
See 4 March.

11 March
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Sibelius: En Saga
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

14 March
Weber: Oberon
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Ravel: Daphnis et Chloé, 2nd Suite
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

18 March
Gluck: Alceste, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 4
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

25 March
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Hammond, Jarred, Jones, Parsons

Concerts in Buenos Aires Orchestra del Teatro Colon

6 April
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

10 April
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Ravel: Daphnis et Chloé, 2nd Suite
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

14 April
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Strauss: ein Heldenleben
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

17 April
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4
Wagner: Siegfried Idyll; Götterdämmerung, Funeral march and Meistersinger, Prelude

24 April
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Beethoven: Leonore III
Strawinsky: the Fire Bird
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

28 April
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Respighi: i Pini di Roma
Bucharlo: Escenas argentinas
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

29 April
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Leonore III
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6
Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude

4 May
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Hoffmann, Negroni, Pataky, Mattiello

12 May, Rome (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia nazionale di Santa Cecilia)
Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Ravel: Daphnis et Chloé, 2nd Suite
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

16 May, Rome (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia nazionale di Santa Cecilia)
Beethoven: Coriolan, Symphonies No. 6 and 7

19 May, Florence (Orchestra del Teatro Comunale)
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Frazzi: Cicalia
Wagner: Good Friday Spell
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

21 May, Florence (Orchestra del Teatro Comunale)
Respighi: Le Fontane di Roma
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7
Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude

26 May, Milan (Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Respighi: Le Fontane di Roma
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

29 May, Milan (Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)
Beethoven: Coriolan and Symph. No. 6

Schumann: Cello Concerto (*Enrico Mainardi*)
Wagner: Götterdämmerung, Funeral march and Meistersinger, Prelude

Swiss tour of the Vienna Philharmonic

3 June, Basel and **4 June**, Geneva

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

5 June, Montreux

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

6 June, Lausanne

Schubert: Rosamunde, Ov. and Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

7 June, Bern

Schubert: Rosamunde, Ov., Symph. No. 8 and 9

8 June, Zürich

Schubert: Rosamunde, Ov., Symph. No. 8 and 9
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz (bis)

♦ Upon Furtwängler's arrival in Zürich a new scandal took place in the Swiss press (*die Tat*). It would seem that a certain part of the Swiss press lavished on prejudicial writing. Another conductor had to bear this policy: Hermann Scherchen who in 1950 resigned from all his posts in Switzerland (Winterthur Orchestra and Radio Beromünster) following a denigratory and spiteful press cam-paign that accused him of advocating the «benefits of communism» and being a supporter of bol-shevism.

♦ Lors de son arrivée à Zurich, Furtwängler fut salué par un nouveau scandale de la presse suisse (*die Tat*) qui avait une attitude à base de préjugés. Un autre chef dut payer cher cette politique : Hermann Scherchen qui en 1950, après une campagne de dénigrement qui l'accusa de favoriser le communisme et d'être un suppôt du bolchevisme, dut renoncer à tous ses postes (Orchestre de Winterthur et Radio Béromünster).

Salzburg Festival (VPO)

31 July/3 August - Beethoven: Fidelio
Schlüter, Della Casa, Patzak, Schock, Edelmann

5 August

Uhl: Introduction and Variations
Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Strawinsky: Petrushka
Strauss: ein Heldenleben

6 August - Beethoven: Fidelio

Schlüter, Della Casa, Patzak, Schock, Edelmann

Lucerne Festival

18 August

Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude; Siegfried Idyll and Götterdämmerung, Funeral march
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

28/29 August

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Schwarzkopf, Cavelti, Häfliger, Schöffler

30 August

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1
Wagner: Siegfried Idyll; Götterdämmerung, Funeral march and Meistersinger, Prelude

SEASON 1948 - 1949

♦ A sad episode disturbed Furtwängler's relationship with America starting in August 1948. Furtwängler was contacted by the board of directors of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra who wanted him to conduct during 22 weeks of the following season which lasted for a total of 28 weeks. In December, Furtwängler agreed to 8 concert weeks. On 6 January 1949 an article by H. Taubman appeared in the *Times*, bearing the heading «*The musicians' veto puts an end to Furtwängler's contract in Chicago for 1949*». These *Musicians* were Horowitz, Rubinstein, Brailowsky, Lily Pons, and Kostelanetz. They in fact declared that they would not play any longer in Chicago if Furtwängler was to become the main conductor of the orchestra. Faced by this denigratory campaign, Furtwängler preferred renouncing to his post in Chicago.

♦ Un triste épisode troubla les relations entre Furtwängler et l'Amérique en août 1948. Furtwängler fut contacté par les directeurs du Chicago Symphony Orchestra pour qu'il dirige 22 semaines pendant la saison suivante qui durait globalement 28 semaines. En décembre, Furtwängler accepta de diriger 8 semaines de concerts. Le 6 janvier 1949, un article de H. Taubmann parut dans le *Times* intitulé : «*Le veto des musiciens met fin au contrat de Furtwängler avec Chicago pour 1949*». Ces *musiciens* étaient Horowitz, Rubinstein, Brailowsky, Lily Pons et Kostelanetz qui déclarèrent ne plus vouloir jouer à Chicago si Furtwängler devenait le chef principal de l'orchestre. Face à cette situation, Furtwängler préféra renoncer à son contrat avec Chicago.

8 September, Edinburgh (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia nazionale di Santa Cecilia)
Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 2
Beethoven: Triple Concerto (*De Vito, Mainardi, Michelangeli*) and Leonore II

9 September, Edinburgh (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia nazionale di Santa Cecilia)
Ghedini: Partita
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

24/25(*)/26(*) September, Vienna - VPO
Beethoven: Egmont, Symphonies No. 4 and 6

Beethoven Cycle in London (VPO)

28 September
Egmont, Symphonies No. 6 and 5

30 September
Leonore III, Symphonies No. 8 and 7

2 October
Coriolan, Symphonies No. 4 and No. 3

3 October
Symphonies No. 1 and 2 and Violin Concerto (*Menuhin*)

6 October
Symphony No. 9
Weltsch, Höngen, Patzak, Walker

17/18 October, Hamburg (Hamburg Philharm.)
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2
♦ Eugen Jochum conducted the 2nd part of the concert

24/25/26 October, Berlin - BPO

Bach: Suite No. 3
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

Concerts in Great Britain (BPO)

