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by

Violinist SASCHKO GAWRILOFF

Pianist ALOYS KONTARSKY

at the MANOEL THEATRE

SATURDAY, 26th APRIL 1975

SONATA D MAJOR OPUS 12 No. 1 LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

Allegro con brio — Tema con variazioni — Rondo

Beethoven was the greatest genius and composer of the German School. He was regarded as a virtuoso of the pianoforte and perfected the pianoforte sonata. There was a boldness and originality about his works which made them unusually interesting. His works include besides the Sonatas, Symphonies, Overtures, String Quartet, Pianoforte Concertos and Sonatas for Pianoforte and Violin.

SONATA IN G MINOR

CLAUDE DEBUSSY (1862 - 1918)

Allegro vivo — *Entermede* — *Finale*.

Debussy was the incomparable master of mysteriousness, reticence, and the imponderable.

He succeeded in transforming impressions as no one before him.

He dissolved the abstract architecture of the traditional form which he replaced by "collages" of sound.

Following Chopin and Schumann, Debussy is the creator of a new piano music proper which is showing a wonderful and almost transparent lightness.

INTERVAL

SONATA E MINOR OPUS 36a

FERRUCCIO BUSONI

(1866 - 1924)

Busoni was a speculative theoretician of modern music. His draft of a new acoustic of music (1907) was mostly received with enthusiastic resonance but also it was strongly opposed from others (e.g. Pfitzner).

Although he was teaching and working quite a long time in Germany, through all his life he never lost his "southern" feelings for harmony, and thus he has always been able to compensate the intellectually unchained atonality.

SASCHKO GAWRILOFF

The violinist/Gawriloff of German - Bulgarian descent, born 1929, has (studied) with Professor Havemann in Berlin and Professor Koyacs in Budapest. Only 18 pears old, the became already first concert leader of the Philhar-monic Orchestra in Dresden and only a year later first concert leader of the Berlin Philhar

monic Orchestra.

(Saschko Gawriloff became the first German Violinist to win the Paganini Prize in the great International Violin contest in Genoa in 1959.

He has became Professor and leads the master class for violin at the Academy of Music in Essen.

He has played with almost all important symphonic and philharmonic orchestras of the continent.

His records are edited by the firms Columbia and Concert Hall, Deutsche Grammophongesellschaft and C.B.S. London.



ALOYS KONTARSKY

studied at the Academies of Cologne and Hamburg, finally with Eduard Erdmann.

Alfons the first prize for Piano Duo at the International Music Competition of the Broadcasting Authorities in the Federal Republic of Germany, held in Munich.

Garde composers like Boulez, Kagel, Zimmermann, Pousseur, Berio and Stockhausen started. He played with the group Stockhausen since 1967 and won the Grand Prix du Disque 1968.

From his participation in the International Summer Courses for New Music in Darmstadt resulted his collaboration with Siegfried Palm, Christoph Caskel and Saschko Gawriloff.

In 1969 he became Professor at the Academy of Music in Cologne.

His records are edited by the firms Deutsche Grammophongesellschaft, Bärenreiter Musicaphon, CBS, Electrela, Wergo, Vega, Vox, Time Records, Nippon Columbia, de Camera and Mainstream.

Born in 1931 in Iserlohn/Westphalia. He In 1955 he won together with his brother In the fifties his cooperation with the Avant-

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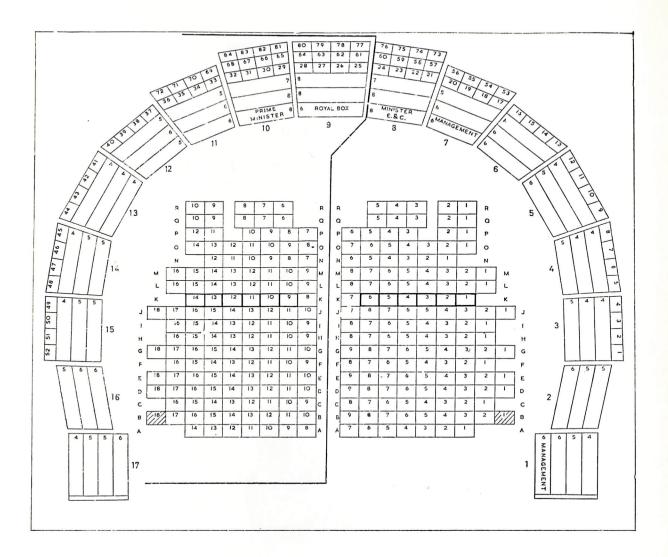
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BORIS CHRISTOFF — Wednesday, 7th May, 1975, at 7.30 p.m.



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