Husker Horizons

State Of Greatness

Tom Rische

not doing so well.

Part of the controversy boils down to the definition of two terms:

1. What is a great man? People disagree violently as to which of Nebraska's sons and daughters are great. There are both staunch followers and bitter enemies of some of the state's more prominent citizens. Some of the people I consider great may be considered worthless by others and vice versa. For instance, although the Lincoln Journal received the Pulitzer Prize in connection with its sponsorship of Nebraska's 1948 All-Star primary, Nebraska's legislators thought so little of the All-Star primary, that they repealed the provisions under which the election operated. Greatness can be largely a matter of opinion. History may determine greatness in the long run, but concerning events of today, there is considerable debate.

2. What is a Nebraskan? At what point does a person become or cease to become a Nebraskan? When a person leaves the state to live in another state, does he cease to become a Nebraskan? Or when he comes to the state, does he immediately become a Nebraskan for as long as he lives here? I noted with interest that the Daily Kansan ran an article about Sen. Fred Seaton's appointment under the headline "Another Kansan Steps Upward." They seem to consider Seaton a Kansan even though he is now representing Nebraska in the senate. Normally, I think of a person as a Nebraskan who lives in the state.

alumna, in 1938. She referred to a survey made states which had produced the most notables dur- it would be different," she said. ing the 1920's. He had sought to ascertain the most other fields. On the basis of population, he found ing too. Some said they liked the state and wanted that the three leading states in production of any he ginger gold revel blue or that the three leading states in production of not- to stay and others said that all their friends were ables were, in order, Massachusetts, Connecticut here. Some said "There's no place like home.".

Much debate has taken place over Nebraska's who are listed as residents of nine states in this place in the scheme of things, so far as the pro- region. The book has a list of men by their residuction of great men ond women is concerned. dences. By a process of dividing the total popula-Some staunchly defend Nebraska as the home of tion of the state by the number of men listed in great achievement. Others feel that the state is Who's Who, I arrived at the number of men listed as compared with the average citizens. For example, Nebraska has about 320 men in Who's Who. The population was about 1,315,000. By division I found that Nebraska has one man in Who's Who for each 4,100 citizens.

The regional results: 1. Colorado-one man in Who's Who for each

2. Minnesota-one man for each 3,700 citizens. 3. Missouri-one man for each 4,000 citizens.

4. Nebraska-one man for each 4,100 citizens.

5. Wyoming-one man for each 4,400 citizens. 6. Iowa-one man for each 5,200 citizens. 7. South Dakota-one man for each 5,300

8. Kansas-one man for each 6,200 citizens. 9. North Dakota-one man for each 6,600

The figures speak for themselves.

I talked to a number of students, just to get their ideas on Nebraska. Some said they wanted to stay in Nebraska after they graduated. Others

Some of the reasons for leaving were interesting. One girl thought the state too conservative and staid, somethought it too cold, others found it lacking in culture, some thought it offered no opportunities for advancement. One girl pointed out that she had read in a book that statistically Nebraska was the worst state in the union in which to find a husband,

The girls, I found were far more anxious to My attention has been called to an address leave than the men. Some of the men said that made by Leta S. Hollingsworth, a University they would go wherever their job took them. One coat, is the basis for this wardremarked that the weather (Temperature -10 deby Dr. Stephen Dargent Visher of the University graas and blowing snow) would probably cause of Indiana, in which he sought to determine the most people to dislike Nebraska. "In the spring, coat is pretty on the figure and lbM Cards states which had produced the most potables dura it would be different" she said

Some of them may be great some day. It will I made my own quick survey of the names be interesting to see whether they are still Neor silver jewelry, a velvet hat or
a beret. That means, keep the in the latest edition of Who's Who in America braskans when they achieve greatness.

Joan Krueger

Four Cornerstones

Dr. Gustavson justified these goals in his efinition of what he believes is the higher education - offering to the maximum number who have the capacity, opportunity to learn skills and develop attitudes for effective and intelligent living in a free society and to mature the minds to make judgments essential to preservation of a free society The chancellor was speaking to a meeting of the University chapter of the American Association of Univer-

Dr. Gustavson's definition gives strong backing for having special requirements for admission to college. As he pointed out in the speech, who shall be admitted to the University is one issue which

Chancellor Gustavson's four points of educa- must be solved A resolution drawn recently by tion philosophy—teaching students their place in a committee of the Nebraska Asociation of School history and the value and meaning of freedom, Administrators, started a controversy about enallowing instructors freedom to search for truth trance requirements to the University. Faculty and emphasizing liberalism in character—are four members from Arts and Sciences colleges opposed coat can be a straight tweed or pretty sound foundations for this University to eliminating specific high school requirements as velvet skirt (full or narrow), a the resolution suggested.

