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FLUTES

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#### CLARINETS \*Sharon Bailey, Olney

Gerri Brown, Larned, Kan. \*Gwen Brown, Graham Joanne Dallinger, Ballinger Betty Gober, Canadian Nancy Hailey, Abilene \*Ken Hammes, Sedona, Ariz. Bob Hatfield, Wichita, Kan Margaret Huff, Henderson Robert Lipe, Rockport Monica Moyers, Ferris Don McBride, Algona, Iowa Elaine McQueary, Raton, N.M. Diedra Prestt, Tucson, Ariz. Jimmie Lou Rich, Carrollton Stan Smith, Houston Teresa Smith, Pleasanto Guy Snelling, Edmonsor eWike Stirman LaGrande, On

Mikie Welch, Friona John Williams, Abilen ALTO CLARINETS Judy Chick, Cisco Marilyn Harp, Children BASS CLARIMETS

JoNell McDougle, Magnolis Karen Reese, San Angelo CONTRA-BASE CLARIMET

David Foyt, Seymous OBOES Margaret Dykes, Rome, Ge

Marilyn Litton, Chickasha, Okla Kathie Tome, Solon, Ohio ENGLISH HORN

Linda Allen, 1,000 Oaks, Calif. BASSOONS SLinda Adrian, Prescott, Ariz.

Gary Dennis, Tipton, Okla. ALTO SAXOPHONES Louise Axe, Hereford Bobby Hurley, Pleasar Tomay Myzell, Anabuse

TENOR SAXOPHONES

Pryor Bentley, El Paso Mary Dunagin, Merkel Lynda Taylor, Bronte nnie Tillery Montenmery, AlSARITONE SAXOPHONE Ricky Carpenter, Hobbs, N.M. FRENCH HORIES

Jackie Adrian, Prescott, Ariz. Cheryl Durham, Cleburne Lynette Fuller, Vera Charles Hardgrave, Goldthwait

Marilyn Hudson, Wac-Rick Lee, Oxford, Miss. Ted Paddack, Chickash Jeanne Peden, Dallas Jan Votaw, Austin Allan Yeager, Sebastopol, Calif.

BARITOMES

Dale Boulter, Plains B. H. Cook, Memphis Rusty Emde, Media, Penn. Larry Kelley, Tuiss, Okla. Clifford Nicks, Belleville, Mich. Tami Nicks, Belleville, Bill Whitefield, Dallas \*Furene Whitt Baytow

TRUMPETS AND CORNETS Jerry Byrd, Fort Worth Don Flynt Tulia Larry Galyon, Denton Gary Jay, Hamlin \*Tommy Langham, League City Dave Lewis, San Saba \*Ken McCoy, Abilene Averd Parks Canadia Bill Sorott, Killeen

Wayno Tucker, Bartlesville, Ohla. "Jon Vickrey, Headton, Okla.

THOMBONES

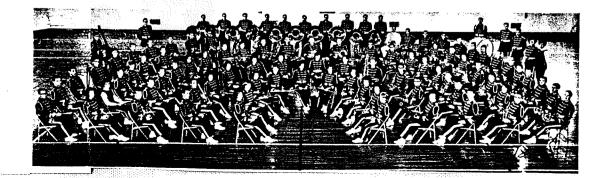
Milton Anglin, David Barbara Alian Brumley, John Harris Odeus Ed Pursch, Pleasanto Jack Qualis, Abilene

Mike Brady Alamacordo, N.M. Richard Cantrell, Paris Jack Fry. Ballinger

Harold Hailey, Tulsa, Okla. Vimmy Lamb, Quanah

James Hughes Denver, Col-

PERCUSSION Tom Bedichek, Abilene Roger Brondstetter, St. Petersburg, Fla. Kenneth Gwin, Little Rock, Ark.
"Verry Lide, Montgomery, Ala.
Danny Neal, Abilene
Chearl Roberson, Anson



#### "OPERATION L"

The tour band travels by chartered bus over 15 hundred miles performing from fifteen to twenty concerts primarily before high school audiences. The 1955 tour took the band through South Texas and on to Monterrey, Mexico. The 1956 tour took the band through east and southeast Texas and featured appearances of the band in several major cities of Texas. The tour of 1957 has been dubbed "Operation L." This tour will take the band through northern New Mexico; the state of Colorado and will reach its climax at Laramie, Wyoming. Each spring approximately 78 members are chosen from the concert band to make up the tour band.

