(Editor's Note: Nebraskans get first chance to read something likely to be reprinted later by some newspapers in other states. The writer, from Sutton, is Janet Nuss, a University of Nebraska junior majoring in journalism. Miss Nuss is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. V. Nuss, friends of ours of long standing.)

#### THE "HOME TOWN"

The "home town" is America.

The home town is as much a part of American life

As the hot dog and cherry sodas, The World Series and Joe Louis.

The home town is the heartbeat of our nation.

Through it and from it surges The lifeblood nourishing our democracy.

The home town is the backbone of our nation.

Be it metropolis or small community, within it

Is firmly rested our heritage of democracy.

It is Main Street, the corner drugstore, A friendly hello, the man down the block Watering the lawn, fireflies in the dusk.

It is the boy next door, the homey aroma of Pipe smoke from across the way, A Saturday afternoon football gome.

It is children shouting as they play, A dog chasing a cat, the crispness Of autumn, and the first snowflakes.

It is singing in the choir on Sunday morning And buying groceries at Smitty's, The Friday night movie and buttered popcorn.

It is many things to many people. The soldier lying in a foxhole somewhere Across the ocean dreams of his home, and his town.

The home town is the place closest to man's heart.

The place to which man hopes to return, and where

He would choose his final resting place.

The home town is the place where dreams are conceived,

Nurtured and brought to maturity. It is the place where some dreams die.

The "home town" is America.

\* \* \* DOCING THE CANDIDATES

#### D In recent days, teen-agers have been

# EDITORIALS Furse's Fresh Flashes

Sometimes we think we are just as young as we used to be-but we're not going to try and prove it.

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It's a lot easier to write a book than try to balance them.

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If your spring fever is still with you at this late date, you can diagnose it as pure laziness.

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If you've been listening to radio or watching TV lately, you should be convinced that our two-party system is sound.

\* \* \* Many a wife has helped her husband to the top of the ladder, only to decide the picture would look better on the other wall.

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Unhappy is the person who knows it all and has no one to tell it to.

\* \* \* Our 1953 graduates may not have any

new worlds to conquer, but there's plenty of repair work to be done on this one.

\* \* \* About the quickest way we know to disperse a crowd is to pass the hat.

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About the only thing we know of that would be worse than a bachelor is being a bachelor's son.

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### Down Memory Lane

### YEARS AGO

chairman of the Democratic Miss Doris Marie Morton, daughter Chairman of the Democratic is now of purpose of discouraging the polls show that he is now other men have been older when the purpose of discouraging the polls show that he is now other men have been older to a the bidders." of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Morton, and his hair at an off-the-record Lt. Joseph R. Hendrix were married at meeting at the Hotel Statler get that Harrison died one \*the Methodist church at Ocean Grove, New Jersey . . . Mr. and Mrs. Harley Minniear are the parents of a doughtor Minniear are the parents of a daughter, Pamela Anne . . . A local defense council things, that Stevenson's camhas been organized here. Officers are W. paign trips had received luke-A. Robertson, chairman; E. H. Wescott, warm crowds until St. Louis, at which time the committee spent secretary: and Don Seiver, treasurer . . . \$12,000 to get things organized. Jack Highfield is stationed at El Paso, just as the Eisenhower people Texas . . . Plattsmouth defeated Sacred have been doing for some time. Heart of Omaha 13 to 6. White and Rice He also admitted that his and Wilson Wyatt's statement of a scored for Plattsmouth . . . Dr. O. Sandin bandwagon rush to Stevenson in has been named chief of the Plattsmouth part was wishful thinking. In-Volunteer Fire Department . . . A former stead, he said, the election was Murdeck girl, Mary Katherine McHugh, neither won nor lost. now Mrs. O. R. Platt, of North Platte, has

received her pilots license and is a member of the Civil Air Patrol.

Same Act-New Front

MALENKOV

will drop his political party.

Note-Though MacArthur's

name is not on the ballot in California, it's legal to write it

in, and a lot of MacArthur ad-

Frank Steve Mitchell

Young Steve Mitchell, new

mirers plan to do so.

