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7 NEW JUBILEERS JOIN UM SINGING TROUPE

MISSOULA---

Seven University of Montana students have joined the University's singing Jubileers in practice sessions and will perform formally with the group for the first times Feb. 2-3 in two presentations of "Show Time" on the Missoula campus.

The group, under the direction of Dr. Joseph Mussulman, associate professor of music at the University, soon will lose five members who made a two-month tour of the Orient with the Jubileers in November and December. The seven new members make a total of 16 in the troupe plus director Mussulman.

The "Show Time" performances by the Jubileers will be at 8:15 p.m. Feb. 2-3 in the Music Recital Hall. The two shows are scholarship benefits for the Music School Foundation. Tickets for single shows will be \$2.50 per adult and \$1.50 for each student. A double-date special for each show will admit two couples of adults for \$8 and two couples of students for \$4.

The seven new Jubileers are Suzie Volkel, Gloria Phillip and Randall Schlibe, all of Missoula; Nancy Johnson, Conrad; Dennis Ward, Moccasin; Ron Robertus, Laurel; and Robert Quist, Cut Bank.

Five Jubileers leaving the group because of graduation or student teaching activities are Dennis Burns, <u>Dillon</u>, and his wife, Susan Emrick Burns, formerly of <u>Conrad</u>; <u>Diane</u>
Morrow, <u>Baker</u>; Ruth Silvius, <u>Fort Benton</u>; and Gary Guthrie, Livingston.

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The five leaving the group will give one of their final performances with the Jubileers at 9 p.m. Saturday (Jan. 20) during the Kiwanis Club Annual Dinner-Dance in the Ballroom of the Finlen Hotel & Motor Inn in <u>Butte</u>. At 3 p.m. Saturday the Jubileers will be at KXLF-TV in <u>Butte</u> to record a 30-minute television tape, which will be replayed later this month.

Television viewers in the <u>Missoula</u> vicinity will be able to see the taped presentation on channel 3 (cable hookup) or on channel 8, the regular TV translator.

Other Jubileer members who will continue to perform with the group include Carol Ash, Butte; Edd Blackler, Don Collins, Doug Dunnell and Nancy Senechal, all of Missoula; Greg Devlin, Polson; Marcia Olson and Judy Stowe, both of Great Falls; and James Selway, formerly of Dillon and now of Phoenix, Ariz.

This spring and the spring of 1969 the Jubileers will travel to Canada under the auspices of a professional booking agent--Overture Concerts of <u>Vancouver</u>, <u>B.C.</u> This spring the performances will take place April 19-22. Dr. Mussulman said the 1969 tour may be as long as three weeks in duration.

This group of Jubileers is the 23rd which has performed for the University. Dr. Mussulman has been director 12 years.