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**THE VICTORIA ADVOCATE**  
Sunday morning, August 13, 1989



PERSONAL HISTORY AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

NAME: Frederick Hastings Junkin, Jr.  
PERMANENT ADDRESS: 1106 Airline Road, Victoria, Texas 77901  
PHONE: 512-573-3737  
PLACE OF BIRTH: Corpus Christi, Texas  
DATE OF BIRTH: July 9, 1927  
MARITAL STATUS: Married..Don Beth Whittington, June 4, 1953  
CHILDREN: Son..Jerry Frederick, Married Stephanie Davis 1979. One granddaughter, Allison Whittington  
STATE OF HEALTH: Excellent  
PHYSICAL DEFECTS: None

ACADEMIC TRAINING

PUBLIC SCHOOL: Kerrville, Texas I.S.D., Grades 1-7  
HIGH SCHOOL: Schreiner Institute, Kerrville, Texas. H.S. Diploma with Honors, 1944  
JUNIOR COLLEGE: Schreiner Insitute, Kerrville, Texas. A.A. Degree with Honors, 1946  
UNIVERSITY: University of Texas, Austin, Texas. Bachelor of Music Degree with Honors, January 1950. Music Education  
GRADUATE SCHOOL: University of Texas, Austin, Texas. Master of Music Degree, 1951. Music Education  
Supervisors Certificate, University of Texas, Austin, Texas, 1969  
Teachers Performance Institute, Oberlin College, Oberlin , Ohio, Summer 1968  
Approximately 20 hours graduate credit above Masters Degree

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS: 1954-1985. Music Supervisor, Victoria, Texas I.S.D. and High School Band Director at Victoria High School. Supervisor K-12, 15 Elementary Schools, 3 Intermediate Schools, 2 High Schools, with a teaching staff of twenty-nine teachers. Retired June 1985  
PRESENT EMPLOYMENT: Orchestra Manager, Assistant Conductor, Principal Clarinetist, Victoria Symphony Orchestra..Box 4500, Victoria, Texas 77902

1951-4, Junior High School Band Director,  
Tyler, Texas, I.S.D.

1950-1, High School Band Director, Teague,  
Texas I.S.D.

COLLEGE-UNIVERSITY:

Summer Band Camps at University of Texas,  
Austin, Texas, Texas Lutheran College, Seguin,  
Texas, and Sam Houston State University,  
Huntsville, Texas

PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH

Magazine Articles in Southwestern Musician-  
Texas Music Educator, 1962-66.

Publication pending for Band Transcription  
of March of the Princesses, Massenet

Performances of transcriptions for band done  
by Victoria High School Band and other High  
School Bands since 1980

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Offices held in Texas Music Educators  
Association: President 1964-66, Vice-  
President and Band Chairman 1962-64,  
Past-President 1966-68, All State Band  
Organizer 1960-62, Member State Board on  
several occasions  
American Bandmasters Association 1979 to date  
Phi Beta Mu  
Pi Kappa Lambda  
American School Band Directors Association  
Texas State Teachers Association  
Classroom Teachers Association  
Music Educators National Conference  
Texas Bandmasters Association, 1951 to  
date. Outstanding Bandmaster Award, 1984  
Victoria Northside Rotary Club, Charter Member  
Grace Presbyterian Church  
Victoria Fine Arts Association  
Victoria Music Club  
Victoria Municipal Band, Director, 1954-60  
Austin Symphony Orchestra 1948-50  
East Texas Regional Symphony Orchestra 1951-54  
Victoria Symphony Orchestra, Assistant  
Conductor, Co-Principal Clarinet  
MAC Award 1976  
International Clarinet Society

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MILITARY SERVICE

U.S. Naval Reserve, Asiatic Theatre, 1945-6.  
Member of a U.S. Navy Band in Japan. Honorable  
Discharge 1946.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Active as a Contest judge in Concert Band, Solos  
and Ensembles, Sight Reading and Marching Band  
in Regional U.I.L. Contests.

