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DATE	COMPOSER	WORK	CONDUCTOR	CHORUS COND.	SOLOISTS	COMMENTS	
4-23-47	M.Lundquist	Now That the Sun Is Beaming Bright	Alfred F.Urbach			First a capella concert at Music Hall	
	J.S. Bach	Jesus, Joy of My Endeavor	Urbach				
	E. Elgar	As Torrents in Summr	Urbach				
	Healey Willan	The Three Kings	Urbach				
	H. Purcell	In These Delightful Pleasant Groves	"				
	A.Gretchaninoff	Autumn (The Awakening of Spring)	"				
	S. Panchenko	Cherubim Song	"				
	M.Leontovitch	Carol of the Bells	"				
	C. Mueller	Sunset	"				
	Wolfe-Riegger	Short'nin' Bread	"				
	Richard W.Bowles	My Heart Leaps Up	Richard W.Bowles				Bowles, local composer; dedicated to H.Chorale
	Fitzgerald-Jones	Five Concert Rounds	Urbach				
			Row, Row, Row Your Boat				
		Three Blind Mice					
		Are You Sleeping					
		The Cuckoo					
		The Huntsman					
	Noble Cain, arr,	Go Down Moses!	Urbach				
	Will James	Dark Water	"				
	Noble Cain	The Music of Life	"				
5-11-47	Lundquist	Now That the Sun is Beaming Bright	Urbach			Festival of Choral Music presented by American Guild of Organists at Christ Episcopal Church, Houston	
	Will James	Dark Water	"				
	H.Willan	The Three Kings	"				
	Pachenko	Cherubim Song	"				
	Leontovich	Carol of the Bells	"				
6-30-47	Lundquist	Now That the Sun Is Beaming Bright	"			Miller Theatre in Hermann Park -- originally set for 6-19-47, rained out; perfd. 6-30-47	
	J.S.Bach	Jesu, Joy of My Endeavor	"				
	Elgar	As Torrents in Summer	"				
	Willan	The Three Kings	"				
	Purcell	In These Delightful Pleasant Groves	"				
	Kopyov's	Heavenly Light	"				
	Leontovich	Carol of the Bells	"				
	Mueller	Sunset	"				
	Jacques Wolfe	Short'nin' Bread	"				
	Fitzgerald-Jones	Five Concert Rounds	"				
	Arr.Noble Cain	Go Down Moses!	"				
Will James	Hear My Prayer	"					
Will James	Dark Water	"					
Noble Cain	Music of Life	"					

*First rehearsal of
H. Chorale was Oct. 29, 1946.*

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11-21-47 ④	Purcell	In These Delightful Pleasant Groves	Urbach			"Junior League Friday Musicale Presents A-cappella Octet from The Houston Chorale Society" (this is way printed program was prefaced. I don't remember if it was an octet or not.
	Elgar	As Torrents in Summer	"			
	Palmgren	Finnish Lullbay	"			
	Leontovitch	Carol of the Bells	"			
	Bell-Shaw	Sleep Baby Sleep	"			
	Arr. Brahms	Phillis (German Folk Song)	"			
4-16-48 ⑤	J.S. Bach	Chorale: To Thee Alone Be Glory	"			2nd Annual Concert-Music Hall, Hou (Lotti: written for 8-part mixed chorus)
	A. Lotti	Crucifixus	"			
	Harmonized by J. Brahms	German Folk Song	"			JU's note - this should be perfd. more often - terrific
	Palmgren	Finnish Lullaby	"			
	Paul Hindemith	Three Chansons	"			
		The Doe				
		A Swan				
		In Winter				
	A. Kopylov	Heavenly Light	"			
	Gretchaninoff-Cain	Holy Radiant Light	"			
	Will James	Hear My Prayer	"			
Arr. Noble Cain	Ole Art's A-Moverin'	"				
Bell-Shaw	Sleep, Baby Sleep	"				
Arthur E. Hall	Tone Picture	Arthur E. Hall			Hall - local composer	
Arthur E. Hall	High Barbary	Arthur E. Hall				
Fitzgerald-Jones	Five Concert Rounds	Urbach				
	Row, Row, Row Your Boat					
	Three Blind Mice					
	Are You Sleeping					
	The Cuckoo					
	The Huntsman					
Arr. Robert Shaw	Set Down Servant	"				
5-23-48 ⑥	J.S. Bach	Chorale: To Thee Alone Be Blory	Urbach			American Guild of Organists presents The Houston Chorale, South Main Baptist Church, Houston
	A. Lotti	Crucifixus	"			
	Kopylov-Wilhousky	Heavenly Light	"			
	Arr. Noble Cain	Ole Arts A-Moverin'	"			
	Will James	Hear My Prayer	"			
Gretchaninoff-Cain	Holy Radiant Light	"				
6-29-48 ⑦		Several a cappella numbers including spirituals	"			Choral Festival at Miller Theatre Hermann Park, Houston -- 3 different choruses. No printed programs-just newspaper articles
7-2-48 ⑧		Sang at San Jacinto Memorial Monument for Texas Bar Association Barbeque	"			
12-10-48 ⑨	David Hugh Jones	Glory to God In The Highest	"			First Christmas Concert, Music Hall
	Willan	The Three Kings	"			
	Arr. Harry R. Wilson	Patapan (Burgundian Carol)	"			
	Frank E. Percival	The Stork She Rose on Christmas Eve	"			
	Leontovich	Carol of the Bells	"			
Panchenko	Cherubim Song	"				