#### ITINERARY

April 28	Amarillo, Texas
April 29	Canon City and Pueblo, Colorado
April 30	Colorado Springs, Colorado
May 1 _	Denver and Aurora, Colorado
May 2 _	Laramie, Wyoming
May 3	Ft. Collins, Boulder & Loveland, Colorado
May 4 _	Raton, New Mexico



Margaret Garrett Sweetheart

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Douglas Fry Director of Bands

# TRUMPETS AND CORNETS

Loren Geiger, Tyler Jimmy Treat, Crosbyton Gary Ivy, Haskell Harold Brown, Hobbs, N.M. Jimmy Helm, Taft Joe Bon Baisden, Killeen Jimmy Wilson, Killeen Danny Warden, Irving Anna Sue Ives, Carlsbad, N.M. Glen Mans, Abilene Joyce Porter, Sebastopal, Calif. Henry Brigman, Stockdale Vincent Doan, Bonham Robert Hall, Taft Marilyn Fields, Russellville, Ark.

BASSES Jack Young, Laramie, Wyoming Don O'Bannon, Tyler Tim Cudd. Big Springs Jimmy Wooten, Rio Grande City Foster Ramsey, Denison Dan Smith, Ft. Collins, Col. David Echols, Brownwood Kenneth Burnett, Mesquite Roy McGehee, Seminole

#### TROMBONES

Ernie Cadro, Teague

Fran Edding, Kermit

FLUTES

Peggy Drennan,

Don Thomas, Pangor, Maine

County Line, Okla.

Janelle Milner, Little Rock, Ark.

Margaret Garrett, Shreveport, La.

Mildred Davidson, Port Arthur

Betty Lois McDowell, Coleman

Meridon McHamm, Ft. Worth

Walterene Hollingsworth, Abilene

Cynthia Cochran, Ada, Okla.

Bert Crowson, Huntsville, Ala.

Glen Matthews, Marlowe, Okla. Carole Bushong. Winter Haven, Fla. Winston Hamby, Beaumont Larry Colvin, Big Lake Warren Wilcox, Abilene David Treat, Abilene Jerry Drennan, Seminole Jimmy Peeples, Snyder, Okla. Peter Gist, Seminole Dick Felts, Lariat

CLARINETS Bruce Evans, Snyder Millie Hilliard, Odessa Sandra Kennedy, Rankin David Hooten, Dallas Jerry Templer, Rotan Deanna Bussie, Shreveport, La. Alfred Groves, Farmersville Lawrence Ray Smith, Uvalde Janette Johnson, Taft Myrtle Pearson, Perryton

#### PERSONNEL.

Gloria Kerns, Forgan, Okla. Joan Boney, Burbank, Calif. Dwayne Brown, Graham Mary Lee Belcher, Abilene LaDora Ayres, Lockney Becky McCoy, Lark Lynn Clements, Quanan

TYMPANI

David Stewart, Oklahoma City, Okla.

FRENCH HORNS James Tuggle, Abilene Stanley Taylor, Amarillo Glenna Davis, Farwell JoAnne Apostolo, Conroe Melvin Delaney, Crane Alice Ragle, Taft Cynthia Reynolds, Brady Marian Crowson, Huntsville, Ala,

Eris Ritchie, Troupe Barbara Fuller, Austin Wylene Freeman, Las Vegas, N.M.



## BARITONES

Jackie Thomas, Hollis, Okla, Fred Alexander, Dodson Darlene Elkins, Red Springs John Foster, Brownsboro John Waggoner, Longview Marilyn Cotner. Nancy Miller, Bonham Gene Linder, Weiser, Idaho

TENOR SAXOPHONES Anna Jo Parmer Dick Still, Dallas Mary Lou Wolf, Odessa Sue Wolford, Stamford

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Barby Baucom, Taft

CONTRA-BASS CLARINET Gene Powell, Abilene

OBOES

Broken Arrow, Okla, PERCUSSION John Crosby, Littlefield Gerow Roberts, Roswell, N.1 Jim Wingo, Sundown Pat Patterson, Carlsbad, N.N. Phillip Barnett, Richardson Sherley Oswalt, Abernathy ALTO SAXOPHONES Jaryl Young, Brady Cato Jones, Talco Sharon Cummings, Panhand June Miller, Iraan

Larry Gobert, Taft

BASS CLARINETS

Bill Martin, Devine

Jerry Bob Greer, Ronger

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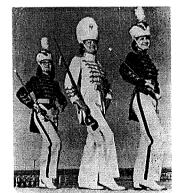


CONCERT

BAND

TC

DOUGLAS FRY, Conductor



Adminstration Building

Head Drum Majorette ..... Sherley Oswalt

Drum Majorettes..

