

Fabien Sevitzky Directs Orchestra Tonight In 4th Community Concert

The Community Concert association will present Fabien Sevitzky directing the Indianapolis Symphony orchestra at 8:30 tonight in Schwab auditorium. Only members of the Community Concert association, may attend.

The program will consist of four selections beginning with the Prelude to "Die Meistersinger" by Richard Wagner. Next, the orchestra will present Brahms' Symphony No. 2 in D, Op. 73.

After an intermission, a series of 17th century dances written in terms of the modern orchestra by Deems Taylor and called the Restoration Suite, will be played. The last work on the program is the suite from the ballet "Coppelia" by Leo Delibes.

Prelude Finished First

The prelude to "Die Meistersinger" was completed six years before the opera was first performed. Ordinarily, an operatic composer works in just the opposite manner, finishing the opera before starting on the prelude. Originally, "Die Meistersinger" was to have been a light comic opera, but Wagner did not follow his plan and produced some of the most skillful counterpoint in opera.

Brahms' second symphony is



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generally regarded as the most cheerful of the four. The second movement is, to be true, somber and reminiscent of Bach, but the first, third and last movements are as joyous as Brahms ever gets. Taylor in his Restoration Suite, combines five dances into a five movement suite which is played

without a break. These dances, with varying origins, were popular during the reign of Charles II of England. Here, Taylor has arranged them for the modern orchestra.

Doll Becomes Alive

The ballet, Coppelia, is one of the first to be based on the theme of a doll coming to life. The tale concerns a lad who has fallen in love with a mechanical doll. The music from this suite is graceful, tender and charming to those who like daintiness and delicacy in their music.

Fabien Sevitzky, music director and conductor of the Indianapolis Symphony orchestra, believes in young people. The average age of his orchestra, as a result, is far below the level of any comparable organization in the country.

During his early conducting years, Sevitzky founded his famous Young Musicians orchestra and Vocal Ensembles also composed of young people.

Young People's Music

Much of Sevitzky's music is of and for young people. He had made it a definite rule that at each concert he conducts, one American work will be included. He believes that the music of the future is here, issuing from the pens of today's composers.

Cooks, Looks Aid Marital Choice

Rural folk and city folk have some different ideas when it comes to choosing a marriage partner.

Dr. William Smith Jr., professor of family relationships at the College, reported recently that country boys consider being a good cook and housekeeper an important qualification for the girl they choose. Their city cousins, however, look for the congenial type of girl, the one who meets the approval of the boy's friends.

The survey, which was made among members of senior extension clubs in Pennsylvania, polled 1020 young people who represented various groups.

The young people polled also said they thought that girls are more practical than men when it comes to marriage in that they place a stronger emphasis on financial prospects, education, industry, and family approval.

The most desirable characteristics, however, were generally the same for all groups, with good morale, love and affection, and dependability considered most important.

Forum Hears Maurois Speak

Andre Maurois, French biographer, historian, and novelist, will speak on "1951: Time for Appraisal," at the next regularly-scheduled Community Forum lecture at Schwab Auditorium at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Single tickets, priced at \$1 each, can be purchased at the Student Union desk in Old Main starting at 1 p.m. Monday. Season tickets will be honored at the door.

No further word has been received from the forum committee from Eric Johnston, president of the Motion Picture Association of America, who earlier this year postponed his appearance, originally scheduled for Jan. 16. Further information will be announced in the Daily Collegian as soon as it is available.

Explosion Rips Mine Building

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 8—(AP)—A blast ripped through the six-story mineral building of the sprawling Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing company's plant today. Eleven men, possibly more, were killed. Another 50 or more were injured, several critically. John Schultz, one workman who was injured slightly, said, "I thought an atom bomb had hit."

The explosion caught more than 60 men in and around the building, shortly after the 8 a.m. (CST) shift came on duty.

Debris was piled so deep it may be days before it is known whether additional bodies are in the wreckage. Officials of the company and the St. Paul fire department said they had not been able to pin down the cause of the blast. They advanced the theory that one or more of several gas-fired furnaces in the basement of the six-story brick building had exploded.

