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## Union Goes East of Ellen Smith

### MAURIE SHERMAN TO ENTERTAIN AT LEAP YEAR PARTY

Mortar Boards Sign Well Known College Inn Orchestra.

Maurie Sherman, nationally popular radio, recording and dance band leader, with his famous College Inn orchestra will reign as entertainer at the Mortar Board Leap Year party Friday night Dec. 11 in the coliseum. Maurie, the singing, violinist maestro, does not classify his orchestra as exponents of any particular style but offers varied programs of sweet, hot, swing and rhythmic numbers.

Sherman and his band have been favorites at the nationally popular Hotel Sherman, Chicago, with nightly broadcasts over NBC and CBS coast to coast radio networks. His radio theme song, "Dreamy Melody," is well known to fans of dance music.

Tickets for the party, when tables are turned on the girls, are now on sale by all members of Tassels and Mortar Board. They are priced at \$1.25 per couple. The drive, which began last Wednesday, will continue until Friday, announces Rowena Swenson, chairman of the committee.

**Chaperones, Guests Announced.**  
Chaperones and guests for the fifth annual party are announced today by Elsie Buxman, chairman of this committee. Chaperones will include Prof. and Mrs. A. L. (Continued on Page 2.)

### LEAGUE OF NATIONS AUTHORITY TO TALK AT PEACE CONCLAVE

Dr. W. H. Laves Will Speak At Pacifist Mass Meet On Neutrality.

Dr. Walter H. C. Laves, director of the midwest office of the League of Nations, will speak at a mass peace meeting in Lincoln Sunday evening, Dec. 13. Dr. Laves, who has recently returned from a trip to Geneva and other foreign capitals, is being brought here thru the efforts of the Nebraska League of Nations Allocation and the Lincoln Peace Council.

At the mass meeting, which is to be held at the Unitarian church on the corner of 12th and H, Dr. Laves will speak on the subject, "Neutrality! Can It Maintain Peace?" According to Prof. Laura B. Pfeiffer, who is secretary of the Lincoln Peace Council, a special effort is being made to notify university students of this opportunity to hear the latest first hand report on the foreign situation. The newly organized Foreign Relations club will attend the session in a body.

Dr. Laves, who is at present head of the political science department at Hamilton college, has spent a good deal of his time during the last few years studying foreign relations in Europe. He made a study of post war conditions in Austria, Italy and Germany from 1925 to 1926 while traveling on a fellowship.

As an active crusader for peace since his recent return from Geneva, Dr. Laves has contributed articles on the conditions in foreign countries to a large number of magazines in the United States. His list of lecture topics includes every phase of the political, social and economical turmoil which is afoot in Europe today.

### Prom Committee Filings Will Close Tuesday Noon

Filings for junior-senior prom committee will close at noon, Tuesday, Dec. 8. Applications may be filed at the student activities offices in the coliseum.

The committee, which will be elected at the student council meeting to be held Wednesday, Dec. 9, will consist of three junior men and three junior women from the student council and five other junior students.

To be eligible to serve on the committee, a student must have earned not less than 52 nor more than 89 credit hours in college, and must possess athletic eligibility, requiring 27 credit hours earned the previous year, 12 the previous semester, and 12 hours in good standing at the time the application is made.

### STEINER TO TALK ON IMMIGRATION AT CONVOCATION

Immigrant Who 'Made Good' Speaks Thursday About Aliens' Problems.

One of the country's interesting personalities, Dr. Edward A. Steiner, the immigrant boy who "made good" in the United States will be guest of the university and principal speaker at the December convocation Thursday morning at eleven in the Temple. Dr. Steiner's real struggles began 50 years ago when he came from Germany to work his way up from the mills and mines of the country.

Mr. Steiner will discuss the subject "The Chronicles of Chronic Immigration." He has spent considerable time studying the subject and has gathered first hand information on the fight of foreign peoples to gain a foothold in the United States.

At the present time Dr. Steiner is professor of applied Christianity at Grinnell college, having occupied this position for almost 35 years. His personality and his sincere efforts to succeed in life (Continued on Page 3.)

### ARCHITECT'S ROUND-UP SCHEDULED FOR DEC. 8

Students Set Inter-Holiday Celebration for 4 P. M. Tuesday Afternoon.

With the committee in charge guaranteeing "entertainment, eats, and surprises—all free," the Architectural Inter-Holiday Round-Up will be held Tuesday afternoon from 4:00 to 5:30 o'clock in room 24 of the Temple which has become an annual affair, is open to all architects, architectural engineers, and freshmen students in the architectural department.

Scheduled annually for a date midway between the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays, the Inter-Holiday Round-Up is sponsored by the Architectural Society. The meeting will begin promptly at 4:00 o'clock and continue until 5:30. All students attending are especially urged to report first to room 24.

Commenting on the party, Paul W. Rader, president of the society, said, "This is no tea, and is guaranteed to be absolutely painless. Come any time between 4:00 and 5:30 o'clock."

Other officers of the Architectural Society are Kenneth Clark, Lincoln, vice president; and Howard Murphy, Lebanon, secretary.

### Nebraska's Honorary Colonel in Full Dress



—From Lincoln Journal.  
MISS MARY YODER.

### FERGUSON TO RELATE INCIDENTS OF POWER CONFERENCE MONDAY

Address Before Sigma Xi To Include Account of World Progress.

Dean O. J. Ferguson of the engineering college will speak on "The Third World Power Conference" at the meeting of Sigma Xi, scientific honorary fraternity, in Morrill hall auditorium, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The speaker will compare the methods employed in the United States for developing power with those in foreign countries. He will also discuss the first and second world power conferences held at London in 1924 and Berlin in 1930.

