The Naff Collection is an accumulation of programs, autographed photographs, posters, folders, booklets, announcements and a few other items which tell the story of professional theater in Nashville between the years 1900 and 1960.

This material was collected by the late Mrs. L. C. Naff during the period in which she served as secretary to the Rice Bureau and later as manager of the Ryman Auditorium. She bequeathed the collection to Francis Robinson, assistant manager of the Metropolitan Opera, who began his career as an usher at the Ryman.

On March 27, 1967, Mr. Robinson made the formal presentation of the collection to the Public Library of Nashville and Davidson County, Charles C. Trabue, chairman of the board, and Marshall Stewart, chief librarian. The public was invited to this ceremony at which the collection was on display.

The materials had been listed by chronological periods and arranged by Ann Dorsey, head of the reference department, Edward Durham and Terry Hudson. After the material had remained on exhibit for one month, it was packed for storage.

In January 1971, it was decided that the collection should be classified and indexed so that it might be more readily available to researchers and other interested parties.

The holdings in the Naff Collection have been classified as follows:

**NAFF COLLECTION CLASSIFICATIONS**

- Advertising Announcements
- Descriptive Folders
- Letters and Telegrams
- Librettos
- Newspaper Clippings
- Photographs
- Posters
- Programs:
  - Concerts
  - Dances
  - Lectures
  - Miscellaneous
  - Musical Comedies
  - Operas
  - Operettas
  - Orchestras
  - Plays
The subject headings of the various collections will most likely lead to desired information, particularly if the medium of a performer is known. In a few instances in which the performer is better known than the production, the performer’s name has been listed first under the classification. In most instances the title of the performance has been listed first.

Most of the Naff Collection is located in the vertical file of the Nashville Room. Posters and a few oversized pictures are located in the map case in Room 211.

A Chronological Index, except for photographs and a few programs for which no date has yet been found, has been arranged so that quick reference may be made to dates.

(Classification and Indexing by Kathryn Simmons, assisted by Cheri Porter and Sally Raye)

NAFF COLLECTION – NUMERICAL CLASSIFICATION - PREFACE

To aid filing, each item in the collection has been assigned a number so the material is in numerical as well as alphabetical order. The numbers appear on each corresponding item.

Each classification has a number, which is the **first** number on the item.

Classifications:
- Advertising Announcements (1)
- Descriptive Folders (2)
- Letters & Telegrams (3)
- Librettos (4)
- Newspaper Clippings (5)
- Photographs (6)
- Posters (7)
- Programs (8)
- Realia (9)
- Scripts (10)
- Souvenir Booklets (11)

The **second** number (a letter precedes the second number in the case of programs – see below*) indicates the order of each item **under** the classification:
Classification: ADVERTISING ANNOUNCEMENTS (1)
Item: Andrews, Tod (1)
Number for this item would be 1-1
   Each item is numbered consecutively: 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, etc.

For Descriptive Folders, the numbers would run: 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, etc.

*Since the Program items have subheadings indicating the type of program, these subheadings have been assigned letters A through L and the items under each subheading have a number.
Classification: PROGRAMS (8)
Types of programs:
   Concerts (A)
   Dance (B)
   Lectures (C)
   Miscellaneous (D)
   Musical Comedies (E)
   Operas (F)
   Operettas (G)
   Orchestras (H)
   Plays (I)
   Recitals (J)
   Souvenir (K)
   Variety (L)

Example:
   Programs (8)
   Concerts (A)
   Items (1)

Thus, a concert program is designated 8-A-1, 8-A-2, etc.

Since photographs were numbered prior to this arrangement of assigning each classification a number corresponding to its alphabetical position in the collection, the photos are not numbered 6-1, 6-2, etc. (though the classification number 6 has been set aside for photos). The photos are merely numbered consecutively 1-421 with oversized photos separately alphabetized at the end of the regular-sized pictures (numbers 422-453)

NAFF COLLECTION
Classifications 1-11, exclusive of photographs

Advertising Announcements:

1-1  Tod Andrews in Mister Roberts
-2   Tod Andrews, in Mister Roberts
-3   Annie Get Your Gun
-4   As Thousands Cheer
-5   Announcement of Coming Attractions 1937-38
-6   Announcement of Coming Attractions 1946-47
Announcement of Coming Attractions 1950-51

Partial List of Attractions 1950-51

Avon Players

Manhattan Grand Opera & Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet

Ballet Russe

Ballet Russe

Tallulah Bankhead in Reflected Glory

Tallulah Bankhead in Private Lives

The Barber of Seville

Ethel Barrymore in The Corn Is Green

Freddie Bartholomew in The Hasty Heart

The Beggar’s Opera

Blackstone & 1001 Wonders

Blossom Time

Eddie Bracken in Seven Year Itch

Carmen Jones

Earl Carroll Vanities

Earl Carroll Vanities

Cherries Are Ripe

Open Letter to Theatregoers

Crazy Quilt

Dear Ruth

Melvyn Douglas in Two Blind Mice

James Dunn in Harvey

Faust

Gilbert & Sullivan

The Green Pastures

Sir Ben Greet

Roland Hayes & Fisk Jubilee Singers

Hellzapoppin

Victor Herbert’s The Red Mill

Hollywood Ice Revels

Walter Huston in Dodsworth

Spike Jones

Spike Jones

Spike Jones

Fritz Kreisler

La Boheme

Dorothy Lamour

Gertrude Lawrence in Skylark

Fritz Leiber

Bela Lugosi in Arsenic & Old Lace

John McCormack

Jeanette MacDonald

Aimee Semple McPherson
-53 Madame Butterfly
-54 Madame Butterfly
-55 Robert B. Mantell & Genevieve Hamper
-56 Robert B. Mantell & Genevieve Hamper
-57 Martha
-58 Lauritz Melchior
-59 The Moon is Blue
-60 Colleen Moore in Cindy
-61 National Ballet of Canada
-62 New York Civic Opera presents Carmen
-63 Of Thee I Sing
-64 Oklahoma
-65 Paderewski
-66 Paderewski
-67 Paderewski
-68 Partial List of Musical Events 1920-21
-69 Partial List of Attractions 1921-22
-70 Partial List of Attractions 1922-23
-71 List of Attractions 1921-32
-72 List of Attractions 1948
-73 List of Attractions 1951-52
-74 Black Hills Passion Play
-75 Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet
-76 Verdi’s Rigoletto
-77 Sigmund Romberg
-78 Romeo & Juliet
-79 Rosy and His Gang
-80 Ruth St. Dennis & Ted Shawn Dancers
-81 San Carlo Grand Opera Company
-82 Scotti Grand Opera Company
-83 Ted Shawn
-84 Ted Shawn
-85 Sousa & his Band
-86 The Student Prince
-87 The Student Prince
-88 The Student Prince
-89 The Student Prince
-90 Three Men On a Horse
-91 Two Black Crows & W. C. Fields
-92 Vienna Choir Boys
-93 Fred Waring
-94 Margaret Webster Shakespeare Company
-95 Mae West
-96 George White’s Scandals
-97 George White’s Scandals
-98 Paul Whiteman
The Women
Alexander Woollcott

Descriptive Folders:

2-1 Frances Alda
2 Marian Anderson
3 Apple Cart
4 Ballet Russe
5 Ballet Theatre
6 Ethel Barrymore in White Oaks
7 The Beggar’s Opera
8 Brother Rat
9 DuPont Calvacade of America presents Honor Bound
10 Chicago Civic Opera
11 Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra
12 A Connecticut Yankee
13 The Constant Wife
14 Crazy Quilt
15 Creatore Grand Opera Co., Inc.
16 Vladimir de Pachmann
17 Don Cossack’s Russian Male Chorus
18 Isadora Duncan Dancers
19 Nelson Eddy
20 Nelson Eddy
21 Elizabeth the Queen
21a Mischa Elman
21b Mischa Elman
22 The English Singers
23 Flying High
24 Amelita Galli-Curci
25 The Great Waltz
26 The Green Pastures
27 Sir Philip Ben Greet
28 Walter Hampden
30 The House Beautiful
31 Joos European Ballet
32 Maurice Evans
33 Fritz Kreisler
34 Kryl & his Symphony
35 Jan Kubelik
36 Leginska’s Boston Women’s Symphony Orchestra
37 John McCormack
38 Robert B. Mantell
39 Merchant of Venice
40 Grace Moore
-41 My Dear Children
-42 Bitter Sweet
-43 The Old Maid
-44 Passion Play
-45 Namiko San
-46 Anna Lavlowa
-47 The Play’s the Thing
-48 Lily Pons
-49 Rosa Ponselle
-50 Richelieu
-51 Roy Rogers
-52 Will Rogers & DeReske Singers
-53 Rubinoff
-54 Russian Symphonic Choir
-55 Ruth St. Denis & Ted Shawn
-56 St. Olaf Lutheran Choir
-57 San Carlo Grand Opera
-58 San Carlo Grand Opera
-59 San Carlo Grand Opera
-60 Tony Sarg’s Marionettes
-61 Antonio Scotti & the Scotti Grand Opera Co.
-62 Ted Shawn & Denishawn Dancers
-63 Smiling Faces
-64 Sousa & his Band
-65 Strange Interlude
-66 Strictly Dishonorable
-67 Marion Talley
-68 Tobacco Road
-69 Tovarich
-70 Ukrainian National Chorus
-71 United States Navy Band
-72 Paul Whiteman
-73 Yes, My Darling Daughter
-74 Ziegfeld Follies
-75 Ziegfeld Follies – Programs, Concerts

**Letters & Telegrams**

3-1 Note from Will Allen Dromgoole to Mrs. L. C. Naff concerning Dromgoole’s illness (Sept. 9, 1911)
-2 Letter to Mrs. L. C. Naff from Fulcher & Bohan, booking agents (Aug. 27, 1923)
-3 Telegram to Charles L. Wagner from Mrs. L. C. Naff concerning recent performance of Madame Butterfly (Oct. 24, 1947)
Letter to Mr. Marshall David Stuart from Francis Robinson, assistant manager, Metropolitan Opera, NY concerning donations to the Naff Collection from Mrs. Naff’s grandson (Dec. 14, 1966)

Letter to Mrs. L. C. Naff from Tony Sarg (Mar. 8, 1934)

Librettos

4-1 The Barber of Seville
-2 Il Trovatore
-3 La Bohème
-4 La Traviata
-5 Namiko-San
-6 L’Oracolo
-7 Thais

Newspaper Clippings

5-1 “Biggest Crowd since Caruso Sang in City Greets Macpherson: (Tennessean, Apr. 23, 1927)
-2 “Governor Smith’s Tour of Triumph Through South Brings Him to Nashville” (Tennessean, Oct. 28, 1928)

Realia

6-1 Purple corsage bow

Programs – Concerts

8-A-1 Carmen Jones
-2
-3 Don Cossack Russian Male Chorus
-4 English Singers
-5 Roland Hayes
-6 Joseph Macpherson
-7 Harpo Marx
-8 A Night of Mirth and Melody
-9 Patrice Munsel
-10 Nashville’s Civic Pride Concert
-11 Nashville Piano Ensemble
-12 A Night in Old Vienna
-13 Old Harp Singers & Others
-14 Roman Singers
-15 Roxy & His Gang
-16 Russian Symphonic Choir
-17 St. Olaf Lutheran Choir
-18 Singing Boys of Norway
-19 Sousa & His Band
-20 Sousa & His Band
-21 Strauss Festival
-22 Ukrainian National Chorus
-22a Mischa Elman
-23 United States Navy Band
-24 Vienna Choir Boys

**Programs – Dance**

8-B-1
-2 Ballet Russe 3/2/1936
-3 Ballet Russe 3/8/1937
-4 Ballet Russe 01/11/1943
-5 Ballet Russe 01/17/1944
-6 Ballet Russe 01/14/1946
-7 Ballet Theatre 11/29/1954
-8 Ballet Theatre 01/20/1954
-9 Ballet Theatre 01/20/1954
-10 Paul Draper & Larry Adler
-11 Isadora Duncan Dancers
-12 Martha Graham & Dance Company
-13 Jose’ Greco
-14 Joos European Ballet
-15 National Ballet of Canada
-16 Andreas Pavley
-17 Anna Pavlowa
-18 Ruth St. Denis Concert Dancers
-18a Ruth St. Denis Concert Dancers
-19 Ruth St. Denis & Ted Shawn
-20 Ruth St. Denis & Ted Shawn
-21 Ted Shawn & His Men Dancers
-22 Ted Shawn & His Men Dancers
-23 Ted Shawn & His Men Dancers
-24 Ted Shawn & His Men Dancers
-25 Yma Sumac

**Programs – Lectures**

8-C-1 Captain Roald Amundsen
-2 Dr. Norman Vincent Peale
-3 Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt
-4 Methodist Revival

**Programs – Miscellaneous**
Armistice Day Ceremonies
- 2 William Jennings Bryan Memorial Service
- 3 Hollywood Ice Revels
- 4 Austin Peay Memorial Service
- 5 Pied Piper of Hamelin – Tony Sarg’s Marionettes
- 6 Uncle Remus’ Stories – Tony Sarg’s Marionettes
- 7 Skippy Program
- 8 Thomas Wilfred & his Clavilux
- 9 Eight Popular Victor Artists

