

EDITORIAL PAGE

One-Way Streets?

One-way streets through the campus may become a reality if the proposal now before the Lincoln city council is adopted.

Students and many other persons who would be affected by such a plan are echoing protests against it.

Their argument against the plan seems to be logical if they are considering one-way traffic from a purely selfish stand-point.

These merits seem to outweigh any of the disadvantages brought forth by the opponents of one-way streets.

It was shown in the survey made by George Barton, Chicago traffic consultant employed by the city of Lincoln, that 17th street was carrying a heavier traffic load than the width of the street could adequately accommodate.

In spite of the inconvenience which such a plan might cause, it seems like a very reactionary view-point to argue against a plan which would benefit the majority of the motorists who travel these streets.

Opponents of the plan stress that they would have to travel out of their way to reach their destination.

If University residents and citizens of Lincoln wish to be selfish, they will oppose one-way streets.

If they are forward-looking, progressive persons, they will believe in what is best for the community as a whole and will vigorously support the proposal for one-way streets.—S.A.

Ignorance Don't Pay

All in all, we Americans are an ignorant lot—just like most other people. But while others try to hide their ignorance, we take pleasure in finding out just how ignorant we really are.

- In what country is the Ob river? List and give the approximate population of the five largest cities in the U.S.

Thanks to the Hit parade, the Rangers and the Democrats who live there, 62 per cent knew the right answer to that last question—Texas.

We all know our own neighborhood better than we know Ob. The Samoyedes who live on the Ob probably never heard of Lincoln, however improbable that may seem to the Lincolinites.

Unlike the Samoyedes we are people who take the responsibility for a lot of geography. We have a poor excuse for not knowing much more about the subject.

The New York Times is not alone interesting students about geography knowledge. Geography instructors at the University also give general knowledge tests to beginning students.

Prof. Leslie Howes, geography department chairman, told The Daily Nebraskan that the majority of University students lack the physical

Daily Thought

If you love yourself overmuch, nobody else will love you at all.

A proposal is soon to come before the Lincoln city council which provides for making 16th and 17th streets one-way lanes.

Under the new plan 16th would be used for south bound traffic only while 17th would be reserved for north bound traffic.

According to figures released by the police department, approximately 6000 cars use 17th street daily. Only about 3600 drivers now use 16th street each day.

If all south bound traffic were routed over 16th it would mean approximately 5800 autos passing daily in front of the Residence Halls for Women.

Even before the change was proposed, crows complained of heavy noon hour traffic when crossing 16th to get to their houses or the dorm.

According to City Commissioner of Public Welfare and Safety, Ray Osborn, no improvements are immediately forthcoming on 16th.

In addition to the increased hazards for pedestrians and the poor condition of the 16th street, the change would place heavy restrictions on the business operations of the Reimers and Kaufman cement company.

Omar bakery and the Elgin Watch company spokesmen had no objection to the revision.

The new plan would be inconvenient for students when one wanted to approach houses along 16th from all streets south of Vine crossing from the west.

Under the present system the major part of the traffic bypasses the campus on 17th street.

Until a more satisfactory solution to Lincoln's traffic problem is found, the present system, with a few minor but important improvements, is the safest and more satisfactory of the two plans.—H.H.

Barb Wire

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Barb Wylie

Read an article the other day where a woman dropped into a newspaper office and calmly told the editor she would like to run the newspaper for a few weeks.

Maybe a full-time psychiatrist employed by the University would be a good deal.

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NU BULLETIN BOARD

Wednesday

YW Fine Arts Commission meeting, Ellen Smith hall south-east room at 4 p.m.

YW Goals and Values Commission meeting, Ellen Smith hall, southeast room at 5:00.

ASME meeting, 7:15 p.m., Richards laboratory, Room 206.

Candidate Officers association, 7:30 p.m., Love Library auditorium, featuring a debate on UMT.

Thursday

"Street Scene" tryouts, 201 Temple, from 3 to 5 p.m.

Search Week executive committee meeting, 4:30 p.m., Wesley Student house.

Tri-K meets in Crop laboratory at 7 p.m.

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Korn Kernels Better Living Series, Box Social, 'Pot Luck,' On Ag Agenda



"Choosing a Mate" is the topic of discussion at the Ag Union today at 5 p.m. as the second semester Better Living series discussion gets underway.

All Ag students and faculty are invited to attend the series. The subjects that will be under discussion are the qualities to look for in a mate.

Next week the discussion will center on marriage during war periods—when it is proper and different problems that enter into the situation.

"Pot Luck With the Profs" will be held again this Sunday evening from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Ag Union on Thursday.

Union lounge. If any of you Aggies are interested in eating and visiting with some of your professors, sign up in the Ag Union for dinner by Friday.

The dinner is free to all students, and all you have to do is sign up. Also, the Ag Union is helping with some of the arrangements by providing games such as checkers, chess, cards and ping pong for everyone to enjoy during the lunch period.

Friday night in the Ag Union is the Ag Valentine's box social. Girls are supposed to bring boxes to be auctioned off, with the proceeds going to the March of Dimes.

The Varsity Dairy club has decided to have a showmanship contest of their own. Scheduled for March 4, it will include several special events, including a coed cow milking contest.

The name of the movie for next Sunday at 3 p.m. in the Ag Union is "House on 92nd Street."

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Letterip

Dear Editor: Since my return from "the country," I have been reading many inches of newspaper in regard to the present flare-up of the old parking problem.

Congratulations are in order for both the staff and theme of our Daily Nebraskan. Journalists who have the will and instigate with which to expose the cause and effect of such problems allow our daily clarion to live the creed of America journalism.

After reading your commentaries and a slight misrepresentation of the facts by Dean Borgmann, (there have been chronic violators other than students.) I feel that the chance of alleviation of the parking problem and the resultant humiliation may not yet be lost.

WILLIAM ELDER

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knowledge of knowing and understanding geography of both the U.S. and the rest of the world.

The U.S. is the leader of the world and some University students will become future leaders.

The University administration should agree with this. Why then, in the College of Arts and Sciences, is geography not accepted as a science requirement while it is in Teachers college?

Do students receive a well-rounded education? Or, are they leaning too far towards specialized fields? The goal of education, we are often reminded, is a well-trained mind.

For better or worse, whether others like it or not, the American people have been entrusted with the conservation and direction of mankind.

The Daily Nebraskan hopes the Requirement committee will keep this in mind when it again decides the various colleges' requirements.—S.G.

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