> The chancellor explained the situation quite girl's wordrobe, choose one that is receptive to changes. This basic yell when he pointed out that higher education suit should also be adaptable to is a trust and privilege vested to young persons many hours and seasons. by Nebraskans. He said that in admitting students, "we must justify our decision to those whose money supports it. We must make every effort brown flannel suit with cut-steel brown flannel suit with cut-steel buttons. It features a short, to be sure those young people, upon graduation, beautifully tailored jacket that will contribute constructively to the way we live."
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> It happens every year about this luncheon in the Union in honor buttons right up to the neck and time. A certain disease hits the of Dr. Frank Chase Thursday. Dr. Chase is director of the Midbuttons right up to the skirt is narrow, but comfortable for walking.

To carry out the four philosophies of the chancellor's program, the University must have capable students. This philosophy seems to be one that could be considered in the future in regard to entrance requirements.

Sermonette What Does Christmas Really Mean? Thanking, Praising God To Highest

(Editor's Note: The following is a Christmas sermon by Rev. Rex Knowles, Presbyterian-Congregational student What does Christmas really mean? How do we find it?

Do we find it in the odors brought into the house from the cold; the perfume blend made of the scent of snow mingling with the scents of sanctity; the great laughing blend of candy and newly painted toys, mingling with the unmistakable scent of happiness?

Do we find it in the sounds: the talking, the laughing, the singing of carols, the church bells, the children's loud language of gladness?

Do we find it in the tastes: the red and white striped taste of candy canes, the sharp sweetness of apples, the round golden taste of the orange taken from the toe of the stocking?

Do we find it in the sights: the white snow and the whiter stars, the spangled presents, the shimmering tinsel, the flashing lights, the green and red of the Christmas tree reflected in the eyes of a child?

Christmas is coming again up the white steps of December. We can see it. We can hear it. We can smell it. We can taste it. We can feel it. And yet, with all the evidence available, we are still in danger of missing it, for we try to find it with our senses, and we cannot.

We find Christmas, not in what we receive incelcuable Gift"

or give-whether presents or happiness or sensory fulfillment-but in the fact that we do give and and do receive. The first Christmas came as a gift. God gave because of His love and expected only that the gift be accepted with joy. And we find Christmas as we receive and in turn give-because God is with us, and because we too love.

What, then, does Christmas really mean? How then, do we find it?

It means accepting the Gift of God and the gifts of men joyously, and in turn giving to others lovingly. We find it, not in the gifts, but

in the giving with love and the receiving with joy. For that reason, Christmas is always coming, and is always here.

The signts, the sounds, the tastes, the smells, the feelings, are not Christmas, but man's way of showing joy that there is a Christmas. They are like a music box. To dull ears, the music box may be a tinkling "London Bridges," but to the ears in all Nebraska counties.

Wayne Bath, Ag college senior, was the succus, another Ag college senior was the schangee. JoAnn Skucius, another Ag college senior was the succus, another Ag college senior was the farm youth exchangee in 1950.

Application blanks for all qualified young men and women are available in the extension offices in all Nebraska counties. of children it is pealing forth the music of the spheres. Christmas may seem like a jazz tune composed of colored lights, commercialization and crepe paper, but, to the children (and, at our best, we are all children) it is singing "Glory to God in the Highest. Thanks be to God for His incelcuable Gift."

In all Nebraska counties.

Some of the eligibility rules are:

High school graduate, 18 to 28 are wonderful cure-alls for what years old, unmarried and no dependents and a background of farm life and work,

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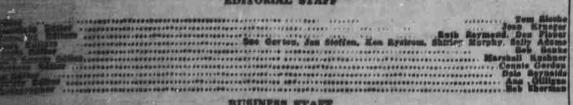
The extension service said there will be hardships and privations involved.

It does happen every year about this time, doesn't tt? be a tinkling "London Bridges," but to the ears in all Nebraska counties.

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FIFTY-FIRST YEAR Intercollegiate Press

RUSTORIAL STAFF



Little Man On Campus By Bibler Dear Editor ...



said they couldn't get out of the state fast enough. Coeds Want Bright Wool Dresses In Wardrobes

any coed anywhere this winter.

The first item, a black fitted Registration robe. Though black is usually To Use New considered an older color, this dress with push-up sleeves blends A new system of IBM class card beautifully with the coat and adds distribution will be used when seccan be ginger, gold, royal blue or green, all fashion-wise winter colors. But the colors should comentire effect simple.