Programs – Musical Comedies

Annie Get Your Gun
- 2 As Thousands Cheer
- 3 Blossom Time
- 4 A Connecticut Yankee
- 5 Flying High
- 6 Guys & Dolls
- 7 Hellzapoppin
- 8 “Nina ‘Rosa” & “Florodora”
- 9 Of Thee I Sing
- 10 Oklahoma
- 11 Crazy Quilt
- 12 Smiling Faces
- 13 George White’s Scandals

Programs – Operas

The Beggar’s Opera
- 2 Carmen
- 3 “Carmen” & “Barber of Seville”
- 4 Cavalleria Rusticana
- 5 Don Pasquale
- 6 Faust
- 7 Faust
- 8 Il Trovatore
- 9 La Boheme
- 10 Madame Butterfly
- 11 Madame Butterfly
- 12 Madame Butterfly
- 13 Martha
- 14 “Dance of the Hours” & Namiko San”
- 15 Verdi’s Rigoletto
- 16 Verdi’s Rigoletto
- 17 Romeo et Juliette
- 18 Massenet’s “Thais”
Programs – Operettas

8-G-1 Blossom Time
-2 The Great Waltz
-3 The Merry Widow
-4 The Student Prince
-5 The Student Prince

Programs – Orchestras

8-H-1 Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra
-2 Wayne King
-3 Kryl & his Symphony Band
-4 Leginska’s Boston Women’s Symphony
-5 Lauritz Melchior
-6 Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra
-7 Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra
-8 Sigmund Romberg & his Concert Orchestra
-9 Sigmund Romberg & his Concert Orchestra
-10 Tennessee Philharmonic Orchestra
-11 Tipica Orchestra of Mexico
-12 Paul Whiteman
-13 Paul Whiteman
-14 Paul Whiteman
-15 Paul Whiteman

Programs – Plays

8-I-1 Abie’s Irish Rose
-2 The Apple Cart
-3 Arsenic & Old Lace
-4 Arsenic & Old Lace
-5 Candida
-6 Blithe Spirit
-7 Brother Rat
-8 Candida
-9 Candle in the Wind
-10 Caponsacchi
-11 Cherries Are Ripe
-12 Cindy
-13 The Constant Wife
-14 The Corn is Green
-15 Dear Ruth
-16 Dear Ruth
-17  Dodsworth
-18  The Electric Chair
-19  Elizabeth the Queen
-20  Evening of Tragedy & Comedy
-21  Golden Boy
-22  The Green Pastures
-23  The Green Pastures
-24  Everyman
-25  Hamlet
-26  “Hamlet” & “Merchant of Venice”
-27  Harvey
-28  Her First Murder
-29  The House Beautiful
-30  Julius Caesar
-31  King Richard II
-32  Kiss & Tell
-33  Kiss the boys Goodbye
-34  Fritz Leiber’s Shakespeare Production
-35  Fritz Leiber’s Shakespeare Production
-36  Fritz Leiber’s Shakespeare Production
-37  Fritz Leiber’s Shakespeare Production
-38  Life With Father
-39  Life With Father
-40  Life With Father
-41  The Little Foxes
-42  The Love Duel
-43  As You Like It
-44  King Lear
-45  The Man Who Came to Dinner
-46  The Merchant of Venice
-47  The Merchant of Venice
-48  The Merchant of Venice
-49  Mister Roberts
-50  Mister Roberts
-51  The Moon is Blue
-52  My Dear Children
-53  Othello
-54  Passion Play
-55  Passion Play
-56  The Philadelphia Story
-57  The Play’s the Thing
-58  Private Lives
-59  Reflected Glory
-60  Richelieu
-61  Romeo & Juliet
-62  Seven Year Itch
-63 Skylark
-64 Springtime for Henry
-65 State of the Union
-66 Strange Interlude
-67 Strictly Dishonorable
-68 Taming of the Shrew
-69 Tobacco Road
-70 Tobacco Road
-71 Tovarich
-72 Treat Her Gently
-73 Victoria Regina
-74 Voice of the Turtle
-75 Watch on the Rhine
-76 Whitecoats
-77 The Women
-78 Yes, My Darling Daughter

Programs – Recitals

8-J-1 Frances Alda
   -2 Marian Anderson
   -3 Marian Anderson
   -4 Marian Anderson
   -5 Marian Anderson
   -6 Sophie Braslau
   -7 Emma Alve
   -8 Alice D’Hermanoy & Others
   -9 Giuseppe DeLuca
   -10 Don Cossack Chorus
   -11 Nelson Eddy
   -12 Mischa Elman
   -12a Mischa Elman
   -13 Geraldine Farrar
   -14 Geraldine Farrar
   -15 First Piano Quartet
   -16 Amelita Galla-Curci
   -17 Amelita Galla-Curci
   -18 Amelita Galla-Curci
   -19 Amelita Galla Curci
   -20 Rudolf Ganz
   -21 Benjamino Gigli
   -22 Alma Gluck & Efrem Zimbalist
   -23
   -24 Maria Jeritza
   -25 Fritz Kreisler
   -26 Fritz Kreisler
-27 Fritz Kreisler
-28 Fritz Kreisler
-29 Fritz Kreisler
-30 Jan Kubelik
-31 Mary Lewis
-32 John McCormack
-33 John McCormack
-34 John McCormack
-35 Jeanette MacDonald
-36 Mariemma
-37 Margaret Matzenauer
-38 Lauritz Melchoir
-39 James Melton
-40 Grace Moore
-41 Paderewski
-42 Paderewski
-43 Paderewski
-44 Paderewski
-45 Lily Pons
-46 Rosa Ponselle
-47 Phil Rubinoff
-48 Artur Rubinstein
-49 Luisa Tetrazzini

Programs – Souvenir

8-K-1 Abie’s Irish Rose
   -2 Ballet Russe
   -3 Ballet Russe
   -4 Ethel Barrymore in “The Corn in Green”
   -5 Blithe Spirit
   -6 Blossom Time
   -7 Blossom Time
   -8 Lucrezia Bori
   -9 Dear Ruth
-10 Don Cossack Chorus & Dancers
-11 Nelson Eddy
-12 Hellzapoppin
-13 The Philadephia Story
-14 Springtime for Henry
-15 Spike Jones
-16 Ballets Joos
-17 Joseph T. Macpherson
-18 Madame Butterfly
-19 Mary of Scotland
-20 Yehudi Menuhin
-21  The Merry Widow
-22  Philadelphia Orchestra
-23  Lily Pons
-24  Porgy and Bess
-25  Roy Rogers
-26  Sigmund Romberg
-27  Sigmund Romberg
-28  Scotti Grand Opera
-29  Ted Shawn
-30  Sousa & His Band
-30a  Marian Talley
-31  Tobacco Road
-32  Vienna Choir Boys

**Programs – Variety**

8-L-1  Earl Carroll Vanities
   -2  Earl Carroll Vanities
   -3  Fashion Revue
   -4  Diamond Jubilee Celebration
   -5  Grand Ole Opry
   -6  Spike Jones
   -7  Spike Jones
   -8  Spike Jones
   -9  Spike Jones
  -10  Spike Jones
  -11  Spike Jones
  -12  Dorothy Lamour
  -13  We’re Going Places
  -14  DeReszke Singers
  -15  Will Rogers & DeReszke Singers
  -16  Mae West
  -17  Ziegfeld Follies
  -18  Ziegfeld Follies

**Scripts**

10-1  Passion Play

**Souvenir Booklets**

11-1
   -2  Marian Anderson
   -3  Ballet Russe
The chronology includes all items in the collection except photographs, with items listed in order of performance date. Each performance is noted exactly as it is indexed in the card catalog, the classification following in parenthesis.

Example:
Dec. 2, 1926  Melton, James in “A Night of Mirth & Melody” (Programs-Concerts)

This item is filed under the classification: Programs – Concerts, alphabetically under: Melton, James

Items for which no date has been found are listed alphabetically at the end of the chronology.

CHRONOLOGICAL LISTING OF NAFF COLLECTION
(Exclusive of Photographs)

Oct 23-24, 1901 Carmen & Barber of Seville (Programs-Operas)

Sep 9, 1911  Dromgoole, Will Allen (Letters & Telegrams)

Feb 18, 1919  Rigoletto (Programs – Operas)

Apr 29, 1919  Caruso, Enrico (Souvenir Booklets, Programs – Concerts – missing)

Apr 30, 1919  Galli-Curci, Amelita (Programs – Recitals)

Oct 29, 1919  Duncan, Isadora Dancers in Joint Recital with George Copeland (Programs – Dance)

Nov 24, 1919  McCormack, John (Programs – Recitals)

Mar 11, 1920  Elman, Mischa (Descriptive Folders, Programs – Recitals)

May 6, 1920  Farrar, Geraldine (Programs – Recitals)

Oct 12, 1920  Ponselle, Rosa (Descriptive Folders)

Dec 9-11, 1920 Creatore Grand Opera Co., Inc. (Descriptive Folders)

Jan 4, 1921  St. Denis, Ruth Concert Dancers with Ellis Rhodes, tenor (Programs – Dance)
Jan 20, 1921  Tetrazzini, Mme. Luisa (Programs – Recitals)

Jan 25, 1921  Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras)

Feb 18, 1921  Gluck, Alma, Efrem Zimbalist & Eleanor Scheib, pianist (Programs – Recitals, Descriptive Folders)

Mar 12, 1921  Braslau, Sophie (Programs – Recitals)

Oct 31, 1921  Aida, Frances (Programs – Recitals)

Nov 11, 1921  Armistice Day Ceremonial (Programs – Miscellaneous)

Jan 16-18, 1922  Hamlet, Macbeth, Romeo and Juliet, The Merchant of Venice: Starring Walter Hampden (Programs – Plays)

Feb 18, 1922  Pavlowa, Anna (Programs – Dance, Souvenir Booklets)

Mary 8, 1922  Galli-Curci, Amelita (Programs – Recitals)

May 18, 1922  Scotti Grand Opera Company with Antonio Scotti (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Souvenir)

Oct 27, 1922  Sousa, Lt. John Philip & his Band (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Souvenir)

Nov 28, 1922  Ukrainian National Chorus, Alexander Koshetz conducting, and Mme. Nina Kosheta (Programs – Concerts, Descriptive Folders, Souvenir Booklets)

Dec 6, 1922  St. Denis, Ruth with Ted Shawn & the Denishawn Dancers (Programs – Dance)

Jan 24, 1923  Madame Butterfly (Programs – Operas)

Feb 19, 1923  Calve, Mme. Emma (Programs – Recitals)

Mar 29, 1923  Jeritza, Maria (Programs – Recitals)

Aug 27, 1923  Fulcher & Bohan letter about Irene Castle’s appearance (Letters & Telegrams)

Nov 20, 1923  Stahlman, Major E. B. (Programs – Lectures)

Feb 27, 1924  Pavolva, Anna & her Ballet Russe (Descriptive Folders)

Mar 26, 1924  D’Hermanoy, Alice (Programs – Recitals)
Nov 17, 1924  De Pachmann, Vladimir, pianist in his Farewell Tour (Descriptive Folders, Posters)

Jan 5-6, 1925  Faust, Madame Butterfly, and Rigoletto: performed by San Carlo Grand Opera Co. (Descriptive Folders, Advertising Announcements, Programs – Operas)

Jan 12, 1925  Othello (Programs – Plays)

Jan 19, 1925  Whiteman, Paul and his Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras)

Jan 30, 1925  Matzenauer, Mme. Margaret (Programs – Recitals)

Feb 2, 1925  Eight Popular Victor Artists (Programs – Variety)

Mar 9, 1925  Heifetz, Jascha (Programs – Recitals)

May 12, 1925  Fashion Revue & Female Minstrel (Programs – Variety)

Aug 2, 1925  Bryan, William Jennings in Memoriam (Programs – Miscellaneous)

Oct 26, 1925  Pavely-Oukrainsky Ballet & the Philharmonic Orchestra (Advertising Announcements)

Oct 28, 1925  Whiteman, Paul & His Greater Concert Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras, Descriptive Folders, Souvenir Booklets)

Nov 4, 1925  Amundsen, Capt. Roald (Programs – Lectures)

Nov 21, 1925  Pavley, Andreas with the Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet Russe (Programs – Dance)

Nov 30, 1925  Ganz, Rudolph (Programs o Recitals)

Feb 3, 1926  Paderewski (Programs – Recitals)

Mar 8, 1926  Galli-Curci, Amelita (Programs – Recitals)

Mar 19, 1926  Elman, Mischa (Programs – Recitals)

June 10, 1926  Talley, Marian (Programs – Souvenir Booklets)

Oct 14, 1926  Rogers, Will & the DeReszke Singers (Programs – Variety, Descriptive Folders)
Oct 22, 1926  Tipica Orchestra of Mexico, Jose Briseno conducting (Programs – Orchestras)

Oct 26, 1926  Lewis, Mary (Programs – Recitals)

Nov 3, 1926  Pavley-Ourkrainsky Ballet & Opera Namiko San (Programs – Operas) with the Manhattan Opera Company (Descriptive Folders) performing Namiko San (Posters) Ballet & Opera Combination Event (Advertising Announcements)

Nov 10, 1926  Sousa, John Philip & his Band (Programs – Concerts)

Nov 26, 1926  Bori, Lucrezia, Metropolitan Opera Company (Programs – Souvenir)

Dec 2, 1926  Melton, James in “A Night of Mirth & Melody” (Programs – Concerts)

Dec 13-19, 1926  Mantell, Robert B. & Hamper, Genevieve in a week of plays by Shakespeare (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders, Advertising Announcements)