# **Capitol News** LINCOLN - A six - member committee of the Legislative

Council, research agency of he Nebraska Legislature, has submitted a series of recommendations to the 1950 session concerning the administration of the state's 1,600,000 acres of school lands.

The committee, headed by young Sen. Robert D. McNutt of incoln proposed the junking of Truman's whistle-stopping forthe present Board of Education- ays are helping Adlai Stevenson they are against him, for Stev-Lon's and Funds and replac- in the western, eastern, and enson. Reporters with Stevening it with an agency created midwestern areas. Despite his son are for the Governor too. The general feeling among rerew marged with administer- filling these needs in the Dem- porters traveling with Ike is in; the state's educational en- ocratic campaign effort: 1. He that he has not followed the ements, is made up of the is playing the role of hatchet line on which he won nominagovernor, state treasurer, at- man in cutting General Eisen- tion at Chicago, moved too far torney general, secretary of hower, which would not be a toward the right wing of the

ever would require a constitu- thusiasm among public power knows the sentiment of the tional amendment, so the com- proponents and workers, and voter right now, though senses mittee proposed that in the some farmers, by his blunt talk, victory in the more conservative meantime, the board employ a which Stevenson has not used. approach. manager or director of school 3. He is drumming up enthuslands to be paid a salary comiasm among minority groups parable to other department the Democrats have won in the heads. A 1950 Legislative Counpast, especially the Negroes, who cil committee made a similar

proposal but nothing was done about it by the last Legislature. he is losing little because his The McNutt Committee also unpopularity in this section is

called for an end to the pres- already firmly established. First ent system which permits the reports that the President's at-

Another suggestion was that ring up enthusiasm on the other Mitchell made this comment: "I require its permission before a break he is getting in his perthink by election day he will be lessee could install improve- sonal assaults on Ike. been alleged," the committee "Eisenhower," he continued, said, "that some lessees place Adlai Stevenson is getting ready "is now 62 years old. Only a few improvements on the land for to take off the gloves. Most of

The committee voted against a considerable lead. Maybe that selling the school lands and re- was to be expected. Maybe it e contention of the Ne- was not. Whatever the case,

braska School Lands Lessees Stevenson is tuning his major Association that the counties in attack for the climax, which which the lands are located will be the next two weeks, and should administer them with the he is being urged to lay it on income ratained in those coun- bluntly. ties. An attempt by the as-As for the Republican High Command, it is still pleased with sociation to place such a proposal on next month's ballot | Ike's reception everywhere. The failed because of insufficient pe- General is drawing larger

tition signers. crowds than Adlai. He is greeted McNutt's group reported there enthusiastically at practically newsmen, Writing to Stevenson is no 'practical alternative'' to every stop. The Democrats say headquarters recently. Dean selling the leases at auction and this is partly due to the ad-Ackerman enclosed a check. that 6 per cent appears not to vance planning and hoopla pur-"Education," he wrote, "has a be "an unreasonably high rental posely arranged by Ike's advital stake in this campaign. figure." Twelve-year leases, the vance guard. But one expects The election of General Eisen- committee said, should be given them to say that. The polls hower will set an example for a longer trial before changing still show Ike considerably out

"HE PLATTSMOUTH "ERPASKA, SEMI-WEEW V INCOMAL PAGE FOUR Section B Thursday, October 23, 1952



By Stanley James, Journal Washington Reporter WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 - It\*

now evident, after some his campaign, most reporters asearlier doubts, that President signed to his campaign special state and state superintendent. To create a new agency how-follow. 2. He is generating en-their reeling. He thinks he

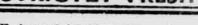
> Some of the cautiousness about business prospects which has been evidenced in recent like Mr. Truman. Since he is months is dissipating and most not campaigning in the South business trends now indicate record sales and continued as long as there is heavy rearmament and fighting in Korea, Business has picked up rapidly in the last 90 days. For example

> > indicate.

