

# RAVINIA ARTISTS LIVING IN SUBURBS

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are away during the summer, touring Europe or at the seaside and mountain resorts. This leaves many splendidly equipped homes available, which the owners are glad to lease to the artists. Individual taste may fully be satisfied and pet hobbies such as gardening, swimming and motor-ing, fully indulged."

### Bori in Lake Forest

Among the first to secure a house for the summer is Mme. Lucrezia Bori, who recently made a flying trip from New York to Chicago for this purpose. Mme. Bori will likewise have the distinction of being the artist to live farthest north, for the place she will occupy during the season is in Lake Forest. Two years ago Mme. Bori lived in this village, where she found everything to her liking.

Mme. Elisabeth Rethberg always makes two demands in regard to a house. One is that it shall have a garden where she can grow certain flowers of which she is decidedly fond, and the other that it shall be situated as close to Lake Michigan as possible. This German singer is athletically inclined and regardless of other work, swims twice a day. She will live in Winnetka.

### In Highland Park

Mme. Yvonne Gall, who is now in Paris, has taken a house in Highland Park. When she first came to Ravinia two years ago, she was unacquainted with the fact that here she could have a home of her own, but it was only a short time after her

arrival that she was house hunting. Last year she occupied a comfortable Highland Park residence, and she has similar arrangements for this year. Miss Florence Macbeth, one of the artists who has an American home, will likewise live in Highland Park. Like Mme. Rethberg she has a penchant for raising flowers. Both Mme. Bourskaya and Mme. Julia Claussen expect to have homes in Highland Park.

### In Winnetka

Winnetka has been the summer home of Giovanni Martinelli for several seasons and he plans on coming to the North Shore with his family just as soon as he returns from his present trip to Italy. In his leisure moments this celebrated tenor gives much attention to golf, and although the Martinelli menage is equipped with a corps of well trained servants, Mr. Martinelli finds that mowing a lawn is excellent exercise for a singer. His near neighbor in Winnetka will be Edward Johnson, likewise of the tenor contingent, who three years ago discovered an English house with a garden that was much to his taste. Mr. Johnson will be accompanied by his daughter, who, during the winter months attends school in Switzerland. Mario Chamlee will take a Highland Park home and his specifications call for an unusually large garage. This singer is mechanically inclined and gives personal attention to his automobile. He has likewise devoted himself to aviation for the last two years, and his friends believe that he intends to build an airplane during his spare time this summer.

### Danise in Glencoe

Glencoe will again become the summer residence of Giuseppe Danise, who, when established with his fam-

ily and servants, maintains what the other artists call "the international household." Mr. Danise is Italian, his wife is French and four different races are represented among the servants. Mario Basiola, who was married during the Ravinia season of 1927, has leased the same house in Highland Park that he occupied last year. Virgilio Lazzari plans on taking the same house in Highland Park that Mrs. Lazzari and himself have called home for several summers, and Leon Rothier is looking forward to a summer in Glencoe. Mme. Rothier is now visiting in France, and it is likely she will not come to Ravinia until the season is well under way.

### In Ravinia

Vittorio Trevisan never has to make any arrangements about his home. He lives during the entire year in a house of his own within a stone's throw of the Ravinia gates. Miss Ruth Page, premiere danseuse of Ravinia opera, ordinarily lives in a home of her own in Chicago, but she has leased a place at Hubbard Woods for the summer. Gennaro Papi, one of the principal conductors, will maintain a bachelor menage at Glencoe, and Louis Hasselmans, likewise a principal conductor, will establish his family just north of the Ravinia station.

## Colonel Blodgett Dies in St. Louis

News of the death of Colonel Wells H. Blodgett, for years vice president and general attorney for the Wabash railroad which occurred last week at his home in St. Louis was received by Cyrus Blodgett of Waukegan, a nephew of the deceased recalls to older residents of that city much of the early history of Waukegan and

the outstanding part that was taken in the development of the community and the state by the Blodgett family.

The decedent was a brother of the late Judge Henry W. Blodgett, of Waukegan, for nearly 30 years judge of the United States district court of Chicago, and the late Capt. Asiel Z. Blodgett, noted veteran of the Civil War and twice mayor of Waukegan, and was well known in Waukegan in the early days of the community.

## Forney Is Released on Bonds; Are Probing

Garnet Forney, of Valparaiso, who has a criminal record and a string of aliases, last week was released from the county jail on bonds of \$2,000 before Justice Harold Tallett.

Tallett, a few hours earlier, had held Forney to the grand jury on a charge of conspiracy to defraud in connection with wholesale forgeries of Village of Deerfield public improvement bonds.