Jan. 18, 1927  Russian Symphonic Choir, Basile Kibalchich directing (Descriptive Folders, Programs-Concerts)

Feb. 18, 1927  Gigli, Beniamino (Programs—Recitals)

April 23, 1927  Macpherson, Joseph (Newspaper Clippings)

Apr. 27, 1927  Macpherson, Joseph (Programs – souvenir)

May 12, 1927  Cavalleria Rusticana (Programs – Souvenir)

Oct 16, 1927  Peay, Austin, Governor of Tennessee in Memoriam (Programs – Miscellaneous)

Oct. 20, 1927  De Luca, Giuseppe (Programs – Recitals)

Jan. 17, 1928  Farrar, Geraldine with Claude Gonvierre (Programs – Recitals)

Feb. 6, 1928  Paderewski (Programs – Recitals, Advertising Announcements, Posters)

Feb. 24, 1928  McCormack, John (Programs – Recitals, Advertising Announcements)

Mar. 16, 1928  Macpherson, Joseph (Programs – Concerts)

Apr. 12, 1928  Nashville’s Civic Pride Concert (Programs-Concerts)
Apr. 19-21, 1928  Leiber, Fritz in Shakespeare’s plays (Programs-Plays, Advertising Announcements) performing: Hamlet, Macbeth, Julius Caesar, The Taming of the Shrew

May 1, 1928  Moore, Grace (Programs - Recitals, posters, Descriptive Folders)

May 15, 1928  Nashville Piano Ensemble, Enrico Leide conducting (Programs – Concerts)

June 8, 1928  Two Black Crows (Moran & Mack) with W.C. Fields, Joan Ruth and Cliff O’Rouke (Advertising Announcements)

Oct. 25, 1928  Whiteman, Paul & his Orchestra (Posters, Programs – Orchestras)

Oct. 28, 1928  Smith, Governor Alfred (Newspaper Clippings)

Nov. 26-Dec. 1, 1928  Leibere, Fritz in plays of Shakespeare (Posters)

Nov. 28, 1928  Romeo & Juliet, The Merchant of Venice (Programs – Plays)

Feb. 21, 1929  Chicago Civic Opera in “Thais” (Descriptive Folders ) Thais (Programs-Operas)

Mar. 6, 1929  The English Singers (Programs – Concerts, Descriptive Folders)

Oct. 29, 1929  St. Denis, Ruth and Ted Shawn (Programs-Dance, Posters, Descriptive Folders)

Nov. 5, 1929  Leginska’s Boston Woman’s Symphony Programs – Orchestras, Descriptive Folders)

Jan. 11, 1930  “Skippy” and the Illuminated Marionette Ballet (Programs – Miscellaneous)

Jan. 20, 1930  A Connecticut Yankee (Programs – Musical Comedies, Descriptive Folders)

Jan. 22, 1930  St. Olaf Lutheran Choir (Programs – Concerts, Descriptive Folders)

Feb. 4-5, 1930  Greet, Sir Philip Ben & his Company of English Players in Twelfth Night, Hamlet, Much Ado About Nothing, Everyman (Programs – Plays, Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

Feb. 27, 1930  Duncan, Isadora Dancers (Descriptive Folders)

Mar. 19-22, 1930  The Passion Play (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders, Scripts)
Oct. 8, 1930  Hayes, Roland & the Fisk Jubilee Singers (Advertising Announcements)

Oct. 31, 1930  Sousa, John Philip & his Band (Programs – Concerts, Descriptive Folders)

Nov. 12, 1930 “Cindy” with Colleen Moore (Programs – Plays, Moore, Colleen
  (Advertising Announcements)

Nov. 20, 1930  Cherries Are Ripe (Programs – Plays, Advertising Announcements)

Nov. 29, 1930  The Merchant of Venice with Joseph Selman (Programs – Plays)

Dec. 26-27, 1930  Strictly Dishonorable (Programs – Plays Descriptive Folders)

Jan. 3, 1931  Flying High by George White (Programs – Musical Comedies, Descriptive
  Folders)

Jan. 6, 1931  Strange Interlude by Eugene O’Neill (Programs – Plays, Posters,
  Descriptive Folders)

Jan. 26, 1931  Paderewski, pianist (Programs, Recitals, Advertising Announcements)

Feb. 10, 1931  Shawn, Ted and the Dennishawn Dancers (Programs – Dance, Posters,
  Descriptive Folders)

Feb. 27, 1931  Galli-Curci, Amelita (Programs – Recitals, Posters, Descriptive Folders)

Mar. 23, 1931  The Love Duel with Ethel Barrymore (Programs – Plays, Posters)

Nov. 3, 1931  Greet, Ben & the Ben Greet Players (Descriptive Folders)

Nov. 9, 1921  Don Cossack Russina Male Chorus (Programs – Concerts, Descriptive
  Folders)

Nov. 12, 1931  The House Beautiful (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders)

Nov. 26, 1931  The Beggar’s Opera (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements,
  Descriptive Folders)

Dec. 3, 1931  Elizabeth the Queen, with Elizabeth Risdon (Posters, Descriptive Folders,
  Programs – Plays)

Dec. 20, 1931  Tennessee Philharmonic Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras)
Jan. 8, 1932  Crazy Quilt, by Billy Rose (Advertising Announcements, Descriptive Folders)  Billy Rose (Programs – Musical Comedies)  Letter to Theatregoers (Advertising Announcements)

Jan. 23, 1932  Merchant of Venice, with Maude Adams & Otis Skinner (Programs – Plays, Posters, Descriptive Folders)

Feb. 4, 1932  The Apple Cart (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders)

Feb. 5, 1932  Anderson, Marian (Descriptive Folders)

Feb. 5, 1932  The Student Prince (Programs – Operettas, Advertising Announcements, Posters)

Mar. 3, 1932  The Student Prince (Programs – Plays)

Mar. 7-12, 1932  Passion Play, Freiburg (Programs – Plays)

Mar. 16, 1932  Carroll, Earl Vanities (8th edition) (Programs-Variety, Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

April 4, 1932  Smiling Faces (Programs – Musical Comedies, Descriptive Folders)

Dec. 13, 1932  The Play’s the Thing (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders)

Feb. 2, 1933  Carroll, Earl Vanities (9th edition) (Programs – Variety)

Feb. 6, 1933  Of Thee I Sing (Programs – Musical Comedies, Posters, Advertising Announcements)

Feb. 18, 1933  Kreisler, Fritz (Programs – Recitals, Descriptive Folders)

Mar 1, 1933  Paderewski, pianist (Programs – Recitals, Posters, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 3, 1933  Hampden, Walter in Caponsacchi & Hamlet (Souvenir Booklets, Descriptive Folders)  Caponsacchi (Programs – Plays)

Mar 10, 1933  White, George Scandals (Advertising Announcements)

Apr 17, 1933  Pons, Lily (Programs – Recitals, Posters, Descriptive Folders)

Oct 13, 1933  Kryl, Bohuumir & his Symphony Band with Marie Kryl & Anna Fitzu (Programs – Orchestras, Descriptive Folders)
Oct 30-Nov 1, 1933 Nina Rosa, Florodora, and Bitter Sweet (Programs – Musical Comedies, Descriptive Folders)

Nov 10-11, 1933 The Green Pastures (Programs – Plays, Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

Dec. 26-27, 1933 San Carlo Grand Opera Company (Descriptive Folders, Posters)

Feb 12, 1934 Vienna Choir Boys (Programs – Souvenir, Programs – Concerts, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 3, 1934 Sarge, Tony Marionettes (Uncle Remus Stories) (Programs – Miscellaneous, Descriptive Folders)

Mar 8, 1934 Sarge, Tony letter to Mrs. L. C. Naff (Letters & Telegrams)

Apr 11-12, 1934 The Barretts of Wimpole Street & Candida with Katharine Cornell (Program – Plays) Candide (Posters) Cornell, Katharine (Souvenir Booklets)

Apr 17-21, 1934 McPherson, Aimee Semple, evangelist, with Charles Lee Smith in debate: “There is No God” (Advertising Announcements)

Oct 27, 1934 Richelieu with Walter Hampden (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders)

Dec 26-27, 1934 San Carlo Grand Opera Company (Descriptive Folders)

Jan 23, 1935 The Green Pastures (Programs – Plays, Posters, Descriptive Folders)

Feb 5, 1935 Shawn, Ted and his Men Dancers (Programs – Souvenir, Programs – Dance, Advertising Announcements, Posters)

Feb 20, 1935 Ziegfeld Follies (Programs – Variety, Souvenir Booklets, Descriptive Folders)

Mar 4, 1935 Olsen, Ole, Chic Johnson, Gene Austin in We’re Going Places (Programs – Variety)

Mar 5, 1935 Whiteman, Paul and his Orchestra (Posters, Programs – Orchestras)

Mar 13, 1935 As Thousands Cheer (Programs – Musical Comedies, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 15, 1935 Kubelik, Jan (Programs – Recitals, Descriptive Folders)

Mar 30, 1935 Mary of Scotland – Helen Hayes (Programs – Souvenir, Posters)
Oct 22, 1935  The Constant Wife (Programs – Plays, Posters, Descriptive Folders)

Nov 23, 1935  Three Men on a Horse (Advertising Announcements, Posters)

Dec 5, 1935  Blossom Time (Programs – Musical Comedies, Posters, Programs – Souvenir, Advertising Announcements)

Dec 16, 1935  Romeo and Juliet with Katharine Cornell (Posters, Programs – Plays)

Mar 2, 1936  Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (Col. W. de Basil’s) (Programs – Dance, Programs – Souvenir, Posters, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 11, 1936  Dodsworth (Programs – Plays, Posters) Huston, Walter (Advertising Announcements)

Apr 13, 1936  The Old Maid, starring Judith Anderson & Helen Menken (Descriptive Folders)

Apr 25, 1936  Eddy, Nelson (Descriptive Folders, Programs – Recitals)

Oct 12, 1936  McCormack, John (Descriptive Folders, Programs – Recitals)

Nov 19, 1936  The Great Waltz (Descriptive Folders, Programs – Recitals – missing, Programs – Operettas)

Dec 2, 1936  White, George Scandals (12th edition) (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Musical Comedies, Souvenir Booklets)

Mar 8, 1937  Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (Programs – Dance, Programs – Souvenir, Advertising Announcements, Posters)

Apr 21, 1937  Ormandy, Eugene and Jose Iturbi conducting the Philadelphia Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras, Programs – Souvenir)

Apr 29, 1937  Reflected Glory (Programs – Plays, Posters)
Bankhead, Tallulah (Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

Oct 14, 1937  Tovarich (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders, Souvenir Booklets)

Nov 3, 1937  Ziegfeld Follies (Programs – Variety, Descriptive Folders)

Nov 15, 1937  Kreisler, Fritz (Programs – Recitals)

Nov 20, 1937  United States Navy Band (Descriptive Folders)
Dec 27, 1937 The Women (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders, Posters)

Jan 18, 1938 Evans, Maurice in King Richard II (Descriptive Folders, Programs – Plays, Souvenir Booklets)

Jan 31, 1938 Brother Rat (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders)

Feb 14, 1938 Jooss, Kurt Ballets (Programs – Souvenir)
       Jooss European Ballet (Programs – Dance, Descriptive Folders)

Feb 16, 1938 Rubinoff, violinist, with Ray & Braggiotti (Programs – Recitals, Descriptive Folders)

Feb 26, 1936 Eddy, Nelson (Programs – Souvenir, Descriptive Folders)

Mar 7, 1938 Yes, My Darling Daughter (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders, Posters)

Mar 30, 1938 Victoria Regina (Programs – Plays, Posters)
       Hayes, Helen in Victoria Regina (Souvenir Booklet)

Apr 25, 1938 Shawn, Ted and his Men Dancers in “O Libertad”. (Programs – Dance, Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

Oct 4, 1938 Roosevelt, Mrs. Franklin D. (Programs – Lectures)

Nov 11, 1938 Faust (in English) (Programs – Souvenir)

Dec 1, 1938 Tobacco Road with John Barton (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders, Programs – Souvenir)

Jan 4, 1939 Menuhin, Yehudi (Programs – Souvenir)

Feb 7, 1939 Whiteoaks (Programs – Plays)
       Barrymore, Ethel in Whiteoaks (Descriptive Folders)

Mar 6-7, 1939 Lunt, Alfred and Lynn Fontanne in “Amphitryon 38) and other plays (Souvenir Booklets)

Mar 28, 1939 Kiss the Boys Goodbye (Programs – Plays, Souvenir Booklets)

April 21, 1939 My Dear Children (Programs – Plays, Descriptive Folders)
       Barrymore, John in My Dear Children (Souvenir Booklets)

Oct 23, 1939 Golden Boy (Programs – Plays)
Nov 6, 1939  Tobacco Road (Programs – Plays)

Nov 23, 1939  Tobacco Road (Programs – Plays)

Jan 12, 1940  The Taming of the Shrew (Programs - Plays)
               Lunt, Alfred & Lynn Fontanne in “The Taming of the Shrew” (Souvenir Booklets)

Jan 19, 1940  Kreisler, Fritz (Programs – Recitals)

Mar 28, 1940  Springtime for Henry with Edward Everett Horton (Programs – Plays, Programs, Souvenir Booklets)

April 15 1940  Shawn, Ted & his Men Dancers (Programs – Dance, Souvenir Booklets)

Nov 12, 1940  Lawrence, Gertrude (Advertising Announcements) in Skylark (Programs – Plays)