Wylene Freeman,

#### ASSISTANTS

Assistant	Director	. Bruce	М.	Evans	
Vocal	Director	Fre	d A	dexande	r

#### BAND OFFICERS

President	Gene Powell		
Vice-President	Jackie Thomas		
Secretary-Treasurer	Cynthia Reynolds		
Librarian	Darlene Elkins		
Secretary to College Bands	Barby Baucom		
Student Publicity_Lawrence Ra	ay Smith and Wylene Freeman		
Master of Ceremonies	Bill Martin		

#### TOUR REPERTOIRE

Tulsa (A Symphonic Portrait in Oil)	
Fanfare and Allegro Clifton Wililams	
Impressions of a Scottish AirJames D. Ployhar	
Symphony for BandVincent Persichetti	
George Gershwin SelectionTranscribed for band by	e.
David Bennet	t .
Holiday for Trombones David R	ose
Carnival of MelodyArranged by Robert Ha	
MaracaiboJohn J. M	
Ode for Trumpet (Trumpet Solo-Jim Treat)Al	•
Forty Fathoms (BBb Bass Solo-Don O'Bannon)	
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Arthur Pryor Clarinet Royale (Clarinet Solo-Bruce Evans). David Bennett

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	Temple, Texas
	Belton, Texas
	Bryan, Texas
April 25	Bryan, Texas
	Navasota, Texas
	Conroe, Texas
April 26	Houston, Texas
	Katy, Texas
	Rosenburg, Texas
	League City, Texas
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	Houston, Texas
Concert i	in Astrodome, 6:30 p. m.
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ELUTES

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Brenda Clower, Amarillo
Marilyn Davis, Throckmorton
Karen Elrod, Big Spring
"Nancy Fry, Abilene
Jan Martin, Lubbock
Beth McCalla, Eldorado
Mary Jane Mitchell, Ft. Worth
Charles Nowell Loyandon, Net Charlotte Nowell, Lovington, New M. Cheryl Phillips, Deming, New M. Deena Smith, Seward, Nebraska Monte Welch, Friona Jaylete Glaze, Abilene ARINETS Betty Gober, Canadian

Ken Hammes, Sedona, Arizona Kathy Harris, Corsicana Diann Hendricks, Richardson Jim Hollifield, Dumas Jim Johnston, Cleburn Carl Keesee, Wewoka, Oklahoma Jerilyn Kyker, Abilene tavene Martin, Abilene Don McBride, Algona, Iowa Marie McNair, Lake Jackson Jim Milstead, Dallas Nancy Nation, Azle Doug Poyet, Belpre, Ohio Jimmie Lou Rich, Carrollton Betty Renfro, Brookhaven, Mississippi Teresa Smith, Pleasanton

\*Eloise Stapp, Richardson Alan Steckler, Abilene Bonnie Summers, Dallas Connie Wilson, Marion, Iowa Sharon Wilson, Houston, Tex. ALTO CLARINETS Phil Kiser, Amarillo

Linda Mitchell, Barberton, Ohio BASS CLARINETS Ruthie Briscoe, Corpus Christi Rita Brooks, Clyde

Elizabeth Harding, Port Lavaca Janie Hood, Claude Sue Vannoy, Austin

CONTRA BASS CLARINET Terry Hilger, Lubbock

Sally Johnston, New Cumber West Va. \*Marilyn Litton, Springfield, Mc Bill McMillan, Atlanta, Ga. Jay Treat, Tucson, Arizona

Sam Rayburn High School

San Jacinto Junior College

\*Elaine Byars, Tulsa, Oklahoma Sharon Geibel, Ironton, Ohio Jo Ann Jameson, Floydada

ALTO SAXOPHONES Bob Baucum, Quanah

DJennifer Buck, Nocona Molly Cornutt, Pampa Kim Craddock, Sout Point, Ohio Judy Martin, Petersburg Carroll Rowland, Abilene Judy Smith, Winters Martha Spinks, Kermit