Conductor of Regional Bands in <sup>twelve</sup>~~seven~~ Texas UIL  
Regions.

Active as Contest judge in New Mexico and Arizona.

Served as try-out judge for All State Bands and  
Orchestras for many years.

Have served as critic-judge in Texas State Solo  
and Ensemble Contest in Austin for all but ~~five~~  
years since its inception. <sup>four</sup>

Have directed a five-day Summer Band Camp for  
my Victoria band students each summer since 1960.

Have served as clinician for many area bands as time  
permits.

Have judged Honor Band tapes for TMEA many times.

Victoria High School Bands which I have directed  
have received consecutive 1st division awards in  
Concert Playing and Sight Reading for twenty ~~six~~  
years.

The Victoria High School Band performed at the Midwest  
National Band and Orchestra Clinic in Chicago in 1977.

Most recently the Victoria High School Band performed  
at the American Bandmasters Association-Japanese  
Band Association International Convention at Tempe,  
Arizona on March 27, 1980. The Victoria band was the  
only American High School Band invited to attend.

The Victoria High School Band was guest Band for the  
New Music Clinic sponsored by the U.T.-Austin College  
of Fine Arts in 1971.

The Victoria High School Band has been a consistent  
winner at the Bucanear Music Festival and Six Flags  
Over Texas Band Festivals. Outstanding AAAAA at  
Six Flags Open Festival 1983.

The Victoria High School Band has represented its  
Region in TMEA Honors Band competitions each year it  
has been eligible and has been a finalist several times.

Bandmaster of the Year award by TBA, 1984.

CONTEST RECORD AT VICTORIA HIGH SCHOOL

Ist Division ratings....93

IIInd Division ratings... 8

IIIrd Division ratings.. 3

Sweepstakes (Ist divisions in marching-concert-sight reading)...24

26 years of marching first division ratings at UIL contests

28 years of concert first division ratings at UIL contests

29 years of sight reading ratings at UIL contests..first division

**Fred Junkin** served as Director of Bands and supervisor of music in the Victoria, Texas, public schools from 1954-1985. He previously taught in the Tyler public schools after beginning his teaching career in Teague, Texas. Mr. Junkin is a graduate of The University of Texas at Austin, holding Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Music Education, with additional study at The Oberlin Conservatory. His Victoria High School Bands received first-division ratings in Texas concert and sight-reading contests for 29 consecutive years, in addition to giving highly acclaimed performances at the Mid West International Band and Orchestra Clinic, and the joint American Bandmaster's Association-Japanese Bandmaster's Association Conference. The Victoria band was named outstanding AAAAA Band at the Six Flags Over Texas Festival and finished in the top five bands entered in the TMEA Honor Band Competition on several occasions. Active as a clinician and guest conductor, Mr. Junkin has appeared throughout the southern United States. He is a member of the American Bandmaster's Association, TMEA (in which he has held many offices, including Vice-President and Band Division Chairman, and from 1962-64, President), TBA (which selected him as Texas Bandmaster of the Year in 1984), ASBDA (which awarded him the "MAC" award in 1976), Phi Beta Mu and Pi Kappa Lambda. Fred Junkin currently serves as Business Manager, Associate Conductor, and Co-Principal clarinet of the Victoria Symphony Orchestra.

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Dear Fred:

I must apologize for such a long delay in answering your kind letter and the tape of Al Fresco, which was enclosed. The only excuse is that my schedule this spring was exhausting (I am sending here my trips - which were preceded by 3 weeks in Hong Kong (Philharmonic, 5 concert).

I look forward to seeing you in Austin.

But let me say how incredible I find your and your students' performance of Al Fresco. It is beautifully played, most musically conducted and performed. I am just astounded how masterfully your young students can play! And your interpretation is just exact in tempo, and perfect in construction! It is a great pleasure for a composer to hear his music done so well. To you and your wonderful students — many thanks!  
With kind regards  
Cordially yours  
Karel

P.S. Sorry for such hasty writing! K.