Don't let the clear skies fool you today for the weatherman predicts that the cold snap of last night will continue through the day.

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Hosp handles new Mortar **Board loans**

Project to make small short-time loans to women students

Mortar Board this week transferred administration and supervision of their service loan project which makes small, short-time loans to women students, to the office of the dean of women.

Loans, formerly available to all students, were restricted to women by the reorganization plans because the money was raised by coed organizations. Mortar Board started the fund last year with a contribution of \$100 as part of its three-point program of service, scholarship and leadership. Administration of the loans was changed from the office of the dean of student affairs to the office of the dean of women because the latter is the center of women's activities and serves to promote projects of women's welfare.

Loans will be short time and for immediate assistance. The amounts to be loaned vary from approximately two to 20 dollars, and may be used to supplement fees, buy Tassel uniforms, buy books, or for any such need.

Applications for assistance are to be made in person to Dean Hosp, with a statement of the purpose for which the money will be used. A Mortar Board committee will supervise administration of the

No interest will be charged on the loans during the period agreed upon in the individual conference with the dean.

35 students attend meet

Thirty-five student leaders of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. from the university will attend the annual tri-school conference of these organizations at Marysville, Kas., on Saturday and Sunday. this meeting brings together the leaders of the Kansas State, Kansas university and University of Nebraska youth organizations.

The meeting will be spent in exchanging ideas and plans of programs from the different schools. Group meetings will be held on the various phases of the work. This annual meeting has been invaluable in planning the programs for the city and agricul-(See 'Y' MEET on page 4.)

700 see second German movie 'Der Maulkorb'

More than 600 students and 100 adults saw the German movie, "Der Maulkorb," which was presented yesterday in the Student Union ballroom.

The movie, a fast-moving comedy, won favorable comment from those who witnessed it. The language spoken in the show was termed by one professor to be 'good German' from a grammat- for Universal Pictures, ical viewpoint.

"Der Maulkorb" was the second German movie to be given this year by the romance language department. German professors agreed that the film accomplished the purpose for which it was shown-to stimulate interest in the German language. Another movie, still to be selected, will be presented in May.

DuTeau goes Charter Day

Alum secretary plans three speeches before distant grad groups

Leaving Sunday night, Elsworth DuTeau, secretary of the Nebraska Alumni association, will make addresses at several important alumni Charter Day dinners. His first stop will be at Milwaukee on Feb. 12. DuTeau will also show movies of the Nebraska-Oklahoma football game. His second stop will be Chicago where pictures of the Minnesota-Nebraska game will be shown. On February 19, DuTeau will be found at the Charter Day dinner in Denver.

Other Nebraska alumni are to be guest speakers in various cities throughout the United States. Going the greatest distance will be Dr. G. E. Condra, dean of the Surwho will go to Washington, D. C. Dr. A. E. Alexis, professor of German languages, will be guest at Columbus, Neb., and Alice H. Howell of the speech department will go to Exeter to address the Philmore County Alumni club. Dinners will be held in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Salt Lake, Detroit, Portland, Lexington, Philadelphia, Rochester, New York, and Connecticut.

Cowboy, leader, composer; Tomlin's each and all of 'em lectures at

A big time cowboy, that's Pinky

Popular composer of the song hit, "The Object of My Affections' brings his band to the campus Feb. 17 for the Interfraternity Ball.

Playing six nights weekly for fifteen consecutive weeks at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles, and conducting music for its floor shows, Pinky and his orchestra have just finished a musical short

Into this busy schedule he has sandwiched recordings for Brunswick and Decca. Some of these records are "Object of My Affections," "I'm Just a Country Boy at Heart," "Ragtime Cowboy Joe,"
"Lost and Found," and "My First
Impression of You."

Big mystery.

The repetition of the question 'How do you write your songs?' in his fan mail, has convinced Pinky, that "how he works" is of universal interest and here is the

His inspiration for a song may come from a familiar expression or a line of poetry which can be developed into a musical idea. The idea is worked over again and again until it evolves into a musical story. Then with his guitar, he develops the music which combines the lyrics and melody. Because of the simplicity of words and melody, it has appeal. The fancy of the public is caught and another song joins the Tomlin list of hits.

Rythm and melody. Pinky has founded his orchestra (See TOMLIN on page 2.)

Furbay sees human side of Liberians

Convo speaker brings dances in technicolor; native African music

Dr. J. H. Furbay of Liberia, who is scheduled to speak at 4 p. m. Tuesday in the Union ballroom will bring with him detailed moving pictures of the native life in Liberia. Furbay has photographed the native dances in technicolor.

He brings with him records of the native music to accompany the movies of the dances. Scenes of activities carried on at the mission stations of the Methodist, Lutheran and Episcopal churches of Liberia are included in the movies.

Furbay, who has been on an extended ,lecture tour, has many angles on the "human side of the Liberians." For example, the most popular entertainers in Liberia are Amos and Andy, who are so wellliked that the president's own radio carries it out into the street to many assembled Negro Liberians. Most of them have never seen a taxi driver but sympathize with the troubles of Amos and Andy.

Furbay claims that his motion pictures are the first and only complete set ever made of Liberian

Union presents opera broadcast

Puccini's famous opera, "La Boheme" will be presented in a radio broadcast in Parlor X of the Union Saturday at 1 p. m. A romantic story of Parisian artists, the opera stars Bidu Sayao and Annamary Dickey, sopranos, the leading feminine roles. mand Tokatyan, tenor, and Guiseppe de Luca, baritone, have leading male roles,

Henri Murger's novel, "Life of the Bohemians" formed the basis of the opera which Giacomo Puccini composed. Gennaro Papi conducts the program which goes over all three major networks.



