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Fulfilling what he calls "a life-long dream," Minnesota Orchestra veteran Kensley Rosen will play the entire cycle of Bach solo violin works in two programs at Walker Art Center at 7:30 tonight and the same time next Wednesday . . . The McDonald's hamburger folks, in an underwriting coup, have given \$565,000 to perpetuate "Zoom," the popular kiddie show on public TV . . . For the first time in its ordinarily distinguished 78-year history, Field & Stream will print its first centerfold in the June issue. The subject will be Phyllis Diller, based on her selection as Miss Fun Fishing of 1973. The magazine refers to her as "recently beautified" . . . Stuart A. Lindman takes over as public affairs director at WTCN-TV, replacing Ed Moore, who joined Investors Diversified Services . . . The U.S. Senate hearings on Watergate, scheduled to start May 17, will be heard live and in full on KSJN-FM and will be seen rerun on videotape in the evening on KTCA-TV, according to present plans . . . No sooner had L. Patrick Gray quit as acting head of the FBI than ABC's "The FBI" cut his name out of the closing credits, even though the series is in reruns. . . . The new "Disney on Parade" opens a six-day run May 15 in the St. Paul Civic Center . . . Despite the general belief in the community that Jack's Auto Repair exists only in the mind of Garrison Keillor, KSJN-FM's "Prairie Home Companion," it is indeed sponsoring a softball team. (Tentative title: The Lake Woebegone Leeches.) Tryout time is 2 p.m. Saturday at Powderhorn Park, Diamond No. 2. As Keillor explains, you must live up to Jack's high standards of decency, personal cleanliness and sincerity . . . Upcoming at Diamond Jim's: Gordon MacRae on May 21, Four Aces on June 4, Stan Boreson on June 18, Johnnie Ray on June 25 . . . An interesting new TV and billboard ad campaign in Detroit: "Have some fun. Beat your wife tonight." It's put on by the bowling proprietors to promote the sport as a year-round activity.—Irv Letofsky.