3 November, London
Bach: Suite No. 3
Beethoven: Piano Concerto No. 4 (*Myra Hess*)
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

4 November, Liverpool
Bach: Suite No. 3
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

5 November, Birmingham
Bach: Suite No. 3
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

7 November, Oxford
Bach: Suite No. 3
Schubert: Rosamunde, Ov., Symph. No. 8 and 9

13 November, Stockholm - SKO
Beethoven: Leonore III and Symph. No. 8 and 7

17/18/19 November, Stockholm - SKO
Brahms: a German Requiem
Lindberg-Torlind, Sönnnerstedt

27/28 November, Paris - OSCC
Strauss: Don Juan
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

4/5/6 December, Vienna - VPO
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Walton: Symphony No. 1
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

18/19/20 December, Vienna - VPO
Joseph Marx: Nordland-Rhapsody
Strauss: Konzert für Oboe und Orchester
Hans Kamesch

21/22 December, Vienna - VSO
Brahms: Violin Concerto (*W. Schneiderhan*)
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

19 January, Geneva; **20 January**, Lausanne and **21 January**, Fribourg - OSR
Schubert: Symphony No. 9
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Siegfried-Idyll
Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude

26/27/28/29 Jan., Munich (Munich Philharmonic)
Beethoven: Symphony No. 4
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

5/6 February, Paris - OSCC
Mozart: Serenade No. 13
Wagner: Siegfried-Idyll and Götterdämmerung, Funeral march
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

8 February, Vienna - VPO
Mozart: Serenade No. 10, Piano Concerto No. 10 for 2 pianos (*Dagmar Bella, Paul Badura-Skoda*) and Symphony No. 40

12/13/14 February, Vienna - VPO
Pfitzner: die Rose von Liebesgarten, Funeral music
Bruckner: Symphony No. 5

19/20/21 February, Vienna - VPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9

Clara Ebers, Lore Fischer, Lorenz Fehenberger,
Paul Schöffler

28 February/1 March, Bern (Stadtorchester)

Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Barber: Adagio for Strings
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

9 March, Winterthur (Stadtorchester)

Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2

13/14/15 March, Berlin - BPO

Bruckner: Symphony No. 8

19/20/21 March, Munich (Munich Philharmonic)

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Clara Ebers, Lore Fischer, Lorenz Fehenberger,
R. Watzke

14 May, Florence (Orchestra del Teatro
Comunale) [Broadcasted live]

Mozart: Serenade No. 13
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 2
Wagner: Flying Dutchman, Ov. (bis)

18 May, Rome (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia
nazionale di Santa Cecilia)

Beethoven: Egmont, Symphonies No. 4 and 5

22 May, Rome (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia
nazionale di Santa Cecilia)

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Mirella Freni, Luisa Ribacchi, Amedeo Berdini,
Sesto Bruscantini

25 May, Milano (Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 2
Hindemith: Symphonic Metamorphoses
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

28 May, Milano (Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
W. Cecil, G. Simionato, G. Prandelli, C. Siepi
[Broadcasted live]

Tour of the BPO

1 June, Hamburg

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

2 June, Hamburg

Beethoven: Coriolan, Symphonies No. 6 and 5

3 June, Hildesheim

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

4 June, Hanover (see 2 June)

5 June, Bielefeld

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

6 June, Bad Pyrmont

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

7 June, Viersen

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 5 and 6

8 June, Wuppertal

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

9 June, Düsseldorf

Beethoven: Coriolan, Symphonies No. 6 and 5

10 June, Wiesbaden

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

11 June, Frankfurt (Conference)

12 June, Frankfurt (afternoon)
Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

12 June, Wiesbaden (evening)

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

13 June, Heidelberg

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

14 June, Baden-Baden

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes

Beethoven: Symph. No. 6 and 5

18 June, Berlin (afternoon and evening) - BPO

Pfitzner: Palestrina, 3 Preludes
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

19 June, Berlin - BPO

Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

Salzburg Festival (VPO)

27 July - Mozart: die Zauberflöte

Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Greindl

30 July/3 August - Beethoven: Fidelio

Flagstad, Seefried, Patzak, Greindl, Schöffler

5 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte

Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Greindl

7 August

Pfitzner: Symphony opus 46
Bruckner: Symphony No. 8

8 August - Beethoven: Fidelio

Flagstad, Seefried, Patzak, Greindl

11 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte

Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Greindl

16 August - Beethoven: Fidelio

Flagstad, Seefried, Patzak, Greindl

18 August, Conference

19 August - Beethoven: Fidelio
Flagstad, Seefried, Patzak, Greindl

20 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte

Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Greindl

Lucerne Festival

24 August

Brahms: Double Concerto (Wolfgang Schneiderhan, Enrico Mainardi)

Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 4

[Broadcasted live by Sottens, Beromünster,
Monte Ceneri and again on 30 August by
Beromünster.]

27/28 August - Haydn: die Schöpfung

Seefried, Ludwig, Christoff

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Brahms: Symphony No. 1
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz (bis)

9 October, Paris

Beethoven: Symphony No. 4, Leonore III and
Symphony No. 7

11 October, Geneva

Beethoven: Egmont, Overture
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

12 October, Zürich (see 9 October)

16/17/18 October, Berlin - BPO

Beethoven: Leonore II
Höller: Cello Concerto No. 2 (Ludwig Hoelscher)
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

25/26 October, Basel (Basler Orchester)

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Beethoven: Leonore II

SEASON 1949 - 1950

9 September, Besançon

(Orchestre des Concerts Colonne)
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Hindemith: Piano Concerto (F.J. Hirt)
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

24/25 September, Vienna - VPO

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Wagner: a Faust Overture
Brahms: Haydn Variations and Symphony No. 1

Tour of the Vienna Philharmonic

28 September, London

Wagner: a Faust Overture
Schubert: Gesang der Geister
Brahms: Alt-Rhapsodie (Mary Jarred)
Beethoven: Egmont and Symph. No. 7

29 September, London

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto (Yehudi Menuhin)
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

30 September(*), Oxford

Beethoven: Coriolan, Overture
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Berlioz: Damnation de Faust, Hungarian March
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz

1 October(*), London

Beethoven: Coriolan, Overture
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Brahms: Haydn Variations
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz

4 October, London

Brahms: Haydn Variations, Violin Concerto
(Menuhin) and Symphony No. 1

5 October, London

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Hammond, Watson, Patzak, Hotter