Nazi Financier Dead At 77

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 8—(AP)—Fritz Thyssen, 77, once Germany's richest industrialist and financial sponsor of Adolf Hitler's rise to power, died here today.

Thyssen arrived in Buenos Aires Jan. 1, 1950, to visit his daughter, who has been living here for several years. He had been in poor health the last few months and recently underwent an operation. He died at his daughter's home.

Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Thyssen's career passed through many stages, ranging from that of Germany's richest industrialist to the poverty of a concentration camp inmate.

Cleric Asks Brotherhood For Peace

By DAVE COLTON

"Christian brotherhood is a better weapon for world peace than the atomic bomb," Kiyoshi Tanimoto, Christian minister from Japan said in his "Meaning of the Hiroshima Catastrophe" speech at St. Paul's Methodist Church last night.

Tanimoto was graduated from Emory university in Atlanta, Ga., and was in Hiroshima on August 6, 1945, when the atomic bomb struck the city. He has been described in John Hersey's book Hiroshima, and is the originator of the Hiroshima Peace Center, a social and educational memorial to the dead.

He said America is a great nation and must lead the world to peace. Despite the 170,000 casualties in the initial blast, Tanimoto said a majority of the Japanese people do not bear any resentment toward the United States. Most of them have the opinion the bombing couldn't be helped since the Japanese started the war and bombed Pearl Harbor, he said.

Christians Pray

Many of the Christian survivors fell on their knees, and asked God for reconciliation and prayed that a catastrophe such as this might never occur again, he said. Some of the Christian leaders are optimistic for the new Hiroshima which is being constructed, and hope that the terrible bombing is a lesson to the world, he stated.

The Methodist minister said the atom bomb destroys in three methods; first, the explosion; second, the intense heat caused by the explosion; and third, the radiation. The explosion destroyed 80 per cent of the houses in the city of 400,000 people and burned the other 20 per cent, he said.

Radiation Effects

Many people died as late as six months after the explosion from the effects of radiation, Tanimoto said. Others were badly disfigured, burned, and lost all their hair, he related. Right after the bomb landed, piles of human ashes from people who had been burned lined the streets, he said.

Embargo Lifted On Eastern Mail

The embargo placed on certain classes of mail was lifted yesterday, said a local post office spokesman.

Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, and Michigan are still not open to the lower class mails, he said. Mail service west of the Mississippi is also closed.

The lifting of the embargo in the eastern section of the United States eliminates the restrictions on mail listed in yesterday's Collegian.

PS Club To End Talent Search

The search for talent for the Penn State club's 11th annual talent show ends today. Students desiring to be auditioned for the show sign up at the Student Union desk in Old Main lobby.

Auditions for the show, to be held Feb. 23 in Schwab auditorium, begin tomorrow. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners.

Three Men In ROTC Are Given Promotions

Promotions have been given to three men assigned to the Department of Air Science and Tactics at the College.

1st Lt. Alfred F. Pelka has been promoted to captain, Technical Sergeant David Wirshorn has been recalled to commissioned status as a 1st Lieutenant, and Technical Sergeant Walter T. Young has been promoted to master sergeant.

Cafeteria Hours Set

Food service in the Maple Room of the Home Economics building will open Monday with luncheons served from 11:50 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Dinner will be served in the Maple Room Monday through Thursday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Truman Swaps Verbal Blows With Senator

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8—(AP)—President Truman and an investigating senator swapped such adjectives as asinine and untrue today in a bitter row over the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, multi-billion dollar government lending outfit.

The President assailed as asinine a Senate subcommittee report alleging that a White House aide influenced the lending operations of the big agency.

The investigating subcommittee was headed by Senator Fulbright (D-Ark). Mr. Truman, in the course of his denunciation of its report at his news conference, said he hasn't been able to find out what it was driving at and hopes to find out from Fulbright.

He added, however, that Fulbright left town as soon as he heard the President wanted to see him. Replied Fulbright in a statement:

"I do not wish to seem disrespectful to the President but this statement of the President's is not true."

"At no time," he added, "did I have any information the President wished to see me." He said he issued the report last Friday and remained in Washington until late Monday.

Fulbright made the statement through his office. He is in Miami, Fla., where he went to make an address.