Nov 14, 1940  MacDonald, Jeanette (Programs – Recitals, Realia, Advertising Announcements)

Jan 21, 1941  Hepburn, Katharine in The Philadelphia Story (Programs – Plays, Programs – Souvenir)

Feb 10, 1941  The Man Who Came to Dinner (Programs – Plays)

Feb 18, 1941  The Little Foxes (Programs – Plays)
               Bankhead, Tallulah (Souvenir Booklets)

Apr 22, 1941  Pons, Lily with Frank La Forge (Programs – Souvenir)

Apr 25, 19141  Treat Her Gently (Programs – Plays)

May 8, 1941  Melton, James (Programs – Recitals)

Nov 1, 1941  Anderson, Marian (Programs – Recitals)

Nov 14, 1941  Lunt, Alfred and Fontanne, Lynn in “There Shall Be No Night” (Souvenir Booklets)

Feb 18, 194  “Hellzapoppin” (Programs – Souvenir, Programs – Musical Comedies, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 13, 1942  Arsenic & Old Lace (Programs – Plays)

Mar. 28, 1942 Blossom Time (Programs – Operettas, Programs – Souvenir)
Apr 16, 1942  Candle in the Wind with Helen Hayes (Programs – Plays)
          Hayes, Helen (Souvenir Booklets)

Nov. 20, 1942 Watch on the Rhine (Programs – Plays, Souvenir booklets)

Dec. 7, 1942  Her First Murder with Zasu Pitts (Programs – Plays)

Jan 20, 1943 Anderson, Marian (Programs – Recitals)

Jan 22, 1943 Ballet Russe De Monte Carlo (Programs – Dance, Descriptive Folders,
          Souvenir Booklets)

Mar 9, 1943  The Corn is Green with Ethel Barrymore (Programs – Plays, Programs –
          Souvenir)
          Barrymore, Ethel (Advertising Announcements)

Oct 25, 1943 Faust (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements)

Nov. 3, 1943 Don Cossack Chorus, Serge Jaroff, conductor (Programs – Souvenir,
          Programs – Recitals)

Jan 17, 1944 Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (Advertising Announcements, Programs –
          Dance, Souvenir Booklets)

Feb. 3, 1944  Arsenic & Old Lace (Programs – Plays
          Lugosi, Bela in Arsenic & Old Lace (Advertising Announcements)

Feb 23, 1944 Don Pasquale (Programs – Operas)

Mar 21, 1944 Life with Father (Programs – Plays)

Mar 2-5, 1944 Hollywood Ice Revels of 1944 (Programs – Miscellaneous, Advertising
          Announcements)

Oct 17, 1944 Kiss and Tell (Programs – Plays)

Oct 27, 1944 La Traviata (Programs – Operas, Librettos)

Nov. 2, 1944 The Merry Widow (Programs – Operettas, Programs – Souvenir)

Jan 10, 1945 The Student Prince (Advertising Announcements)

Jan 18, 1945 Abie’s Irish Rose (Programs – Plays, Programs – Souvenir)
Jan 24, 1945  Kreisler, Fritz, violinist (Programs – Recitals, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 21, 1945  Blithe Spirit (Programs – Plays, Programs – Souvenir)

Apr 9, 1945  Martha (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements)

Oct 26, 1945  Rigoletto (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements)

Dec 7, 1945  Life with Father (Programs – Plays)

Jan 9, 1946  Rebecca (Souvenir Booklets)

Jan 10, 1946  The Voice of the Turtle (Programs – Plays, Souvenir Booklets)

Jan 14, 1946  Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (Programs – Dance, Souvenir Booklets)

Apr 12, 1946  Dear Ruth (Programs – Plays, Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

Oct 23, 1946  Il Trovatore (Programs Operas)

Nov 26, 1946  Strauss Festival with Oscar Strauss (Programs – Concerts)

Dec 6, 1946  Jones, Spike (Programs – Variety, Advertising Announcements)

Jan 30, 1947  Dear Ruth (Programs – Plays, Programs – Souvenir)

Feb 11, 1947  State of the Union (Programs – Plays)

Mar 12, 1947  Hamlet with Maquorie Evans (Programs – Plays)

Apr 14, 1947  Melchior, Luritz and his Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras, Souvenir Booklets)

May 21, 1947  Jones, Spike, (Programs – Variety, Advertising Announcements)

Oct. 23, 1947  Madame Butterfly (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements)

Oct 24, 1947  Naff, Mrs. L. C. – Telegram to Charles L. Wagner (Letters and Telegrams)

Nov 17, 1947  Roman Singers from Rome and the Vatican Churches (Programs – Concerts)

Nov 21, 1947  Anderson, Marian (Programs – Recitals, Souvenir Booklets)
Jan 20, 1948  A Night in Old Vienna (Programs – Concerts)

Jan 30-Feb. 5, 1948  Passion Play (Black Hills) (Advertising Announcements, Souvenir Booklets)

Feb 17, 1948  Rubinstein, Artur, pianist (Programs – Recitals, Souvenir Booklets)

Mar 1-2, 1948  Harvey (Programs – Plays)

Mar 3, 1948  The Student Prince (Advertising Announcements)

Mar 12, 1948  The Student Prince (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Operettas)

Mar 22, 1948  Bartholomew, Freddie (Advertising Announcements)

May 5, 1948  Romberg, Sigmund and his Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras)

Oct 21, 1948  Romeo and Juliette (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements)

Nov 1, 1948  Kreisler, Fritz, violinist (Programs – Recitals)

Nov 8-10, 1948  Oklahoma by Rodgers & Hammerstein (Programs – Musical Comedies, Advertising Announcements)

Jan 16, 1949  Hope, Bob (Souvenir Booklets)

Jan 24, 1949  Webster, Margaret Shakespeare Company in Macbeth (Souvenir Booklets, Advertising Announcements)

Feb 17, 1949  Draper, Paul and Larry Adler, Aharmonicist (Programs – Dance)

Feb 18, 1949  Graham, Martha and Dance Company (Programs – Dance, Souvenir booklets)

Feb 22, 1949  Jones, Spike (Programs – Variety, Programs – Souvenir)

Mar 2, 1949  First Piano Quartet, presented by Harry Draper (Programs – Recitals)

Mar 8, 1949  King, Wayne and his Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras)

Mar 16, 1949  Blackstone and his Show of 1001 Wonders (Advertising Announcements)

Mar 21-22, 1949  Annie Get Your Gun (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Musical Comedies)

Apr 1, 1949  The Barber of Seville (Advertising Announcements)
Apr 28, 1949  Ormandy, Eugene conducting the Philadelphia Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras)

Jan 10, 1950  Cavalcade of America broadcasts “Honor Bound” (Descriptive Folders)

Jan 17, 1950  Private Lives (Programs – Plays)
               Bankhead, Tallulah and Donald Cook in Private Lives (Advertising Announcements)

Jan 26, 1950  Julius Caesar (Programs – Plays)

Feb 1, 1950   Jones, Spike and his City Slickers (Programs – Variety)

Feb 17, 1950  Romberg, Sigmund and his Concert Orchestra (Programs – Orchestras, Programs – Souvenir, Advertising Announcements)

Mar 13, 1950  Ballet Theatre Annual with Nora Kaye & Igor Youskevitch (Programs – Dance, Descriptive Folders, Souvenir Booklets)

Apr 4, 1950   Anderson, Marian (Programs – Recitals)

Apr 24, 1950  Dunn, James in “Harvey” (Advertising Announcements)

Oct 20, 1950  La Boheme (Programs – Operas, Advertising Announcements)

Nov 8, 1950   Munsel, Patrice (Programs – Concerts)

Nov 16, 1950  Douglas, Melvyn in “Two Blind Mice” (Advertising Announcements)

Nov 17, 1950  Marx, Harpo in Harpo’s Concert Bazaar (Programs – concerts)

Dec 1, 1950   Rogers, Roy and Dale Evans (Descriptive Folders, Programs – Variety, Programs – Souvenir)

Jan 10, 1951  Melchior, Luritz (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Recitals, Souvenir Booklets)

Feb 1, 1951   West, Mae (Advertising Announcements, Programs – Variety)

Feb 26-27, 1951 Mister Roberts (Programs – Plays)
               Andrews, Tod in “Mister Roberts” (Advertising Announcements)

Mar 14, 1951  Jones, Spike & his City Slickers (Programs – Variety, Advertising Announcements)
Apr 10, 1951  Diamond Jubilee Celebration (Programs – Variety)

Oct 2, 1951  The United States Navy Band (Programs – Concerts)

Feb 13, 1952  Singing Boys of Norway (Programs – Concerts)

Mar 12, 1952  Jones, Spike (Programs – Variety)

Mar 20, 1952  Mister Roberts (Programs - Plays
  Andrews, Tod in “Mister Roberts” (Advertising Announcements)

Oct 30, 1953  Lamour, Dorothy and her Variety Revue (Programs – Variety, Advertising
  Announcements)

Nov 27, 1953  “Carmen Jones” with Muriel Rahn (Programs – Concerts, Advertising
  Announcements)

Jan 20, 1954  Ballet Theatre Annual with Alicia Alonzo & Igor Youskevitch (Programs
  – Dance, Souvenir Booklets)

Mar 1, 1954  Greco, Jose and his Company of Spanish Dancers (Programs – Dance)

Mar 27, 1954  Grand Ole Opry (Programs – Variety)

Apr 19-21, 1954  The Moon is Blue (Programs – Plays, Advertising Announcements)

Nov. 3, 1954  Madame butterfly (Programs – Operas, Programs – Souvenir, Advertising
  Announcements)

Nov 29, 1954  Ballet Theatre (Programs – Dance)

Jan 31-Feb 1, 1955  The Seven Year Itch (Programs – Plays)
  Bracken, Eddie in “The Seven Year Itch” (Advertising Announcements)

Feb 16, 1955  Sumac, Yma and her company of Andean Dancers, etc. (Programs –
  Dance)

Mar 7-8, 1956  National Ballet of Canada (Programs – Dance, Advertising
  Announcements)

Dec 14, 1966  Robinson, Francis, Metropolitan Opera Association, New York
  (Telegram) – Letters & Telegrams)

  to Nashville Library” (Posters)
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Alda, Frances (Descriptive Folders)

The Barber of Seville (Librettos)  

Carmen (Programs – Operas)  

San Carlo Grand Opera Co. with Emma Calve?  (N.B. Dec 5, 1908, p. 5)  

Carroll, Earl Vanities (Souvenir Booklets, Advertising Announcements)  

Claudia (Souvenir Booklets)  

The Electric Chair (Program – Plays)  Fri. May 2  

Elman, Mischa (Descriptive Folders)  Mar 14  

Forrest, John & Sybil Harris in: Macbeth, Merchant Of Venice, Hamlet, The Taming of the Shrew (Programs – Plays)  

Gilvert & Sullivan (Advertising Announcements)  Apr 7-9 (1950’s)  

Guys & Dolls (Programs – Musical Comedies)  Mar 24-25  

Il Trovatore (Librettos)  

La Boheme (Librettos)  

Old Harp Singers, Fisk Jubilee Singers  Mar 22  

Indians from Cherokee Reservation in North Carolina (Programs – Concerts)  

Hayes, Roland with Fisk Jubilee Singers (Programs – Concerts)  