The black coat can be worn with a black crepe or fallle dress for more dressed-up dates. Select a dress with an intrigu-ing new full skirt and an adaptable neckline—one that can be changed with a swag or tulle or net or even a flower or a single jeweled pin, A good supplement for this

sweater or wool or silk blouses For that one really good suit that should be a part of every

This suit can be worn with taffeta, velvet and furs, or with sweaters, walking shoes and a soft felt cloche. Taffets and shantung blouses in gold, olive green or silver grey help brighten up this suit. Sweaters in mauve, black, brown or beige also add a new look to sic suit. Give it an added dash with a brown velveteen

To Expand 1952 Program

The International Farm Youth cred halls on campii. This disease usually, comes three times a year: right before Iniversity's Agricultural Extended in Service. Exchange program is to be ex-panded in 1952, according to the

Farm Exchange

University's Agricultural Exten-sion Service, The program provides for a

number of American youths to visit foreign countries in exchange for foreign young people which visit in the United States. The extension report said there will be an increase of exchanges students.

Of Motive Magazine

And there were in the same country children

Keeping watch over their stockings by the fire-

Place. And, lo, Santa Claus came upon them; and

They were sore afraid. And Santa Claus said unto Them, "Fear not; for behold, I bring you good

Tidings of great joy which shall be to all people

Tinsel, colored balls and lights! And suddenly

Say one to another, 'Damn it! What a mess

To clean up.' . . . 'I'm dead tired, let's go to

Each student will be given two IBM cards for each class, lab and quiz section. The dupli-cate cards, colored brown, must be taken to class instructors by students on the first day that classes meet. The cards which have "paid" stamped on them by the comptroller will indicate that registration has been completed. Dr. Floyd W. Hoover, registrar,

announced that students with more than 27 hours as of September, 1951, will be admitted to the assignment committee in descending order according to the total

number of hours.
Students with less than 27
hours must obtain registration
tickets Jan. 11 at the Military and Naval Science building from 8 a.m. until 12 noon and from 1 until 5 p.m.

pus. It comes swiftly and usually Dr. Chase is director of the Mid-

with very little warning.
The disease? "Let'scultclassandcoffeitis." This disease shows though each class has a difno class or sex preference, ferent name for it. The fresh-men call it ::The Frosh Frolic." The sophomores who are by now fairly well-versed in the disease terms it as the "Sophomore Slump." The jaunty juniors call it the "Junior Jumps." And the illustrious senfors call it the "Upperclass lag."

definite allergy to the ivy-cov-

spring vacation. In other words, 'Let'scutclassandcoffeeities' is a form of pre-vacation spring fover that never falls to hit students right before their va-cations come. The urge to play takes it place almost immediately.

Why Not A Santa?

"All the fuss that's made in spirits. He's a welcome escape the Christmas eve masquerade is the action of the elders and do they ever have a picnic," stated detectable don't degrade the in-

"If Santa is for the benefit of the pre-adolescent, I am sorry," says Miss Radaker. "I feel that this degrades the in-tellect of our coming citizens." sult of a materialistic mind.
SUSAN SMILEY

It does seem true that the adults have a picnic of fun pre-paring Santa Claus for the young,

What's wrong with Santa Claus that he could degrade the minds of coming citizens? When children start school, most of them decide that Santa Claus doesn't really drive a sleigh or come down chimneys.

for themselves.

Dresses in Wardrobes

Three basic dresses and one wonderful suit equal a winter wardrobe that will go anywhere. This basic wardrobe will take

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The basic dresses and one wonderful suit equal a winter fashions are a must for any coed's when he could have a "souped-to will carry the date and time to will car houses don't have fireplaces and

Santa Claus is equivalent to fairy tales during the rest of the year. He's similar to the Easter bunny, Paul Bunyan and Father Time.

The world is becoming a materialistic place in which psychology and economics form the fairy tales for the future citizens.

If we explain Santa Claus in

believe, but he isn't necessarily so, what harm can he do?

Santa Claus emerges from his North Pole hide-out every year to give a comical aspect to a comedy loving, unbelieving people. He gives us something to talk about, laugh about and dream about.

It is grapher.

Honors to the winner of the "Miss Rag Mop" contest will be claim to the title and publication of her picture in The Daily Nebraskan.

Each of the 13 candidates has fulfilled the following requirements for entry:

1. She has at least a 7.5 weight.

He isn't wrong. People should take time to dream and wish. They rationalize all the time, anyway. Santa simply stimu-lates imaginations and creative

uncheon Registration will continue until Dr. Chase

Representatives of the Univer-One suit that fits these qualifi- Vacation Only Cure sity faculty, state department of education and the Nebraska State Education association attended a

dation.

gram of the center. Dr. Chase said the center is Alpha Theta.

The symptoms of the disease attempting to set up projects Lennie Stepanek, junior in the are usually clear-cut and are always easily recognizable. First zation of school districts through-member of Pi Beta Phi; Bonnie comes a distaste for class work in out the country.

University's assistance in the pro-gram. Dean Henzlik said he would The 13 coed candidates will comments Chase would make and turn them over to Chancellor R. G. Gustavson.

