

Nino Martini Will Star In 45th Annual May Festival

Nino Martini, the spectacular operatic tenor and movie star, who was injured recently in a railroad accident in New York, will be the star at the Friday evening concert of the Ann Arbor May Festival which will be held May 11, 12, 13, and 14. Mr. Martini has never before sung in Ann Arbor.

Other soloists will include Marian Anderson, Negro contralto, who will sing at the opening concert; Agnes Davis, soprano; Arthur Hackett, tenor; Chase Baromeo, bass, who will sing the solo role in Rachmanninoff's setting of Edgar Allan Poe's poem "The Bells"; Albert Spalding, American violinist, who will be the soloist at the Friday afternoon concert; while Marjorie Lawrence, distinguished Australian Wagnerian soprano, will sing a number of operatic arias in the all-Wagner program Saturday afternoon. At the Saturday evening concert a galaxy of stars will be heard, including Hilda Burke, soprano; Bruna Castagna, contralto; Giovanni Martinelli, tenor; Chase Baromeo, bass; Richard Ponelli, baritone; Arthur Hackett, tenor; and Hardin Van Deusen, baritone.

The Philadelphia Orchestra, under Eugene Ormandy, will participate in all of the concerts, while the University Choral Union under Earl V. Moore, will be heard in two concerts, performing "The Bells" and Bizet's "Carmen." The Young People's Festival Chorus of 100 voices under Juva Higbee, will sing a group of songs and also the American premiere of an interesting work entitled "Paul Bunyan" by Dorothy James. The baritone solo in this work will be sung by Hardin Van Deusen.

Calendar of Coming Events

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 10 a. m.—Mother-Daughter dinner at Our Lady of Sorrows School.
MONDAY, MAY 9, 8 p. m.—West Farmington P. T. A. meeting at schoolhouse.
MAY 11, 12, 13, 14—May Festival given by U. of M. Musical Society.
FRIDAY, MAY 13—M. E. Church Mother-Daughter Banquet.



CHARLES A. SINK who heads the University May Festival committee.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18—Woman's Club meets with Mrs. Bertha Steele.
MAY 20, 21—Annual Poppy Days.
JUNE 10, 11, 12—Oakland County Boy Scout Camporee in Farmington.

DEATHS FROM T. B. EQUAL DEATHS BY AUTO ACCIDENTS

Every four hours someone in Michigan is killed by an automobile—every four hours someone in Michigan is killed by tuberculosis. That is the situation here when the total number of deaths caused throughout the state last year by automobile accidents and by the White Plague are distributed evenly through 1937.

Without a doubt every one of the automobile deaths was blazoned forth in Michigan newspapers. Yet few of us realized that at the same time tuberculosis, too, was demanding from our state a human life. And one of the greatest tragedies of this loss of life lies in the fact that every person who died from tuberculosis left behind an unknown number of new cases of the disease.

Just as surely as the accidents could have been averted, so could the tuberculosis deaths, the spreading of the tubercle bacilli to others, says the Michigan Tuberculosis Association in urging early examination by means of the tuberculin test and chest X-ray.

LOCALS

Mrs. Marvin and friend, Mrs. Smith, of Redford, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. David Ross.

Mrs. Earl Smith, formerly Viola Walters, of Detroit, visited friends in Farmington, Tuesday.

George Heliker of North Farmington is slowly improving from his recent sickness.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kings have recently moved into a house on Ontario avenue, Clarencville.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koss and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harding of Clarencville. In the afternoon both families were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tutts of Pontiac Lake.

Mrs. Otis Jensen and nephew are spending the week end with the former's daughter, Mrs. Charles Rogers and family of Ithaca.

Barbara Nash entertained members of the 9th grade at a welter roast at her home, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hogarth entertained six couple at dinner and bridge Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. Hogarth's sister, Mrs. May of Los Angeles, California, who has been visiting at the Hogarth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Billings spent the past week with their daughter, Mrs. Albert Beaver, of Grosse Pointe.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Schreiber and son Richard have returned to their home, after spending four days in Grand Rapids, on a visit to Mrs. Schreiber's father and sister.

Shirley Johnson and Marjorie Morris, as runner-up, represented the West Farmington School at the district spelling bee held April 29 at the Novi School. Shirley Johnson is this year's school champion of the West Farmington school.

The daughters of Isabella of Our Lady of Sorrows Church will give a Mother-Daughter dinner at Our Lady of Sorrows Parochial School at 10 a. m. Sunday, May 8. Mrs. C. F. Smith is in charge of reservations.

Miss Amelia Moehler of Detroit will speak of her last summer's visit to Japan and China, before the West Farmington P. T. A. Monday, May 9 at 8 o'clock. Visitors are welcome. Refreshments will be served following the talk.

