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Pep-fired rooters paint town red

BY RALPH S. COMBS.

This is a rally-ridden town. It was a tired, worn, but happy, student body that went to bed last night after almost 24 hours of rallying. It's the first time in Nebraska's history that she's been ROSE BOWL bound, and the whole town went nuts. There were rallies everywhere, with "Bowled over" students yelling "Let's go West," "Stam-pede Stanford," and "Our Team is Red-Hot."

Dean T. J. Thompson, in commenting on the rallies of the day, at 6 p. m. last night, said, "This display of enthusiasm today was inevitable. No one could possibly believe that Nebraska students would take such a great thing calmly. I'm glad to see such spirit. But now that we've had our day of celebration, I think it best that we get back in the groove."

"Several of our players are on the scholastic border-line, and if displays like those of today are

Boucher says...

"As to the Rose Bowl game, of course we're delighted! The morning rally was fine, but in the afternoon, it would have been LESS boring to go to class!"

continued it will be a great detriment to the players in trying to get everything lined up for the big day. Let's settle down and give them a chance," he concluded.

Full house.

"Have they been here?" Mr. (See RALLY, page 4.)

Rose Bowl call takes Nebraska

Big Six schools give approval Sunday night; week layoff from drills

BY JIM EVINGER.

Ferdinand has nothing on Nebraska!

For the Cornhuskers are smelling flowers now. In fact they are taking whiffs of a whole bowl of flowers—roses. At approximately 11 p. m. Sunday night, Maj. Lawrence M. Jones officially announced that Nebraska had accepted Stanford's invitation to play in the Rose bowl on New Year's day in Pasadena, Calif.

Earlier in the evening, Al Masters, Stanford graduate manager, invited the Huskers but had to wait until later before Nebraska could receive permission from members of the Big Six conference.

Dr. Bergman of Iowa State gave the permission after a polling of the Cyclone athletic board which made the loop sanction unanimous.

First time for Huskers

Nebraska's acceptance marks the first time a middle-western team has gone to the Rose bowl classic since Notre Dame went in 1925 and defeated Stanford 27 to 10.

"This is the first time a bowl bid of any sort has ever been accepted by Nebraska. Close to 85,000 people will view the spectacle which will be the largest crowd to ever see a Cornhusker team in action.

Coach "Biff" Jones announced that the Huskers would enjoy a (See BOWL, page 5)



It isn't every day that Nebraska goes to the Rose Bowl, and it isn't every day that everyone plays hookey. But yesterday, both things happened. Exuberant students carry their unofficial ultimatum announcing dismissal of classes. Might makes right, hm-m-m?



This cavalcade here marked the beginning of the day of rallies. Led by Cheerleader Elton Wiley, the throng headed downtown, with a makeshift band in tow, to block traffic, halt office activity, and stymie work in the state house for more than a half hour.

Cuts above, Lincoln Journal and Star.

Train, plane, bus offer ways to Rose Bowl

In case the old jalopy can't endure the 4,038 mile trip to Pasadena and back, you can get there—providing you have some money—on train, bus or airplane, and here is what it will cost you:

Train fare on a coach, a ticket to the football game and the Tournament of Roses parade, and all food on the train are included in the special \$55.55 reduction rate offered by the Union Pacific. Including a berth, the price will be \$76.30. If you want to stay in Los Angeles for more than a day after the game, it will cost you \$54.50 for a regular round trip train ticket. One way is \$30.50.

Bus tickets.

Round trip tickets on the bus will sell for \$46.45, and if you can find another ride back to Lincoln

(See FARES, page 12.)

Rose Bowl trip free!

Here's a chance for six Nebraska students to win a free trip to the Rose Bowl. The Omaha World Herald will pay all expenses plus spending money. For details, read the ad on pages eight and nine of today's World Herald.



Daily staff photo by Royal.

Gathered on the mall, students braved the biting cold to display hot spirits. They rampaged all day, avoiding classes diligently.