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NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART
WASHINGTON, D. C.

WASHINGTON, November 12: David E. Finley, Director of the National Gallery of Art, announced today that the National Gallery Orchestra will play a concert on Sunday, November 21st through the courtesy of the Recording and Transcription Royalty Fund of Local 161, American Federation of Musicians, A. F. of L.

Richard Bales will conduct the concert which will begin at 8:00 P. M. in the East Garden Court of the Gallery.

A feature of the program will be the appearance as soloist of the renowned Thereminist, Lucie Bigelow Rosen, who will be heard in several solos with orchestral accompaniment. These include works composed especially for Mrs. Rosen by two outstanding contemporary composers, Bohuslav Martinu, and Nicolai Berezowsky. Martinu's "Phantasy" will receive its first Washington performance, while Berezowsky's "Passacaglia" composed for the 25th Anniversary of the League of Composers, will receive its first hearing in a special scoring for this concert.

The complete program follows:

National Gallery Orchestra
Richard Bales, Conductor

Haydn	Symphony No.88 in G Major
Martinu	Phantasy for Theremin, Oboe, Piano, and Strings
	Lucie Bigelow Rosen, Theremin Leonard Shifrin, Oboe Emerson Meyers, Piano (First time in Washington)
Satie-Stoessel	Two Gymnopédies
	(First time in Washington) Lucie Bigelow Rosen, Theremin
Berezowsky	Passacaglia for Theremin and Small Orchestra
	(First performance) Lucie Bigelow Rosen, Theremin
Britten	Soirées Musicales, Five Movements after Rossini