Hempel, Frieda (Descriptive Folders)  Jan 18  


Life with Father, starring Dorothy Gish and Louis Calhern  Jan 6 (Programs – Plays, Souvenir Booklets)
Mariemma (Programs – Recitals) Mon. Nov. 21
Melchior, Clauritz (Programs – Orchestras)
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New York Civic Opera - “Carmen) Mon. Nov. 28
Passion Play – “Pageant Sublime (Scripts) 1929
Passion Play with Josef Meier Jan 30, Feb 5, 1948?
(Souvenir Booklets)
Pavley – Oukrainsky Ballet Tues. Oct 26
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Peale, Norman Vincent (Programs – Lectures) Jan 19
Ponselle, Rosa (Programs – Recitals) May 10
Porgy and Besss (Programs – Souvenir)
Romberg, Sigmund (Programs – Souvenir)
Roxy and His Gang with Mme Schumann – Heink Mon. Feb 23
Advertising Announcements, Programs – Concerts)
St. Denis, Ruth Concert Dancer (Programs – Dance)
St. Denis, Ruth & Ted Shawn with the Sat. Jan. 24
Dennishawn Dancers (Posters, Advertising Announcements)
Sarg, Tony (Marionettes), The Pied Piper of Hemelin Nov 2, 1922?
& Treasure Island (Programs – Miscellaneous)
Scotti Grand Opera Company (DescriptiveFolders No date (1919?)
Talley, Marion (Descriptive Folders) Jun 10 (1920 or 1928?)
Thais (Librettos)
Wilfred, Thomas in Clavilux Demo (Programs- Nov 21
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1925-26  Whiteman, Paul & his Orchestra (Advertising Announcements)
1930-31  Avon Players in Shakespeares’ plays (Advertising Announcements)
1931-32  Partial Attractions Coming to the Ryman (Advertising Announcements)
1942-43  Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (Souvenir Booklets)
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1948-49  Partial List of Attractions (Advertising Announcements)
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2. Adams, Evangeline
3. Adams, Evangeline, 1931
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5. Anderson, Judith, Helen Menken
6. Anderson, Marian (on loan to Ryman)
7. Anderson, Marian
8. Andrews, Tod
9. Arden, Cecil
10. Arlova, Lydia
11. Arnold, Helen
12. Austin, Gene
13. Autry, Gene (on loan to Ryman)
14. Aves, Dreda
15. Baccaloni, Salvatore
16. Bankhead, Tallulah
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20. Bannister, Harry
22. Barnova, Irina
23. Barrie, Elaine
24. Barrie, Elaine
25. Barrymore, Ethel (on loan to Ryman)
26. Barrymore, Ethel
27. Barrymore, John (on loan to Ryman)
28. Barrymore, John & Elaine Barrie
29. Barrymore, John, Elaine Barrie, Lois Hall & Dorothy McGuire
30. Barton, John
31. Barton, John, 1939
32. Barton, John & cast of “Tobacco Road”
33. Bennett, Constance
34. Bennett, Constance
35. Birrell, Tala
36. Blackstone, Harry
37. Blackstone, Harry
38. Borge, Victor
39. Bori, Lucrezia
40. Boston Women’s Symphony
41. Bracken, Eddie
42. Bradford, Mona
43. Braslau, Sophie
44. Brice, Fanny (on loan to Ryman)
45. Brice, Fanny (on loan to Ryman)
46. Briceno, Jose
47. Bronson, Virginia
48. Bronson, Virginia
49. Brown, Joe E.
50. Bruno, Charlotte
51. Byrd, Richard E.
52. Calhern, Louis
53. Calhern, Louis & Dorothy Gish
54. Calve, Emma
55. Carrolle, Martha
56. Carson, Bernard & Nydia Westman
57. Case, Anna
58. Casini, Gulia
59. Castle, Irene
60. Ceeley, Leonard
61. Chase, Stephen
62. Chase, Stephen & Mabel Taliaferro
63. Chatterton, Ruth
64. Chatterton, Ruth
65. Chesney, Charles
66. Claire, Bernice
67. Clark, Bobby & Paul McCullough
68. Clark, Phil
69. Clemens, Clara
70. Copeland, George
71. Cordon, Norman
72. Coubage, Suzanne
73. Crawford, Boyd & Phyllis Ryder
74. Creatore, Giuseppe
75. Crews, Laura Hope
76. Dalton, Diana Doris
77. Danilova, Alexandra
78. Danilova, Alexandra & Paul Petroff
79. Davis, H. C.
80. Day, Ernestine
81. Deane, Berna
82. Deane, Berna
83. DeLuca, Giuseppe
84. Dempsey, Jack
85. Denny, Reginald, Lillian Harvey & Renie Riano
86. DeReszke Singers
87. DeReszke Singers
88. d’Hermanoy, Alice
89. Don Cossack Chorus
90. Doree, Doris
91. Douglas, Amy, Peggy Romano & Anne Henderson
93. Doyle, Agnes
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95. Duncan, Isadora
96. Dunn, James
97. Duno, Daniel
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105. English Singers
106. Escobar, Consvelo
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110. Fairleigh, Ann
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116. Fisher, Susanne
117. Fitziu, Anna
118. Fletcher, Bramwell
119. Fontanne, Lynn & Alfred Lunt
121. Fontanne, Lynn & Alfred Lunt
122. Fray, Jacques & Mario Briggiotti
123. Frederick, Pauline
124. French, Elsie
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171. Hayes, Helen poster & Mrs. Naff (on loan to Ryman)
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184. Hepburn, Katharine
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186. Hess, Frances
187. Hope, Bob (on loan to Ryman)
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189. Horton, Edward Everett
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203. Jones, Spike
204. Jones, Spike & dog
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266. Martinelli, Giovanni

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270. Massine, Leonide & Tamara Toumanova
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285. Mondragon, Arturo
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299. Ormandy, Eugene
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301. Padereski, Ignace Jan (on loan to Ryman)
302. Paderewski, Ignace Jan
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355. St. Dennis, Ruth & Ted Shawn
356. Manuel Salazar
357. Sarg, Tony
358. Saroya, Bianca
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361. Sciaretti, S.
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366. Shawn, Ted & Group
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369. Shawn, Ted
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372. Shore, Dinah
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374. Socke, Gilberto
375. Sousa, John Phillip
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Zimbalist, Efrem and Gluck, Alma
Zorina, Vera

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“The Women”
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1. Ryman, Wed. Mar. 11, Max Gordon presents Walter Huston in “Dodsworth”

2. Ryman, Dec. 26-27, Fortune Gallo presents San Carlo Brand Opera Co. presenting the World’s greatest operas

3. Ryman, Feb. 27, Galli-Curci

4. Ryman, Dec. 3 (1931) “Elizabeth the Queen”

5. Ryman, Jan. 6, “Strange Interlude” by Eugene O’Neill


8. Ryman, Mon. Mar. 7, Alfred de Liagre, Jr. presents “Yes, My Darling Daughter”
by Mark Reed.


10. Ryman, Mon. Feb. 6, Sam H. Harris presents “Of Thee I Sing.”


14. Lee Shubert presents Ethel Barrymore in “The Love Duel.” (no date)


16. Ryman, Katharine Cornell, “Candida.” The Barrett’s of Wimpole Street”


18. Ryman, Thurs. April 29, Lee Shubert presents Tallulah Bankhead in “Reflected Glory” (1937)


20. Sat., Mar. 30, The Theatre Guild presents “Mary of Scotland” with Helen Hayes, Philip Merivale and Pauline Fredrick


22. Ryman, Wed., Mar. 1, (1924), Paderewski, under the auspices of the Nashville Women’s Club Music Department

23. Ryman, Nov. 17, de Pachmann’s farewell tour of the world famous pianist

24. Ryman, Mon. Mar.2, S. Huroc presents a thrilling spectacle, Col. W. de Basil’s “Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo”

25. Ryman, Mon. Mar. 8, Col. W. DeBasil’s “Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo” - company of 125 - Symphony Orchestra

27. Ryman, Tues. Feb. 5, Ted Shawn and his Men Dancers


32. Ryman, Thurs. Oct. 25, “Himself, Paul Whiteman and his Original Orchestra

33. Ryman, Mon. Nov. 26, George Ford presents Fritz Leiver in the plays of Shakespeare, under the auspices of Shakespeare Association of America

34. Ryman, May 1, Grace Moore, soprano

35. Ryman, Mon. Apr. 17, Lily Pons coloratura soprano

36 Ryman, Mon. Feb. 6, Paderewski

37. Ryman, Wed. Mar. 1, Paderewski

38. Ryman, Fri. Feb. 27, Galli-Curci


40. Ryman, Sun. Feb. 12, National Ballet

41. Marian Anderson
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42. Arthur Fiedler

43. Ryman, Tues., Jan. 18, Maurice Evans in “King Richard II

**NAFF COLLECTION – PROGRAMS – PRE-1920 OR UNDATED**

(NOTE: Each article listed is a regular program, unless otherwise described. In addition, what is labeled as an advertising sheet or folder might otherwise be called a handbill)

1. Oct. 23, Mme. Calue in “Carmen”
2. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 24, 1901, Mme. Sembrich in “The Barber of Seville” under the direction of Maurice Grau and the auspices of the Tabernacle Committee and Philharmonic Society, Nashville, TN
3. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 18, 1919, Creatore Grand Opera Company, Verdi’s “Rigoletto (in Italian)
5. Tues., Jan. 21, 1919, Ward-Belmont School presented Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra
6. Tues., Apr. 29, under the management of and for the benefit of the Florence Crittenden Home, Junior Board of Nashville, the Metropolitan Musical Bureau presented Enrico Caruso in concert with Nina Morgana, soprano, and Elias Breesk, violinist
7. “Enrico Caruso on Stage and at Home” by Pierre V. R. Key (souvenir booklet copyrighted by Francis C. Coppicus, New York City, in 1920)
9. Ryman Auditorium, May 10. Ward-Belmont School presented Miss Rosa Ponselle, prima donna soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company; assisted by William Tyroler, pianist and conductor, Metropolitan Opera Company
10. Ryman Auditorium, May 10, Roland Hayes, tenor, guest artist with Fisk Singers, in concert
12. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 11. Violin recital by Mischa Elman, celebrated violinist; Josef Bonime, accompanist; management: R. E. Johnston
15. “Roxy” S. L. Rothafel and His Gang with Madame Ernestine Schuman-Heink (program)
16. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Feb. 23, Roxy (himself) and His Gang with chorus and symphony orchestra. A company of 70, and Mme. Schumann-Heink
17. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 11; Mrs. L. C. Naff, Manager. “Carmen,” San Carlo Opera Company
18. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Nov. 28. New York Civic Opera presented “Carmen” (advertising sheet)
20. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Jan. 22 (1943), Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo. (advertising folder)
and Maitres de Ballet of the Chicago Opera with members of their company and the Philharmonic Orchestra (advertising folder) (Poster VIII)

21. “Inimitable Russian Dancers” Andreas Pavley and Serge Oukrainsky with their distinguished company (booklet on the company – Poster VIII)

22. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 29, joint recital by the Isadora Duncan Dancers and George Copeland, pianist.


24. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Nov. 21, S. Hurok presented Mariemma; Enrique Luzuriaga, pianist

25. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 20-23, program for Fritz Leiber (in person), Mrs. L. C. Nass presented John Forrest, Chicago Civic Shakespeare Company, and Miss Sybil Harris, Assembly Theatre, New York City, in an evening of tragedy and comedy (advertising sheet)

26. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., May 27, Nashville Dramatic Players presented Herman J. D. Carter’s latest blood-curdling tragedy, “The Electric Chair,” (program)

27. John Golden’s radiant comedy hit “Claudia” by Rose Franken (souvenir program)


29. Oscar Serlin presented Clarence Day’s “Life With Father” (souvenir program)


31. “The Voice of the Turtle” (souvenir program)

32. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 24-25. Manny Davis presented National Company’s “Guys & Dolls” with Wilton Clary, Marie Foster, Margot Moser and Bill Jones


34. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Dec. 14, Earl Carroll Vanities (advertising sheet)

35. Earl Carroll presented “The Most Beautiful Girls in the World” (advertising sheet)

36. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 21, Thomas Wilfred presented his invention “The Clavilux” first instrument to make possible the use of light as a fine art

37. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 19, religious service led by leaders of Nashville (program)

1920-1925, 1926 Seasons


2. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 4, 1921, Ruth St. Denis Concert Dancers in a program of music visualization with Ellis Rhodes, tenor, and Everett Olive, pianist (program)
3. Ruth St. Denis concert Dancers with Ellis Rhodes, tenor and Everett Olive, pianist (descriptive folder)
4. Partial list of musical events to be given at Ryman Auditorium for the upcoming season, 1920-21 (advertising folder)
6. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 20, 1921. William H. Leahy presented Mme. Luisa Tetrazzini, assisted by Francesco Longo, pianist; May Gegna, cellist; J. Henri Bove, flutist) (program)
7. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Feb. 18, 1921, joint concert by Mme. Alma Gluck, soprano and Efrem Zimbalist, pianist (program)
8. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Mar. 1, 1921, Miss Sophie Braslau, (program)
9. Partial list of attractions to be presented at the Ryman Auditorium during 1921-1922 season
12. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Nov. 11, 1921, Armistice Day Ceremonial
13. Ryman Auditorium, three days, beginning Mon. Jan. 16, 1922 with Walter Hamden in repertoire, “Hamlet,” “Macbeth,” Romeo and Juliet,” and ”The Merchant of Venice”
16. Ryman Auditorium, Saturday matinee, Feb. 18, 1922, S. Hurok presented Anna pavlowa, “The Incomparable” (program)
17. Pavlowa (souvenir program)
18. Ryman Auditorium, May 8, 1922, song recital by Amelita Gall-Curci with assisting artists Manuel Berenguer, flutist, and Homer Samuels, pianist (program)
19. Ryman Auditorium, Thur., May 18, 1922, Scotti Grand Opera Company, Antonio Scotti, general director
20. Metropolitan Opera House Grand Opera libretto “L’Oracolo” by Camillo Zanoni
21. Scotti Grand Opera Company with Antonio Scotti on a double bill: Leoni’s “L’Oracolo” and Mascagni’s “Cavalleria Rusticana” (advertising folder)
22. Scotti Grand Opera Co., Inc. presenting “Cavalleria Rusticana” “L’Oracolo,” and “Madam Butterfly) (souvenir program)
23. Ryman Auditorium partial listing of attractions for 1922-1923 season
26. Sousa and his band (souvenir program, 1922)
27. Tony Sarge’s Marionettes presenting “The Pied Piper of Hamelin” and “Treasure Island”

28. Ryman Auditorium, Tues. Nov. 28, 1922, Max Rabinoff presented to America the Ukrainian National Chorus, Prof. Alexander Koshetz, conductor, jointly with Mme. Nina Kossheta, soprano, of the Moscow Opera

29. Max Rabinoff presented to America Alexander Koshetz’ Ukrainian National Chorus (advertising pamphlet)

30. Max Rabinoff presented to America the Ukrainian National Chorus with Mlle. Oda Slobodskaja, leading soprano of the Petrograd Opera and Mme. Nina Kosshetz, leading soprano of the Moscow Opera (souvenir program)

31. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Feb. 19, 1925, recital by Mme Emma Calve, prima donna soprano

32. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 29, 1923. Maria Jeritza, Metropolitan soprano, assisted by William Wolski, violinist; and Walter Golde, accompanist, under the auspices of The Junior League of Nashville’s benefit for a home for convalescent crippled children

33. Letter to Mrs. L. C. Naff dated Aug. 27, 1923, from Fulcher and Bohan about the appearance of Irene Castle in Nashville.

