Homecoming 1967 To Begin with Motorcade

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Homecoming 1967 will officially make its entry as the Motorcade swings into action 6:30 tonight from Wagner Field.

Led by Homecoming officials and the Blue Band, 20 floats will parade around the campus and downtown State College. Finalists in the Homecoming Queen Contest will also ride in convertible cars throughout the parade.

After the float Motorcade has finished, the focus of attention will turn to Pollock Circle and the pep rally. The pep rally will feature announcement of the winner in the Homecoming Queen Contest.

WDFM Station Manager Eric Rohe said yesterday WDFM will broadcast the pep rally live, starting at 8 p.m.

When the activities of the pep rally have been exhausted, attention will be shifted downtown to the out-door jammy. The free jammy, featuring the "Blue-Eyed Soul Brothers" and the "Pacific Tea Company," will begin at 9 tonight on East Beaver Ave. between Allen and Pugh Streets.

To unite independents and Greeks, the dance will be held in the street and in the parking lot in the area. In case of rain or extreme cold, the dance will be held in the Hetzel Union Ballroom and 30 cents admission will be charged.

Other Activities

Other activities scheduled for today include an open house in the Natorium and a ceremony marking the acquisition of the one millionth volume by the University libraries. Both will begin at 4 p.m.

Meanwhile, the Blue Key Hat Society has arranged a vigil to guard the Nittany Lion from 11 p.m. tonight until 8 a.m. tomorrow. Robert Emery, president, said he invites anyone interested to join the brothers and pledges in the vigil.

The Golf Tournament will begin activities at 9 a.m. tomorrow. A display of antique cars will be held at the HUB beginning at 10 a.m.

Game Activities

Many of tomorrow afternoon's activities will be centered around Beaver Stadium and the football game with West Virginia.

The traditional Tailgate Party will begin at 11 a.m. on the Beaver Stadium parking lots with the German Band providing the music.

The pre-game show will feature coronation of the Homecoming Queen and a parade around the track in the stadium. The Homecoming Queen and her court will lead the parade.

Announcement of the winners in the window painting contest and the motorcade will also be made at the game.

An alumni band, comprised of former Blue Band members, nearly 150 of them from 12 states, the District of Columbia, will perform.

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Jury Deadlocked in Case
Eighteen Men Charged

MERIDIAN, Miss. (AP) — An all-white jury told U.S. Dist Court Judge Harold Cox at mid-afternoon yesterday it was deadlocked in the case of 18 men charged with conspiracy in the 1964 deaths of three civil rights figures.

The judge ordered them to re-examine and reconsider all the evidence and "take all the time you feel is necessary."

The seven men and five women on the panel began considering the case Wednesday afternoon. They had deliberated nine hours and 40 minutes when they returned to the courtroom.

Judge Cox issued a new charge to the panel, telling the jurors to consider the majority in their deliberations, but yet not to yield any of their convictions.

At one point during the second day of deliberations, the jury asked Judge Cox for additional instructions. Opposing attorneys, however, meeting with the judge in his chambers, could not agree and the request was denied.

This prompted one of the attorneys, who asked not to be named: "The jury is deadlocked."

Justice Dept. officials claimed during the trial that the 18 defendants in a "calculated, calculated, calculated, calculated" plot to kill three civil rights workers.

The killings were the result of racial tension when resistance was civil rights workers.

The defendants were charged with conspiring to violate the civil rights of the slain men, Mississippians Andrew Goodman, James Chaney and Michael Schwerner.

Among those accused were three County Sheriff J.L. "Buck" Carver, Chief Deputy Sheriff and former Coahoma County Sheriff's office chief; and former Coahoma County Sheriff's office chief, a Ku Klux Klansman.

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