Love has different meaning for residence hall's members

By Scott Ahlstrand Daily Nebraskan Staff Writer

say you're sorry. Love is a many splendored thing, and love is blind. pitches in." But for the 49 women who live in UNL's Love Memorial Cooperative Hall, Love is a residence hall with a home-like atmosphere.

former mayor of Lincoln, in remembrance of his wife, Julia.

The hall, a hybrid of residence Economics and College of Agriculture a high quality place to live leadership and citizenship. for a modest price.

units, each equipped with its own kitchen and dining room. Six to Since the residents are home eight women live in each unit. and each is assigned various duties which are rotated every two and advice is no problem. weeks.

"You really have to learn coop-Love means never having to eration around here," she said. "It's a team effort, everyone

The cost of living in the hall is approximately half that of living in other UNL residence halls. Each room is contracted for a year and The hall, on East Campus, was costs \$595. In addition, each ina gift from the late Don Love, dividual pays \$55 a month to cover food, entertainment and maintenance.

Residents are selected each May hall and sorority living, aims to by a committee. While financial give women in the College of Home need is considered, the applicants also are judged on scholarship,

Prusa said most of the hall's Love Hall is divided into seven residents enter as freshmen and stay through their junior year. economics or agriculture majors, Prusa said getting academic help

together on our homework since Marybeth Prusa, hall president we're in the same classes," Prusa and a junior majoring in home said. "I think that Love Hall has

The residents are in charge of their own safety, with each resident possessing a key to the hall. The cooperative also has an open treasure stand that residents can use to cash small checks. Prusa said the stand is symbolic of how the hall works.

"It is open to everyone and so far we have not lost any money from it," she said. "We base it on trust and it works.

"That's how we do things around here," she said.

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The pill is one of the most popular contraceptives. Many women choose the pill because of its 98 percent effectiveness rate when properly used and convenience, Lewis said. However, the pill does "A lot of times we'll work have risks, she said. Some of the risks include: blood clots, abdominal pain, chest pain, severe headaches, eye problems (blurred

economics, said the assigned made us a strong group. Some- vision) or severe leg or arm duties have helped the residents one's always there when you need cramps. 'Promising' laser herbicide pulverizes unwanted weeds

By Gene Gentrup Daily Nebraskan Senior Reporter

new "laser herbicide" is available to farmers.

Scientists at the University of Illinois last week announced a new type of plant-killing substance called laser herbicides which set off chain reactions of internal destruction that makes weeds self-destruct.

week, Constantin Rebeiz, a plant farmers. physiologist who led the research truction process begins with the that soybeans are damaged but example. application of an amino acid, delta-recover and that corn, wheat and aminolaevulnic acid, that makes unwanted plants produce lightsensitive chemicals, tetrapyroles, that normally form chlorophyll.

But in susceptible plants the process is disrupted and those chemicals accumulate during the night, Rebeiz said. When the sun one of those niches," Hopen said. substance.

rises and light hits the plant, "the whole thing explodes."

It may be some time before the water is lost and the plant dehydrates and dies.

> Hopen, a herbicide specialist who Rebeiz said. heads the University of Illinois department of horticulture, stress that work so far has been limited to the laboratory. Field experiments and environmental tests humans. must be conducted before the

oats are not affected, they said.

In addition, many conventional said. products act much more slowly

The scientists say the herbicide should be safe because the chem-Cell membranes are destroyed, ical is a naturally occurring one.

"It will be tested for its effect on fish and worms, and we predict Rebeiz and colleague Herbert that the effect will be negligible."

Though the new herbicide might sound promising, weed specialists are raising questions as to how safe the chemical is to

Beth Swisher, an NU weed spe-In a Lincoln Star story last product can be made available to cialist, said many naturally-produced plants are considered safe Tests so far have shown that to humans, but there are excepteam on the project said the des- the amino acids kill some weeds, tions. She cited poison ivy as an

"These plants carry chemicals that are extrememly toxic," she

·Swisher said it may be up to 10 than the "laser" herbicide, and years before the herbicide is "we don't have all the combina- available for agricultural use, durtions to control a particular weed ing which testing and research in a certain crop. This might fill will have to be done on the new

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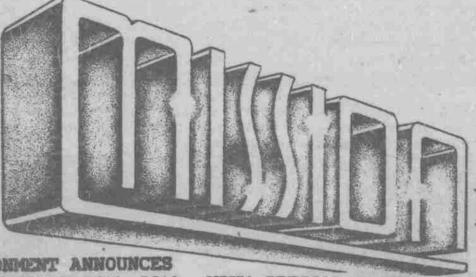
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