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Anchorage Symphony Performs Tonight

The first of two performances of the Anchorage Symphony Orchestra with the All-City Junior High School Orchestra will be held tonight at Sydney Laurence Auditorium.

THE ANNUAL Spring Concert, which also will feature selections by the Anchorage Community Chorus, will begin at 8 p.m. A repeat of the performance is scheduled tomorrow evening.

The 50-member Anchorage Symphony and the youth orchestra will be conducted by Frank Pinkerton.

The combined groups will play "Entrance and March of the Peers" by Sir Arthur Sullivan and "Russian Choral and Overture" adapted by Merle Isaac.

IT WILL be the first "professional" performance for the junior high orchestra, which last week end presented a spring concert to a packed house at the East High School gymnasium.

The Anchorage Symphony also will present Benjamin Britton's "Matinees Musicales" and Brahms' "Academic Festival Overture, Op. 80."

Following intermission, the symphony will combine with the Community Chorus and Willard Straight at the piano to offer "Choral Fantasy, Op. 80" by Beethoven. To conclude the performance, Ron Nelson's "Jubilee" will be played.

TICKETS, which are \$3.50 for adults, \$1.75 for high school and military, and \$1 for elementary students, may be purchased at the following downtown locations:

Hat Box, Music City, Anchorage House of Music, Anchor Book Shop, Travel Center and the Alaska State Bank.

Friday evening, following the performance, a reception will be held in the auditorium lobby. Refreshments will be served.