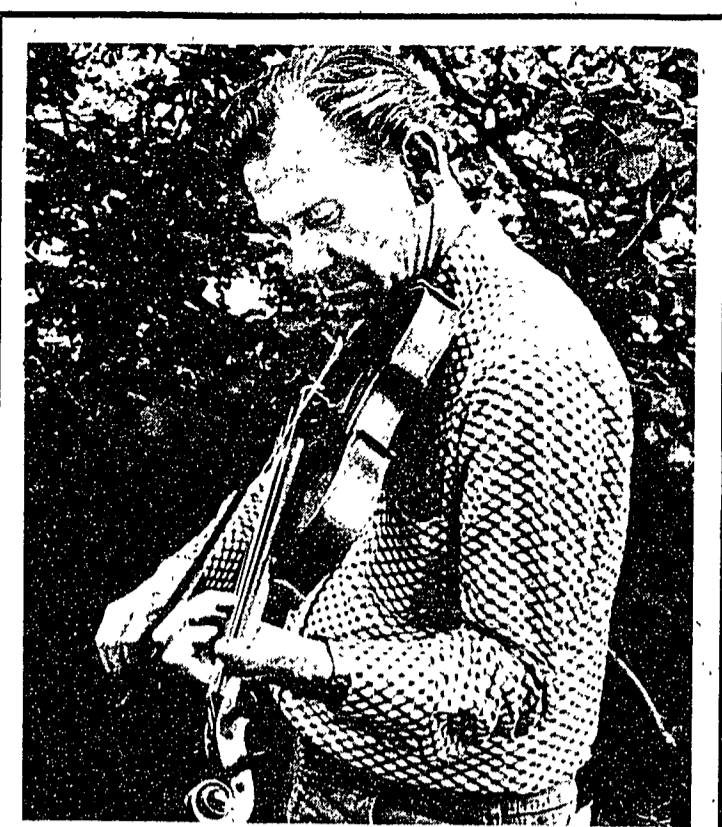


Crowds on the Allen Street mall meander in a snakelike path among the booths.



Rosin up the bow

A University student, a recent graduate and Clayton "Red" Edwards, above, finished in the money Saturday as 17 fiddlers from all over the state gathered on Old Main lawn for the third annual fiddlers contest.

Tad Marks (11th-music composition) won third place and \$50 while Bruce Young, last year's third-place winner, finished fourth for a \$25 prize.

Blaine Shover from McVeytown, Pa., won the \$100 first prize for the second straight year while Edwards, from Muncy, Pa., received second place and \$75.

The spirits of the wildly enthusiastic crowd were hardly dampened by a cloudburst near the end of the contest.



Photo by Linda Hart

Festival flock undaunted by rain

By STEVE LESTER
Collegian Staff Writer

For some people, yesterday's downpour brought an early end to the 11th Annual Central Pennsylvania Festival of the Arts.

"We just packed up and left after the third time we covered everything," jeweler Constance E. Wicklund said.

"I think it probably shortened the festival because a lot of people left early. I would've stayed until nine o'clock but my body just couldn't take the elements," she said.

Of course, the rain did not cause everybody to leave. By nightfall, some artists seemed to have forgotten about it as they summed up their thoughts on the past week's events.

"It was very nice. We enjoyed the people here; they're so lovely," said the wife of Sandor Herskovitz, a New York pipemaker. Smiling, she shrugged and added, "The heat you couldn't help."

Mildred Dienstag, a painter from New York, said her only regret was that she did not arrive a week early and could not leave a week late.

"I love the place," she said. "I'm a real college

campus freak and this area is so beautiful."

She gave much praise for the way the festival was organized and publicized. "Even the shuttle bus was a joy."

A State College jeweler who asked to remain anonymous said she was "disappointed" because she thought some of the jewelry in certain booths was not handmade.

"They were just giving the people what they wanted because what they could afford were commercial items," she said.

