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THE GREAT GATSBY
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GEORGIA HALE
A Paramount Picture

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THE NERVOUS WRECK
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Two Hours of Recreation and Real Entertainment—
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Twenty Minutes of Clean Fun

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A Duo of Vocalists in a
"FEW PLEASANT MOMENTS"

THE HERSKINDS
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"CARTOONS A LA CARTE"
News and Comedy Pictures
BABICH and the ORCHESTRA
SHOWS AT—2:30, 7:00, 9:00

HUSKERS OPEN TRACK SEASON

(Continued from Page One.)
High Jump: Gillilan, J. Weir, Crocker.
Pole Vault: Witte, Downie, Shaner, Wirsig, Dailey.
Shot put: Hurd, Ashburn, J. Weir, Molzen.
Heating and lighting arrangements for the indoor track are already suitable for the meet. Seating arrangements will be completed within the next few days.

Ambitious Seniors Will Shine Shoes
Two stands, at which ambitious seniors of the University of Washington will shine the shoes of all students who have the two-bit tag, will be the center of activity on the campus. Music and additional entertainment features will be provided on the campus.

Cosmetics Puzzle Debaters
Are cosmetics beneficial? The Stevens debate club of the University of Washington will attempt to settle this question in a debate to be held tonight.

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You'll regret it if you miss this great drama of adventure and romance—
"THE ICE FLOOD"
A Thrilling Story With KENNETH HARLAN AND VIOLA DANA
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A Screen With "Our Gang"
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ALL SEATS RESERVED **ORPHEUM** ALL WEEK
COMPANY'S OWN TOURING SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
"THE YEARS GREATEST MELODRAMA"

twice daily at 2:30 and 8:30
P. C. Wren's baffling romance of the Sahara. Hard lives, quick deaths, undying love
"Beau Geste"
with RONALD COLMAN
(by arrangement with Samuel Goldwyn)
A Herbert Brenon Production
Alice Joyce Mary Brian
Noah Beery Neil Hamilton
Ralph Forbes Norman Trevor
William Powell
Victor McLaglan
A Paramount Picture
Seats Now Selling For All Performances
EVE.—50c, \$1.10, \$1.65
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Professor Reed Reviewed The School System Of Nebraska For Listeners-In

Prof. A. A. Reed, Director of the University Extension Division, talked on the University radio program of Tuesday afternoon, on "Nebraska's Coat of Many Colors." He explained the school organization as first established by the territorial government and the first legislature.
"Nebraska's school system," Professor Reed stated, "has come into being in part as an inheritance, and in part by process of evolution. The idea of the public elementary school was inherited, some others were partly inherited and developed. There is no known form of school organization that has not at some time been verified in Nebraska. We have been a veritable experimental laboratory of educational organization and should have the best now."
Professor Reed went on, "The first territorial legislature in 1855 naturally adopted the district form of school organization. It was the system with which the settlers were best acquainted and it has proved to be the most workable type for frontier life.
"However, territorial Nebraska within three years adopted the township system of organization, the most modern form known, which was worked out in details that challenges the admiration of every student of educational administration of today. This unusual change has been somewhat explained by the careful research of Richard S. Sherman, a graduate student in education in the University of Nebraska.
"The district system grew up in New England where compulsory education was first put into effect. At first the church and home, then the towns, and finally the state was responsible for the education of the children. After experiences with many different forms, Massachusetts established the district form. This form however was carried to extremes and in 1882 was replaced by the town unit type.
"By 1855 Nebraska followed the

example of New England and similar experiences in other frontier states and established the district system. At this time public lands held for the use of schools were being given to the state for the use of all the schools of the state, supplanting the older system of giving so much land for each school. In 1858, the Nebraska state legislature changed to the township form of school organization and distributed the lands to the individual township. It is only lately that we have been able to assign a reason for this extraordinary change.
"This sudden law of Nebraska is a close copy of a law soon adopted by Iowa and prepared by Horace Mann, then president of Antioch College. The influence of Mann, the example of the neighboring state of Iowa, and some local enthusiasm was the moving reason for the change, so inexplicable otherwise.
"This system was ideal in many respects. It did not interfere with the existing districts, except to make them sub-districts of the township. In all essential features, the local control was to be exercised as formerly. The annual meeting was retained, for electing officers and for other purposes of advice and control as in the present annual meeting. A board of directors was elected for three years, as at present, except that the directors themselves elected their clerk, who served as a member of the township board. Formerly the election was held annually. The local directors elected the teacher and managed and controlled the sub-districts according to regulations prescribed by the township board, except that contracts had to be reported to the township board, which became responsible for their execution. The township board was the administrative body of the school corporation, and controlled the property. It had power to appoint and pay a manager of schools. It also controlled the central, or high school, when such was established and the levy approved by vote of the entire township. The township board had the right to adjust sub-district lines so as to meet the needs of the situation arising. Taxes were to be uniform over the township, and were to be apportioned to the sub-districts according to census. No sub-district was to contain fewer than ten children of school age, except in cases where, in the opinion of the Board,

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The Criterion Theater, in New York, continues to maintain its statue as the Champion long-run house for Paramount pictures, with "Beau Geste", which Herbert Brenon presented there on Monday night August 25th, and where it is surpassing the success of "The Covered Wagon" and "Ten Commandments", is booked for Lincoln at the Orpheum Theater for one week beginning Monday night, February 7, and playing twice daily thereafter.
"Beau Geste" was produced on an elaborate scale on the Arizona desert and at the Lasky Studio in California. It was cut and titled under the supervision of William Le Baron, associate producer at Paramount's Long Island Studio.

By arrangement with Samuel Goldwyn, Ronald Colman plays the title role of "Beau Geste". The associate players are Neil Hamilton, Ralph Forbes, Noah Beery, Alice Joyce, Mary Brian, Norman Trevor, William Powell, George Rigas, Bernard Siegel, Victor McLaglan, Donald Stuart and Paul McAllister.
As every reader of novels and literary reviews knows, "Beau Geste" is an adventure story by Major Percival C. Wren, whose tremendous success has led him to carry on the adventures of Major de Beaujolais in "Beau Sabreur" a new novel just published. Musical presentation by Hugo Riesenfeld, furnished by the company's traveling symphony orchestra.—Adv.

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