8 October, Paris

Wagner: a Faust Overture

Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

17 December, Potsdam - BPO

Mozart: Serenade No. 13
Schumann: Manfred, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude

18/19/20 December, Berlin - BPO

Schumann: Manfred, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Fortner: Violin Concerto (*Gerhard Taschner*)
Wagner: Götterdämmerung, Funeral march and Meistersinger, Prelude

23 December, Leipzig - GOL

Beethoven: Symphony No. 4, Leonore II and Symphony No. 5

8/10 January, Munich (Munich Philharmonic)

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Schöne, Baier, Kiskalt
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2

14/15 January, Vienna - VPO

Schumann: Manfred, Overture
Korngold: Symphonic Serenade (First time)
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

16 January(*), Vienna - VPO

10th Ball of the Orchestra: WF conducts J. Strauss' *Blue Danube*

28/29 January, Vienna - VPO

Weber: Oberon, Overture
Chostakovitch: Symphony No. 9
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 4

11(*)/**12**(*) **February**, Vienna - VPO

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 5
Furtwängler, Reznicek, Barylli
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

Milano, Teatro alla Scala

2/4/11 March - Wagner: der Rheingold:

Höngen, Frantz, Pernerstorfer, Treptow
[Broadcasted on 5 March by Rete Rossa and 14 March by Rete Azzurra]

9/13/16 March - die Walküre:

Flagstad, H. Konecni, Treptow, Frantz, Höngen
[Broadcasted on 12 March by Rete Rossa and 21 March by Rete Azzurra]

22/24/26 March - Wagner: Siegfried:

Flagstad, Svanholm, Herrmann, Weber
[Broadcasted on 26 March by Rete Rossa and 28 March by Rete Azzurra]

2/4/6 April - Wagner: die Götterdämmerung:

Flagstad, Lorenz, Weber, Pernerstorfer
[Broadcasted on 2 April by Rete Rossa and 4 April by Rete Azzurra]

Concerts in Buenos Aires Teatro Colon Orchestra

14 April

Haydn: Symphony No. 104
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

20 April

Ugarte: Preludio
Strauss: also sprach Zarathustra
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

23 April

Haendel: Concerto Grosso opus 6 No. 10
Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 4

29 April/2 May

Bach: Matthäus-Passion

Hoffmann, Klose, Dermota, Greindl

5 May

Castro: Obertura para una opera comica
Schubert: Rosamunde, Overture
Mahler: Lieder eines fahrenden Gesellen
Margarete Klose
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

6/7 May

Bach: Matthäus-Passion
Hoffmann, Klose, Dermota, Greindl

8(*) **May**, Conference for the Society «Friends of the Books»: the problems of the musical life

10 May

Beethoven: Prometheus, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 4
Wagner: Parsifal, Prelude; Siegfried's Rhine journey; Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod; Meistersinger, Prelude

14 May, Buenos-Aires Symphony Orchestra.

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 5
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

22 May, London (PO)

Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude; Siegfried Idyll; Götterdämmerung, Rhine journey and Brunnhilde's Immolation (*Kirsten Flagstad*); Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod (*Kirsten Flagstad*)
Strauss: 4 Last Songs/Vier letzte Lieder (World Premiere) - *Kirsten Flagstad*

Tour of the Berlin Philharmonic

24 May, Wiesbaden

Brahms: Haydn Variations
Beethoven: Leonore II
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

25 May, Frankfurt

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Beethoven: Leonore II
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

26 May, Munich

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1
Beethoven: Leonore II
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

27 May, Stuttgart

Beethoven: Leonore III, Symphonies No. 1 and 3

28 May, Montreux

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

29 May, Lausanne

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

30 May, Geneva

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Leonore III
Hindemith: Concerto for Orchestra
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod and Meistersinger, Prelude

31 May, Bern

Brahms: Haydn Variations
Beethoven: Leonore II
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

1 June, Basel

Beethoven: Leonore III, Symphonies No. 1 and 3

3 June, Paris

Haendel: Concerto Grosso op. 6 No. 10
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Schubert: Symphony No. 9
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

4 June, Paris [Broadcasted live]

Beethoven: Leonore II, Symphonies No. 1 and 3

Wagner: Tristan, Prelude Act 1

6 June, Köln

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Leonore III
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

7 June, Viersen

Brahms: Haydn Variations
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

8 June, Düsseldorf

Beethoven: Leonore III, Symphonies No.1 and 3

9 June, Bielefeld

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Beethoven: Leonore III
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

10 June, Münster

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

11 June, Bremen

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Leonore III
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

12 June, Hamburg

Haendel: Concerto Grosso op. 6 No. 10
Hindemith: Concerto for Orchestra
Strauss: Don Juan
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

13 June, Hamburg

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

14 June(*), Lübeck

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1
Furtwängler: Symphonic Concerto
Johannes Bork

15 June, Hanover

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Leonore II
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

17/18/19 June, Berlin - BPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

20 June, Berlin - BPO

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Hindemith: Concerto for Orchestra
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

22 June, Berlin (*Hochschule für Musik*) - Conference

13 July(+), Amsterdam and **14 July**, Scheveningen

(Concertgebouw Orchestra)
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 and Leonore III
Brahms: Symphony No. 1
[(+) Broadcasted live]

Salzburg Festival (VPO)

27 July - Mozart: Don Giovanni

Gobbi, Welitsch, Schwarzkopf, Kunz, Seefried, Dermota

29 July - Mozart: die Zauberflöte

Seefried, Lipp, Kunz, Ludwig

31 July - Mozart: Don Giovanni

Gobbi, Welitsch, Schwarzkopf, Kunz, Seefried, Dermota, Greindl

3 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte

Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Kunz, Greindl

4 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni

Gobbi, Welitsch, Schwarzkopf, Kunz, Seefried, Dermota, Greindl

5 August - Beethoven: Fidelio

Flagstad, Patzak, Schwarzkopf, Dermota, Greindl

Luzern Festival

9 August [Broadcasted live by Sottens]

Gluck: Alceste, Overture
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Hindemith: der Schwanendreher
William Primrose, viola
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

Salzburg Festival

11/14 August - Beethoven: Fidelio
Flagstad, Schwarzkopf, Patzak, Dermota, Greindl

15 August, VPO

Strawinsky: Symphony in 3 Mvts.
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

16 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte
Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Kunz, Greindl

