# The Daily Nebraskan

## Condolences to the Casting Director

The Nebraskan wishes to extend its heartfelt condolences to the easting director of "First Ludy." this season's initial effort of the University Players. Because the Daily has a limited emotional capacity, however, we must limit our regrets in the Players' behalf to but one of the many misfortunes they have suf-

Because we must curtail our feeling in the Players' direction to avoid a mawkish outburst of sentiment, we cannot tender sympathy for your trials in finding a prompter with sufficient stamina to last out in good form for a whole play, nor do we cover the acting in our condolence note because ours is incompetent judgment in such matters.

We reserve all of our consideration for the casting director. This individual's task must be Herculean. The dearth of student talent that necessitated the use of six persons not in university proper in the six best parts in your first vehicle is a situation that enlists our deepest concern for your wel-

We feel that we can appreciate your consternation, Beleaguered Cast Chooser, at being forced to present this list of characters as actors in an organization that should maintain at least a semblance of student personnel; Leads: Miss Alice Howell, head of

speech department; Theodore Diers, N. U. radio director. Secondary leads: Margaret Straub, not

NEWS

PARADE

Marjorie Churchill

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for a case upon which they can pin

the question of his eligibility.

calls 'Ancient Mariner'

the group.

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create complications when it be-

"Order of the Gonles."

Shuler and I among them, sailed on

the Inside Passage along the coast

of western Canada and southern

Alaska. The country is beautiful.

the research ship

France, Britain

Backing Down

country. Special mention goes to the unusual modifications displayed by Bob Shuler-an exag-THE MODERNIE gerated growth of side-burns extending to meet a beard and forming a continuous hairy growth from ear to ear, all in all a rather complicated affair.

Dine on Whalemeat. High spot of the trip to Alaska was a visit to one of the two Women's Advisor Outlines whaling stations on the west coast. at Graham island in Naden harbor. British Columbia. Three whales brought in the evening before had already been chopped up and the party got in on "little but the chopped pieces and the smell."

The long-standing reputation of 17 6 LITS IN being the biggest eater on the island had been conceded to Dr. Wade by virtue of years of prodigious consumption. But the summer brought a close runner-up in France's and Great Britain's Fred Webster, in whom Dr. Wade threat to open the Franco-Spanish frontier fails to bring the demanded removal of Italian troops. Italy sends defiance, calls upon by the two island champions may have been for purposes of scientific two nations to show their study, but it is significant that, hands. Last resort measures by if any of the year's growth of Britain and France give Italy a cherries entered the draw troops, British caution will they were never seen again. Disappearance of Dr. Wade for halfprobably be sufficient to keep days at a time aroused no alarm. France from undertaking any for, true to form, he would return drastic measures until every other invariably with two or three buckets of clams, and a clam feed on Meanwhile, Belgium and Germany enter into a treaty of 'amity

the beach would ensue. Sea Cucumbers Repel. Wierd and not always delectable

ical shuffle of international alliances, the nation which suffered types of sea food were a part of more destruction at the hands of each day's bill of fare. invading German forces than any and lobsters boiled in sea water other country is now, 20 years on the beach, cod sh, flounder, later, making treaties of friendship and fried pectin were consumed with that country. The same shufin large numbers. But just a little fle finds Italy and its former allies, hard to take were the sea cucum-France and Great Britain, eyeing mers-"slimy, slick, red creatures each other antagonistically, while like gigantic worms or caterpil Germany and Italy, erstwhile arch | lars"-which crawled about on the have tentatively buried bottom of the sound and exhibited the hatchet and show the begin- the consistency of rubber when eaten. One particular lobster feed will probably always be remembered. On this occasion the group saw the most spectacular view of the northern lights which they had Justice Black sits tight, and efever seen, "A light appeared on forts of his opponents to oust him prove to no avail. But in the dethe horizon, grew larger, ar " swung up into the sky in a gi- Mechanics of Sentence cision of the supreme court Mongantic semi-circle. The region all day those opposing the appointabout was as light as day.

ment find a probable way of chal-Fishing in the Pacific waters is lenging his right to sit on the the tide came in, students might be found wading in water up to the press. their waists, seining for the fist. Says M speckled flounder. Dog-fish sharks. in charge of English instruction which swarm around salmon canneries, were caught by hook and line, as many as 75 being brought senators seems a forlorn hope, and in during an evening by one boat. opponents of Black will be looking Large fishing fleets might be seining for salmon, but "English 'trolling"- letting a salmon plug Vast Pacific Thrills Visiting pound catch to the Nebraska Huskers as Tangy Air Re- fishermen.