TENOR SAXAPHONES

Marilyn Brabham, Houston Rick Carpenter, Hobbs, New M. BARI SAXOPHONE Sharon Williamson, Phillips

FRENCH HORNS \*Charles Hardgrave, Goldthwaite Sharon Henthorn, San Antonio Rick Lee, Oxford, Mississippi Marilyn Treat, Crosbyton Paulette Whistle, Wheatridge, BARITONES

Walt Cabe, Chase, Alabama Andy Craig, Dalhart

B. H. Cook, Memphis Wesley Ditmore, Abilene

Phil Gillilland, Abilene Donna Hardgrave, Golthwaite \*Harley Tefertiller, Jacksonville,

Florida TRUMPETS AND CORNETS Bob Allen, Sanderson Bonny Boren, San Antonio Eernie Gammon, Knoxville, Tenn. Scott Houston, Grand Ronde, Oregon Dave Lewis, San Saba Mickey Patterson, Midland Dave Pennock, Englewood, Colorado Bruce Peterson, Kelleen Wait Pfeifer, Abilene

John Tammaro, Corning, New York J. C. Thompson, Barstow, California Marilyn Wilks, Trent Mike Willingham, Abilene >Alan Windham, Ventura, California TROMBONES

David Bartley, San Antonio \*Alan Brumley, San Antonio Eddie Chance, Lubbock Paul Davis, Rochester, Michigan Adrin Fletcher, Graham Jerry Hemme, Lockhart Gary Kilburn, Central Point, Oregon Stephen Knox, Hereford Mike Lana, Duncan, Oklahoma Dan Merrill, Barberton, Ohio Paul Nusbaum, Edmond, Oklahoma Ed Pursch, Pleasanton BASSES Randy Bender, Tulsa, Oklahoma

\*Mike Brady, Alamagordo, New M Jim Hughes, Denver, Colorado Don Pierce, Big Spring Steve Sandifer, Shreveport, La. Jim Tountas, Waco PERCUSSION Susan Bates, Ft. Worth Marcia Beazley, Houston Carolyn Capshaw, Idalou John Coulson, Ludinaton, Suzanne Goad, Rosebud Ken Gwin, Little Rock, Ark. Paul Rogers, Sweetwater -Walter Warren, Lake Butler, Florida



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Tour
DOUGLAS FRY

Concert Band

CHARLES TRAYLER
ASSOC. CONDUCTOR

Abilene Christian College



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Nancy Nation
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SWEETHEART - NANCY NATION



MAJORETTES
PATTY NAN
PATTERSON NATE

NANCY NATION

#### TOUR REPERTOIRE

Overture in B Flat  Mosaic  Fantasia in G Major  Bugler's Holiday	W. Francis McBetti J. S. Bach Leroy Anderson
Pacific National Exhibitio Ode for Trumpet Soloist American Civil War Slavonic Folk Suite Vanished Army America, The I The Stars an	W. Francis McBeth  n March George S. Howard  Alfred Reed  : Bruce Peterson  Fantasy Jerry H. Bilik  Alfred Reed  Kenneth J. Alford  Beautiful Samuel Augustus Ward  d Stripes Forever John Philip Sousa  cession to the Cathedral Richard Wagner  gton Portrait Floyd E. Werle



KEN HAMMES

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Conductor of the band is Douglas Fry. Assistant Conductor and arranger is M. L. Daniels. Also serving as assistant conductor is Bruce Evans.

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#### ITINERARY

April 22	Fort Worth, Tex.
April 23	Cedar Hill, Tex. High School Dallas, Tex. Christian School Kilgore, Texas. College
April 24	Shreveport, La., Youree Drive Jr. High Monroe, La. High School
April 25 .	High School - Vicksburg, Miss.  Jackson, Mississippi
April 26	Jackson, Miss., Murrah High School Montgomery, Ala.
April 27	Atlanta, Ga., Murphy High School
April 28	Shreveport, La.

# M. L. Daniels

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#### Bruce Evans

Assistant Director and Woodwind Instructor is also director of the woodwind and clarinet choirs.