17 August - Beethoven: Fidelio
Flagstad, Schwarzkopf, Patzak, Dermota, Greindl

18 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni
Gobbi, Welitsch, Schwarzkopf, Kunz, Seefried, Greindl

21 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte
Seefried, Lipp, Ludwig, Kunz, Greindl

22 August - Beethoven: Fidelio
Flagstad, Schwarzkopf, Patzak, Dermota, Greindl

Luzern Festival

26/27 August

Berlioz: la Damnation de Faust
Elisabeth Schwarzkopf, Hans Hotter, Alois Pernerstorfer
[Broadcasted live by Beromünster]

Salzburg Festival

29 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni
Gobbi, Kupper, Rethy, Kunz, Seefried, Dermota, Greindl

31 August, VPO

Bach: Brandenburg Concertos No. 3 and 5
Niedermayer, Boskowski, Furtwängler
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

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16(*)/17(*) September, Vienna - VPO

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 3
Debussy: la Mer
Brahms: Symphony No. 3

Tour of the Vienna Philharmonic

25 September, Stockholm

Haydn: Symphony No. 94
Sibelius: En Saga
Strauss: Don Juan
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

26 September, Stockholm

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 3
Uhl: Caprice No. 3
Debussy: la Mer
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz

27 September, Helsinki

See 25 September

28 September, Helsinki

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Uhl: Caprice No. 3
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

29 September, Helsinki

Haydn: Symphony No. 94
Debussy: la Mer
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz

1 October, Copenhagen

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

2 October, Copenhagen

Haydn: Symphony No. 94

Debussy: la Mer

Brahms: Symphony No. 2
J. Strauss: Emperor waltz

4 October, Hamburg

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Uhl: Caprice
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

5 October, Hamburg

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Debussy: la Mer
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

6 October, Hanover

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

7 October, Amsterdam

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

9 October, Den Haag

Haydn: Symphony No. 94
Debussy: la Mer
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

10 October(*), Münster

Mozart: Serenade No. 10 (excerpts)
Sibelius: En Saga
Strauss: Don Juan
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

11 October, Münster

Haydn: Symphony No. 94
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

12 October, Wuppertal

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Uhl: Caprice
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

13 October, Düsseldorf

Strauss: Don Juan
Uhl: Caprice
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

14 October, Wiesbaden

Haydn: Symphony No. 94
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

15 October, Frankfurt am Main

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Debussy: la Mer
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

16 October, Heidelberg

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Violin Concerto (*Willi Boskovsky*)
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel

18 October, Stuttgart

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

19 October, Munich

Mozart: Serenade No. 10
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Don Juan
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

21 October, Geneva

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 3
Schubert: Symphony No. 8

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

22 October, Bern

Haydn: Symphony No. 94
Debussy: la Mer
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

29/30 October, Berlin - BPO

Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

5 November, Rome (Orchestra stabile dell'Accademia nazionale di Santa Cecilia)

Strawinsky: Symphony in 3 movements
Beethoven: Leonore III and Symphony No. 3
[Broadcasted live]

8/9 November, Milan

(Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)
Beethoven: Leonore II, Symph. No. 4 and 5

13 November, London (PO)

Walton: Scarpino, Overture
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Strauss: Don Juan
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

11 December, London (PO)

Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Schubert: Rosamunde, Ballet Music No. 2 and Interlude No. 3
Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

17 December, Berlin (Deutsche Oper)

Wagner: Tristan und Isolde
Paula Büchner, Ludwig Suthaus, Josef Greindl

20/21/22 December, Berlin - BPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
E. Trötschel, Klose, Schock, Greindl

6/7/8/10 January, Vienna - VPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Seefried, Anday, Patzak, Edelmann

15* January, Vienna - VPO

11th Ball of the Orchestra: WF conducts J. Strauss' Emperor waltz

20(*)/21(*) January, Vienna - VPO

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

24/25 January, Vienna - VSO

Brahms: a German Requiem
Irmgard Seefried, Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau

29/31 January, Basel (Basler Orchester)

Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

22 February, London (PO)

Weber: der Freischütz, Overture

Bruckner: Symphony No. 7
Beethoven: Piano Concerto No. 5 (*Edwin Fischer*)

25/26 February, Berlin - BPO
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Trapp: Symphony No. 6 (First time)
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

27 February, Berlin (*Hochschule für Musik*)
Conference

27 February, Berlin - BPO (Concert for the
«Theatre of Schools»)
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

5/6 March, Zürich (Tonhalle Orchestra)
Beethoven: Coriolan and Symphony No. 6
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

9 March, London (PO)
Wagner: Flying Dutchman, Overture and Good
Friday Spell - Walküre, Act 1 (*Hilde Konetzni,
Treptow, Greindl*)

24/27/29 March/1/4 April, Milan (Orchestra del
Teatro alla Scala)
Wagner: Parsifal (*Martha Mödl, Beirer, Otto
Edelmann, Maionica, Greindl*)

♦ Furtwängler's *Parsifal* does not exist. In fact it
is a misunderstanding as on the day when he
conducted this work (Holy Friday), the Italian
Radio broadcasted another *Parsifal* with Maria
Callas and conducted by Vittorio Gui. The
confusion must have originated from this
ambiguity.

♦ L'enregistrement du *Parsifal* n'existe pas. En
effet, il s'agit d'un malentendu car le jour où il
dirigea cette oeuvre (Vendredi saint), la Radio
italienne diffusa un autre *Parsifal* avec Maria
Callas et dirigé par Vittorio Gui, ce qui peut
expliquer cette confusion.