He added that the President's apparent belief that the report was personal "must have been a figment of his imagination." Mr. Truman said it apparently was intended as a reflection on himself.

"There was nothing personal about it so far as the President is concerned," the Senator said. "If he wishes to take it personally that is his privilege. The report speaks for itself."

He went on to say the subcommittee had "given the President every opportunity to clean up the RFC" before issuing its report.

Bernreuter To Speak On Ind. Psych

Dr. R. G. Bernreuter, director of the psychology clinic, will speak in Schwab auditorium today at 4:10 p.m. on the subject "Psychology in Industry."

H. P. Hammond, dean of the School of Engineering, asked that students enrolled in Engineering 2 and 3 attend the lecture.

Winter Cold Stops Old Main's Clock

According to the old saying, time waits for no one; but at State College, nothing is done by conventional means. Maybe that explains why the clock atop Old Main stopped and waited—waited for Old Man Winter.

In the wee hours of the morning the intense cold froze the oil and mechanisms inside the clock, stopping it. Thus students walking up the Mall for their morning classes were given the impression that they had been awakened unduly early.

The difficulty was soon remedied by starting the clock by hand, stated R. Y. Sigworth, director of the utility department of the physical plant.

Weather—

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humor magazine. What price prediction?

In other sections of Pennsylvania the weather was just as bad as it was here. Or worse. In Pittsburgh, the temperature dropped to 1 degree and in both Pittsburgh and Philadelphia guests of wind were near 50 miles per hour. Seventeen inches of snow fell in Curwensville and the temperature there dropped to 1 below.

A blizzard brought a blackout to parts of Somerset and Cambria counties as it knocked out high voltage transmission lines, and somewhere on the Pennsylvania Turnpike, a Greyhound bus was blown off the highway.

Heavy icing on state highways caused several additional accidents, including a Greyhound bus collision in which four persons were killed.

Donovan Requests Cap, Gown Orders

George Donovan, manager of Student Union, announced yesterday that graduating seniors who will be student teaching the last eight weeks of the semester should order their caps, gowns, announcements, and invitations sometime during February.

Caps and gowns may be ordered at the Athletic store for a \$5 deposit. Each student was asked to know his hat size.

Announcements and invitations may be ordered at Student Union in Old Main. The cost has not been determined, but is expected to be about ten cents each.

LA Transcripts Ready

All students in the School of Liberal Arts, including those in the commerce and finance curriculum, may pick up their grade transcripts in Dean Euwema's office, 132 Sparks.

Senate Group Near Accord On Draft Law

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8—(AP)—Secretary of Defense Marshall and the Senate preparedness subcommittee appeared near agreement tonight upon the controversial issue of drafting 18-year-olds for military training and service.

Marshall spent two and a half hours in closed-door discussion with the senate group going over a number of proposed compromises on the universal military service and training bill.

Chairman Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex) indicated near agreement upon the "basic points in controversy."

Stressing that all decisions were tentative, chairman Johnson said Secretary Marshall had been questioned on these modifications of the original UMST:

1. Authority to draft 18 year olds—one year below the present minimum of 19 for induction—but limiting this at first to those 18 years old nearest 19, such as boys 18 years and 9 months old. Originally Secretary Marshall opposed any restrictions.

2. Limiting actual service to two years, if the men take no military leave in that period. The Pentagon had asked that present required service be extended from 21 to 27 months. Each service man is entitled to one month leave for each year of service.

3. Requiring the armed services by law to lower their standards and take in more men in the 19 through 25 year draft pool who have been rejected or classed as 4-F.

4. Requiring service by men from 19 through 25 years who are husbands but have no children or previous military service.

5. Some compromise that would permit national guard units to continue to enlist some 18 year olds, who would be temporarily deferred from the draft.

6. An agreement that 75,000 of the 18 year olds would be deferred after four months basic training, in order to study to be doctors, scientists and technicians, they would not be required to go to classes in uniform, but might wear some emblem or insignia.

Rabbi Kahn Will Talk On 'Yiddish Language'

Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn will speak on the subject, "The Story of the Yiddish Language" tonight at 8 o'clock during Sabbath Eve services at Hillel foundation.

Members of Phi Sigma Delta fraternity will participate in the service and serve as hosts.