### PERSONNEL

JMPETS syne Bishop, McKinney nice Brannan Breckenridge Ferrara, Miami, Florida ny Haddock, Waco nda Hale, Abilene my Lyons, Glasgow, Ky.

e Matherly, Burkburnett McCoy, Rock Springs Van Roberts, Bowling Green, Ky. euanna Robinson, Port Arthur ton Smith, Houston O SAXES

rnelia Cook, DeLeon y Anna Johnson, Cordell, Okla. ter Pursch, Pleasanton ry Stout, Fort Worth Wheeless, Dallas

OR SAXES Gilmore, Three Rivers Rummel, Toledo, Ohio

RITONE SAX ald Watson, New Boston, Mich.

ry Allen, Portales, N. M. Gossage, Quanah my Lamb, Stamford

John McGuire, Rochester Averd Parks, Canadian Bill Stigers, Denver, Colorado Jack Thomas, Abilene \*\*Charles Trayler, Spearman Wayne Tucker, Bartlesville, Okla, Lawrence Watson, Memphis, Tenn.

\*Don Davenport, Las Cruces, N. M.

Stanley Drennan, Seminole Charlotte McDonald, Sherman Ted Paddack, Chickasha, Okla. DeWain Rhodes, Odessa Gary Tuttle, Columbus, Ohio Mickey Webb, Dallas Gail Wood, Denver, Colorado

OBOES & ENGLISH HORN Leta Albritton, Paducah, Kv. \*Kyle Ellison, Ralls Jan McKnight, Lubbock Jo Riemenschneider, Killeen Lynn Rose, Liberal, Kansas

BASSOONS Linda Adrian, Prescott, Ariz, Gary Dennis, Tipton, Oklahema \*David Huddle, Fort Worth Kay Maples, Broken Arrow, Okla,

PERCUSSION \*Tom Bedichek, Abilene Mike Black, Brownfield Andy Cauthen, Montgomery, Ala. Jan Cravens, Seminole Pat Gilbert, Dallas Jerry Lide, Montgomery, Ala. Ronnie McBride, Electra Danny Neal, Abilene Joella Rose, Liberal, Kansas John Watson, New Boston, Mich.

BARITONES

Averd Parks, Canadian Bill Stigers, Denver, Colorado J. D. Stocks. Haskell \*Bill Whitefield, Dallas

FLUTES Pat George, Victoria

Mary Alice Duncum, Cameron Javleta Glaze Abilene Linda Grounds, Duncanville Monta Groves, Farmersville Charles Healer, Lubbock Betty Jane Huckabee, Pearland Pat Huff, Fort Worth \*Ann Litton, Grants, N. M. Martha Mahurin, Kilgore Genelle McCalla, Eldorado Jan Powell, Abilene

TROMBONES Jimmy Hodges, Lubbock Bennett Hutchinson, Sudan

Gary Johnson, Nocona Larry Johnson, Nocona Bob Kelley, Albuquerque, N. M. Forrest McDonald, Silver Janelle Rice, Baytown \*David Treat, Abilene Paul Wallace, Toledo, Ohio

ALTO CLARINETS

Judy Chick, Cisco Peggy Coers, Abilene BASS CLARINETS

Warren May, Phoenix, Arizona Barbara McMennamy, Snyder Jim Tribble, Jackson, Miss. Phil Wilder, Lawton, Okla. CONTRA-BASS CLARINET Frank Foster, Sudan

STRING BASS Janet Llewellyn, Fort Worth HARP

Judith Brannan, Breckenridge

CLARINET

LaHonda Abston, Burleson Judy Allen, Altus, Okla. Dwavne Brown, Graham Gwen Brown, Graham Carolyn Freeland, Baytown Helen Handley, Raymondville Howard Herrington, Moody Charlotte Loveless, Olton D'Anne Moore, Rotan Alvin Neve, Dallas Ann Parrish, Baytown

Eugene Purcell, Abilene °Sandy Ramsey, Edmond, Okla. Perry Reeves, Mason Carol Stephenson, Fort Worth Sue Stokes, Snyder Don Tharp, Abilene Judy Varley, Albuquerque, N. M. Phil Wilder, Lawton, Okla. John Williams, Abilene

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April 26	. Roswell,	New	Mexico	
April 27	Roswell,	New	Mexico	
	Albuquer	so, New Mexico terque, New Mex		

April 28 ...... Albuquerque, New Mexico Grants, New Mexico Flagstaff, Arizona

April 29 ...... Prescott, Arizona (Concert in connection with Prescott Centennial Celebration)

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May 1 ...... Safford, Arizona Las Cruces, New Mexico Alamagordo, New Mexico

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#### RON RATHBUN

A graduate of Indiana University 1957, Mr. Rathbun is serving as Assistant Conductor for the band, as well as teacher of plano and theory for the college.