7 (+)/11/13/15 April, Milan
(Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)
Gluck: Orphée et Eurydice
Giuletta Simionato, Hilde Güden, Magda Gabory
[(+)] Broadcasted live]]

Tour of the Berlin Philharmonic

18 April, Cairo
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

19 April, Cairo
Rameau: la Princesse de Navarre
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Berlioz: Damnation de Faust, Hungarian March
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

20 April, Cairo
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Hindemith: Concerto for Orchestra
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

21 April, Cairo
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Beethoven: Leonore III
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

22 April, Cairo
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Schumann: Piano Concerto (*Magda Tagliaferro*)
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

22 April, Cairo
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Beethoven: Leonore III
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

23 April, Cairo
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto (*Siegfried
Borries*)
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

24 April, Alexandria
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

25 April, Alexandria
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude

25 April, Alexandria
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Wagner: Parsifal, Good Friday Spell; Götterdäm-
merung, Siegfried's Rhine journey, Tannhäuser
Ov.
Berlioz: Damnation de Faust, Hungarian March

30 April, Napoli
Mozart: Symphony No. 40
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

1 May, Rome
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture
[Broadcasted live]

2 May, Bologna
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

3 May, Torino
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture (bis)

5 May, Paris
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture (bis)
[Broadcasted live]

6 May, Paris
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Parsifal, Good Friday Spell and
Tannhäuser, Overture
Berlioz: Damnation de Faust, Hungarian March
(bis)

8 May, Viersen
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Hindemith: Concerto for Orchestra
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

9 May, Düsseldorf
Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

10 May, Dortmund
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

11 May, Essen
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

12 May, Bielefeld
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

13 May, Wolfburg
Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture

14 May, Hanover
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)
Berlioz: Damnation de Faust, Hungarian March
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

15 May, Hamburg
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

16 May, Münster
Haydn: Symphony No. 101
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Parsifal, Good Friday Spell and Tann-
häuser, Overture

19/20 May, Vienna - VPO
Walton: Scapino, Overture
Franck: Symphony in D minor
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

26/28 June, Zürich Stadttheater
(Tonhalle Orchestra)
Wagner: Tristan und Isolde
Flagstad, Cavelti, Lorenz, Greindl, Schöffler

29 July, Bayreuth (Festspielhaus Orchester)
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Schwarzkopf, Höngen, Hopf, Edelmann

Salzburg Festival (VPO)

1/6 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte
Seefried, Lipp, Dermota, Kunz

7 August - Verdi: Othello
Martinis, Wagner, Vinay, Dermota

10 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte
Seefried, Lipp, Dermota, Kunz

11 August - Verdi: Othello
Martinis, Vinay, Wagner, Dermota, Schöffler

Luzern Festival

15 August
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

Salzburg Festival

17 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte
Seefried, Lipp, Dermota, Kunz, Greindl

18 August - Verdi: Othello
Martinis, Vinay, Wagner, Dermota, Schöffler

19 August, VPO
Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Mahler: Lieder eines fahrenden Gesellen
Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau
Bruckner: Symphony No. 5

20 August, Conference: «*We and Beethoven*»

21 August - Verdi: Othello
Martinis, Vinay, Wagner, Dermota, Schöffler

Luzern Festival

25 August
Wagner: die Götterdämmerung, excerpts
Varnay, Lorenz, Rehfuß, Greindl

Salzburg Festival

29 August - Mozart: die Zauberflöte
Seefried, Lipp, Dermota, Kunz, Greindl

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5 September, Berlin - BPO
Gluck: Alceste, Overture
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Grümmer, Pitzinger, Anders, Greindl

6/7 September, Berlin - BPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Grümmer, Pitzinger, Anders, Greindl

Tour of the Vienna Philharmonic

5 October, Montreux
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

6 October, Lausanne
Beethoven: Coriolan, Ov., and Symphony No. 6
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

7 October, Zürich
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

8 October, Basel
Beethoven: Coriolan, Ov., and Symphony No. 6
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

9 October, Paris
Beethoven: Coriolan, Ov., and Symphony No. 6
Brahms: Symphony No. 4
Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude (bis)

10 October, Paris and **13 October**, Münster
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

14 October, Hamburg
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

15 October, Hanover
Beethoven: Coriolan, Ov., and Symphony No. 6
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

16 October, Dortmund
Beethoven: Coriolan, Ov., and Symphony No. 6
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

17 October, Wuppertal
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

18 October, Düsseldorf
Brahms: Symphony No. 4
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

♦ On 18 October, Rudolf Bing, Director of the New York MET, wrote to Furtwängler, asking him to open the 1952 season with a new production of *Lohengrin* together with another operatic work of his own choosing such as *Tristan und Isolde* or *Meistersinger*. During his tour with the Berlin Philharmonic, Furtwängler learned that Toscanini objected to his coming in all possible manners. Thus once more his American plans fell into nothing just as all projects to make a tour in America with the Vienna Philharmonic.

♦ Le 18 octobre, le directeur du MET de New York Rudolf Bing écrivit à Furtwängler lui demandant d'inaugurer la saison 1952 avec une

nouvelle production du *Lohengrin* avec un autre opéra de son choix comme *Tristan und Isolde* ou *Meistersinger*. Pendant sa tournée avec la Philharmonie de Berlin, Furtwängler apprit que Toscanini objectait à sa venue de toutes les façons possibles. Ainsi, une fois de plus son souhait de faire une tournée américaine avec la Philharmonie de Berlin s'évanouit.

19 October, Wiesbaden
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

20 October, Heidelberg
Weber: der Freischütz, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

21 October, Frankfurt
Brahms: Symphony No. 4
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

22 October, Stuttgart
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

25 October, London - PO
Beethoven: Great Fugue and Piano Concerto No. 4
Myra Hess
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

27 October, Hamburg (NWDR Orchester)
Brahms: Haydn Variations, Double Concerto (*Erich Röhn, Arthur Troester*) and Symp. No. 1

28 October, Karlsruhe - VPO
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Brahms: Symphony No. 4

29 October, Munich - VPO
Beethoven: Coriolan, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 1
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

30 November/2/3 December, Berlin - BPO
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Bruckner: Symphony No. 4

10 January, Rome
(Orchestra di Roma della RAI)
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5
[Broadcasted on 17 January]

14 January, Rome [Broadcasted on 15th]
(Orchestra di Roma della RAI)
Wagner: die Walküre, Act I
H. Konetzni, Rohr, Treptow

19 January, Rome [Broadcasted live]
(Orchestra di Roma della RAI)
Beethoven: Piano Concerto No. 4 (*Pietro Scarpini*) and Symphony No. 3

23 January, Vienna State Opera
Wagner: die Walküre
Werth, H. Konetzni, Milinkovic, Suthaus, Hofmann

26/27/28 January, Vienna - VPO
Brahms: Haydn Variations, Double Concerto (*Boskowsky, Brabec*) and Symphony No. 1

27 January, Vienna (Schönbrunn Theatre at 8pm) - VPO

Mozart: Piano Concerto No. 22 (*Badura-Skoda*) and Serenade No. 10

30 January, Vienna State Opera
Wagner: Tristan und Isolde
Anny Konetzni, Milinkovic, Ludwig Suthaus, Gottlob Frick

2/3/4 February, Vienna - VPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Güden, Anday, Patzak, Poell

8/9/10 February, Berlin - BPO
Beethoven: Great Fugue
Honegger: Mouvement symphonique No. 3
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

29 February/4/6/9 (+)/12/16 March, Milan
(Orchestra del Teatro alla Scala)
Wagner: die Meistersinger von Nürnberg
E. Grümmer, S. Wagner, H. Beirer, J. Herrmann, J. Greindl, E. Kunz
[(+) Even if the performance was broadcasted live, the recording is lost.]