34. Ryman Auditorium, Leaders in a Methodist Revival, scheduled for Nov. 25 – Dec. 9, 1923. Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon, Mr. James V. Reid, pianist, Rev. W. M. Lantrip, singer (advertising folder)

35. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Feb. 27, S. Hurok, Inc., presented Anna Pavlowa and her Ballet Russee (souvenir program)

36. Anna Pavlowa (souvenir program)

37. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 26, D’Hermanoy, lyric soprano; Louis Kreidler, baritone; Jose’ Mojica, tenor; and Charles Lauwers, conductor (program)

38. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 17, 1924(?) farewell tour of Vladimir de Pachmann, “world famous pianist” (advertising folder)

39. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 5–6, 1925, San Carlo Grand Opera Company’s presentation of “Faust,” “Madame Butterfly,” and “Rigoletto” (announcement card)

40. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Jan. 5–6, 1925, with Fortune Gallo presenting the San Carlo Grand Opera Company (program)

41. Ryman Auditorium, beginning Jan. 5, 1925, with Fortune Gallo presenting the San Carlo Grand Opera in three performances (advertising folder)

42. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Jan. 12, 1925, John Forrest presenting Shakespeare’s “Othello” directed by Granville C. Fisher

43. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 19, 1925. F. C. Coppicus presenting Paul Whiteman and his orchestra in concert (program)

44. Paul Whiteman and his concert orchestra (advertising sheet)

45. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 30, 1925, with the Vanderbilt Alumnae Council presenting Mme. Margaret Matzenauer of the Metropolitan Opera Company in a song recital

46. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., March 9, 1925, Jascha Heifetz
47. Ryman Auditorium Tues. May 12, 1925, Fourth Annual Fashion Revue and Female Minstrel
48. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 28, 1925, F. C. Coppicus presenting Paul Whiteman and his Greater Concert Orchestra (program)
49. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Oct. 28, 1925, F. C. Coppicus presenting Paul Whiteman and his orchestra (advertising folder)
50. Paul Whiteman (souvenir program)
52. Ryman Auditorium, Sat. Nov. 14, 1925, Captain Roald Amunesen, discoverer of the South Pole, presented an illustrated lecture entitled “Our Airplane Dash for the North Pole”
53. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 21, 1925(?), Fortune Gallo presenting the inimitable choreographic artist, Andreas Pavley, with the Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet Russe
54. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Nov. 30, 1925, Rudolph Ganz, master pianist, in recital (program)
55. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Jan. 18, Frieda Hempil in “The Jenny Lind of Today.” (advertising program)
56. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 3, 1926, Paderewski’s “All Chopin Program” (program)
57. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 8, 1926, recital by Amelita Galli-Curci. Assisting artists: Homer Samuels, pianist, and Mauri Berenguer, flutist (program)
58. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Mar. 19, 1926 Mischa Elman, violinist (program)
59. Ryman Auditorium, Thur. June 10, Marion Talley, soprano, prima donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company.

1926-30

1. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 14, 1926, Will Rogers and the DeReszke Singers (program)
4. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Oct. 22, 1926 Tipica Orchestra of Mexico, Jose’ Briseno, conductor (program)
5. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Oct. 22, 1926 Exchange Club of Nashville presented Miss Mary Lewis (program)
6. Ryman auditorium, Wed., Nov. 3, 1926, Frank T. Kintzing presented the Manhattan Opera Company of New York, with the Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet (program)
7. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 3, 1926, Mrs. L. C. Naff announced a most interesting ballet and opera combination event: Manhattan Grand Opera in conjunction with the famous Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet (announcement card)
8. Manhattan Opera Company in “Namiko-San” with Tamaki Miura, preceded by Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet with Andreas Pavley and orchestra (advertising folder)
9. Manhattan Opera Co. in “Namiko-San” with Tamaki Miura, libretto
11. Board of the Martha O’Bryan Settlement presented Lucrezia Bori in concert Nov. 26, 1916 (souvenir program)
13. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Dec. 12, 1926, for one week, with Saturday matinee. Annual of International Favorites, Robert B. Mantell and Genevieve Hamper in “The Merchant of Venice” (program)
14. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Dec. 13, 1925, for one week Annual of International Favorites, Robert B. Mantell and Genevieve Hamper in “As You Like It” at Wednesday matinee (program)
15. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs. Annual tour of International Favorites in “King Lear” (program)
18. Robert B. Mantell in Shakespeare Repertoire (advertising folder)
20. Ryman Auditorium, Tues. Jan. 18, 1927, Russian Symphonic Choir, Basile Kibalchich, director
22. April 22, 1927, Joseph T. Macpherson under auspices of Music Department Centennial Club (souvenir program)
23. Ryman Auditorium, May 12, 1927, Ward-Belmont Conservatory of Music presented pupils of Gaetano S. De Luca in “Cavalleria Rusticana”
25. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 16, 1927, In Memoriam, Austin Peay, Governor of Tennessee (memorial service)
27. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Feb. 6, 1928, Paderewski (program)
28. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Feb. 6, 1928, Paderewski (advertising sheet)
29. Ryman Auditorium, 1928 season, John McCormack, in recital. Assisting artists: Lauri Kennedy, cellist, and Edwin Schneider, accompanist (program)
30. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Feb. 24, John McCormack. Assisting artists: Lauri Kennedy, cellist; Edwin Schneider, pianist (advertising sheet)
31. Ryman Auditorium, May 1, 1928. The Lion’s Club presented Grace Moore, soprano, Metropolitan Opera Company, assisted by H. Maurice Jacquet, pianist-composer (program)
32. Ryman Auditorium, May 1, “A Singer from the Southland, Grace Moore, soprano” (advertising folder)
33. Ryman Auditorium, Thur. April 19, 1928: “Hamlet” with Fritz Leiber (autographed); Friday: “Macbeth” (program)
34. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., April 21, 1928, “Julius Caesar” and “The Taming of the Shrew” (program autographed by Leiber)
35. Ryman Auditorium, three nights, beginning Thur. April 19, Annual Shakespearean Festival with Fritz Leiber (advertising card)
37. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. June 8, 1928. F. C. Coppicus presented gala concert by famous “Two Black Crows” (Moran and Mack); W. C. Fields; Joan Ruth, soprano and Cliff O’Rouke, tenor (advertising sheet)
38. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Mar. 16, 1928, Kiwanis Club of Nashville presented in concert Joseph Macpherson, bass-baritone of the Metropolitan Opera company
39. Ryman Auditorium, Thur. April 12, Nashville’s Civic Pride Concert with Ablee Steward and John Lewis
40. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 25, 1928, F. C. Coppicus presented Paul Whiteman and his greater concert orchestra (program)
41. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 26, 1928, Manheim-Ford Shakespearean Co., Inc., presented Fritz Leiber in Shakespearean plays “Romeo and Juliet” and “Merchant of Venice” (program)
42. Ryman Auditorium, Thur., Feb. 27, S. Hurok presented Second American Tour, Isadora Duncan Dancers from Moscow (advertising folder)
43. Nashville Grand Opera Association presented Chicago Civic Opera Company in Massenet’s “Thais” with Mary Garden (Feb. 21, 1929)
44. Chicago Civic Opera Company. Libretto – “Thais” (2 copies)
46. Ryman, Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 6, 1929, under the auspices of Ward-Belmont School and Centennial Club, The English Singers of London (advertising folder)
47. Ryman Auditorium, Tues. Oct. 29, Ruth St. Denis-Ted Shawn in programs of solo and duet dances (advertising folder)
49. Tues. Nov. 5, 1929, Boston Women’s Symphony, Ethel Leginska, conductor, in concert
50. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Nov. 5, 1929, Boston Women’s Symphony Orchestra, Ethel Leginska, conductor (advertising folder)
51. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Jan. 11, 1930. “Skippy” and illuminated marionette ballet, Skippy program by Percy L. Crosby
52. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Jan 30, 1930, Lew Fields and Lyle D. Andrews presented a musical adaptation of Mark’s Twain’s “A Connecticut Yankee.” (program)
54. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Jan. 22, F. Melius Christiansen, Director, St. Olaf Lutheran Choir (advertising folder)
55. Twenty-fifth season of St. Olaf Lutheran Choir (program)
57. Ryman Auditorium, Tues. Feb. 4, “Hamlet” and “Everyman” with Sir Philip Ben Greet and a notable English company (advertising pamphlet)
59. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 19, 20, 21, 22, 1930, George Fassnacht, Sr., presented Freilburg “Passion Play” (official program)
60. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 19, 20, 21, 1930 direct from Freilburg, Germany. “Passion Play” (advertising folder)
61. Freilburg Passion Play in “The Pageant Sublime.” (script)