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12-10-48	Arr. Harvey Gaul	The Shepherd and the Inn	Urbach		Ralph Bobbitt	
	contd, Arr. Frank Cunkle	Behold That Star	"		Ann Edwards	
	Arr. Tom Scott	Lullaby of the Christ Child	"		Kittie Skelton, sop.	
	Arr. Beatrice & Max Krone	We Wish You A Merry Christmas	"			
	W.A. Mozart	Gloria in Excelsis (From the Twelfth Mass)	"			
	Mac Gimsey-Lee	Sweet Little Jesus Boy	"			
	Peter Warlock	Three Carols	"			
		Tyrley Tyrlow				
		Balulalow			Balulalow: Winnifred	
		The Sycamore Tree			Scherffius, sop.	
	Ken Darby	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	"			
	P. Tchaikovsky	The Nutcracker Suite w/Chorale Orch.	"			
4-10-11-49	Beethoven	Ninth Symphony w/HSO	Efrem Kurtz	Urbach		City Auditorium, Houston
12-10-49	H. Willan	Hodie, Rhristus Natus Est	Urbach			Program of Christmas Music, Music Hall, Houston
	Palestrina-Gain	Adoramus Te Christi	"			
	Niles-Horton	Carol of the Polish Grenadiers	"			
	Niles-Horton	I Wonder As I Wander	"			
	Arr. John W. Work	Go Tell It On the Mountain	"			
		Traditional Carols	"			
		Away in a Manger				
		The Holly and the Ivy				
		Deck the Hall				
	F. Melius Christiansen	Lullaby on Christmas Eve	"		Barbara Crissey, Sop	
	"	Beautiful Savior	"			
	Siday-Hoggard	The Twelve Days of Christmas	"			
	Norman Bell	Our Sweet Savior Dear	"			
	Curtis York	Sing We All Noel	"			
	L. Beethoven	Hallelujah from Mount of Olives	"			
	Humperdinck-Wilhousky	Evening Prayer and Dream Pantomine from Hansel and Gretel	"			
	Darby	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	"			
	P. Tchaikovsky	The Nutcracker Suite w/Chorale Orch.	"			
12-17-49	Tchaikovsky-Waring	The Nutcracker Suite	"			Urbach conducted HSO on
	Humperdinck	The Dream Pantomine from Hansel & Gretel	Urbach			Henke & Pillot program (I think in Colosseum)
1-30-50	Brahms	Alto Rhapsody	Efrem Kurtz	Urbach	Blanche Thebom, mezzo	Male chorus from Houston Chorale. We were so proud of "our guys." City Aud.
4-10-50	Borodin	Polovetzian Dances	E. Kurtz	Urbach		City Auditorium
5-12-50	J.S. Bach	If By His Spirit	Urbach			An Evening of Choral Music. Music Hall
	Praetorius-Harley	Rise Up, Oh Flame!	"			
	Thomas Vantor	Mother, I Will Have a Husband	"			
	F. Delius	The Splendour Falls on Castle Walls	"			
	Healey Willan	A Clear Midnight	"			