Unemployment has hit a postrate. But the President is stirwar low. Business activity is at Regarding Senator Nixon, the board be given authority to issues which outweigh the even a post-war high. Civilian employment is a record high, though it may eventually drop late in 1953. Critical plant ex-As Mr. Truman continues his pansion is only a third comefforts there are evidences that pleted and completions will require new workers. Personicomes reached a record in August, are rising. Dry goods sales gaining slowly on Ike, who had are rising fast. The price level is more stationary than had been expected, and reflects a safer business future than a new inflationary spiral would

> The question naturally remains whether and when a recession or depression will arrive. The outlook is now for a milder recession than some had feared, and it might not begin for a year or more, might not hurt anyone too much. That is a brighter prospect than trends indicated just two or three months ago.

STRICTLY FRESH



A Quebec truck driver wasn't

lit his cigaret lighter to get a

closer look. A \$500 fire followed.

That's the kind of drip that causes

Weeping Iranian Premier Mo-

up any machinery-even political.

An Indiana boy sent a postcard

trouble.

SOMEDRIP

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However, according to the ocratic organizations had dis-Eisenhower committee that integrated in the last 20 years, board to consider mailed bids tacks on General Ike were stircalled on Smith. Ite will now and had to be built up again. after a public auction has been ring as much resentment as go to see Mac-if Gerald L. K. Two exceptions he noted were concluded but before the board support may have been accu-Massachusetts and Rhode has granted final approval. Island.

the lowest man on any political ments on school land. "It has totem pole you ever saw."

elected president, and don't for- other bidders."

The student newspaper at Columbia University may have come out officially against their

president-on-leave, but the faculty is mixed. Some are ardently for Eisenhower, some ardently opposed.

A leader of the latter group is the Dean of Journalism. Carl Ackerman, who administers the Pulitzer Prize awards and has helped to train thousands of

every student from the kinder- the lease term.

brief him in the White House?

campaign song to the tune of

Who is Kissing her now? Who is

teaching her now?' But with

more appropriate words, name-

ly: 'Who is briefing him now?

The Civil Service Commission

Journal Want Ads Pav!

COLUMN

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By RICHARD C. PECK

reported booing, the Presidential candidates, President Truman and other leading figures in the current political campaign. Whether these demonstrations have been spontaneous, or organized in advance, matters little.

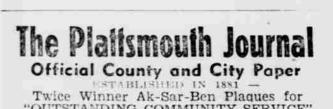
In our country, we have traditionally allowed candidates to be heard in an atmosphere of fair play and politeness. While this record is not perfect, of course, and while many leers and booes have punctuated the political meetings of the past, they have fortunately been the exception and not the rule.

The new twist this year is that teenagers are apparently committing the offense regularly. The fact that these young people are not mature enough in their judgment to understand both sides of many issues is pretty well established. The natural tendency of youth is either high enthusiasm or unqualified condemnation. And so it has been always. Another characteristic of American youth has been respect for elders.

In the present campaign, this respect is not being observed by some of the nation's teen-agers. One may disagree with everything a candidate says, but we must be careful not to tarnish this principlewhich is one of real democracy and one which is always abused or disregarded in totalitarian countries.

#### THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Labor is the curse of the world, and nobody and caldle with it without becoming proportionately brutified.



-Nathaniel Hawthorne

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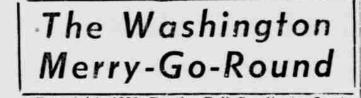
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## A YEARS AGO

Mrs. H. L. Thomas has been elected president of the American Legion auxiliary. Other officers are Mrs. John H. Palacek, vice president; Mrs. Fay McClintock, secretary; Mrs. Roy Stewart, treasurer; Mrs. Edward Steppat, chaplain; Mrs. J. B. Farnham, historian; and Mrs. Frank Rice, sergeant at arms . . . Exhibiting animals at the Ak-Sar-Ben 4-H show were Arnold Stohlman, Clarence Stohlman, Ellsworth Stohlman and Orland Stohlman of Louisville; Vincent Rehmeier, Frances Rehmeier, Milford Smith and Dwain Reed of Weeping Water; Vernon Rikli of Murdock and Robert Wolfe of Union . . . Plattsmouth defeated Malvern 20-0, with Ronne and Arn scoring for the Blue Devils.

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DREW PEARSON SAYS: EISEN-HOWER ADVISERS SEEK TO AP-PEASE GERALD L. K. SMITH; DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN AD-MITS RACE ISN'T WON; TEXAS BUSINESSMEN THREATEN TEX-AS SENATOR.