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FLOTES Judy Swn, Larned, Kan. Chuck Ger, Chickashaw, Ala. Patricia Hui. Ft. Worth Jim Hughes, Be. mont Kathy Knox, Here, \*Ann Litton, Amarillo Martha Mahurin, Kilgore Sydney Mansur, Dallas Genelle McCalla, El Dorado Martha Mitchell, Tucumcari, N.M. Sheila Watson, Spur

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Eb CLARINET †Sue Stokes, Snyder OBOES Bedichek, Abilene

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FRENCH HORNS

Jackie Adrian, Prescott, Ariz. Lynette Fuller, Vera Charles Hardgrave, Goldthwaite Ken McCollum, Haskell Charlotte McDonald, Sherman Ted Paddack, Chickasha, Okla. Jeanne Peden, Dallas †Lynne Smith, Victoria Gary Tuttle, Cleveland, Ohio Allan Yeager, Sebastopal, Calif.

#### BARITONES

Rusty Emde, Media, Penn. Judy Greer, Rock Springs Ray Mullins, Daingerfield Robert Stanfill, Albuquerque, N.M. Wayne Tucker, Bartlesville, Okla Bill Whitefield, Dallas

TRUMPETS AND CORNETS Grog Akins, Brady John Baird, Seoul, Korea Dwayne Bishop, Azle Johnice Brannan, Breckenridge †Don Flynt, Tulia Ron Heuss, Belton

Larry Latso L Big Spring Dave Lewis, San Saba Ken McCov. Rock Springs Dave Sanders Dallas Rill Sprott Lillean Richard Watson, Hobbs, N.M.

#### TROMBONES

†Milton Anglin, Littleton, Colo. Garry Johnson, Montague Bob Kelley, Albuquerque, N.M. Larry Johnson, Montague Ed Pursch, Pleasanton Jack Qualls, Abilene Bill Reese, Abilene David Stone, Alberta, Canada Larry Matthews, Temple Doug Williams, Baytown

#### BASSES

Mike Brady, Alamagordo, N.M. Richard Cantrell, Paris

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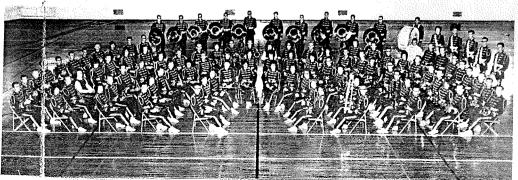
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ABILENE, TEXAS, 79604, THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 30, 1969—THIRTY-SIX RAGES IN FOUR SECTIONS





ROBERT E. HOLLAND

# Brady Man Named ACC Band Director; Holland to USC

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Don H. Morris, college president announced Fry's appointment Saturday. He disclosed simultaneously that Robert E. Holland. ACC band director for the past five years, has resigned to return to college and continue fullime work on his Ph.D. degree.

Holland will enter the University of Southern California at Los Anageles in June to begin his second summer of graduate work at USC. He plans to take his doctorate degree in the counselling and guidance field.

ACC Graduate

Fry. a 1940 ACC graduate, will assume his new duties June 1 and direct band activities for third annual ACC summer Encampment for high school students on the ACC campus June 2-12 and June 16-28.

"Mr. Holland is one of the first men we have had at the work as director of the ACC hand for five years, and we wish everything good for him and his family as they leave us," President Morris said.

"Mr. Fry has developed a wonderful band at Brady, and we feel fortunate in obtaining his services, added the president.

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# Big Purple Band **Director Resigns**

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"Since he came here from
Brady High School about 16
years ago, he has worked diligently and loyally to build a
band for the College and he has
succeeded. One of the places
where he has been most successful is the esprit de corps
that the Wildeat band has had,"
The Morris remarked. Dr. Morris remarked

Dr. Douglas, Fry, associate professor of music and director of the Abilene Christian College Big Purple Band for the past 16 years, resigned Thursday morning.