Mrs. Dora Thompson left Tuesday afternoon for Fresno, California, where she will spend the next month as the guest of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. William Large of Aurora, Canada, were the week end house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grimwade. Mrs. Large is a sister of Mrs. Grimwade.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grace spent Wednesday in Detroit, on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harbor and son have recently moved from Clarencville to Detroit.

Mrs. William Hogarth and son Billy are spending several days at the Drake Hotel in Chicago as guests of Mrs. Hogarth's sister, Mrs. Louis Mayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jensen and nephew visited the latter's brother, William Huff, who has been very ill at Receiving Hospital, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Todd have returned to their home on Oakland avenue after spending the winter in Long Beach, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Walfred Nordberg of Battle Creek visited friends in Farmington, Saturday. Mrs. Nordberg returned on Tuesday to spend the balance of the week with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Irving entertained as their guest Saturday afternoon and evening, Miss Daisy DeMille, of Detroit.

Mrs. Curt Hall was a guest at the Detroit Golf Club, Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna LaPearl, who is making her home with her niece, Mrs. Arthur Lamb, spent the week end with relatives in Detroit.

Stop Eating Sugar; Eliminate Tooth Decay

Tooth decay can be practically eliminated if people will forego the eating of sugars and highly fermentable starches.

Decay of the teeth has been shown to be the direct result of acids produced by bacilli nurtured on free sugars and starches. Dr. Russell W. Bunting, Dean of the University of Michigan School of Dentistry, told members of the New York State Medical Society at the organization's annual meeting Thursday in New York.

Prevention or adequate control of tooth decay would materially reduce the cases of arthritis, nephritis, heart disease, and diseases of the gastro-intestinal tract. These diseases, Dr. Bunting said, are in many cases actually the result of infections which follow the destruction of teeth through decay.

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PROFESSOR SEES LONGER PEACE IF FASCISTS WIN

Mussolini is probably planning to use a Franco victory in Spain to establish an accord with Great Britain and France in place of his present alliance with Hitler, or if his hand is strong enough, a new Locarno including Germany.

The Italian leader has come out on the short end of the Franco-Berlin axis, says Professor Arthur S. Alton, University of Michigan historian and authority on the history of Spain. If Duce probably will be glad to rid himself of his attachments to the Third Reich, he continued, in return for a more stable alliance with the democracies. A defeat of the Spanish Loyalists by an Italian sponsored Franco, he stated, would give Mussolini the bargaining power necessary for such a change.

In addition to tearing Italy away from Nazi Germany, Professor Alton believes, a Franco victory would spell a longer and more secure general peace in Europe than would the defeat of the Spanish Fascists. A Loyalist victory, he said, would not quiet the Fascist's demands for expansion, whereas a Franco triumph would weaken Hitler by strengthening the hand of Italy in world affairs.

Cut the Gordian Knot

Alexander Gordius, a peasant, being chosen king of Phrygia, dedicated his wagon to Jupiter, and fastened the yoke to a beam with a rope of bark so ingeniously that no one could untie it. Alexander was told that "whoever undid the knot would reign over the whole East." "Well, then," said the conqueror, "it is thus I perform the task," and so saying, he cut the knot in twain with his sword. Hence, to cut the Gordian knot is to get out of a difficult or awkward position by one decisive step, to solve a problem by a single brilliant stroke.

Doing the wrong thing is easy, but frequently calls for a great deal of explanation.

Question Box

fourth in a series of questions and answers on job insurance in Michigan. This installment concerns questions affecting employers. Readers are invited to submit their questions either to this newspaper or the Information Division of the Michigan Unemployment Compensation Commission, Detroit.)

Q. How is administration of Michigan's Unemployment Compensation law financed?

A. Under the provisions of the Social Security Act, Congress is authorized to appropriate for each fiscal year, a sum from the general funds in the Federal Treasury to finance administration of the various state unemployment compensation laws. The Michigan commission is empowered to receive such grants as the Board determines necessary.

Q. Are all the workers of a covered firm included, regardless of the amount of their wages or salaries?

A. They are all covered so far as eligibility for benefits is concerned. But the employer need pay contributions only on the first \$3,000 in wages paid each worker.

Q. If a Michigan employer maintains two or more legal entities in different parts of the state employing five persons at one and seven at the other, are his workers eligible for benefits if they lose their jobs?

A. Yes. For purposes of the law, persons employed by a firm maintaining two or more separate establishments are deemed to be employed by a single employer and when the total number of employees is eight or more, they are eligible for benefits; although each firm is required to file separate reports.

Q. Are contributions pooled in the Michigan plan?

A. Yes. Contributions from all subject employers are pooled in a single fund. Separate employer reserve accounts are maintained for purposes of establishing the

merit rating system.
Q. Does this mean that workers may draw benefits only against the accounts of their respective employers?

A. No. Eligible workers draw their benefits directly from the pooled fund. Those benefits are then charged to the employer's reserve account.

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