Washington.-An Eisenhower committo the tent on interesting step to K. Smith.

i c e o ganizer and chief spark plug of the Christian Nationalist party and has nominated General MacArthur for President and State Sen. Jack Tenny of California for Vice President. His chief financial angel is Judge George W. Arm- my NSLI term policy endowstrong of Texas, whose donation to Jefferson College in Mississippi was rebuffed amid nation-wide publicity.

A few days ago,"a committee speaking for General Eisenhower called on Smith and urged him to take the Christian Nationalist party out of the presidential race. Smith has built up quite a following in Southern California, also some following in Texas, and his party is on the ballot in Washington, Missouri and elsewhere.

In states where the Democratic-Republican race may be close, the Christian Nationalists could hold the balance of power. Therefore, Smith was urged to withdraw the party's name from the ballot.

named one. As an inducement, Smith was told that if he would withdraw General Eisenhower would take the initiative in calling personally on General MacArthur.

The significance of this gesture is that no less than ex-President Herbert Hoover of the sale as income, in figurhimself has been trying to get Eisenhower and MacArthur together, but so far has been unable to persuade lke to go to see poses? Mac. Eisenhower is willing to get together with his former commander, but he isn't willing to go to the Waldorf Tower where MacArthur lives. And MacArthur in turn you receive a lump sum pay-won't go to see him. Larsen him. Larsen said that the Febru-inent, it will be applied for the number. Larsen said that the Febru-(Continued on Page 5)

That Sen. Lyndon Johnson phoned him to complain that businessmen were threatening to get even with him when he ran in 1954 if he helped Stevenson in '52.

Discussing political develop-

Mitchell said:

That Governor Lausche of Ohio, the alleged Democrat, must realize that Stevenson's chances had picked up, because he now occasionally mentioned Stevenson's name. Before, Lausche's contribution to Stevenson had been minus nothing.

the next four vects That the Democrats hadn't emphasized the real issues on tidelands oil; They should have made northern and inland states realize that they would lose by the Eisenhower plan giving tidelands oil to three states only.

who is teaching him how?" The Democratic chairman was critical of Senators Smathers Fxams Announced and Holland of Florida, who, h said, were carefully ducking. He **Rv** Civil Service said Stevenson faced a buzzsaw in the bigger cities of Texas has announced examinations for He told how he had Governor Stevenson telephone Jesse Jones, | engineer, engineer trainee and photoengrave the ex-RFC director, following which Jesse had printed a fairly warm editorial in his Housfrom Henry A. Hughson at the ton Chronicle. Most Democratic Plattsmouth post office. congressmen in Texas are vacationing, Mitchell admitted, but he warned that this would be remembered when the time came

to bass out the batronage.

The worst problem he faced

Q. I'm planning to convert #

ment insurance. If I'm still

living at the end of the endow-

ment period, how will I receive

A. You will have a choice.

reeds in a lump sum.

or you may ask VA to pay them

have been paid

You may either get the insur-

ny money?

as Democratic chairman. Mit-

chell said, was that local Dem-

garten to the graduate level that cramming is a laudable substi- Going Up

tute for serious study. The Re-The University of Nebraska continues, some of Ike's advispublican candidate has substituted final hour briefing for propriation before Gov. Val Pe- rest of his campaign a digniknowledge. That is why he mak- terson last week. It asked for fied one. es so many contradictory state- state tax funds totaling \$16,- They would handle it more on ments on political issues. One 356,003, a 31 per cent increase the Dewey theme of 1948. They day he is briefed by Lodge and over the \$12,500,000 granted by Dewey: the next day by Taft and Cromwell Then by Mc- Peterson said be

Carthy and Jenner, Who will to 'pass judgment'' on the re- Democrats more than it would quest until he'd had an oppor- help them. And they think this Who will teach him how?-For tunity to discuss it at length strategy might check the trend with University officials, but he of Democratic gains registered "Mrs. Ackerman suggests that told Capitol newsmen: you have some song writer do a

"It had been my hope that all state institutions in the has not made public any decicoming biennium would be able sion on this tactical question to operate within the sum ap- yet propriated for the 1951-53 biennium." well.