He made the announcement to ACC band members in an 11 a.m. meeting. The resignation is effective June 1.

"Band is the means I chose to teach young people," Dr. Fry said. "My students have always come first with me. And naturally anyone this close to students would leave with a little bit of nostalgia.

"But I take with me a sense of accomplishment and the thoughts of all my many friends and experiences," he continued, "I have for some time been contemplating leaving Ablene Christian College for business reasons."

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Levelland High School in 1934. He enrolled at ACC in 1936 and was graduated in 1940 with a bachelor of science degree in secondary education. He received his mater's degree in music education in 1948 from the Southern College of Fine Arts in Houston:

The Houston institution in 1957; awarded Fry the honorary doctor of music degree. At that time, Dr. Homer F. Springfield, SGFA president, paid tribute to Fry for "outs tanding contributions in the field of instrument linear instrumental music lie has made to school students in Texa and the Department of Music at Abilene Christian College."

After graduation from ACC, Fry directed the Conroe High School band for two years and then entered the Navy in April, 1942. He served with the Third Fleet in the South Pacific for 28 months and was discharged in November, 1945, with the rank of lieutenant.

it then returned to Conroe to direct the band for another two years. He moved to Brady in 1947 and directed the BHS band for five years, receiving several Interscholastic League awards.

On April 7, 1953, just prior to his joining the ACC faculty, the Brady Chamber of Commerce presented Fry with a distinguished service award for rendering the most outstanding service to his community during the previous year.

With Fry as director, the ACC with Fry as director, the ACC, band has produced a spring musical variety show for the past 16 years, cut several albums and played to thousands across the Southwest on concert tours, including concerts in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona Arkansa Louisiana Arizona, Arkansas, Louisiana, Arizona, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Kentucky, Tennessee, Wyoming, Colorado, Georgia, Kansas, Missouri and the interior of Old Mexico.

The Big Purple has yearly attracted students from 30-40 states for its membership.

While at ACC Fry has taught classes in conducting, music education methods, percussion, brasses and woodwinds. For six years he directed the ACC symphony orchestra.

"We have developed one of the nation's top stage bands out of the personnel of the band," he added, "as well as an outstanding woodwind quintet." He has also taught in many band clinics, served in judge for many band contests and established the annual Heart of

Texas band festival at Brady. While in the service he worked with the United States Navy with the United States Navy bands and conducted USO shows for Bob Hope and Eddie Peabody in the Pacific, He directed Admiral Hasley's flag band and arranged the wartime band and arranged the wartime network program, "Navy Sky-High," during World War II, Fry retired Oct. 19, 1964, from Abilene's Naval Reserve Unit.

A member of the College Church of Christ, Fry and his wife, the former Verlee S. Harton of Conroe, have two children: Nancy, 21, and Dee,

The band is conducted by Douglas Fry. Assistant conductor and arranger is M. L. Daniels.

#### ITINERARY

April 29 .... Brownwood, Tex. High School Rock Springs, Tex.

April 30 ...... Sabinal, Tex. High School Hondo, Tex. High School Pleasanton, Tex. High School

May 1 .... George West, Tex. High School Corpus Christi, Tex.

May 2 ...... San Benito, Tex. High School

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May 3 Monterrey Institute of Technology Monterrey, Mexico

May 4 ..... Saltillo, Mexico

#### M. L. Daniels

Assistant Conductor and Arranger for the band, Mr. Daniels is currently completing work on his Ph.D. at North Texas State University, with a major in composition.





Douglas Fry Conductor of the ACC bands and orchestra, Mr. Fry began teaching in his alma mater in 1953, after conducting high school and U.S. Navy bands for thirteen years. In 1957, he was awarded the Honorary Doctor of Music Degree by the Southern College of Fine Arts in Houston. He serves as an adjudicator and clinician for many Texas bands.

Charles Trayler An outstanding music maior with a concentration in instrumental music, Mr. Trayler is serving as Graduate Assistant for the band, and directing several woodwind and brass ensembles.



