

DULUTH--Les Elgart and his orchestra, voted the number one dance band by the National Ballroom Association Poll, will kick off UMD Homecoming week at a dance October 9 at the UMD Physical Education building.

The UMD Homecoming queen will be crowned during the dance which is sponsored by the Arnold Air Society and the Air Force ROTC Corps of Cadets, campus organizations.

Elgart will join the list of other outstanding bands which have visited the UMD campus . . . Duke Ellington, Ralph Marterie, Ralph Flannagan and Jimmy Dorsey.

Elgart, known as the "trumpet player's trumpet player", was featured in several top flight bands such as Harry James and Charlie Spivak before organizing his own group in 1947.

Tickets for the dance (9 p.m. - 1 a.m., Oct. 9) will be sold by UMD ROTC cadets, at the ROTC detachment office on campus or at the door. Tickets are \$1.25(single) or \$2.00 per couple.