

Der Rosenkavalier

(in German)

Opera in three acts by Richard Strauss
Libretto by Hugo von Hofmannsthal

Conductor

Erich Leinsdorf

Stage director

William Wymetal

Chorus Director

Kurt Herbert Adler

Technical Director

Armando Agnini

CAST

<i>Marschallin, wife of Field Marshal Prince von Werdenberg</i>	Stella Roman
<i>Baron Ochs, of Lerchenau</i>	Lorenzo Alvary
<i>Octavian, a young nobleman</i>	Blanche Thebom
<i>Herr von Faninal, a rich merchant newly ennobled</i>	Ralph Herbert
<i>Sophie, his daughter</i>	Uta Graf
	Dorothy Warenskjold (9/30)
<i>Marianne, her duenna</i>	Yvonne Chauveau
<i>Valzacchi, an intrigant</i>	Alessio De Paolis
<i>Annina, his accomplice</i>	Herta Glaz
<i>A Singer</i>	Eugene Conley
	Walter Fredericks (9/30)
<i>A Landlord</i>	Caesar Curzi
<i>A Police Commissioner</i>	Desire Ligeti
<i>Major-domo of Marschallin</i>	Winther Andersen
<i>Major-domo of Faninal</i>	James Schwabacher
<i>A Notary</i>	Colin Harvey
<i>A Milliner</i>	Catherine Brubaker
<i>A Widow</i>	Dorothy Thronson
<i>A Vendor of Animals</i>	Austin Thomson
<i>First Orphan</i>	Sherrill Lanyon
<i>Second Orphan</i>	Eileen Baldwin
<i>Third Orphan</i>	Valerie Lagorio
<i>Black Page</i>	Paula Tracy
<i>Leopold</i>	Frederick Jones
<i>First Footman</i>	Thomas Miller
<i>Second Footman</i>	Paul Guenter
<i>Third Footman</i>	Attilio Rossi
<i>Fourth Footman</i>	Demy Trevor

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

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Tuesday, September 25 1951, at 8:00 PM

Sunday, September 30 1951, at 2:00 PM

Act I -- The Bedroom of the Marschallin

Act II -- A Room in the House of Herr Faninal

Act III -- A Room in an Inn

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