Poses With Governor. To Rosalie Bruer goes the queshere of the party were from the tionable renown of having had her zoology department. Mrs. Wade picture taken with the governor and Mrs. Fichter also accompanied of Washington state. The governor's request for the picture came Harpooning for porpoise, which after the enactment of an unusual are in reality small whales, occu- scene. Clad in shorts as were most pied much of the time of Dr. of the girls at the station, Rosalic Wade and other members of the was standing near one of the About 100 feet of rope at- cabins discussing with Ashton tached to the harpoon allows the Cuckler the expected arrival of the porpoise to tire itself but may governor at the station and wear waxing vociferous on the subject. comes entangled in the ship's pro- "Well, if he's as low and crooked peller, as several of the group a politician as most of the gov-discovered on an extended ocean ernors I know of—" Whereupon a stranger suddenly rounded the corner, stood before them, and Scenery comparable to the fjord dropped the proverbial bomb-shell "Good afternoon. I am the official regions of Norway is described by Ashton Cuckler in relating the governor of the state of Washing-story of a trip north into Alaskan ton."

the Catalyst, the party of 14 with JUNIORS, SENIORS URGED TO SECURE ANNUAL PICTURES

(Continued from Page 1.) with trees coming down to the better this year than ever before valley is expected to point the way edge of the water." Once out at because of the use of a new and to a more efficient method of sen, the 75 foot boat was toxeed darker background which gives rejentlessly by the waves, and from depth to the picture and makes the time to time the call would come features stand out," Clayton promthat a gony had been sighted, that ised. "Pictures" were someone had "hit the rail," Gon-rather flat in appearance. The new les, it was explained, are a kind of background climinates this diffialbatros which follows boats (as culty and permits highlighting."

did the albatros of the Ancient More pictures and fewer write-Mariner's tale) and feeds upon con- ups is the vogue this year. This recordings of a large group of tributions offered by sea sick pas- year's Cornhusker staff has a sengers. First attack of sessick- greater concentration of photoness entitles one to membership in graphic talent and equipment than smaller group of more strategi-the "Ancient and Honorable Or- any other in the history of the cally located wells will be ob-

in school; Hart Jenks, unclassifiable; niece to First Lady, Helen Lawrence Ames, not in school; best comedy part, Portia Boynton, not in school. Supporting cast, 19 students.

We would not have you believe that we are so ignorant as to think that cajoling and high pressuring these competent actors to take the principal parts in your production has been your only master stroke. To make clear your commendable accomplishment, Casting Director and other Managing Moguls, we point out that even the new famed and popular Biff Jones could not enlist support for his teams and his ticket campaign if he had your prob-

The football team would lose prestige, if for lack of material or in order to produce a good outfit, Jones had to play the quarterback position himself, use All American Link Lyman and Ed Wier in the line, fill in with Coaches Petz and Lewandowski, and round out his team with a star of the past who had served out his allotted time in professional circles and could not find a job.

The Players seem to be in a sorrowful plight. But the Nebraskan besitates to suggest that they eash in the credit chips they have gleaned from protecting Big House, the university. Stock company competition is pretty rugged. The Tassels put on a cheap but successful sales campaign. The Temple is inadequate, but free. The Nebraskan runs a lot of publicity. The university pays certain tion told them to, and that they

We would save the Players from stock company fate. We would be glad to exert our the fraternity involved. feeble persuasion on some of those 19 minor characters that have bits in "First Lady" to get them to accept more important roles in the next play. Perhaps their places could be filled in the supporting east from the crowded classes in the speech department.

# DEAN HEPPNER SPEAKS ON PERSONAL CHARM AT ALL-COED MEETING

Qualities of Gracious Personalities.

