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ALABAMA HIGH SCHOOL BANDS

COMPETITION - FESTIVAL



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## IMPORTANT NOTICES

Friday and Saturday bands will assemble at the Woodrow Wilson Park across from the Municipal Auditorium facing down 20th Street each afternoon at 4:30.

There will be no audience allowed at the sight reading event which is held at the First Christian Church.

*Program*

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM  
THURSDAY AFTERNOON — MARCH 31

**CLASS — D BANDS**

- III** 1:00—OAKMAN HIGH SCHOOL ..... P. S. DeRoberts, Director  
(a) Service March ..... Bennett  
(b) Norma's Dream ..... Bennett
- IV** 1:30—DIXON JUNIOR HIGH (TALLADEGA) ..... John Olvera, Director  
(a) High School Cadets ..... Sousa  
(b) Shalimar Overture ..... Buchtel  
(c) Phantom Trumpeters ..... Gillette
- I** 2:00—TUSCALOOSA JUNIOR HIGH ..... Wilber Hinton, Director  
(a) Loyalty March  
(b) Golden Glow  
(c) Russian Choral
- II** 2:30—CHEROKEE CO. HIGH (CENTRE) ..... Kathleen Dickey, Director  
(a) College Boy ..... Bennett  
(b) I'll See You Again ..... Coward

**CLASS — C BAND**

**Required Number: "Russian Choral & Overture" ..... Tchaikovsky**

- I** 3:00—ALABAMA SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND ..... Eugene Landreth, Director  
(a) El Capitan March ..... Sousa  
(b) Aurora Overture ..... Yoder
- II** 3:30—JACKSONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL ..... John M. Long, Director  
(a) The Billboard March ..... Klohr  
(b) Jalousie ..... Gade
- III** 4:00—PIEDMONT HIGH SCHOOL ..... Fred Van Tassell, Director  
(a) National Emblem March ..... Bagley  
(b) Carnival of Roses ..... Olivadoti
- I** 4:30—VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL (FAIRFAX) ..... Maurice C. Brausa, Director  
(a) National Fencibles March ..... Sousa  
(b) Janus Overture ..... Johnson
- I** 5:00—CLIFF HIGH SCHOOL (OPELIKA) ..... John A. Register, Jr., Director  
(a) Alamo March ..... King  
(b) May Overture ..... Clarisse

FRIDAY, APRIL 1

**CLASS B — Required Number: "Janus Overture" ..... Johnson**

- 8:00—SHADES CAHABA HIGH ..... Nicholas Girangrasso, Director  
(a) World Events March ..... Zamecnik  
(b) Mountain Echoes Overture ..... Frangkiser

- 8:30—MACDORY HIGH ..... R. W. Moore, Director  
 (a) Amparito Roca ..... Texidor  
 (b) First Norwegian Rhapsody ..... Christiansen
- 9:00—B. B. COMER (SYLACAUGA) ..... Stanley Shaver, Director  
 (a) DeMolay Commandery ..... R. B. Hall  
 (b) Thendara Overture ..... Whitney
- 9:30—SYLACAUGA HIGH ..... Lewis Simpkins, Director  
 (a) Thunder & Blazes ..... Laurendeau  
 (b) Morning, Noon & Night ..... Suppe
- 10:00—TALLADEGA HIGH ..... John Olvera, Director  
 (a) Gloria ..... Losey  
 (b) Monte Cristo Overture ..... Paulson
- 10:30—CALHOON CO. HIGH (OXFORD) ..... Lamar Triplett, Director  
 (a) Huntress ..... King  
 (b) Zampa Overture ..... Herold
- 11:00—ETOWAH CO. HIGH (ATTALLA) ..... Helen Childers, Director  
 (a) The Storm King ..... Findlayson  
 (b) Stradella Overture ..... Flotow
- 11:30—EMMA SANSOM (ALABAMA CITY) ..... Russell Larsen, Director  
 (a) The Stars & Stripes Forever ..... Sousa  
 (b) Finale from Symph. No. 4 ..... Tschiakowsky

### Intermission

- 1:00—ALEXANDER CITY HIGH ..... Waverly F. Lee, Director  
 (a) March Carillon ..... Hanson  
 (b) Second Suite in F ..... Holst
- 1:30—JACKSON CO. HIGH (SCOTTSBORO) ..... James B. Foley, Director  
 (a) Billboard March ..... Klohr  
 (b) Mummers ..... Merle
- 2:00—DESHLER (TUSCUMBIA) ..... Sara Holroyd, Director  
 (a) Bombardier ..... King  
 (b) Triumph of Ishtar ..... Olivadoti
- 2:30—SHEFFIELD HIGH ..... Frank Shires, Director  
 (a) El Charro ..... Tarver  
 (b) Southern Cross ..... Yoder
- 3:00—TROY HIGH ..... Herman H. Moll, Director  
 (a) Amparita Roca ..... Texidor  
 (b) Overture ..... Whitney
- 3:30—GREENVILLE HIGH ..... Lyndol Mitchell, Director  
 (a) Americans We ..... Fillmore  
 (b) Overture Militair ..... Skornicka

