Andrea Chénier
(in Italian)
Opera in four acts by Umberto Giordano
Libretto by Luigi Illica

CAST

Andrea Chénier, a poet of the French Revolution  Mario Del Monaco
Maddalena, daughter of the Countess de Coigny  Licia Albanese
Countess de Coigny  Claramae Turner
Bersi, Maddalena's maid  Alice Ostrowsky
Gérard, footman at the chateau, later a Revolutionist  Robert Weede
Majordomo at the Chateau  Max Lorenzini
Fleville, a novelist pensioner of the King  Yi-Kwei Sze
The Abbe  Hubert Norville
A Spy for the Revolutionists  Alessio De Paolis
Roucher, Chénier's friend  George Cehanovsky
Madelon, a blind woman  Donna Walker
Mathieu, a revolutionist  Ralph Herbert
Fouquier-Tinville, public prosecutor  Desire Ligeti
Dumas, President of the Revolutionary Tribunal  Yi-Kwei Sze
Schmidt, jailer at St. Lazare  John Ford
Roger Albert, a boy  Catherine Brubaker

PLACE AND TIME: The French Revolution; Paris

Friday, October 6 1950, at 8:00 PM
Sunday, October 15 1950, at 2:00 PM

Act I -- Ballroom of Chateau de Coigny
Act II -- Café Hottot in Paris
Act III -- Revolutionary Tribunal and Prison of St. Lazare
Act IV -- Same as Act III -- At Dawn
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Notes:
Incidental Dances by Corps de Ballet

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