1930-31 THROUGH 1938-39

1. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Oct. 31, 1930, Sousa and his Band (concert guide)
2. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 31, 38th Annual tour of Sousa and his band, Lt. Commander John Philip Sousa, conductor (advertising folder, 2 copies)
3. Ryman Auditorium, Arch Selwyn, in association with Erlanger Productions, Inc., presented Vilma Banky and Rod La Rocque in “Cherries Are Ripe”
4. Ryman Auditorium, Thur. Nov. 20, Vilma Banky and Rod La Rocque in Cherries Are Ripe” (advertising sheet)
5. The Avon Players in Shakespeare’s plays, Season of 1930-31 (advertising bookmark)
6. Nov. 29, 1930 (?), The Avon Players presented “The Merchant of Venice” with Joseph Selman (program)
7. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 12, 1930, Colleen Moore in “Cindy” (program)
8. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 12, Arch Selwyn presented Colleen Moore in “Cindy” (program)
10. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. and Sat., Dec. 26, 27, Brock Pemberton presented “Strictly Dishonorable” (advertising folder)
11. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Jan. 3, 1931, George White presented “the ace of musical comedies” “Flying High” (program)
14. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Jan. 6, “Strange Interlude” a Theatre Guild production (advertising pamphlet)
15. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Jan. 26, 1931, Paderewski (program)
17. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Feb. 10, 1931, Ted Shawn and The Denishawn Dancers (program)
18. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Feb., 10, Ted Shawn and The Denishawn Dancers with Ernestine Day (advertising sheet)
20. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Feb. 27, 1931, Amelita Galli-Curci in a song recital (program)
21. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Feb. 27, 1931, Amelita Galli-Curci (advertising folder)
22. Ryman Auditorium, the Auditorium Improvement Company presented Ryman Auditorium’s 1921-1932 season (announcement sheet)
23. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Nov. 3, 1921, Sir Philip Ben Greet and the Ben Greet Players, presented “Twelfth Night” and “Hamlet” under the auspices of George Peabody College for Teachers (advertising folder)
25. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 9, 1931, the Auditorium Improvement Company presented The Don Cossack Russian Male Chorus, Serge Jaroff, director (program)
26. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Nov. 9, 1931, The Don Cossack Russian Male Chorus (advertising folder)
27. Ryman Auditorium, Thur., Nov. 12, 1931, Crosby Gaige presented “The House Beautiful” by Channing Pollock (program)
28. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Nov. 12, “The House Beautiful” with Ethel Intropidi and John Griggs (advertising folder)
29. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Nov. 26, 1931, H. M. McFadden presented “The Beggar’s Opera” by John Gay (2 copies)
30. Ryman Auditorium, Thanksgiving, Nov. 26, “The Beggar’s Opera” (advertising card)
31. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 26, 1931, “The Beggar’s Opera” (advertising folder)
32. Ryman Auditorium, Minturn, Harrison & Gaskel presented “Elizabeth the Queen” by Maxwell Anderson (program)
33. Ryman Auditorium, Minturn, Harrison & Gaskel presented “Elizabeth the Queen” by Maxwell Anderson (advertising folder)
34. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 20, 1931, The Nashville Banner presented the Tennessee Philharmonic Orchestra under the direction of Erich Sorantin, conductor (program)
35. “Shall I Book It?” – newspaper clipping in form of letter to theatergoers of Nashville and its environs from Mrs. L. C. Naff, asking for support for bringing “Crazy Quilt” with a New York cast to Nashville
36. 1932, Fannie Brice, Phil Baker, Ted Healy in Billy Rose’s “Crazy Quilt”
37. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Jan. 8, Fannie Brice, Phil Baker, Ted Healy in Billy Rose’s „Crazy Quilt” (advertising folder)
38. Letter from Mrs. L. C. Naff to playgoers announcing “Crazy Quilt” with a reservation blank
39. Ryman Auditorium (1932?) presented Maude Adams and Otis Skinner in “The Merchant of Venice” (program)
40. Ryman Auditorium, Sat. Jan. 23, 1932, Maude Adams and Otis Skinner in “The Merchant of Venice” (advertising sheet)
41. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Feb. 4, 1932, “The Apple Cart” (program)
42. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Feb. 4, 1932, “The Apple Cart” by Bernard Shaw with Boyd Irwin (advertising folder)
43. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Feb. 5, 1932, Marian Anderson, contralto (advertising folder)
45. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Mar. 3, “The Student Prince in Heidelberg” (advertising folder, 2 copies)
46. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 7-12, 1932, The Woman’s Club presented the original Freiburg Passion Play (in English) (program)
47. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 16, mail order blank. “Earl Carroll Vanities”
49. Ryman Auditorium, “Earl Carroll Vanities, 8th Edition, “with the most beautiful girls in the world.” (souvenir program)
50. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 4, 1932, Fred Stone in “Smiling Faces” with Paula Stone (advertising folder)
51. Ryman Auditorium, April 4, 1932, Fred Stone in “Smiling Faces.” (program)
52. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Dec. 13, 1932, Guy Bates Post in “The Play’s the Thing.” (clipping from program)
53. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Dec. 13, 1932, Guy Bates Post in “The Play’s The Thing” by Ference Molnar (advertising folder)
55. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Feb. 6, 1933, Sam Harris presented “Of Thee I Sing” (program)
56. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Feb. 6, 1933, “Of Thee I Sing” (advertising folder)
57. Ryman Auditorium, Sat. Feb. 18, 1933, Fritz Kreisler (program)
58. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Feb. 18, 1933, Fritz Kreisler (advertising sheet)
59. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 1, 1933, Nashville Woman’s Club’s Music Department presented Paderewski (program)
60. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 1, Paderewski (advertising sheet)
61. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 3, 1933, Walter Hampden in “Caponacchi” (program)
62. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Mar. 3, Walter Hampden in “Caponacchi” (advertising folder)
63. Walter Hampden (souvenir program)
64. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 10, 1933, George White’s “Scandals” (advertising sheet)
65. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Mar. 10, 1933, “Scandals” with Willie and Eugene Howard (advertising folder)
66. Another “Scandals” advertising folder
67. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 17, 1933, Lily Pons, coloratura soprano, assisted by Henry Bove, flutist, and Giuseppe Bamboschek, pianist (program; 2 copies, one autographed by Lily Pons)
68. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 17, 1933, Lily Pons, coloratura soprano (advertising folder)
70. "Florodora" "Bitter Sweet" and "Nina Rosa" (advertising folder)
71. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Oct. 13, 1933, Kryl and his symphony band, Bohumir Kryl, conductor (program)
72. Kryl and his symphony band with Marie Kryl, pianist, and Anna Fitzu, soprano (advertising sheet)
73. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 10, 11, 1933, Laurence Rivers, Inc., presented "The Green Pastures" (program)
74. Fri. and Sat., Nov. 10, 11, Laurence Rivers presented "The Green Pastures" by Marc Connelly (advertising folder, 2 copies)
75. "The Green Pastures" (souvenir program, autographed by Richard B. Harrison)
76. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 26-27, Fortune Gallo presented the San Carlo Grand Opera Company in “Carmen;”; “Hansel and Gretel;” Cavalleria Rusticana; and “Pagliacci” (advertising folder, 2 copies)
77. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 12, 1934, S. Hurok presented the Vienna Choir Boys
78. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Feb. 12, 1934, S. Hurok presented the Vienna Choir Boys (advertising sheet)
79. Vienna Choir Boys (souvenir program)
80. Tony Sarg’s Marionettes in “Uncle Remus’ Stories” (program)
81. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 3, 1934, Tony Sarg’s Marionettes in “Uncle Remus’ Stories” (advertising sheet)
82. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 11, 12, 1934, Katharine Cornell presented “The Barretts of Wimpole Street” by Rudolf Besier, and “Candida” by G. Bernard Shaw, Basil Rathbone. (program, 2 copies)
83. Katharine Cornell (souvenir program)
84. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Oct. 27, 1934, Walter Hampden in “Richelieu” (program)
85. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Oct. 27, Walter Hampden in “Richelieu” (advertising sheet)
86. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 17-21, 1934, Aimee Semple McPherson, internationally known evangelist, president and founder of the Foursquare Gospel (advertising sheet)
87. Aimee Semple McPherson and Charles Lee Smith, President, American Association for the Advancement of Atheism, in “There is No God” - “the debate of the century” (small poster)
90. “The Green Pastures” (souvenir program)
91. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 25, 1935, Ted Shawn and his ensemble of men dancers (program)
92. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Feb. 5, 1935, Ted Shawn and his ensemble of men dancers (advertising sheet)
93. Ted Shawn and his men dancers (souvenir program)
95. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Feb. 20, Ziegfeld Follies (advertising sheet)
96. Ziegfeld Follies (souvenir program)
100. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 13, Sam H. Harris presented Dorothy Stone and Ethel Waters in “As Thousands Cheer” (advertising sheet)
101. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 15, 1935, Jan Kubelik with his conductor-accompanist son, Rafael Kubelik, at the piano (program)
102. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Mar. 15, 1935, Jan Kubelik (advertising sheet)
103. “Mary of Scotland” by Maxwell Anderson (souvenir program)
105. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 22, Ethel Barrymore in “The Constant Wife” (advertising sheet)
106. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Nov. 23, 1935, “Three Men On a Horse” (advertising sheet)
109. “Blossom Time” (souvenir program)
110. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Dec. 16, 1935, Katharine Cornell presented “Romeo and Juliet” (program)
111. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 2, 1936, S. Hurok presented Col. de Basil’s Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo
112. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Mar. 2, 1936, S. Hurok presented Col. W. de Basil’s Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (advertising sheet, 2 copies)
113. Col. W. de Basil’s Ballet Russe (souvenir program)
114. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 11, 1936, Max Gordon presented Walter Huston in “Sinclair Lewis” and “Dodsworth” (program, 2 copies)
116. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., April 13, 1936, Harry Moses presented Judith Anderson and Helen Menken in “The Old Maid” (advertising folder, 2 copies)
117. April 25, 1936, Nelson Eddy, baritone, under the auspices of the Women’s Division, West End Methodist Church’s building fund (program)
118. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 25, 1936, Nelson Eddy (advertising folder)
119. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 12, 1936, John McCormack (program)
120. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 12, 1936, John McCormack (advertising sheet)
121. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 19, 1936, Max Gordon presented “The Great Waltz” (program)
122. “The Great Waltz” (advertising program)
125. George White’s “Scandals” (souvenir program)
126. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Mar. 8, 1937, S. Hurok presented Col. W. de Basil’s Ballet Russe (program)
127. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Mar. 8, 1937, S. Hurok presented Col. W. de Basil’s Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (advertising sheet, 2 copies)
128. Col. W. de Basil’s Ballet Russe (souvenir program)
129. April 21, 1937, The Community concert Association presented the Philadelphia Orchestra, Eugene Ormandy conducting (program)
130. Philadelphia Orchestra – 1937 (souvenir program)
131. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Apr. 29, 1937, Lee Shubert presented Tallulah Bankhead in “Reflected Glory” (program)
132. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Apr. 29, 1937, Lee Shubert presented Tallulah Bankhead in “Reflected Glory” (advertising sheet)
133. Tallulah Bankhead in “Reflected Glory” (souvenir program)
134. Announcement of attractions coming to the Ryman Auditorium for the 1937-1938 season
137. Gilbert Miller’s presentation of “Tovarich” (souvenir program)
138. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 3, 1937, Mrs. Florenz Ziegfeld (Billie Burke) presented the New Ziegfeld Follies of 1937 (program)
139. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 3, 1937, Fritz Kreisler (program)
141. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Dec. 27, 1937, Max Gordon presented “The Women” by Clare Booth (program, 2 copies)
142. Max Gordon presenting “The Women” (advertising sheet)
143. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Jan. 18, 1938, Maurice Evans in “King Richard II” (program, 2 copies)
144. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Jan. 18, 1938, Maurice Evans and his company of forty in “King Richard II” (advertising folder, 2 copies)
145. Maurice Evans in “King Richard II” (souvenir program)
147. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 18, 1938, Maurice Evans in “King Richard II” (small poster)
148. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 31, 1938, George Abbott presented “Brother Rat” (program)
149. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Jan. 31, 1938, George Abbott’s production of “Brother Rat” by John Monks, Jr. and Fred F. Finklehoffe (advertising folder)
150. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 14, 1938, Joos’ European Ballet, Kurt Joos, director (program)
151. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Feb. 14, 1938, Joos European Ballet (advertising pamphlet)
152. “Ballets Joos, Fourth American Season, 1937-138 (souvenir program)
153. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Feb. 16, 1938, Rubinoff and his violin, assisted by Fray and Braggiotti, sponsored by Al Menah Shrine Temple
154. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 26, 1938, Nelson Eddy, baritone, under the auspices of the Woman’s Division, West End Methodist Church
155. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 26, 1938, Nelson Eddy (advertising folder)
156. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 7, 1938, Alfred de Liagre, Jr. presented “Yes, My Darling Daughter” by Mark Reed with Florence Reed (2 copies)
159. Ryman Auditorium, Gilbert Miller presented Helen Hayes in “Victoria Regina” by Laurence Housman (souvenir program)
161. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., April 25, 1938, Ted Shaw and his men dancers
162. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., April 25, 1938, Ted Shaw and his ensemble of men dancers (advertising sheet)
163. Shawn and his men dancers (souvenir program)
164. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Dec. 1, 1938, Jack Kirkland presented “Tobacco Road”
165. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Dec. 19, 1938, “Tobacco Road” presented by Jack Kirkland (advertising sheet)
166. “Tobacco Road” featuring John Barton (souvenir program)
167. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 4, 1939, Yehudi Menuhin, violinist, under the auspices of the Woman’s Division, West End Methodist Church (2 copies)
168. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 7, 1939, Victor Payne-Jennings presented Ethel Barrymore in “Whiteoaks” by Mazo de la Roche, with Harry Ellerbe
169. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Feb. 7, Ethel Barrymore in “Whiteoaks” (advertising folder)
170. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 6-7, 1939, Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne (souvenir program)
171. Mar. 7, 1939 (?) The Theatre Guild presented Alfred Lunt’s and Lynn Fontanne’s production of Jean Giraudoux’ comedy “Amphitryon 38” (souvenir program)
172. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Mar. 28, 1939, Brock Pemberton presented “Kiss the Boys Goodbye” by Clare Boothe

173. “Kiss the Boys Goodbye: (souvenir program)


175. Aldrich & Myers present John Barrymore in “My Dear Children” (advertising sheet

176. John Barrymore (souvenir program)

**1939-40 through 1943-44**

1. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Oct. 23, 1939, Fortune Gallo and Arthur M. Oberfeld presented the Group Theatre Stage Success “Golden Boy” by Clifford Odets

2. War Memorial Auditorium, Mon., Nov. 6, “This Is Woolcott Speaking, the Confessions of a Dying Newspaper Man” (advertising sheet)

3. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 23, 1939, Jack Kirkland presented “Tobacco Road” with John Barton


5. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Jan. 12, 1940, the Theatre Guild, Inc., in association with John C. Wilson, presented William Shakespeare’s “The Taming of the Shrew” with Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne (souvenir program)

6. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Jan. 19, 1940, Fritz Kreisler


8. Edward Everett Horton in “Springtime for Henry” (souvenir program

9. Ted Shawn and his men dancers, 1939-1940 season (souvenir program)

10. Ryman Auditorium, April 15, 1940, Ted Shawn and his men dancers “The Dome”

11. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Nov. 12, 1940, John Golden presented Gertrude Lawrence in “Skylark” by Samson Raphaelson

12. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Nov. 12, 1940, John Golden presented Gertrude Lawrence in Samson Raphaelson’s “Skylark” (advertising sheet)

13. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Nov. 14, 1940, Charles L. Wagner presented Jeanette MacDonald in a song recital (2 copies)

14. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Nov. 14, 1940, Jeanette MacDonald (advertising sheet, 2 copies)


16. The Theatre Guild presented a new comedy by Philip Barry, “The Philadelphia Story” with Katharine Hepburn (souvenir program)

17. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 10, 1941, Sam H. Harris presented “The Man Who Came to Dinner” by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman with Clifton Webb

18. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Feb. 18, 1941, Herman Shumlin presented Tallulah Bankhead in “The Little Foxes” by Lillian Hellman with Frank Conroy