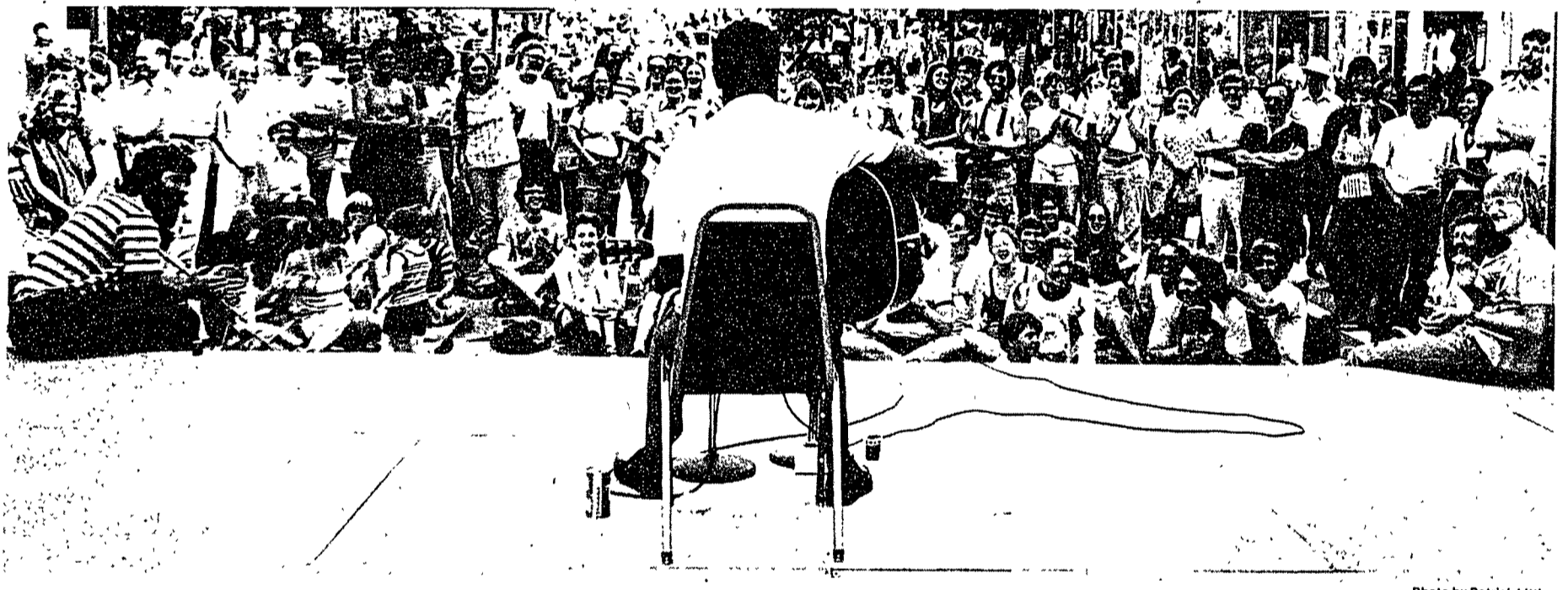


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From the blues to the Beer Barrel Polka, street musicians delighted Arts Festival crowds.

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Monday - Tuesday, July 18-19

SPECIAL EVENTS

Monday, July 18

Registration for second session of HUB craft classes, 12-5 p.m., Room 312 HUB. Classes start 7:30 p.m., tonight.

Color Slide Club meeting. Special competition, slides depicting melancholy; showing of Eastman Kodak Co. film "Making Color Prints," 7:30 p.m., Room 112 Kern.

Nittany Mountain Summer Spectrum, Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., Eisenhower Auditorium.

Tuesday, July 19

College of Education faculty luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Room 101 Kern.

Acoustics Seminar. M. K. Bull, University of Adelaid, on "Noise Generation Due to Fully Developed Turbulent Flow in Pipes," 4 p.m., Room 151 Willard.

Shaver's Creek Nature Center, "Frogs, Toads, and Snakes," 7 p.m., Stone Valley.

Integrational Summer Community Lecture. Herbert A. deVries, Mobile Laboratory for Physiology of Exercise and Aging Research, University of Southern California, and Lawrence J. Frankel, Lawrence Frankel Foundation, on "Physical Fitness in Middle and Later Life," 7:30 p.m., Keller Auditorium.

Festival Theatre, A Little Night Music, 8 p.m., Playhouse Theatre.

EXHIBITS

Frost Entomology Museum: special gypsy moth exhibit.

Hammond Gallery: scholastic poster designs based on new CPFA logo; winning entries in CPFA poetry competition.

HUB Gallery: Smithsonian Institution exhibit, "American Coverlets," CPFA children's art exhibit.

Kern Commons Gallery: Denise Lauzier Stone, ceramics.

Zoller Gallery: Antonio Frasconi, woodcuts, lithographs and intaglios.