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FESTIVAL FEATURES
STRINGS ON FRIDAY

The Montana Fine Arts Festival, which has ranged over a broad spectrum of 18th-century achievement since its opening May 8, brings chamber and orchestral music into focus Friday, reports Dean Charles W. Bolen of the School of Fine Arts.

A program on "The String Quartets of Haydn" at 8:15 p.m. in the Recital Hall features a lecture by Dr. Florence Reynolds, professor of music and cellist with the Montana String Quartet. The resident faculty quartet will perform the Haydn String Quartet, Op. 77, No. 2. Other members of the group are Eugene Andrie and Gerald Doty, violinists, and Eugene Weigel, violist.

Dr. David Whitwell of the music faculty will speak on "Formal Antecedents of the Classical Symphony" at 3 p.m. in Music 218.

Both programs are open to the public without charge, the dean said.