Joseph Oltusky of Waukegan who signed the bond, was secured, it is said, by friends of Forney who gave the name of S. Ronsauer when arrested in Valparaiso for passing an alleged worthless check.

He had made connections with a bank there and had attempted to get a loan of \$2,000 on \$4,000 of the worthless securities, bankers from the Indiana city testified before Tallett. He did not have the bonds when arrested and none of the forgeries can be located.

Search for a man named Fisher, who is said to have given the stock to Forney, has been conducted by the sheriff since the arrest was made ten days ago.

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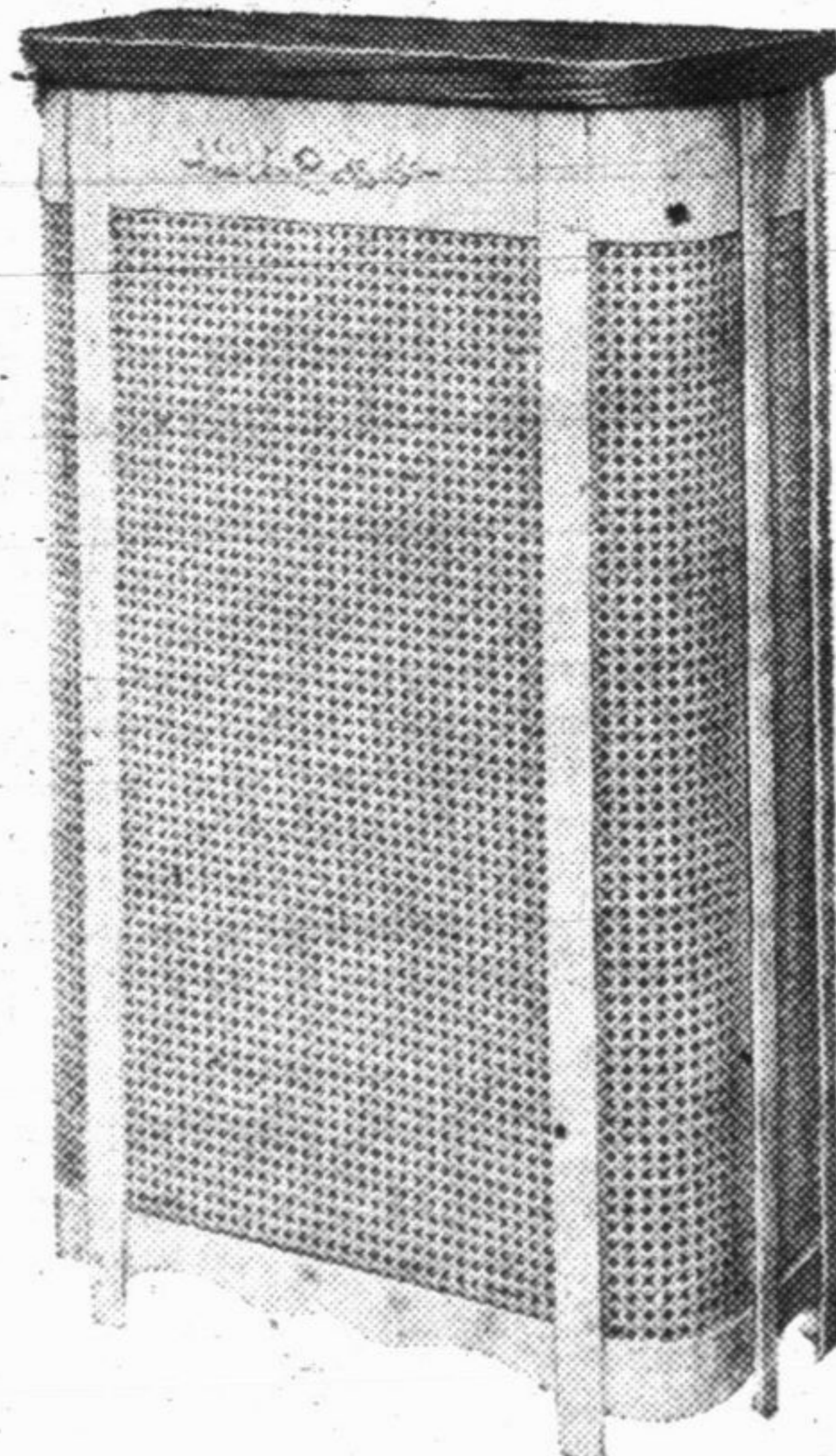
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