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DATE	COMPOSER	WORK	CONDUCTOR	CHORUS COND.	SOLOISTS	COMMENTS
5-12-50 contd.	William Schumann J. Brahms	Prelude for Voices Liebeslieder Waltzes, op.52	Urbach "		Priscilla Chaplin, Sop. 2 pianists: Drusilla Huffmaster and Claire Stafford	What a piece! WOW used smaller chorus "out of" Chorale
15 cont	Richard Kountz	Prayer	"			
	Wm. Schumann	Holiday Song	"			
	Harry Simeone	Nursery Rhyme Suite	"			
		1. Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat, Where Have You Been?				
		2. Ding Dong Bell				
		3. There Were Two Cats of Kilkenny				
		Cook-Borch	Swing Along!	"		
	Arr. H. Burleigh	My Lord, What a Morning'	"			
	Am. L. Dawson	Soon-Ad Will Be Done	"			
	C. Mueller	The Marches of Peace	"			
12-8-50	J.S. Bach	"Sleepers Wake!" A Voice is Sounding	"			A Program of Christmas Music. Music Hall
16	Palestrina-Howorth	Adoramus Te	"			
	Bethuel Gross	Six Modernistic Carols	"			
		1. If I Had Lived in Bethlehem				
		2. The Star and the Angel				
		3. O Winter Sun, Wrap Mary With Your Warmth				
		4. The Night Has Fallen Asleep				
		5. O Thou Whose Birth Made Holy				
		6. No Costly Gifts the Shepherd Brought				
		Ralph L. Baldwin	Little "Lordeen"	"		
		Peter J. Wilhousky	Carol Noel	"		
		Guy Booth	We Saw Him Sleeping	"		
		Constantine Schvedov	With Joyful Song	"		
		Story: Charles Tazewell	The Littlest Angel	"		Narrator: Bobbye Jean Richardson
		Noble Cain	When de Star Shine	"		
		E.S. Barnes	When Christ Was Born of Mary Free	"		
		Arthur E. Hill	Gloria	"		Hall, local composer; Gloria written for H. Chorale
	M. Teschner	All Glory, Laud and Honor	"			
	Cesar Franck	Psalm 150	"			
	Darby	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	"			
	P. Tchaikovsky	The Nutcracker Suite w/Chorale Orch.	"			
17 12-9-50	Darby	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	Efrem Kurtz	Urbach		w/HSO-think at Caliseum, but don't know Caliseum
18 4-9-51	Verdi	Requiem	Efrem Kurtz	Urbach		City Aud.
19 12-8-51	Antonio Lotti G.B. Pergolesi	Crucifixus Slory to God in the Highest	Urbach "		Elizabeth Dixon, sop. Fay Focht, alto Joseph Salzhandler, tenor Joseph Andrew Dick, bass	Program of Christmas Music City Aud.

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DATE	COMPOSER	WORK	CONDUCTOR	CHORUS COND.	SOLOISTS	COMMENTS
12-8-51	Julia Perry	Carillon Heigh Ho	Urbach			
contd.	Roy Rhodes	Legend of the Bells	"		Kittie Skelton, sop.	
	Richard Kountz	Rise Up Early	"			
	Gretchaninoff-Cain	Holy Radiant Light	"			
	Arr.Hugo Jungst	While Shepherd Watched Their Sheep	"		Jo Ann Deason, sop. Carmen Boeger, alto George Chapline, bass Lewis Hubka, tenor	
	Niles-Horton	The Kentucky Wassail Song	"			
	Alex Kevan	What Child Is This?	"		Paul Olfeld, baritone(I think)	Kevan may have been organist at Christ Church-not sure
	Arr.Beatrice & Max Krone	We Wish You a Merry Christmas	"			
	Harvey Gaul	The Shepherd and the Inn	"		Geoffrey Young, bar.	
	Franz Gruber	Silent Night	"			Houston Chorale and University Chorale
	Evangeline Lehman	Final Gloria from Contata "Christmas"	"			
	Frances McCollin	Festival Chorus-"Ring Out Wild Bells"	"			
	Darby-Simeone	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	"			
	P.Tchaikovsky	The Nutcracker Suite x/Chorale Orch.	"			
3-31-52	J.Brahms	Naenie	Efrem Kurtz	Urbach		w/Houston Symphony
		Schicksalslied				
12-13-52	Leisring-Hoggard	Let All The Nations Praise the Lord	Urbach			City Aud.
	Healey Willan	The Three Kings	"			
	Bethuel Gross	Three Christmas Moods	"			
	Edward T.Milkey	Christmas Is Coming	"		Betty Wygant, sop.	
	Panchenko-Krone	Cherubim Song	"			
	F.Melius Christiansen	Beautiful Savior	"		Sue Dearien, alto (I think)	-- all singers were listed alphabetically
		Traditional Carols	"			
		Away In a Manger	"			
		Shepherds! Shake Off Your Drowsy Sleep	"			
		The Coventry Carol	"		Sue Dearien, alto(?)	
		Deck the Hall	"			
	Robert P.Dosien	Softly Slumber	"		Jane Pittman, sop Jackie Cade, alto Norwood Preto, tenor Fred Brauer, bass Jane Pittman, sop	Composer Dosien was mbr. of HC and Minister of Music at Immanuel Lutheran School in the Heights
	Richard Kountz	Carol of the Questioning Child	"			
	Orville Borchers	Joy	"			
	Mac Ginsey-Lee	Sweet Little Jesus Boy	"			
	Humperdinck Wilhousky	Evening prayer and Dream Pantomime from Hansel & Gretel	"			
	Ken Darby	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	"		Jack Waggoner, tenor	During this time, he worked on astronaut matters at Nasa; now a Houston artist