3 March, Turin (Orchestra di Torino della RAI)
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Beethoven: Leonore III
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Strauss: Death and Transfiguration
[Broadcasted on 18 April]

7 March, Turin (Orchestra di Torino della RAI)
Brahms: Violin Concerto (*Gioconda de Vito*) and Symphony No. 1
[Broadcasted live]

11 March, Turin (Orchestra di Torino della RAI)
Schubert: Rosamunde and Symphony No. 8
Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto (*Gioconda de Vito*)
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod
[Broadcasted on 15 March]

9/10/11 April, Vienna - VPO
Bach: Matthäus-Passion (*Seefried, Patzak, Rössl-Majdan, Braun, Wiener*)

18/19/20 April, Berlin - BPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 8
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

24 April, London - PO
Schumann: Manfred and Symphony No. 4
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Wagner: 5 Wesendonck Lieder (*K. Flagstad*) and Götterdämmerung, «*Starke Scheite schichtet mir dort*» (*Kirsten Flagstad*)

Tour of the Berlin Philharmonic

26 April, Hamburg
Weber: Oberon, Overture
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Honegger: Mouvement symphonique No. 3
Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole
Wagner: Flying Dutchman, Overture

27 April, Kiel
Beethoven: Egmont, Great Fugue, Symphonies No. 8 and 5

28 April, Bremen
Beethoven: Egmont and: Great Fugue
Schumann: Symphony No. 4
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

29 April, Hanover

Beethoven: Cavatina from opus 130, Great Fugue and Symphony No. 5

Honegger: Mouvement symphonique No. 3

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

30 April, Krefeld

Beethoven: Egmont and Great Fugue

Schumann: Symphony No. 4

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

2 May, Paris

Weber: Oberon, Overture

Schumann: Symphony No. 4

Honegger: Mouvement symphonique No. 3

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Wagner: Flying Dutchman, Overture (bis)

3 May, Paris

Beethoven: Egmont and Great Fugue

Brahms: Double Concerto (*Szigeti, Fournier*) and Symphony No. 2

Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude (bis)

5 May, Baden-Baden

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8, Cavatina from opus 130 and Great Fugue

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

6 May, Freiburg

Beethoven: Egmont and Great Fugue

Schumann: Symphony No. 4

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

7 May, Munich

Beethoven: Great Fugue

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

8 May, Stuttgart

Beethoven: Cavatina from op.130 and Great Fugue

Honegger: Mouvement symphonique No. 3

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude

9 May, Landau

Berlioz: le Carnaval romain

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

10 May, Heidelberg

Berlioz: le Carnaval romain

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

11 May, Frankfurt

Weber: Oberon, Overture

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

12 May, Bonn

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8, Leonore III and

Symphony No. 7

13 May, Viersen

Berlioz: le Carnaval romain

Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

14 May, Essen

Weber: Oberon, Overture

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

15 May, Düsseldorf

Berlioz: le Carnaval romain

Schumann: Symphony No. 4

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

16 May, Bielefeld

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8, Cavatina from opus 130 and Great Fugue

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

17 May, Münster

Weber: Oberon, Overture

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

Ravel: Rapsodie espagnole

Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

24 May, Berlin - BPO

Berlioz: le Carnaval romain

Debussy: Nocturnes (Nuages, Fêtes)

Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto (*Yehudi Menuhin*)

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

25 May, Berlin - BPO

Haydn: Symphony No. 94

Bach: Violin Concerto No. 2 (*Yehudi Menuhin*)

Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto (*Yehudi Menuhin*)

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

26 May, Berlin - BPO

Beethoven: Leonore II, Violin Concerto (*Menuhin*) and Symphony No. 5

31 May, Turin (Orchestra di Torino della RAI)

Wagner: die Götterdämmerung, Act 3

Flagstad, H. Konetzni, Suthaus, Greindl

[Broadcasted live]

4 June, Turin

(Orchestra di Torino della RAI)

Brahms: Double Concerto (*Wolfgang Schneiderhan, Enrico Mainardi*) and Symphony No. 2

6 June, Turin (Orchestra di Torino della RAI)

Wagner: Flying Dutchman, Overture; Siegfried Idyll and Götterdämmerung, Siegfried's Rhine journey

Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5

[Broadcasted live]

29 June, Zürich Stadttheater

(Tonhalle Orchestra)

Wagner: die Walküre

Grob-Prandl, Werth, Cavelti, Greindl

♦ During the rehearsals of the Salzburg Festival, he caught pneumonia and had to interrupt his activities for several months. He had to conduct the following operatic performances:

* Le Nozze di Figaro: 26 July, 2, 8, 23 and 29 August

* die Zauberflöte: 31 July, 7, 18 and 26 August

* Othello: 29 July, 4, 16, 22 and 28 August

SEASON 1952 - 1953**29/30 November, Vienna - VPO**

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

Mahler: Lieder eine fahrenden Gesellen (*A. Poell*)

Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

7/8/9 December, Berlin - BPO

Weber: der Freischütz, Overture

Hindemith: die Harmonie der Welt

Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

16 December, Frankfurt

(Hessisches Rundfunk Orchester)

Gluck: Iphigénie en Aulide, Overture

Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2

19 December, Turin [Broadcasted live]

(Orchestra di Torino della RAI)

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9

Schwarzkopf, Klose, Dermota, Edelmann

15 January, Hamburg; 16 January, Bremen; 17 January, Duisburg; 18 January, Mannheim; 19 January, Essen, 20 January, Bielefeld - BPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2

23 January, Vienna - VPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9

♦ Furtwängler having fainted during the Adagio, the concert was stopped. The soloists of 4th

movement should have been Irmgard Seefried, Rosette Anday, Anton Dermota and Paul Schöffler. The concerts of 24/25 January were cancelled and planned for 30/31 May with the same soloists.