19. Tallulah Bankhead in “The Little Foxes” (souvenir program)
20. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., April 22, 1941, Metropolitan Opera Guild presented Lily Pons with Frank LaForge
21. Ryman Auditorium, April 25, 1941, Harold J. Kennedy in association with Jus (?) Addiss and Hayden Rorke presented Ruth Chatterton in “Treat Her Gently” by George D. Batson (2 copies)
22. War Memorial Auditorium, May 8, 1941, recital by James Melton, leading tenor, Chicago Opera Company; sponsored by the Women’s Division, Belmont Methodist Church
23. Ryman Auditorium, Sat., Nov. 1, 1941, S. Hurok presented Marian Anderson, with Franz Rupp at the piano
24. Nov. 14, 1941, the Playwrights’ Company and the Theatre Guild presented Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne in “There Shall Be No Night” by Robert E. Sherwood (souvenir program, autographed)
25. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Feb. 18, 1941, Olsen and Johnson presented “Hellzapoppin” (autographed by Eddie Garr and Billy House, 2 copies)
27. Olsen and Johnson’s new “Hellzapoppin” (souvenir program)
28. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 13, 1942, Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse presented “Arsenic and Old Lace” by Joseph Kesselring
30. “Blossom Time (souvenir program)
31. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 16, 1942, Helen Hayes in “Candle in the Wind” by Maxwell Anderson
32. Helen Hayes in Maxwell Anderson’s Candle in the Wind” (souvenir program)
34 Watch On The Rhine” (souvenir program)
35. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 7, 1942, Victor Payne-Jennings and Marion Gering presented Zasu Pitts in “Her First Murder”
36. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Jan. 20, S. Hurok presented Marian Anderson, with Franz Rupp at the piano (autographed)
37. American tour 1942-43, Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (souvenir program
39. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Mar. 9, Herman Shumlin presented Ethel Barrymore in “The Corn Is Green” by Emlyn Williams (advertising folder)
40. Ethel Barrymore in “The Corn Is Green” (souvenir program)
42. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Oct. 25, 1943, Charles L. Wagner presented “Faust” (advertising sheet)
43. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 3, 1943, S. Hurok presented the original Don Cossack Chorus, Serge Jaroff, conductor
44. S. Hurok presented the Original Don Cossack Chorus & Dancers, Serge Jaroff, Director (souvenir program)
1. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 27, 1944, Charles L. Wagner presented Verdi’s “La Traviata”
2. Charles L. Wagner presented “La Traviata” (souvenir libretto)
3. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Nov. 2, 1944, Shubert’s production of Franz Lehar’s “The Merry Widow”
4. “The Merry Widow” (souvenir program)
6. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Jan. 18, 1945, Anne Nichols’ “Abie’s Irish Rose”
7. Anne Nichols’ “Abie’s Irish Rose” (souvenir program, 2 copies)
10. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 21, 1945, Russell Lewis and Howard Young presented Mona Barrie, Reginald Denny, and Lillian Harvey in “Blithe Spirit” (2 copies)
11. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 9, 1945, Charles L. Wagner presented “Martha”
12. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., April 9, 1945, Charles L. Wagner presented Von Flotow’s opera-comique “Martha” (advertising sheet)
13. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Oct 26, 1945, Charles L. Wagner presented Verdi’s “Rigoletto” (advertising sheet)
14. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 25, 1945, Charles L. Wagner presented Verdi’s “Rigoletto” in Italian (2 copies)
15. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 7, 1945, Oscar Serlin presented Clarence Day’s “Life With Father” with Carl Benton Reid and Nydia Westman
16. Jan., 9, 1946, Daphne DuMaurier’s “Rebecca” (souvenir program)
17. Ryman Auditorium, Apr. 12, 1946, Joseph M. Hyman and Bernard Hart presented “Dear Ruth” by Norman Krasna
18. “Dear Ruth” (souvenir program)
20. Ryman Auditorium, Jan., 14, 1946, Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo
21. 1946-47 Season, Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo (souvenir program)
22. 1946-47 Season, attractions coming to the Ryman Auditorium
23. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 23, 1946, Charles L. Wagner presented “Il Trovatore” sponsored by the Nashville Opera Guild
24. Charles L. Wagner presented “Il Trovatore” (souvenir libretto)
25. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Nov. 26, 1946, Strauss Festival with Oscar Strauss (2 copies)
26. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 6, 1946, Spike Jones and his “Musical Depreciation Review” featuring The City Slickers (2 copies)
27. Dec., 6, 1946, Spike Jones and his “Musical Depreciation Review” (advertising sheet)
29. “Dear Ruth” (souvenir program, autographed by all the stars)
32. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Apr. 14, 1947, Lauritz Melchior, the world’s greatest heroic tenor, Metropolitan Opera with his concert orchestra, Otto Seyfert, conductor
33. Lauritz Melchior (souvenir program)
34. Ryman Auditorium, May 21, 1947, Spike Jones and his “Musical Depreciation Revue” featuring the City Slickers
38. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 17, 1947, the Church of Christ the King presented singers from Rome and Vatican Church, under the direction of the Rt. Rev. Monsignor Licinio Refice
39. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 21, 1947, S. Hurok presented Marian Anderson, contralto, with Franz Rupp at the piano
40. Marian Anderson (souvenir program)
41. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 30 – Feb. 5, 1948, Black Hills “Passion Play” (advertising sheet)
42. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 17, 1948, Lipscomb Artist Series presented Arturo Rubenstein, pianist (2 copies)
44. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 1-2, 1948, Brock Pemberton presented Joe. E. Brown in “Harvey” with Marion Lorne
45. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Mar. 12, 1948, Messrs. Shubert presented Sigmund Romberg’s “The Student Prince” (advertising sheet)
46. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Mar. 12, 1948, the Messrs. Shubert presented “The Student Prince”
47. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Mar. 22, 1948 Freddie Bartholomew in “The Hasty Heart” (advertising sheet)
49. 1948-1949 Season - Announcement of some great events coming to the Ryman
51. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Oct. 21, 1948, Charles L. Wagner presented “Romeo and Juliet” (advertising sheet)
52. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 1, 1948, The Lipscomb Artist Series presented Fritz Kreisler, violinist
54. Newspaper clipping “Oklahoma” Nov. 8-10
55. Mon., Jan. 24, 1949, The Margaret Webster Shakespeare Company with Carol Goodner, Joseph Holland, and Alfred Ryder in “Macbeth”
56. The Margaret Webster Shakespeare company (souvenir program)
57. Jan. 16, 1949, Bob Hope (souvenir program)
58. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 18, 1949, Paul Draper, dancer, and Larry Adler, harmonicist
59. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 18, 1949, Martha Graham and dance company
60. Martha Graham and dance company (souvenir program, autographed)
62. Spike Jones and his City Slickers (souvenir program)
63. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 2, 1949, Harry Draper presented The First Piano Quartet
64. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Mar. 8, 1949, Wayne King and his famous orchestra
65. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Mar. 16, 1949, Blackstone and his “Show of 1001 Wonders!” (advertising sheet)
68. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. April 1, 1949, Charles L. Wagner presented Rossini’s “The Barber of Seville” (advertising sheet)
69. Charles L. Wagner presents Rossini’s “The Barber of Seville” (souvenir libretto)
70. Ryman Auditorium, April 28, 1949, Harry Draper presented the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra

1949-50 TO 1957

1. In a broadcast by N.B.C. Network from Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 10, 1950, DuPont Cavalcade of America presented John Lund and Joan Gaulfield in “Honor Bound”
5. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 1, 1950, Arena Stars, Inc., presented Spike Jones and his Musical Depreciation Revue, featuring the City Slickers
7. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Feb. 17, 1950, “An Evening With Sigmund Romberg and his Concert Orchestra” (advertising sheet)
8. Sigmund Romberg (souvenir program, 2 copies)
11. “Ballet Theatre” (souvenir program)
12. Ryman Auditorium, Tues. Apr. 4, 1950, S. Hurok presented Marian Anderson, contralto, with Franz Rupp at the piano
13. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., April 24, 1950, Brock presented James Dunn in “Harvey” (advertising sheet)
14. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 10, 1951, Lauritz Melchior, tenor
17. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Dec. 1, 1950, Roy Rogers, Dale Evans and Trigger (advertising sheet)
18. Roy Rogers (souvenir program)
19. Ryman Auditorium’s 1950-51 season’s attractions


24. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Feb. 1, 1951, Mac Kaplus and Jack Small presented Mae West as "Diamond Lil".

25. Thurs., Feb. 1, 1951, Mae West as "Diamond Lil" (advertising sheet).


31. Ryman Auditorium announced a partial list of attractions for 1951-52 season.


37. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Oct. 30, 1953, Dorothy Lamour presented her "Variety Review".


39. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. Nov. 16, 1953, Fred Waring with "all" the Pennsylvanians!

40. Ryman Auditorium, Fri., Nov. 27, 1953, Muriel Rahn in "Carmen Jones" by Oscar Hammerstein, II.

41. Ryman Auditorium, Fri. Nov. 27, Muriel Rahn in "Carmen Jones" (advertising sheet).


43. The Ballet Theatre (souvenir program).
44. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Tues, Wed., April 19-21, 1954, Broadway Tours presented Peggy Ann Garner and Bramwell Fletcher in “The Moon is Blue” by F. Hugh Herbert with Mark Miller
45. Mar. 27, 1954, Grand Ole Opry
46. Ryman Auditorium, Mon-Wed., April 19-21, 1954, Peggy Ann Garner and Bramwell Fletcher in “The Moon is Blue”
47. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 4, Charles L. Wagner presented “Madame Butterfly
49. Charles L. Wagner presented “Madame Butterfly” (souvenir program)
50. Nov., 29, 1954, Ballet Theatre Foundation presented the Ballet Theatre with Igor Youskevitch, Nora Kaye and John Kriza
51. Ryman Auditorium, Mon & Tues., Jan 31 and Feb. 1, 1955, Courtney Burr and Elliott Nugent presented Eddie Bracken in “The Seven Year Itch”
52. Ryman Auditorium, Mon. & Tues., Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, Eddie Bracken in “The Seven Year Itch” (advertising sheet)
54. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 1, 1954, Jose’ Greco and his company of Spanish dancers with Lola de Ronda
55. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 7 & 8, 1956, the National Ballet of Canada
56. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 7 & 8, 1956, National Ballet of Canada (advertising sheet)
57. Ryman Auditorium, Nov. 29, 1961, the American Ballet Theatre; 70th anniversary of the Ryman (2 copies)
59. Auturo Rubenstein (souvenir program)

OTHERS

1. Mar. 10, 1922, “I am Bound For the Promised Land” (lyrics)
Ryman Auditorium, Aug, 2, 1925, memorial services in memory of William Jennings Bryan (2 copies)
3. Calling card of John Forrest, stage director/actor
4. Mrs. L. C. Naff presented John Forrest of the Chicago Civic Shakespeare Society who presented “Great Moments From Great Plays”
5. Apr. 23, 1927, newspaper clipping: “Biggest Crowd Since Caruso Sang in City Greets MacPherson (Tennessean – 2 copies; 1 incomplete)
6. Sun., Oct. 28, 1928, Nashville’s Tennessean’s rotogravure section, “Governor Smith’s Tour of Triumph Through South Brings Him to Nashville”
7. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Feb. 21, 1929, Chicago Civic Opera Company (advertising folder)
8. Chicago Civic Opera Company’s libretto, “Thais”
9. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Apr. 17, 1933 Lily Pons, coloratura soprano (#44, 1926-27 group; Metropolitan Opera Company (2 copies, #67, 1930-31 group photographs)


12. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., April 13, Harry Moses presented Judith Anderson and Helen Menken in “The Old Maid” (advertising sheet, 2 copies, #116, 1930-31 group)

13. Announcement of attractions coming to the Ryman Auditorium, 1937-1938 Season

14. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Jan. 18, 1938, Maurice Evans in “King Richard II” (2 copies, #144, 1930-31 group)

15. Ryman Auditorium, Feb. 14, 1938, Jooss’ European Ballet, Kurt Jooss, director

16. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Feb. 16, Rubinoff and his violin with Fray and Braggiotti (autographed by all three)

17. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Feb. 16, 1938, Rubinoff and his violin, assisted by Fray and Braggiotti, sponsored by Al Menah Shrine Temple

18. Ryman Auditorium, Mon., Mar. 7, “Yes, My Darling Daughter” by Mark Reed with Florence Reed (advertising folder, 2 copies, #156, 1930-31 group)

19. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 7, 1938, Alfred de Liabre, Jr., presented “Yes, My Darling Daughter” (2 copies, #156 in 190-31 group)


21. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 4, 1939, Yehudi Menuhin, violinist, under the auspices of the Woman’s Division, West End Methodist Church” on behalf of building fund (2 copies, #167, group 1930-31)

22. Ryman Auditorium, Thurs., Nov. 14, 1940, Charles L. Wagner presented Jeanette MacDonald in a song recital (2 copies, #13 in 1939-40 group)


24. Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 24, 1945, Fritz Kreisler (2 copies, #8, 1944-45 group)

25. Ryman Auditorium, Mar. 21, 1945, Russell Lewis and Howard by arrangement with John C. Wilson presented Mona Barrie, Reginald Denny and Lilian Harvey in “Blithe Spirit” (2 copies, #1, 1944-45 group)

26. Russell Lewis and Howard Young presented “Blithe Spirit” (souvenir program)

27. Ryman Auditorium, Oct. 26, 1945, Charles L. Wagner presented Verdi’s “Rigoletto”


30. Ryman Auditorium, Tues., Nov. 26, 1946, Strauss Festival with Oscar Strauss (#25, 1944-45 group)

31. Ryman Auditorium, Dec. 6, 1946, Spike Jones and his Musical Depreciation Review featuring the City Slickers (2 copies, #26 in 1944-45 group)
32. Ryman Auditorium, May 21, 1947, Spike Jones and his Musical Depreciation Revue, featuring the City Slickers (2 copies, #34, 1944-45 group)
33. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., May 21, Spike Jones (advertising folder)
34. Feb. 17, 1948, the Lipscomb Artist Series presented Arturo Rubinstein, pianist (#42, 1944-45 group)
35. Arturo Rubinstein (souvenir program)
37. In a broadcast by N.B.C. Network from the Ryman Auditorium, Jan. 10, 1950, DuPont Cavalcade of America presented John Lund and Joan Gaulfield in “Honor Bound”
38. Ryman Auditorium, Wed., Nov. 3, 1954, Mrs. L. C. Naff, manager, presented the opera “Madame Butterfly” by the Wagner Opera Company
39. Charles L. Wagner “will present Lucia di Lamermoor and La Traviata Now In Farewell” for the 1956-57 season (advertising folder)
40. Ryman Auditorium, April 7, 8, 9, Campbell McGregor presented Breden-Savoy, in person, Gilbert and Sullivan Comic Opera Co. (advertising sheet)
41. Sigmund Romberg (souvenir program)
42. George Gershwin and DuBose Heyward’s “Porgy and Bess” (souvenir program)
43. The Black Hills “Passion Play” with Josef Meier (souvenir program)