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12-13-52	P.Tchaikovsky	The Nutcracker Suite	Urbach			
1-21-53	Victoris-Wilhousky	Caligaverunt Oculi Mei	"			Music Hall
	M.Lundquist	Now That The Sun Is Beaming Bright	"			
	DeLasso-Widman	Echo Song	"			
	Arthur E.Hall	Sing With the Spirit				Local composer; dedicated to Houston Chorale
	Randall Thompson	The Peaceable Kingdom	"			
	Arr.Harvey-Gaul	An Italian Carol of St. Michael	"			
	Gail Kubick	Tee Roo			Andrew Dick, bass Reuben Boyett	chorus listing did not divide into SATB
	G.Holst	I Love My Love	"			
	Lvov-Wilhousky	Hospodi Pomilui	"			
	John Powell	The Deaf Woman's Courtship	"		Mary Chudleigh, sop	
	Noble Cain	To Music	"		Norwood Preto, tenor	
	William Dawson	Ain-a That Good News				
4-6-53	Monteverdi	Magnificat	Efrem Kurtz	Urbach		w/H.Sym
12-12-53	Tchaikovsky	Cherubim Song, op.41, No. 6	Urbach			City Aud
	Edwin Liemohn	Glory Be To God on High	"			
	Palestrina-Cain	Adoramus Te Christe	"			
	Arr. D.F.Malin	Come and Adore (Basque Christmas Carol)	"			
	Mozart	Gloris In Excelsis (from the Twelfth Mass)	"			
	Arthur E. Hall	Seven Preludes to the Nativity	"		Gabriel-William Alexander, tenor Zacharias-Paul Olfield, bar. Mary-Betty Lou Rosscamp Narrator-James Bradley	
		1. Prologue				
		2. Come Make Merry (Festival of Spring)				
		3. The Annunciation				
		4. Magnificat				
		5. Journey to Bethlehem				
		6. Christus Natus Est				
		7. Gloria				
	Frank E. Percival	The Stork She Rose On Christmas Eve	"			
	F.Melius Christiansen	Lullaby on Christmas Eve	"		Kittie Skelton, sop	
	Bethuel Gross	Six Modernistic Carols	"			
		If I Had Lived in Bethlehem				
		The Star and the Angel				
		O Winter Sun Wrap Mary With Your Warmth				
		The Night Has Fallen Asleep				
		O Thou Whose Birth Made Holy				
		No Costly Gifts the Shepherd Brought				
	Roy Rhodes	Legend of the Bells	"		Harriett Fasshauer, sop Chimes: Ruth Mary Ruston	Ruth Mary was Asst. Conductor of HC (forget yr) also sang sop.
	Tchaikovsky-Cain	Crown Him King of Glory	"			
5-7-54	Charles Wood	Hail, Gladdening Light	Noble Cain, guest cond.	Urbach		Music Hall
	Zoltan Kodaly	Evening	"	"		
	"	Jesus and the Traders	"	"		
	Leighton Lucas	Every Wind That Blows	"	"		