Chancellor R. G. Gustavson Further information and apmication forms may be obtained half the increase was due to in-A new laboratory for studying coal chemicals and coke processes has been opened in of losing the American Medical entourage

Association's accreditation blessing Peterson observed, "I appreci-

ate that as inflation continues. it takes more of today's cheap to do the job. And I am certain that the Medical School needs to be strengthened and improved." Gustavson said the budget

epresents "an honest and conscientious effort to solve the problems of rising costs and stronger support" for several University programs, principally n medicine and agriculture. Peterson noted that if the

University has to have a 31 per cent increase the other three of Nebraska's Big Four spanding agencies-Assistance, Highways and Board of Control-"can find equally strong reasons for increases.

No The Nebraska Railway Com- 29 Consumer

mission last week thumbed training within a reasonable down the application of Northperiod following your diswestern Bell Telephone Company for a rate increase in the riod" is determined for each state. The Commission by a vote of

to your benefici- and depends on a number of 2 to 0, dismissed the company's Richard Peck ary, if you have factors such as the type of request for a boost which would raining involved, its availability permit "a fair and reasonable return" on its investment. Com-Q. I know of a World War missioners Richard Larsen and II veteran who has become in- | Harold Palmer signed the order.

competent. Can his GI insur- Commissioner Joseph Brown was herited, and want to sell it, ance premiums be paid by campaigning with the Republi-Must I include all the proceeds another person? A. Yes. The premiums may before the Commission and did ing whether I come under the be paid by any person on his not participate in the order. income ceiling for pension pur- behalf. If the veteran's prem- The ruling said that "neither jum return envelope isn't used. the public nor the applicant nor

front, though losing some of his August be here can unhappy once-commanding lead. As the school children be far behind? trend of slow Democratic gains

With the long Labor Day weeklaid its request for a 1953-55 ap- ers are urging him to make the end coming up, auto wrecking concerns can look forward to a zooming business unless drivers

learn that roads weren't built for the business of zooming. think mud-slinging against the General, if he does not stoop to Peterson said he didn't want it in return, would hurt the sure whether the puddle under his truck was water or gasoline, so he

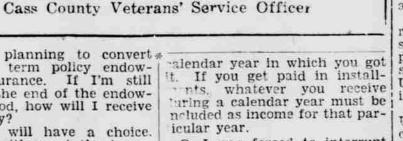
recently. In any event, they expect the General to win. Ike

He was raked over the coals Flicking through his by sizable sections of the press budget messages to the last sev- (at least those traveling with ral legislatures, he noted that him) for his remarks on the use the University's appropriation of South Korean troops in the had risen steadily from \$4,833,- Korean war. Many reporters 000 in 1945 to this biennum's felt that Ike put out the im-3'2 500 000 Other state arean- pression that he would take ties, of course, have risen as Americans out of the front lines in Korea and replace them with

South Koreans, in an appeal for hammed Mossadegh had better had explained that more than votes. Of course, that is imposlearn that water in oil will gum sible at present, since the South flation and that the lion's share Koreans cannot handle both of the boost-if it's granted- the North Koreans and China would go to bolster the program single-handedly. This play to Mars asking authorities on that planet to "send some pictures of at the College of Medicine and highlights the strange situation Iniversity Hospital in Omaha, which has developed between your people, buildings and flying where, he said, there is a risk like and his traveling reportersaucers." If the trend continues

the North Pole post office will go When the General first began out of business.





Q. I was forced to interrupt my training under the World War II GI Bill to go back into

ctive service. I expect to be to you in equal discharged soon, and I want to continue my GI studies. Is

nonthly installments ranging in there any time limit for resumnumber from 36 ing? to 240. If you A. You must pick up your die before all the installments

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can caravan when the case was

A. Since you inherited the care should be taken to identify the Commission has had suffihouse, the entire proceeds from the payment properly, including cient time to judge the impact its sale would be considered as the insured veteran's full name, of a February increase" which income for pension purposes. If address, date of birth, service the company won

to you, the remainder will go Q. I am receiving a VA penand so on. sion for a total and permanent nonservice-connected disability. have a house which I in-

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