Dean Ferguson attended the third conference held last September in Washington and will speak on the happenings of the meeting. Commenting on the power possibilities of the world, Dean Ferguson emphasized that all the countries of the world are attempting to get more accurate estimates of their power possibilities such as water, coal and other reserves.

"It is quite evident," stated the (Continued on Page 2.)

### MARY YODER MAKES DEBUT AS UNI HONORARY COLONEL OF '36

Appearing in the doorway of a scarlet and cream Nebraska R. O. T. C. emblem, Miss Mary Yoder, Lincoln and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta was presented as the R. O. T. C. Honorary Colonel for 1936 at the 28th annual Military Ball held at the coliseum Friday evening. Preceded by tributes from the various R. O. T. C. cadet corps, Pershing rifles, and company sponsors, Miss Yoder was revealed before a crowd of 6,000 dancers and spectators.

Garbed in the traditional full dress uniform worn by the university's Honorary Colonels, Miss Yoder appeared in a white suit trimmed with red piping and gold buttons. A three-quarter width red stripe trimmed the sides of the breeches and her white cap, which reached to the knee, was lined with red satin. She wore as accessories

### BAPTIST GROUPS HEAR COCHRAN, PANDERUNG

Native of India, Professor Of History, to Lecture For Youth Groups.

Prof. Roy E. Cochran of the university history department and Rao V. Panderung of India will address university groups at the first Baptist church Sunday. Speaking on the topic "The Dignity and Worth of the Christian Religion," at 9:45 Sunday morning, Prof. Cochran begins the first of a series of six talks that he will present on succeeding Sundays.

Rao V. Panderung will address the Roger Williams club, following their six o'clock social hour, on the problems of India, his native land. John Gaeth heads the commission group in charge of the meeting.

### PLAYERS PRESENT 'RIP VAN WINKLE,' OPENING MONDAY

Hart Jenks Has Leading Part In Pre-Revolutionary Play by Irving.

Against a story book setting the University Players will present their third production of the season, "Rip van Winkle," opening Monday night with Hart Jenks in the leading role. The Washington Irving play will be costumed according to the pre-revolutionary period, with all its accompaniment of buckle shoes, waistcoats, and knee breeches.

The result of many special requests from patrons of the university, the play was included on the players' 1936 program among the more modern Broadway hits. "Rip van Winkle" has never before been produced by the university group.

**Miss Carpenter in Cast.**

Opposite Mr. Jenks, who takes the part of Rip, Margaret Carpenter will portray Rip's sharp tongued wife. Other members of the cast will be Waldemar Mueller, as Derrick von Beekman; W. Frederic Plette, Nick Vedder; Virginia Amos, Meenie van Winkle as a young woman; Joan Gellatly, Meenie van Winkle as a child; Donald Boehm, Hendrick Vedder; Jack Zumwinkle, Hendrick Vedder as a child; Velma Bernholtz, Kachen; Paul Bogen, Cockles, and Max Gould, Jacob Stein.

Delford Brummer will play the role of Seth; Maurice Reynolds, First Villager; and Max Gould, Second Villager. Gnomes will be portrayed by Betty Widener, Nona Jane Moore, Ghita Hill, George Blackstone, and Julia Viele.

Villagers will be Jean Gist, (Continued on Page 2.)

### WORK STARTS ON OBLONG BUILDING WITHIN 36 DAYS

Regents to Raise Activities Fee from One to Three Dollars a Semester.

The new university student union activities building will be constructed at 14th and R sts. the university regents decided Saturday morning. The \$400,000 structure, made possible thru a PWA grant of \$180,000, will face south on the northeast corner of the intersection. Under terms of the grant, work must be started on the project by Jan. 11.

It was also decided to charge \$3 a semester student activities fee for all Lincoln students effective next fall in place of the \$1 fee now being charged. This fee was originally approved by the students at the time they voted to pay for the building thru assessments.

The new building will be rectangular. It will have a frontage of 192 feet and extend back 99 feet. It will be set back from R street about the same as Ellen Smith hall. The site itself will be 150 by 260 feet.

The decision to locate this building at 14th and R streets came after a consideration of the other proposed sites. It was felt that a location near 12th and T streets where the tennis courts are now located was best suited to a much needed classroom building to house academic departments. The site (Continued on Page 7.)

### COOPERATIVE HOUSE NAMED BOUTON HALL AT REGENT MEETING

Freshman Residence Given Appellation in Honor Of Ec Teacher.

Culminating efforts on the part of students residing in the freshman cooperative home at 429 No. 16th to secure a name for their residence, the board of regents announced Saturday that the name Bouton hall had been given to the house.

The residence has been named in honor of Miss Rosa Bouton, who was the first teacher of home economics in the university. Miss Bouton received two degrees from the university and joined the faculty in 1893 as a teacher in chemistry, giving a course in the chemistry of foods.

She developed the work in home economics and was director of the school of domestic science established in 1898 with a small laboratory in the Mechanic Arts building. This school continued until 1906 when the course was included in the industrial and agricultural college.

She was active in planning and designing the present home economics building on the college of agriculture which was built in 1908, the same year she was made professor of domestic science. Miss Bouton resigned in 1912 and now resides in Pomona, Calif.

### Musical Sorority to Give Tea in Ellen Smith Today

Delta Omicron, honorary musical sorority, will hold a musical tea in Ellen Smith hall this afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 o'clock. The program will feature a piano solo by Miss Virginia Johnson, a violin solo by Miss Jane Welch, and voice solos by Misses Mary Elizabeth Keinholtz and Alice Redwood.

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