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5-7-54 contd.	Elgar L.Bainton William Byrd arr.Cain G.Casali arr.Cain Alec Templeton G.Gabrieli J.S.Bach-Adapted from Romans VIII 26,27 by Wm.Bartholomew Edward German Noble Cain "	In the Wilderness Miserere Mei (Psalm 51) Improperium (Psalm 69:20-21) Hast Thou Not Known (Isaiah 40:28-31) Jubilate Deo The Spirit Also Helpeth Us O Peaceful Night To Music The Preludes of Life (from "Meditation Poetiques" by Lamartine	Noble Cain, guest cond.	" " " " " " " "	Urbach " " " " " "	
12-3-54	Bach Kopylow-Wilhousky Randall Thompson Leontovich-Wilhousky Arthur E. Hall Schubert Menotti	All Breathing Life, Sing and Praise Ye the Lord Heavenly Light Alleluia Carol of the Bells Seven Preludes of Nativity The Omnipotence Amahl and the Night Visitors		Urbach " " "		Music Hall Gabriel-William Alexander, tenor Zacharias-Paul Olfield, bar. Mary-Marie Perkins Narrator-William H.Schlottman Ruth Wareham Andor Toth, orch.cond. Urbach
4-3-55	Verdi	Requiem	Sir Thomas Beecham	"	Frances Yeend, sop Mona Paulee, mezzo Gabor Carelli, tenor Yi-Kwei Sze, bass	Carelli got sick; HC mbr. Jack Waggoner learned the part sitting in the back seat of our car w/Al and Katy Kucera, Chorale accompanist, a large lemon, and me driving to Galveston Perfd. in Ball High School Aud, Galveston. Terrific!
4-4-5-55	Verdi	Requiem	Sir Thomas Beecham	Urbach	Frances Yeend, sop Mona Paulee, mezzo Gabor Carelli, tenor Yi-Kwei Sze bass	Music Hall, Hous (Carelli got better from sick)
12-6-55	Sibelius	Hymn to the Earth	L.Stokowski	Urbach		Music Hall --1st perf.in US
1-31-56	Orff	Carmina Burana I. Primo Vere: Uf dem Anger II. In Taberna III Cour D'Amour	Stokowski	Urbach		Music Hall

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4-2-56	Orff	Triumph of Aphrodite	Stokowski	Urbach	Virginia Babikian, sop Audre Lokey, sop Jack Waggoner, tenor Guy Gardner, bar.	Music Hall
12-23-56	Berlioz	The Childhood of Christ	Stokowski	Urbach		HSO Radio Concert-KTRH
3-12-56	Hovhaness	Ad Lyram	Stokowski	Urbach	Melba Petzold, sop Ruth Porter, alto Alan Messer, tenor Henry Bennick, bar.	Music Hall
3-25-27-57	Beethoven	Ninth Symphony	Stokowski	Urbach	Jean Hinkle, sop Annette Dinwoodey, contralto Rudolf Petrak, tenor Jay Fromm, bass	Music Hall
1-11-12-57	Orff	Naenie and Dithyrambe	Stokowski	Urbach		Music Hall
1-6-7-58	Bach-Stravinsky	Variations on "Von Himmel Hoch"	Stravinsky	Urbach		Music Hall. HS left H. Chorale's name OFF OF program So noted on our copy of prog.
4-7-8-58	Orff	Carmina Burana	Stokowski	Urbach	Virginia Babikian, sop. Guy Gardner, bar Joseph Edwin Naron, bar Jack Waggoner, tenor Hous. Youth Symphony Boys' Choir, Howard Webb, cond.	Music Hall
10-20-21-58	Wagner	"Tannhauser" Overture and Venusberg Music	Stokowski	Urbach		Music Hall - Women's voices of H. Chorale
1-3-4-58	Debussy	Trois Chansons for A Capella Chorus	Stokowski w/HSO	Urbach	Ruth Porter, alto	H. Chorale appeared on sym. prog.
4-6-7-59	Bach	Mass in B minor	Stokowski	Urbach	Ruth Schmall, sop Lois Townsend, sop Gloria Brydon, alto James Wainner, tenor Norman Treigle, bass	Music Hall
12-14-15-59	Debussy	La Damoiselle Elue	Ezra Rachlin	Urbach	Narrator: Frances Junger The Damosel: Pauline Stark	Music Hall 1st perf. in Houston on Hso prog.
		Songs of Christmas: The Coventry Carol O Come, O Come, Immanuel At Bethlehem City Ya Viene la vieja Fum Fum Fum	"	"		
	Holst	Lullay My Liking	"	"		
	Warlock	Tyrley Tyralow	"	"		
	Warlock	Balulalow	"	"		
	Warlock	As I Sat Under a Sycamore Tree	"	"		
		The "Cherry Tree" Carol	"	"		

I am going to stop this at this point due to fact scrapbooks slipped off of table and the 12/59 symphony program is missing at the moment. When I first started this, I wrote it all by hand and I have been copying from those notes. But this Balulalow, etc. sound like it might be a program Urbach did.