PINKY TOMLIN.

Coed Follies skit entries due at 5 today

Names of best dressed candidates should be included with the skits

Rough drafts of the skits for the be submitted today to Mrs. Ada Westover's office along with the name of skit directors, Mary Steuteville stressed yesterday. The Coed Follies will be presented charge of arrangements. March 24.

Each house that intends to enter a skit must give the name of their City aunches candidate for the best-dressed girl and the name of two girls for models in the style show. A pic-ture and the class schedule of each best-dressed nominee is to be included.

A judging committee of the AWS board will look at the pictures to learn who the candidates for the best-dressed title are. The calling for the opening of 15th girls will then be observed for the street from O to R and the buildnext two months while they go about the campus.

Skits for the Follies will be length skits and four curtain acts street. are to be chosen. Even tho a house hands in a draft, they should continue to practice, the board ad-

Arnold Nash University

Anglican clergyman leads seminar, Union, Monday to Wednesday

Father Arnold Nash, young Anglican clergyman in America on a lecture tour, arrives this morning to spend five days at the University in speaking to classes and church groups under the sponsorship of the Religious Welfare

Nash, distinguished as a "thoroughly open-minded liberal" on such topics as "The British Labor Party and the War in Europe" and "The University and Its Place in the Social Order," will speak in several university classes, as well as lead a seminar every day, Monday through Wednesday, at 4 p. m. in the Union.

To speak for Youth Council.

First meeting with the Episcopalian and his sociologist wife will be Friday night at 6:30 at Vine Congregational church, when the Lincoln Youth council holds its first annual banquet. Other university students besides the official delegates of churches may attend by making reservation with R. A. Dawson of Vine Congrega-

Climax of the clergyman's stay will be his talk as guest of honor at the annual Interfaith banquet sponsored by Religious Welfare AWS sponsored Coed Follies must council as successor to the International Friendship banquet, to be held Wednesday night at 6:30 in Parlors XYZ of the Union. Reservations may be made through C. D. Hayes. C. A. Forbes is in

15th street opening plan

Initial launching of the specially authorized double-header program ing of a new city auditorium took place yesterday when councilmen met with directors and engineers to consider plans and other data judged Feb. 21 and 22. Five full concerning the opening of the

According to Mayor Copeland, a special committee of from five to seven members and representative of different sections of interest Chairman of the Follies is Jean will give the project advisory guidance.

Roaming reporter sees . .

Players workshop 'secrets'; collapsible waterfront sets

stage some remarkable property

This work is remarkable because of the ingenuity employed in producing the "props," and because the massive sets must be shifted ten times in eleven scenes. And the "dock" and "steam room" sets are not small things. Also, to be transported about between scenes, is a ten foot outboard motor boat.

Backstage workshop

Escorted onto and backstage and into the workshop of the theatre by Herbert Yenne of the speech and dramatic department and Delford F. Brummer, designer and technician, I began to visualize the work and problems of the property workers. Mr. Brummer directs all of the property work before and during the plays. Here, I learned a few of the "trade secrets" of the stage.

For the Players' next produc-

tion, "The Gentle People," "props" If a person wanders into the had to be made for scenes in a Temple Theatre during one of the motor boat, for dock scenes, for next few days, or if he attends a steam room in which a plot is the next production of the Univer- concocted, and for a living room sity Players, he will see on the with such disturbing decorations that it aided in driving the husband from home.

Ten foot motor boat

First they took me onto the stage and exhibited their ten foot motor boat. It looks like the real thing from a spectator's seat, even to the outboard motor. The boat even rocks-hidden under it are chair rockers and a slight motion of the pilot's body is all that is necessary to start the motion. The motor looks real enough but from where would the "putt-putt" come? It comes from a phonograph record. The sound made by a dilapidated electric fan was recorded and is played back whenever the boat must run. Without knowing this it would fool you

The dock is an enormous thing, seemingly, for a stage. I was sure it was made of heavy, rough lumber when I fast saw it. In reality

(See PLAYERS on page 3.)

What'ja mean . Who said it was a pipe?' Here's a buck, I'll take Chem by Elizabeth Clark.

if it did come at eight. As you wander into the classroom you see that, as you overslept five minutes, the professor has already begun to talk. Twenty grad students look up disgustedly as the prof wastes five mnutes looking up your name on the roll call, and you drop into the vacant seat in the front row, after assuring him that, yes, that's the way you spell your name but you don't pronounce it that way. Then the prof resumes his little introductory

There will be a term-paper on assigned topics due before the last week of the semester. Also there will be weekly reports on assigned reference material to be found in the library. One day a week we will devote to a class quiz, so I may more correctly judge your ability."

You look around. "This can't be the right class," you think. "He said it was a snap."

"Furthermore." continues the Chem. 19.

professor, "because of the intri-"It's a pipe," somebody told cate and detailed nature of the you, so you registered for it even material covered, class attendance is almost compulsory."

> With the preliminaries out of the way, you begin to wonder if it is possible that he will dismiss you. But you look around once more at the grad students avidly drinking in every word; you look back at the prof, and you know that you might just as well make yourself as comfortable and inconspicuous as possible.

> You settle yourself again, un-til the professor says, "And now, for the texts and assignments. Buy a syllabus at the book store on which you will find the names of four books, three of which I am the author. Your assignment for Wednesday will be the first three reference readings listed on the syllabus, and a short paper on the subject 'Why Was Plato a Great Man?'"

Completely bewildered, you depart for the registrar's office, determined to pay your dollar, and get into something simple like