"Emotional development, the determining factor of personality, is being neglected today by college girls," said Dean Amanda Heppner last night to the large group of coeds who were attending the first session of Charm School in Ellen found a definite threat to the Smith hall Miss Heppner went on prestige of his position. Leasing to say that young women today a faction so that we may have of a cherry tree at Friday harbor are sacrificing heart and soul and some hope of pushing one of our sensitivity to beauty for their mental and physical development,

In her talk on "How to Develop Gracious Personality" the Dean of Women said that four kinds of levelopment of one's self were necessary to make a woman successful in living with others; mental. volitional, physical and emotional development. She emphasized the necessity of observing conventions since breaking of social amenities campus, indicates stubbornness or egotism. Anonym

Humor Necessary. Other prerequisites for a graious personality according to Miss

Heppner are a sense of humor, a strong backbone, a spirit of humility, pleasing appearance and manners, and articulate, correct, adequate use of the English language

Miss Virginia Griswold, leader of Charm School, announced that the next meeting of Charm School will be Tuesday evening, Oct. 26 at Hovland's when a revue of winter styles will be presented.

## HUPP WRITES ENGLISH TEXT

Written as Grammar For Subfreshmen.

chanics of the Sentence" just off

Says Miss Hupp, who has been for those students not able to take the regular first year course: "This years' continuous experience in

teaching classes in subfreshman

During the past four years it has drag behind the boat-brought a been used in mimeograph form by teachers in the department, and in view of the fact that texts in the mechanics of the English sentence written on the level of the bewil dered subfreshman are almost non-existent, the author offers this book, confident that it will at least partially solve the textbook problem with which she has been struggling for so many years."

> Condra Glows With Report of Crop Yield in Panhandle (Continued from Page 1.)

and survey division and representatives of the U. S. geological survey. Particular emphasis has been given the study of the quantity. quality, and direction of the move ment of ground water in the county, with a special study of the amount of water that is replaced by means of irrigation and by underground flow. State Geologist Condra, after reviewing the findings at Scottsbluff, believes that in some parts of this area pump irrigation can be extended.

Ground Water Depth. This study of the North Platte using the state's water resources. In line with this program, Condra announced a new schedule for the testing of depth of ground water from some 500 wells located in every county in the state. Instead of testing each well every few weeks, Condra's men will take wells just twice a year, at their high and low maximums, while a return from a trip to the north ups will be terse and to the point, ground water recordings,

# Inquiring Reporter



politics have been cleaned up so thoroly

But some things make you wonder about the degree of whiteness which they have attained. Today, we went to the polls to exercise our duty as a citizen of this university, and we spent about an hour and a half talking to students and watching them vote. When we asked them why they voted as they did, several things came to our attention.

We realize it's just a coincidence, but all those who preferred to remain secure in their anonymity, told us that they voted as the facdidn't dare to use their names with any such statement because the faction might vent their anger on

On the other hand, all those whose names could be used, handed out lofty phrases about the personal qualifications which fit a man for an office. We're not trying to insinuate

that politics are still a deep shade of tattle-tale gray-you read this mess and draw your own conclu-We asked them - "Why did you

vote the way you did?"
Jerry Milder, Bizad Junior:

"My vote for the junior president was cast for the fellow whom I thought was a real leader, and a capable man for the office, I voted for the honorary colonel whom I hought had been kept out of some have had, gave my sweetheart ballot to the girl who did the best job of campaigning that can be done the use of an ever present smile and greeting." Anonymous, Bizad Junior:

Tve been helping fellows out to vote all afternoon, and you spring a dumb question like that! Haven't you ever been told that politics on this campus are a matter of factions? We vote as the faction votes, or are left out in the cold.

Of course this will be anonymous do you think I want the faction to think our club is backing out on them? We string along with men into an office one of these

Jean Richardson, Bizad Freshman: "I voted for the slate of the party that has for the past six campus—the progressive faction. Voting with a faction helps the individual fraternity to place their men, and maintains a semblance of political responsibility on the Anonymous,

Junior:

"I make use of both ways-that vote for a man both on a basis of his political faction and his personal qualifications, However, in all cases that I have ever seen, the man qualified for the office was the man endorsed by faction Bill Mowbray, Sophomore:

whom I voted were the choice ones. on the campus, and the ones really fitted for the tobs.

Anonymous, Bizad Sophomore: the name of my faction, Our political faction is always rightmight not always place our man. but we know that we have the only ones qualified for the job. Thurston Phelps, Law College

Freshman: described as done in every con-ceivable fashion. Shortly before English has a new book "The Me- of personal acquaintance and of knowledge of the capabilities of the individual

Anonymous, Arts and Sciences Freshman: "I don't do any thinking-the boys at the house do it for me. publication is the product of ten And above them are the men who control the faction. I don't see how I'm ever going to get any place."

