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## Stokowski Rebukes Booing Group in Concert Audience

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7. (AP) Conductor Leopold Stokowski interrupted an Academy of Music concert tonight to sharply rebuke members of the audience who had booed or walked out during the playing of Arnold Schoenberg's new modernistic violin concerto.

"It's a foolish, narrow and un-sportsmanlike blunder to act this

way," the silver-haired maestro began. "Why not give the piece a chance? Schoenberg is one of our greatest living musicians. He is an extreme individualist. Why don't you give his music a fair chance? That's American."

The Los Angeles composer's concerto was given its world's premiere by Stokowski here yesterday. Several in the audience left during the performance.