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ANKENY TO SING
AT UM FRIDAY

Melvon Ankeny, baritone, will present a senior recital Friday (April 28) at 8:15 p.m. in the University of Montana Recital Hall, Laurence Perry, acting chairman of the Music Department, announced. The public is invited.

Ruth Silvius, Fort Benton, will be pianist for the program, which consists of compositions by Handel, Beethoven, Ravel, Schonberg, Salvator Rosa, Antonio Sartorio, Hugo Wolf, Ralph Vaughan Williams and Gerald Finzi.

The recitalist, a voice student of John Lester, is completing requirements for a bachelor's degree in music and simultaneously working for a master's degree. He has held a DeLoss Smith Memorial Scholarship.

He is a member of Opera Workshop and the UM Music Theatre Quintet. He sang the role of Monostatos in the University's 1966 production of Mozart's opera, "The Magic Flute." He has acted in Masquer plays and taken leading roles in "Brigadoon" and other Bigfork Summer Playhouse productions.

His mother, Mrs. C. V. Maynard, lives in Victor.