If the University is asked to make studies of school administration problems for the center, monetary aid will probably be given to the University, Dean Henzlik said.

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3:00 Music from everywhere. 3:15 Song in their hearts. 3:30 Sports parade. 3:45 Comparing notes.

4:00 Week on campus 4:15 Hollday inn. From the world of wax.

4:45 Sweet and lowdown. 5:00 Sign off.

Christmas only comes once a year!' And they go

Christmas Story Bed and pick it up tomorrow.' . . . "Thank God,

By WILEY KIM ROGERS

With haste to their cold bed and find their desired rest." Is someone missing? No, I think you can see Him back in the shadows, not that He matters. Or Does He? This is Christmas, isn't it? Shouldn't We change it to Familymas or Giftday instead of Christ's day? We were too busy to attend church This morning. Are we too busy? Too busy to seek

Who can afford them. For unto you will be given Tomorrow, great feasts of turkey, dressing, and Rest from this war-tired world? Too busy to look For peace in a peaceless world? Too busy to think Cake; and many presents; and this shall be a sign About an "out-dated" God? Can we be living too Unto you, ye shall find the presents wrapped in Bright paper, lying beneath a tree adorned with Fast to live that which is life? Can we continue To exist if God is not the center of our existence? Are we just superintelligent animals or men with There will be with you, a multitude of relatives Eternal souls? Wherever we turn, "Heil Bombs," And friends, praising you and saying, Thank you "Germ Warfare," "Third World War." A lot of Two tuxedos-sizes 38 and 60. 5-81 So much, it was just what I wanted.' And it shall Rope for a superanimal isn't there. Let us put Come to pass as the friends and relatives have Christ back in Christmas. Let us hear again an Gone away into their own homes, the parents shall Angel's voice, "For unto you is born this day, a

Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

the holiday.
The fantasies which are easily Kathryn Radaker in a "Food for tellect; they make life a little gayer and more enjoyable. The gayer and more enjoyable. The fantasies which are most likely to degrade the world are the ugly, of the pre-adolescent, I am pessimistic fantasies which may be feasible, but are only the re-

set, but the younger set seems to enjoy the attention the adults pay them in the results.

If they do, I believe that St. Nick and all his legend is a good idea for youngsters and older people. When persons can have a little fun and merriment harmlessly today, I'm all for them.

Dear Carolers:

Just a note of thanks to show our appreciation for the time you so willingly gave on the Red Cross caroling party last Wednes-Christmas spirit was spread to many unfortunate people in Lincoln.

Also, we wish to express our appreciation to the Union who col-

Also, we wish to express our appreciation to the Union who collected gifts at their Christmas open house for the Lincoln

RED CROSS COLLEGE BOARD

They aren't emotionally upset over the revelation and parents shouldn't be disappointed either. Most children reason Santa out for themselves. **Judging Set** It seems logical in this day and age that St. Nick couldn't come down the chimney because most in January

of the judging. Candidates will be interviewed, in The Daily Ne-braskan office, by the male mem-bers of the publication staff. Judges are Tom Rische, editor; Don Pieper, managing edi-

tor; Ken Rystrom, news editor; Bob Banks, sports editor; Mar-shall Kushner, assistant sports editor; Dale Reynolds, Ag edi-tor; and Bob Sherman, photographer.

ed average. 2. She is attractive.
3. She is active in no activities defined as such by the AWS

activities board. 4. She is not pinned, going steady, engaged or married.
5. She has never won a beauty

or queen title.

Vying for the newly-inaugurated honor of "Miss Rag Mop" are:

Nancy Benjamin, senior in the College of Aris and Sciences and member of Pi Beta
Phi; Barbara Colwell, sophor more in Teachers college and member of Pi Beta Phi; Diane Downing, junior in the College of Aris and Sciences and member of Alpha Omicron Pi; Lois Frederick, senior in the College of Arts and Sciences and mem-ber of Gamma Phi Beta: Carol Haerer, sophomore in Teachers college and member of Alpha

Chi Omega. Dr. Chase is director of the Midwest school administration center of the University of Chicago for the improvement of educational administration which is financed to and member of Kappa Delta; Tanadaministration which is financed to and member of Kappa Delta; Tanadaministration which is financed to and member of Kappa Delta; by grants from the Kellogg soun-lege of Arts and Sciences and He was in Lincoln to consult with University officials on the possibility of getting the University's co-operation in the promember of Kappa Kappa Gam-

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any form. Then comes a loss of memory concerning facts learned teachers college said Chase would many Ann Zimmerman, sophosoon about the advisability of the more in the College of Arts and University's assistance in the pro-

The 13 coed candidates will be judged by The Daily Ne-braskan male staff members on the basis of beauty, personal-ity, poise and general charm. They will be judged in dress clothes.

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