

2,500 High School Musicians Expected At SOC Festival

Ashland—Nearly 2,500 high school musicians are expected to attend the Southern Oregon Music Festival on the SOC campus this week end. Dr. Herbert Cecil, host chairman of the event has announced.

The festival is sponsored by the Southern Oregon Music Educators association, and all performances are open to the public at no charge.

Bands, orchestras, and choirs from junior and senior high schools from Jackson, Josephine, Lake, Klamath, and Douglas counties will compete. Judges for the contest will be John Stehn, Portland State college; Fredrick Westphal, Sacramento State college; William Swettman, Salem public schools; Sam Smith, Clark college; Jes Foster, Portland public schools; and Dean Geist, Willamette university.

Schedule for the festival is as follows:

Friday, in the gymnasium: 8:30 a.m. Ashland High school band; 9 a.m., Ashland High school orchestra; 9:30 Central Point Junior High band; 10:30 Crater High school band; 10:30 Lakeview High school band; 11 a.m., Phoenix High school band; 1 p.m., Josephine County honor band; 1:30 Lakeview Cadet band; 2 p.m., Sutherlin High school band; 2:30, Glendale High school band; 3 p.m. Ashland Junior High orchestra; 3:30, Henley High school band.

Friday, in the auditorium: 10 a.m., St. Mary's High school Marian choir; 10:40, Glendale High school chorus; 11 a.m., Jerome Prairie choir; 11:20, Klamath Falls freshman chorus; 11:40, Lakeview High school choir; 1:40 p.m., Ashland Junior High chorus; 2 p.m., Fruitdale choir; 3:40, Ashland elementary school chorus; 4 p.m., Medford High school girls' chorus.

Friday evening, in the gymnasium: 7:30, Klamath Falls High school orchestra; 8 p.m., Medford High school orchestra; 8:30, Klamath Falls High school band; 9 p.m., Klamath Falls High school choir; 9:20, Medford High school band. Saturday, in the gymnasium: 8:35, Ashland Junior High band; 9 a.m., Hedrick Junior High B band; 9:25, Ashland sixth grade honor band; 9:50, Riddle Junior High band; 10:15, Hedrick Junior High A band; 10:40, Riddle High school band; 11:05, Lakeview grade school band; 11:30, Klamath Falls Junior High band; 1 p.m., Klamath Falls grade school string ensemble; 1:25, McLoughlin Junior High A band; (Roseburg): 1:50, Klamath Falls all city grade school band; 2:15, Fredrick Junior High orchestra; 2:40, Central Junior High band (Roseburg); 3:05, Fremont Junior High orchestra (Klamath Falls); 3:30, McLoughlin Junior High orchestra; 3:55, McLoughlin Junior High B band; 4:20, McLoughlin Junior High A band.

Parker Lynching Attracts Tourists To Poplarville

Poplarville, Miss.—(UPI)—Several white men got together one year ago, April 25, and committed a crime that touched off world-wide reaction. The crime—The lynching of negro Mack Charles Parker—is rarely mentioned these days by local residents. However, Poplarville's effort to forget is hindered daily by travelers from all parts of the nation who turn off U.S. Highway 11 and drive into town to ask questions and view the site of the lynching.

Tourists See Lynchers
Many of the tourists, without realizing it, have seen members of the lynch mob. The killers, whose identities are well known to local citizens, still live in this area, where most of them do farm work.

So far, they have escaped punishment through failures of county and federal Grand Juries to return indictment in the case.

But ballots by the federal jury, which met in Biloxi, Miss., last January, almost had the majority necessary to indict several of the suspects and the possibility that a future grand jury may review the case is enough to keep the killers worried.

Evidence Gathered
Evidence against them was gathered by a force of up to 60 FBI agents who spent one month here after Parker, a 23-year-old truck driver, was dragged from his jail cell, where he was held pending trial on a charge of raping a white woman. He was beaten, shot and tossed into the nearby Pearl river.

The FBI report on the case, which is still considered "top secret," contains statements from three men that they were involved in events connected with the lynching. The report lists 23 white men as "known and suspected participants in the abduction."

The report was turned over to state authorities when the FBI pulled out last May 25. A country grand jury which was expected to consider the lynching ignored the matter and, in its report, failed to note that a prisoner was missing from the county jail.

The Justice Department made sure that the federal grand jury, made up of South Mississippi men, would not ignore the case.

About 50 witnesses were subpoenaed for a two-week jury session but jury members cut the probe short, cancelled appearances of 15 witnesses and announced it could find no federal violations in the case.

U.S. Attorney General William P. Rogers said in a news conference on Jan. 26 that the government still has the case under consideration. At that time he described failure of the federal grand jury to return indictments as a "travesty of justice" and a "serious injustice."

Department civil rights experts still are studying the case with a view to making further moves. Officially, all the department will say at this time is that it is still "not a closed case."

Court Records

ASHLAND MUNICIPAL COURT
Mildred I. Batcher, expired registration, \$5.
Hiram — tooth, expired registration, \$5.
John H. Carlton, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.
Mare H. Conger, expired registration, \$5.
John L. Connolly, expired registration, \$5.
Kenneth E. Dailey, violation of basic rule, \$20.
Francis C. Douglas, parking on crosswalk, \$5.
Mary C. Ferguson, failure to heed stop sign, \$5.
Robert A. Gouley, expired registration, \$5.
Mary Ann Grow, expired registration, \$5.
Thelma Mae Johnson, violation of basic rule, \$20.
Gennie M. Kent, expired registration, \$5.
Warren E. Klummons, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.
Herbert H. Lage, failure to observe stop sign, \$5.
Ralph C. Lester, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.
Lynn W. McKinney, expired registration, \$5.
Dwane A. Miller, no operator's license, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.
Ruth E. Roth, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.
Maurice L. Scott, illegal parking, \$5.
Raymond M. Stiffler, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.
Ernest C. Titchhauser, expired registration, \$5.
Anna M. Walker, improper turning, \$5.
Roland D. Welburn, failure to observe traffic light, \$5.

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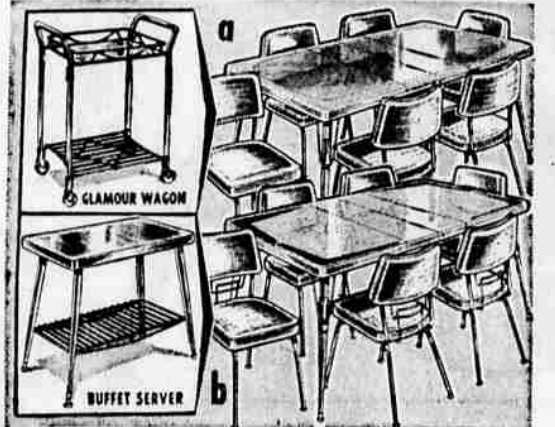
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