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#### PERSONNEL FLUTES

Janice Barthel, Muskogee, Okla. Judy Brown, Larned, Kan. Chuck Garner, Chickasaw, Ata †Pat George, Victoria †Jayleta Glaze, Abilene Linda Grounds, Duncanville Patricia Huff, Fort Worth Kathy Josey, El Paso \*Ann Litton, Amarillo Janice Lyon, El Paso Martha Mabry, Houston Martha Mahurin, Kilgore †Genelle McCalla, El Dorado Martha Mitchell, Tucumcari, N.M. Ann Patterson, Brownfield Mary Alice Welch, Cameron

EbFLUTE Jan Powell, Abilene Eb CLARINET †Sue Stokes, Snyder

ALTO CLARINETS Judy Chick, Cisco †Warren May, Phoenix, Ariz Judy Mayfield, Levelland BASS CLARINETS

Marilyn Harp, Childress Bob Hatfield, Wichita, Kan. Carol Stephenson, Fort Worth

CONTRA-BASS CLARINET Karen Reese, San Angelo

#### OROFS

Leta Albritton, Paducah, Ky. \*Kyle Ellison, Ralls Gloria Kelly, Hondo Randy Miles, Arlington

ENGLISH HORN Jan McKnight, Lubbock BASSOONS

Linda Adrian, Prescott, Ariz. Sunny Courington, Abilene \*Gary Dennis, Tipton, Okla. †Don Garner, Roswell, N.M. Kay Lyons, Broken Arrow, Okla.

CLARINETS

LaHonda Abston, Burleson Judy Allen, Altus, Okla. Gwen Brown, Graham Joanne Dallinger, Ballinger Mary Lou Dodd, Odessa Peggy Gilmore, Three Rivers Bonnie Johnson, Carthage, Ill. Sandra Mitchell, Beeville Alvin Neve, Dallas Eugene Purcell, Abilene Sharon Ragan, Jacksonville, Fla. Perry Reeves, Mason Bethul Rice, Baytown Helen Roach, Paris Mike Stirman, La Grande, Ore. Judy Varley, Albuquerque, N.M. Mikie Welch, Friona \*Allen White Abilene John Williams, Abilene

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TENOR SAXOPHONES Ricky Carpenter, Hobbs, N.M. Ann Gilmore, Three Rivers John Hollifield, Dumas

BARITONE SAXOPHONES Cornelia Cook, DeLeon Gerald Watson, New Boston, Mich.

HORNS \*Don Davenport, Las Cruces, N.M. Ken McCollum, Haskell †Charlotte McDonald, Sherman Ted Paddack, Chickasha, Okla. DeWain Rhoads, Odessa Carol Tuttle, Cleveland, Ohio Gary Tuttle, Cleveland, Ohio John Vickrey, Healdton, Okla †Mickey Webb, Dallas

BARITONES

Jimmy Jordan, San Angelo Ray Mullins, Daingerfield †Averd Parks, Perryton Jimmy Partain, Big Lake †Robert Stanfill, Albuquerque, N.M. Bill Stigers, Denver, Colo. J. D. Stocks, Haskell

#### Bill Whitefield Dallas

TRUMPETS AND CORNETS John Baird, Seoul, Korea \*Dwayne Bishop, Azel Jack Bonner, Seminole Joe Ferrara, Miami, Fla. Don Flynt, TuFa Sue Gilmore, Three Rivers Benny Haddock, Waco †Larry Latson, Sig Spring Dave Lewis, San Saba Richard Lucas, Union, N.J. Ken McCoy, Rick Springs †Sam Pettigrev, Dallas †Rheuanna Rovinson, Port Arthur Bob Rollins, Roswell, N.M. David Sanders, Dallas Delvin Sparks, Azel Bill Sprott, Killeen

TROMBONES Milton Anglin, Littleton, Colo. James Curry, San Antonio tKeith Glaze, Abilene Dean Hamilton, Waco Larry Johnson, Nocona Bob Kelly, Albuquerque, N.M. tBill Reese, Abilene Janelle Rice, Baytown Paul Thompson, Lakeview \*Paul Wallace, Toledo, Ohio

John Whitwell, Wyandotte, Mich.

RASSES

Rodney Batten, Fluvanna †Mike Brady, Abilene Roger Brondstetter, St. Petersburg,

Keith Cox, Abilene Perry Guthrie, Rock Springs \*Jimmy Lamb, Stamford Larry Matthews, Temple John McGuire, Rochester Wayne Tucker, Bartlesville, Okla. Doug Wettstead, Abilene

PRECUSSION

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STRING BASS \*\*Charles Trayler, Spearman

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\*\*Graduate Assistant

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