Bill Kovanda, Bizad Junior: "I vote paying no attention to the party affiliations of the candidate, for the fellows with whose qualifications I am familiar. Anonymous, Arts and Sciences Senior:

"I voted the way the faction wanted me to. As long as a fraternity belongs to a certain faction, and expects to be pulled upward by that faction, it's up to the individual members in that house to support the faction. It's a sort of a mutual betterment arrangement

As for the women, I voted as I deased

Dean Pohlenz, Arts and Sciences Freshman "I vote for the fellow, whom I

feel is qualified for the office. After all, an election is not supposed to be popularity contest. Anonymous, Arts and Sciences Freshman:

I guessed. I didn't know any of the girls, so I voted for the one who looked the nicest in her pic-

### WRITES BOOK PETERSON

Author Presents Colorful Frontier Writer.

"Joaquin Miller, Literary Frontiersman" is the title of a new book by Martin S. Peterson of the English faculty. The publication has been published by the Stanford University Press.

It is a narrative of one of the country's most colorful frontier personalities, an early American writer whose style and rough and ready characteristics furnish a most interesting story. Mr. Peterder of the Gony."

Beards — curly ones, straight senting an investment of nearly tested every week, others every true light and at the same time ones, red, blonde, and black ones— \$700 will provide unusual special month. O. J. Scherer is now in gives the reader a critical appraisal of his contribution and state. son portrays Joaquin Miner in his true light and at the same time tus as an American poet.

# Scientific Front

Today, in every country on earth, development, rather than discovery, has become the byword in scientific endeavor. No longer are fundamental concepts altered from day to day. even overthrown, by the shock of one momen-It's nice to know that campus tous discovery after another. From those hectic decades when theories and inventions, the electric light, the gasoline engine, radio, X-ray, radioactivity, appeared in bewildering succession, the order of the day has changed. We live today in an era of intensive development, of exhaustive research, of groping, fumbling attempts to make the most of those endowments which ignorance and greed have too often violated.

As surely as the scientist realizes his responsibility and his obligation, the necessity for his dedication to the service of the race, so does he turn again to the earth as the source of all material benefits. Pseudo-scientific conjecture has pictured the brilliant intellect of the future as dispensing with all the tedious processes of nature, to substitute his own highly efficient methods, but the practical man, with his practical problem, recognizes the sun and the earth as the master synthesizers and chooses co-operation as the more discrect course. And his research makes the news.

Europe and Asia, world centers of congested population, now bend their efforts to intensify production of food and raw materials, as well as toward territorial expansion. Russian technicians, after five years of experiment, this week announce the successful consummation of their search for a perennial food plant, one which will not require yearly seeding. They have hybridized winter wheat with Siberian quack grass, retaining the food value of the wheat and some of the enduring qualities of the weed. So tenacions is the plant that other offices which she should its roots will send up food bearing stems, even if the parent plant is destroyed. Three crops of the new grain have been produced, and it bids fair to replace the ordinary varieties of winter wheat if it can be successfully adapted to production basis methods.

Similarly, in England, experts in plant culture are developing a method for scaling seeds in rubber, to avoid various blights and to insure larger crop yields. Before planting, seeds are impregnated with fertilizers and fungicides, to seeme quick germination and freedom from parasites. Bacteria which makes atmospheric nitrogen useful in the plant's growth are added, and the rubber continu porous to allow the passage of moisture, is applied. Plants from the coated seeds are thrifty and produce yields materially larger than those from untreated seeds.

Italy, never lax where the possibility of colonial expansion is concerned, has under taken the large scale development of a new textile industry. A plant called "ramie " hav ng fibers longer than those of cotton, stronger than those of flax, has been cultivated for centuries by Asiatic tribes, but it has never at tained to commercial importance because of difficulties in freeing its fibers from the stems in which they grow. A new process discovered by Florentine experimenters uses a shredding machine to loosen the strands, then exposes them to the action of certain micro-organisms which free them from the pithy stalks. In addition to its qualities of strength and durabil ity, ramie has luster and beauty comparable to that of silk, so it is expected to compete with established fabrics when it is manufactured in quantity.

