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# Forrester invents device to clear air of dust, smoke

# Jay Forrester designs model of air filter

A working model of a new type of air filter has been designed and ing in Chicago. There, 272,000 built by Jay W. Forrester of Anselmo, senior in the University of Nebraska department of electrical engineering. The device, known as an electrostatic dust precipitator, cleans the air of every particle of dust or tobacco smoke.

The operating principle is to charge dust particles with electricity as the air passes thru the cleaner and, with oppositely charged plates, to draw the particles out of the air in the same way that filings are attracted to a magnet. The air cleaner is patterned after the latest type of electric filters now in commercial use.

unusual, Forrester says, Tested in comparison with a good mechanical air cleaner, the ability to remove soot was markedly superior

in the electrostatic filter. Lower operating cost of the new filter is exemplified by the unit which air conditions the first four floors of the Marshall Field office buildcubic feet of air per minute is filtered with approximate power consumption of 5 kilowatts.

Forrester's model consists of two units. The first electrically charges each dust particle in the air passing thru it. The second contains oppositely charged plates which attract and hold the dust particles.

"The air stream passes first thru the ionizing unit which consists of fine wires stretched parallel to grounded rods," Forrester explained. "Each wire is maintained at a potential of about 10,000 volts above ground. In the second step, the air stream conse. Efficiency unusual. Efficiency of the new filter is about three-eighths of an inch apart and charged from a 5,000 volt supply. Here a charged dust particle is attracted toward one plate and repelled from the other.

# Barb--,

(Continued from Page 1.) Barb Council, an office which car- rifle team will be presented with ries with it the position of Barb Union vice president, livened the closing session of the Barb Council Monday afternoon.

Erie Constable emerged as the new president of the Barb Cuoncil when the ballots were counted. Harriet Lewis, past president of the Towne club, was voted vice president, Vernon Wiebusch, secre-tary-treasurer, and Jeanet Swenson, historian,

A plan proposed by Art Hen-drickson, president of the Barb Union, to sell membership tickets entitling the Barb buyers to admission to the weekly dances, the winter formal, and the spring picnic was relegated to a committee with power to proceed and carry the plan into operation if arrangements could be made,

(Continued from Page 1.) white "N" sweaters and the R. O, T. C. rifle team members, with medals.

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All awards and honors will be presented by the sponsors of the R. O. T. C. battalions, except for the Pershing medal, which will be awarded by Miss Pershing, the American Auxiliary and D. A. R. awards, which will be given by members of their organization, and the Battery trophy, which Col. Leo J. Crosby will present,

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## New Hoyland-Swanson store to have auditorium

The new Hovland-Swanson store which will open this fall in the location formerly occupied by Walts and the Town Talk bakery, will boast an auditorium on the third floor. Here the store will stage fashion shows, according to John Wylie, advertising manager, The first and second floors will

be open before the fall school term begins and the third shortly after-

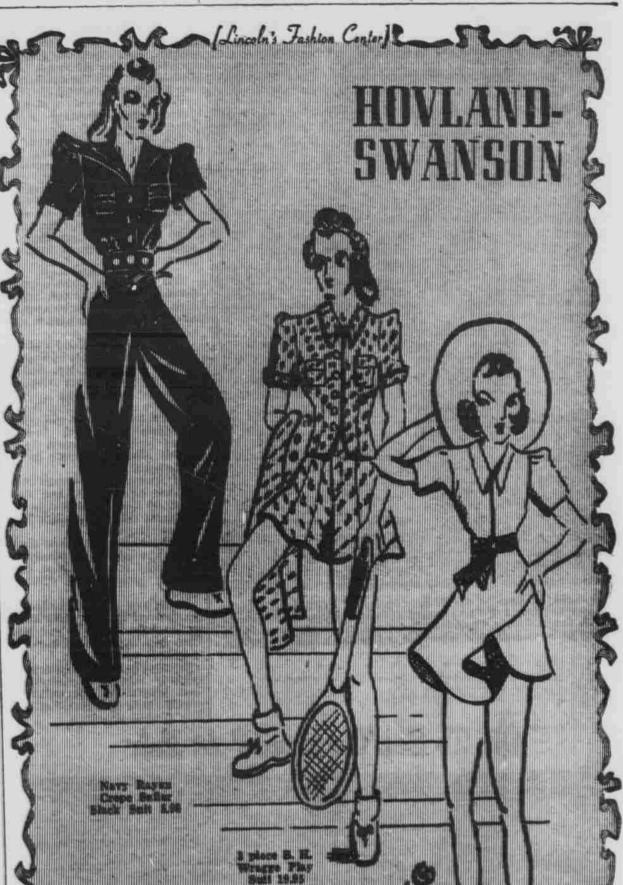
ward. The first floor will show cosmetics, shoes, millinery, accessories, sportswear and lingerie. The furnishings will be of the classic type. All of the store's ready-to-wcar will be on the second floor.

During the 288-day run of the Golden Gate International Exposition, over 300 conventions will meet in San Francisco. All have in San Francisco Bay.

### BULLETIN

Pershing Rifles will march as a unit in the parade following compet tomorrow. The company will form on the walk in front of the stadium after inter-company competition.

Tassel meeting tonight at 7:00 at the Student Union, room 316. planned trips to the World's Fair Motion pictures of lvy Day will be shown at 7:30.





Q. Is the watch fob as dead a number as the cloth-top shoe?

A. Believe it or don't, but fobs like those flaunted in the "Ninctics" are good style again. Well-dressed mon are now wearing them with formal clothes.



Q. Are collar points getting longer or shorter?

A. The trend is toward longer points, but good dressers still pick whatever length they please. Speaking of collars, the best looking ones on earth are Arrows, and you'll find them only on Arrow shirts. \$2 up?



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Q. How big should the knot on your necktie be?

A. Medium size. The fellow in the center has his right. Arrow ties, thanks to their well-chosen fabrics and spe-cially-cut lining, tie a handsome knot. \$1 and \$1.50.



Q. Is the seamless-crotch short the most comfortable?

A. No seam means no sawing, no chafing, no underwear misery. Arrow shorts not only have a patented scamless crotch, but also are sanforised fabric shrinkage less than 1% - guaranteed against shrinkage. 65c up. Undershirts, 50c up.



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