

Drum Corps of the Month: Logan Square S.A.L.



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The LOGAN SQUARE Drum and Bugle Corps hopes to hit the high note of success when they try for their 4th "first place" win at the 1951 Spectacle of Music in South Milwaukee, Wisc.

They hope to show some of the form that brought them the Illinois State title in 1946, 1948 and 1949; and 1949 National Sons of the American Legion championships.

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away from martial music. As a result of this decision, the corps' 1949 selection included such tunes as Tea for Two, St. Louis Blues, and Kansas Sunflower. To say everyone was immediately won over would be untrue. Early comment was divided--equally favorable and unfavorable. Now, however, the entire midwest has followed Logan's movement.

Included in their 1951 repertoire are such all-time music greats as Little Girl, Rolling Along, Stormy Weather, Somewhere Over the Rain-

contest initiated the "Logan Square 'bucket'"--a pseudo-trophy--to be exchanged among corps out-pointing Logan Square.

That Logan Square joined in the spirit of the "bucket" was evident when one of the corps boys "finished up"--cleaned, sanded, lettered and painted the original rough wood bucket into an attractive prize.

Other than competitions and parades, the corps has appeared at the Indiana Day State dinners, the Chicago Tribune Centennial celebrations,