4:00—HEWITT HIGH (TRUSSVILLE) ----- M. W. Beck, Director  
 (a) National Emblem ----- Bagley  
 (b) Poet & Peasant Overture ----- Suppe

4:30—CULLMAN CO. HIGH ----- P. F. Bria, Director  
 (a) Flight Commander ----- Holmes  
 (b) Impressions of Verona ----- Senee

SATURDAY, APRIL 2

**CLASS A—Required Number: "Second Suite in F"** ----- Holst

8:00—PHILLIPS HIGH ----- A. E. Mayer, Director  
 (a) Yanks Around the World ----- Lipson  
 (b) Northern World Overture ----- Chenette

8:30—WOODLAWN HIGH ----- Gerald A. Smith, Director  
 (a) El Capitan ----- Sousa  
 (b) Light Cavalry Overture ----- Suppe

9:00—ENSLEY HIGH ----- R. J. McClain, Director  
 (a) Bombasto ----- Farrar  
 (b) Landsighting ----- Grieg

9:30—TUSCALOOSA HIGH ----- Wilber Hinton, Director  
 (a) Storm King ----- Finlayson  
 (b) Bogar ----- Geary

10:00—TUSCALOOSA CO. HIGH ----- Walter F. Moeck, Director  
 (a) His Honor ----- Fillmore  
 (b) Euryanthe Overture ----- Weber

10:30—GADSDEN HIGH ----- Mort Glosser, Director  
 (a) His Honor ----- Fillmore  
 (b) William Tell Overture ----- Rossini

11:00—DECATUR HIGH ----- Carl Schwuchow, Director  
 (a) Cyrus the Great ----- King  
 (b) Die Fledermaus ----- Strauss

11:30—SIDNEY LANIER HIGH ----- Yale H. Ellis, Director  
 (a) Namur ----- Richards  
 (b) American Folk Rapsody ----- Grundman

12:00—COFFEE HIGH (FLORENCE) ----- F. C. McClure, Director  
 (a) Purple Pageant ----- King  
 (b) Rienzi ----- Wagner

Intermission

**CLASS — B (CONCLUDED)**

1:30—ATHENS HIGH ----- J. L. Cowart, Director  
 (a) To Be Selected -----  
 (b) Gypsy Princess ----- Yoder

2:00—FAYETTE HIGH .....	P. S. DeRoberts, Director
(a) Fayette High School March .....	DeRoberts
(b) Gypsy Festival Overture .....	Hayes
2:30—HALEYVILLE HIGH .....	K. K. Hennessy, Director
(a) Banners Blue .....	Holmes
(b) Stratosphere .....	Frangkiser
3:00—PARRISH HIGH (SELMA) .....	James H. Hoit, Jr., Director
(a) National Emblem .....	Bagley
(b) Overture Militaire .....	Skornicka
3:30—HUNTSVILLE HIGH .....	James H. Elkins, Director
(a) Americans We .....	Fillmore
(b) Egmont .....	Beethoven
4:00—RUSSELLVILLE HIGH .....	Hollin B. Abrams, Director
(a) Storm King .....	Finlayson
(b) Two Moods .....	Grundman
4:30—WALKER CO. (JASPER) .....	C. W. Merck, Director
(a) Walker County High School March .....	Merck
(b) March Processional .....	Marcelli

### *Classification of Bands*

- CLASS A—High Schools with over 750 Students.**  
**CLASS B—High Schools with Enrollment 250-750.**  
**CLASS C—High Schools with less than 250 Students.**  
**CLASS D—Junior High and First Year High School Bands.**

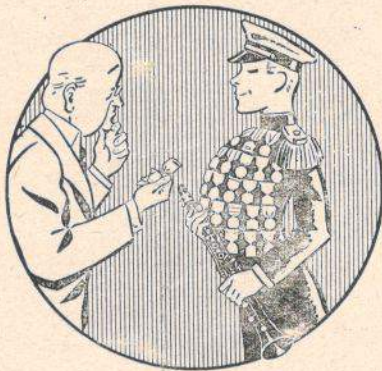
### *Ratings*

- DIV. I.—SUPERIOR—(1-1-1) (1-1-2) (1-1-3) (1-1-4).  
 DIV. II.—EXCELLENT—(1-2-2) (1-2-3) (1-2-4) (2-2-2) (2-2-3) 2-2-4).  
 DIV. III.—GOOD—(1-3-3) (1-3-4) (2-3-4) (3-3-3) (3-3-4).  
 DIV. IV.—FAIR—(1-4-4) (2-4-4) (3-4-4) (4-4-4).

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