♦ Furtwängler s'étant évanoui pendant l'Adagio, le concert fut arrêté. Les solistes du 4ème mouvement auraient dû être Irmgard Seefried, Rosette Anday, Anton Dermota et Paul Schöffler. Les concerts du 24/25 janvier furent annulés et programmés pour les 30/31 mai avec les mêmes solistes.

8/9/10 February, Berlin - BPO

Bach: Suite No. 2

Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales

Strawinsky: Petite Suite No 1

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

15/17 February, Vienna - VPO

Wagner: die Götterdämmerung, excerpts

A. Konetzni, G. Frick, L. Suthaus, E. Höngen

21/22 February, Vienna - VPO

Gluck: Iphigénie en Aulide, Overture

Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2

25 February, Winterthur

(Winterthurer Stadtorchester)

Franck: Symphonie in D minor

Schoeck: Summer Night

Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 6

2/3 March, Zürich (Tonhalle Orchester)

Beethoven: Symphonies No. 4 and 3

24 March, Kassel (Staatskapelle Orchester)

Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2

Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

27 March, London - PO

Beethoven: Egmont, Symphonies No. 6 and 7

12/13/14 April, Berlin - BPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8

Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

Tour of the Berlin Philharmonic**16 April, Hamburg**

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8

Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

17 April, Kiel

Brahms: Symphony No. 2

Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

18 April, Dortmund

Bach: Suite No. 2

Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

19 April, Köln

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

20 April, Bruxelles

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

22 April, London

Bach: Suite No. 2
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

24 April, Düsseldorf

Bach: Suite No. 2
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Don Juan
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

25 April, Essen

Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Don Juan
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

26 April, Hanover

Bach: Suite No. 2
Schoeck: Summer Night
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

28 April, Paris

Bach: Suite No. 2
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

30 April, Paris

Beethoven: Symphony No. 8, Leonore III and
Symphony No. 7
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod (bis)

2 May, Baden-Baden

Bach: Suite No. 2
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Don Juan
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

7 May, Munich

Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Beethoven: Violin Concerto (*Yehudi Menuhin*)
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

8 May, Landau

Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

9 May, Ludwigshafen

Brahms: Symphony No. 2
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3

10 May, Frankfurt

Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture
Ravel: Valses nobles et sentimentales
Strauss: Don Juan
Brahms: Symphony No. 2

17/18/19 May, Berlin - BPO

Strawinsky: le Baiser de la Fée
Beethoven: Violin Concerto (*W. Schneiderhan*)
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

29*/30 May (+) (3 pm), Vienna - VPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Seefried, Anday, Dermota, Schöffler
[(+) Broadcasted live]

31(*) May, 3 pm and 7.30 pm (Gala ceremony) - Vienna, VPO

Beethoven : Leonore II and Symphony No. 9
Seefried, Anday, Dermota, Schöffler
♦ It is not clear if Seefried sang twice the same day.

1 June, Linz - VPO

Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Zadek, Höngen, Dermota, Poell

Salzburg Festival (VPO)

27 July/3 August

Mozart: Don Giovanni

Schwarzkopf, Grümmer, Dermota, Siepi, Edelmann

7 August - Mozart: Le Nozze di Figaro

Schwarzkopf, Seefried, Güden, Kunz, Schöffler

8 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni

Schwarzkopf, Grümmer, Dermota, Siepi, Edelmann

11 August - Mozart: Le Nozze di Figaro

Schwarzkopf, Seefried, Güden, Kunz, Schöffler

12 August - 22 Lieder by Wolf

Elisabeth Schwarzkopf and Furtwängler, piano

18 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni

Schwarzkopf, Grümmer, Dermota, Siepi, Edelmann

Lucerne Festival

22 August

Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Hindemith: die Harmonie der Welt
Brahms: Piano Concerto No. 2 (*Edwin Fischer*)

26 August

Schumann: Manfred and Symphony No. 4
Beethoven: Symphony No. 3
[Broadcasted live by Sottens and Monte Ceneri]

Salzburg Festival

28 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni

Schwarzkopf, Grümmer, Dermota, Siepi, Edelmann

29 August - Mozart: Le Nozze di Figaro

Schwarzkopf, Seefried, Güden, Kunz, Schöffler

30 August

Strauss: Don Juan
Hindemith: die Harmonie der Welt
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

SEASON 1953 - 1954

4 September, Munich - VPO

Beethoven: Egmont, Symph. No. 4 and 3

6/7 September, Edinburgh - VPO

Beethoven: Egmont, Symph. No. 4 and 5

9 September, Edinburgh - VPO

Wagner: Meistersinger, Prelude
Hindemith: die Harmonie der Welt
Schubert: Symphony No. 9

11 September, Edinburgh - VPO

Strauss: Don Juan
Bartok: Violin Concerto No. 2
Yehudi Menuhin
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

15/16/17 September, Berlin - BPO

Schubert: Rosamunde, Symph. No. 8 and 9

19 September, Kiel - VPO

Strauss: Don Juan
Beethoven: Symphony No. 4
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

12/15/18 October, Vienna State Opera

Beethoven: Fidelio
Poell, Edelmann, Windgassen, Mödl, Jurinac

Rome (Orchestra della RAI di Roma)

26 October - Wagner: der Rheingold

Frantz, Poell, Windgassen, Greindl, Malaniuk, Grümmer
[Broadcasted Live]

29 October (Act 1), 3 November (Act 2) and 6 November (Act 3)

Wagner: die Walküre
Windgassen, Frantz, Hilde Konetzni, Mödl, Cavelti

10 November (Act 1), 13 November (Act 2) and 17 November (Act 3)

Wagner: Siegfried
Suthaus, Patzak, Frantz, Greindl, Klose, Mödl

20 November (Act 1), 24 November (Act 2) and 27 November (Act 3)

Wagner: die Götterdämmerung
Suthaus, Poell, Greindl, Mödl, Jurinac, Klose

[These operatic performances were broadcasted as follows:

a) Walküre: Act 1 on 30 October, Act 2 on 4 November, Act 3 on 6 November

b) Siegfried: Act 1 on 11 November, Act 2 on 13 November, Act 3 on 18 November

c) Götterdämmerung: Act 1 on 20 November, Act 2 on 25 November, Act 3 on 27 November]

16(*) November

Private performance at Vatican for Pope Pius XII.
Furtwängler and Gioconda de Vito play Brahms' 1st Sonata opus 78

26(*) November

Private performance at Castelgandolfo for Pius XII.