Reclamation, too, is playing a part in the application of scientific principles to human progress. At Columbia university, the fibrous material remaining after the extraction of sugar cane juice is being tested as wallboard filler. Compressed into panels four by twelve feet and one inch thick, the pithy residue is sprayed with asphalt on one side, to prevent penetration of moisture, and with aluminum on the other, to reflect heat. This material has proven to be 28 percent stronger than the sheathing commonly used in frame houses, and has been accepted as a building material by the building department of New York City,

Reclamation also goes on in the swamp lands of the south, where fertile land is being created by the accumulation of silt and clay, The cultivation of mangrove bushes is the secret of this particular success. The bushes, which have grown wild along the Florida coast, are now planted in strategic positions where the land building process is considered desirable. The extensive root systems hold the soil together and, upon decaying, form a peat which aids still further in the valuable work.

"Mining" tree trunks in a New Jersey swamp is an industry that is affording a live lihood for several families. Here, thousands of white cedar trees have lain buried in the primordial coze for as long as 500 years. When hauled from the marshes, the trees retain intact their bark and their characteristic woody aroma. Shingles made from the trees are declared indestructible by the action of the

# Highlights On the air

BY ELWOOD RANDOL.

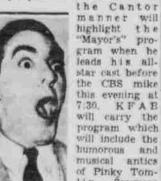
Dale Carnegie, famous for his How to Win Friends and Influyears furnished the leaders on this ence People," will be the guest of Dave Elman's Hobby Lobby program which is heard every nesday over KFAB at 9:30.

May Robson, first lady of screen Smith hall at 7 p. m. and stage, appears on the air five Miss Heppner is a traditional days a week in a daytime show first meeting speaker of the entitled Lady of Millions heard school-since its organization under on WOW Monday thru Friday at coed counselor sponsorship and 4:15. The story of a delightful but her talks have always been of utsomewhat crotchety old lady who most interest to the coeds of the leaves her palatial home to run a campus, especially to the freshcircus, was written especially for man girls. Miss Robson and will give her full

May Robson. opportunity to show her talent for both comedy and drama. She will attend the meeting to hear Miss "I felt that the candidates for be supported by a cast of Holly- Heppner's talk

wood players, Kay Kyser, will return to Chicago's Blackhawk tonight and will be heard on the Mutual network "I will vote for anyone whose several times during this week. name on the ballot is followed by His initial program will be aired over KFOR at 8:15.

Quips, jests and wise-cracks in the Cantor



chestra at 8 over KFAB.

Saymore, Deanna Durbin, Jacques Renard and his bandsmen. Nino Martini will be the guest soloist in the program presented by Andre Kostelanetz and his or-

leads his allthe CBS mike this evening at KFAB will carry the program which will include the humorous and of Pinky Tom-

## DEAN HEPPNER TO SPEAK AT CHARM SCHOOL TONIGHT

Dean of Women to Address Group on 'Charm and Personality.

"Char and Personality" will be the topic upon which Dean Amanda Heppner will speak this eve-ning at charm school, coed counselor group which meets on alternate Tuesday evenings in Ellen

Virginia Griswold and Virginia Fleetwood, heads of the charm group, urge that all freshman women as well as upperclassmen

Might try these:

KEAR S. 10.—Tony Wons', CBS.

10:00—Magniths of the Air, CBS.

11:00—Near Birn a Woman's Lives.

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1:00—Near Birn a Woman's Lives.

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1:00—Reduc Cautor, CBS.

2:00—Addr. Kostelanetz, CBS.

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11:00—Regur Pryon, CBS.

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Columbia-Mutuat.

9:15—Jack Wells.
10:20—Lee Freudberg, MSS.
11:20—Bill Lewis, organ, MRS.
1:25—Milton Charles, organ, CBS.
1:20—Red Hot & Low Down, rem
2:20—Red Columbia-Mutual

NBC-Bed. NBC-Red.

5:45—Today's children, N.

17:45—Foster May, Man on O

3:36—Mary Marin, N.

5:15—Carol Bels, sup., N.

7:39—One Man's family, N.

7:39—Wayne King, N.

8:00—Toon Hall Tought, N.

9:06—Hit Parads, N.

11:39—Lights Out, N.

#### Tassels to Make Plans for Trek to Missouri

Thursday Night in Sosh Plans for Tassels football trip to missouri will be made at a special meeting of that organization Thursday evening at 5:45 in Social Science 105, Although plans are only tentative, over 20 Tasare only tentative, over 20 Tas-sels have signified their intention of attending the out-of-town game.



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