



## BOWLERS

The Nebraska Union is forming a Monday night bowling league.  
**STARTING:** at 8:30 p.m.  
**COST:** \$1.75 for three sanctioned games.  
**SIGN UP:** at the Games Desk, Nebraska Union.

first come, first serve

## Film captures 'futuristic fantasy'

By Greg Lukow

The Sheldon Horror/Fantasy Series film this weekend is **Metropolis**, one of the most spectacular visions of futuristic fantasy in the history of film.

Perhaps the biggest movie project of the German silent screen, this 1926 film was directed by the cinema's master of the paranoic, nightmare fable, Fritz Lang (*Die Neibelungen*, *M. Rancho Notorious*). It is the story of a huge city in some future century where the ideal rich control the lives of the poor working class. These slaves plod through their exhausting daily routine in gigantic, cavernous, underground cities and factories.

In addition the film has a love story, some fascinating scenes of horror and science fiction, religious overtones, an underground flood, several scenes of near hypnotic eroticism and a fuzzy-

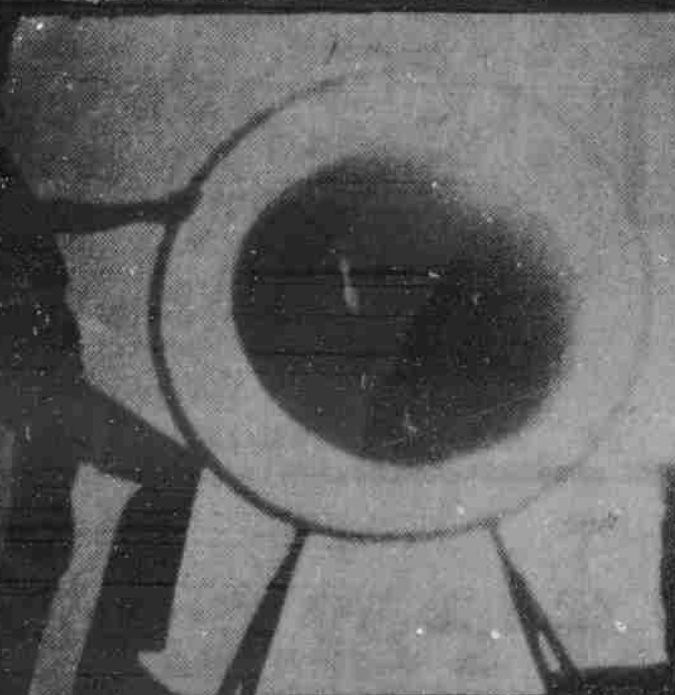
haired, mad scientist who creates a female robot.

Many elements of the film have dated badly over the years. Some of the overacting is comical and the story line, (written by Lang's wife) that ends with a hokey reconciliation between the laborers and their masters, has never been satisfactory.

But the rest of the movie has always been the imagination and technique used in bringing the massive, looming metropolis to the screen. Publicity at the time the picture was produced claimed that the film had over 35,000 extras in it and Lang's designing and handling of huge masses of people is almost architecture in itself.

Showings are at 3, 7 and 9 p.m. this Friday and Saturday at the Sheldon Art Gallery.

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Forced laborers slave over the huge machines in the underground caverns of Fritz Lang's "Metropolis", this weekend's Horror/Fantasy film at Sheldon.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL STEAK SPECIAL

# 129

- Served with:
- Choice of Potato
- Hot Texas Toast
- Tossed Green Salad
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