Furtwängler and G. de Vito play Brahms' 2nd Sonata opus 100

6/7/8 December, Berlin - BPO
Gluck: Iphigénie en Aulide, Overture
Mahler: Kindertotenlieder
Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau
Bruckner: Symphony No. 5

12/13 December, Vienna - VPO
Franck: Symphonie in D minor
Hindemith: die Harmonie der Welt
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

♦ Furtwängler is recovering from influenza in Baden-Baden, at the Sanatorium of Ebersteinburg

♦ Furtwängler se remet d'une grippe à Baden-Baden, au Sanatorium de Ebersteinburg.

12 March, London - PO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 4, Leonore II and Symphony No. 5

Concerts in Caracas Symphony Orchestra of Venezuela

19 March
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 10
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

21 March
Haendel: Concerto grosso No. 10
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 1

26 March, Zürich (Tonhalle Orchestra)
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

30 March, Stuttgart (SDR Orchestra)
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

1 April, Hamburg - BPO
Schubert: Rosamunde, Ov., Symph. No. 8 and 9

2 April, Hamburg and **4/5/6 April**, Berlin - BPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 2 and Leonore II
Brahms: Piano Concerto No. 1 (*Erik Then-Bergh*)

10/11 April, Vienna - VPO
Bruckner: Symphony No. 8

14/15/16/17 April, Vienna - VPO
Bach: Matthäus-Passion
Grümmer, Höffgen, Dermota, Fischer-Dieskau

25/26/27 April, Berlin - BPO
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Blacher: Concertante Musik
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

Tour of the Berlin Philharmonic

28 April, Hanover
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

29 April, Bielefeld
Weber: Euryanthe, Overture
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Schubert: Symphony No. 8

30 April, Köln
Haendel: Concerto grosso No. 5
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

3 May, Paris
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5

Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Blacher: Concertante Musik
Strauss: Don Juan
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture and Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod (bis)

4 May, Paris [Broadcasted live]
Weber: Euryanthe, Overture
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

5 May, Lyon
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

6 May, Geneva
Weber: Euryanthe, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture

7 May, Lausanne
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

8 May, Milan
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Weber: Euryanthe, Overture

9 May, Milan
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Weber: Euryanthe, Overture
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture (bis)

10 May, Florence
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture (bis)

11 May, Perugia
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod and Tannhäuser, Overture (bis)

12 May, Rome
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5
Wagner: Tannhäuser, Overture (bis)

14 May, Turin [Broadcasted live]
Weber: Euryanthe, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod and Tannhäuser, Overture (bis)

15 May, Lugano [Broadcasted live]
Beethoven: Symphony No. 6
Mozart: Piano Concerto No. 20 (*Yvonne Lefébure*)
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel

16 May, Zürich
Haendel: Concerto Grosso No. 5
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

17 May, Friburg en Brisgau
Brahms: Haydn Variations
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 5

18 May, Baden-Baden

Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Brahms: Symphony No. 3
Blacher: Concertante Music
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Wagner: Tristan, Prelude and Liebestod

19 May, Karlsruhe
Cherubini: Anacreon, Overture
Schubert: Symphony No. 8
Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

20 May, Mannheim
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

21 May, Kassel
Brahms: Haydn Variations and Symphony No. 3
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

23/24/25 May, Berlin - BPO
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 6 and 5

30 May, Vienna - VPO
Schubert: Rosamunde, Symph. No. 8 and 9

2 June, Genève and **3 June**, Lausanne - OSR
Beethoven: Symphonies No. 4 and 3

Salzburg Festival (VPO)

26/30 July - Weber: der Freischütz
Poell, Czerwenka, Grümmer, Streich

3 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni
Ernster, Siepi, Dermota, Grümmer, Schwarzkopf

5 August - Weber: der Freischütz
Grümmer, Streich, Hopf, Böhme, Poell

6 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni
Schwarzkopf, Grümmer, Siepi, Edelmann, Dermota

9 August, Bayreuth (Festspielhaus Orchester)
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Brouwenstijn, Malaniuk, Windgassen, Weber

Salzburg Festival

10/13 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni
Schwarzkopf, Grümmer, Siepi, Edelmann, Dermota

16 August - Weber: der Freischütz
Grümmer, Streich, Hopf, Böhme, Poell

18 August - Mozart: Don Giovanni
Ernster, Siepi, Dermota, Grümmer, Schwarzkopf

Lucerne Festival

21/22 (+) August, PO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9
Schwarzkopf, Cavelti, Häfliger, Edelmann
[(+) Broadcasted by Sottens, Beromünster and Monte Ceneri]

25 August
Haydn: Symphony No. 88
Bruckner: Symphony No. 7

30 August, Salzburg - VPO
Beethoven: Symphony No. 8, Great Fugue and Symphony No. 7

6 September, Besançon (Orchestre de l'ORTF)
Beethoven: Coriolan, Symphonies No. 6 and 5

SEASON 1954 - 1955

♦ On 13 September Furtwängler attended in Dortmund the rehearsals of his Second Symphony conducted by Rolf Agop. / Le 13 septembre, Furtwängler assista à Dortmund aux répétitions de sa deuxième symphonie dirigée par Rolf Agop.

19/20 September, Berlin - BPO
Furtwängler: Symphony No. 2
Beethoven: Symphony No. 1

♦ He goes to Gastein to cure his hearing troubles. During the trip back to Clarens, he catches a cold. On 12 November he is taken to hospital in Baden-

Baden where he dies on November 30. He is buried in Heidelberg's cemetery.

♦ Il se rend à Gastein pour traiter ses problèmes de l'ouïe. Pendant son retour à Clarens, il prend froid. Le 12 novembre, il est hospitalisé à Baden-Baden où il meurt le 30 novembre. Il repose au cimetière de Heidelberg.

♦ He was to conduct the following performances of the Vienna Philharmonic during the Season 1954/1955:

8/9 January: Beethoven: Symphony No. 9.

23/24 April: Mendelssohn: the Hebrides, Overture - Brahms: Symphony No. 2 - Wagner: Parsifal, Good Friday Spell - Liszt: les Préludes

14/15 May: Haydn: Symphony No. 100 - Bruckner: Symphony No. 9

He also was to tour to America with the Berlin Philharmonic in March-April 1955. He was replaced by Karajan.

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