#### UNIVERSITY MUSICAL SOCIETY CHARLES A. SINK, PRESIDENT EARL V. MOORE, MUSICAL DIRECTOR

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Complete Series 2691

# Sixty-First Annual Choral Union Concert Series

## SERGEI RACHMANINOFF, Pianist

Tuesday, October 24, 1939, at 8:30 Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor, Michigan

#### PROGRAM

French Suite in E major
Sonata, Op. 111 BEETHOVEN Maestoso. Allegro con brio ed appassionato Arietta. Adagio molto, semplice e cantabile
The Trout Schubert-Liszt Impromptu in A-flat minor
INTERMISSION
Etude-Tableau in A minor RACHMANINOFF
Four Etudes, Op. 25
Three Etudes
NOTE: Mr. Rachmaninoff has been heard in the Choral Union Concert Series on previous occasions as follows: November 11, 1920; February 13, 1929; February 10, 1931; January 18, 1934; November 6, 1935; and October 27, 1937.
Mr. Rachmaninoff uses the Steinway plano
The Steinway piano and the Skinner organ are the official concert instruments of the University Musical Society
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## Coming Musical Events HILL AUDITORIUM Choral Union Concerts

8:30 р.м.

FRITZ KREISLER, Violinist Monday, November 6
ALEXANDER KIPNIS, Bass Monday, November 13
New York Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra . Monday, November 27 John Barbirolli, Conductor
JUSSI BJOERLING, Tenor Monday, December 4
BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Thursday, December 14 SERGE KOUSSEVITZKY, Conductor
KIRSTEN FLAGSTAD, Soprano Monday, January 15
ROBERT VIROVAI, Violinist
BARTLETT AND ROBERTSON, Pianists Wednesday, February 14
ARTUR RUBINSTEIN, Pianist Wednesday, March 6

### School of Music Concerts

Given without admission charge

Sunday, October 29, 4:15 P.M., Hill Auditorium . ORCHESTRA CONCERT MABEL Ross RHEAD, *Pianist*, soloist. THOR JOHNSON, *Conductor* Wednesday, November 1, 4:15 P.M., Hill Auditorium

TOM KINKEAD, Organist

Sunday, November 19, 4:15 p.m., Hill Auditorium . FACULTY CONCERT KATHLEEN BARRY, Harp; MAUD OKKELBERG, Piano; HARDIN VAN DEURSEN, Baritone.

Wednesday, November 22, 4:15 P.M., Hill Auditorium .

PALMER CHRISTIAN, Organist

Sunday, December 10, 4:15 P.M., Hill Auditorium HANDEL'S "MESSIAH" Choral Union—University Symphony Orchestra—and Soloists

THOR JOHNSON, Conductor

CARILLON RECITALS—Recitals will be given by Percival Price, University Carillonneur, on the Charles Baird Carillon, until further notice, as follows: Thursday evenings at 7:00 o'clock, and Sunday afternoons at 4:15, except when concerts are held in Hill Auditorium, when an earlier hour will be set. The recital Sunday, October 29, will be given at 2:45. Short informal recitals will also be given each day except Sunday at 12:00 o'clock.

NOTICES: The right is reserved to make such changes in the dates and artists announced as necessity may require. While wide and prompt publicity is given to dates thus changed, to avoid inconvenience it is suggested that, so far as possible, out-of-town guests confirm the dates in advance. The School of Music Concerts are given without admission charge; for obvious reasons small children will not be admitted.