

HATTIESBURG AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

PROGRAM FOR NOVEMBER 21, 1987

Saenger Theater

Dues for the new year may be paid, but the general public is invited.

____ Individual-\$10.00 ____ Couple-\$15.00 ____ Student-\$2.00
____ Life-\$100.00 ____ Organization-\$15.00 ____ Donation

MUSIC MACHINES AND ORGANS

60 YEARS AGO AND MOPE

Music making machines that declined in use as moving pictures began to talk and radios with speakers came into common use. We expect to have on stage old music boxes, player pianos, pump organ, Edison record players of cylinder and thick disc type, Gramophone, and the mighty theater organ.

4:00 PM until 7:00 PM

People may drop by during this time and examine these instruments, discuss them with someone there and listen to or play them. This is a "hands on" program. Someone will be there who has knowledge of the instruments to show you how they worked, and explain what to do and not to do. Come and tell us about what your great grandmother had.

Sometime during this three hours you will have a chance to sit at the console and play the theater organ.

7:00 PM until 8:00 PM

Free theater organ concert

Mr. Dalton McAlpin, a Starkville, Miss. attorney has many years experience playing theater organs. He was the regular organist at the Paramount Theater in Baton Rouge, La. while he was a student at L.S.U. It was one of the last theaters to have regular organ music between feature pictures.

After 8:00 PM Perhaps for a while the owners of the various instruments will stay and exhibit them and play them, depending on interest.

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