

EDITORIAL PAGE

Demagogue Or Public Servant

On Oct. 22, 1951, Joe McCarthy, the Senator from Wisconsin whose name is now part of our language, received quite a blast in four pages of Time magazine. Time magazine asked: 1. Precisely what has McCarthy done? 2. Is his effect on the United States good or bad? and 3. Does he deserve well of the republic, or should he be treated with aversion and contempt?

withdraw their financial and commercial support of Time. Evidently the heads of Time policy got scared by the McCarthy tactics and, in succeeding issues since the "Demagogue-McCarthy" publication, have quickly jumped to the other side of the fence.

Although his ultimate goals are hidden in his attacks and counter-attacks, his shifting positions, his evasive statements, his contradictory remarks and his failure to do any actual good in flushing Communists from our government, McCarthy has committed what appears to be the final unpardonable sin. He has begun to put pressure on the economic forces without which a free press is a farce and unattainable.

Joe McCarthy wanted Time magazine on his handwagon and so he reverted to the one great financial factor, advertising, which moves men and mountains. It must have been an impressive "business-office-must" which came out of the Time's editor's offices on the day they decided to play ball with one who knows no rules nor ethics.

Time magazine is on McCarthy's side now. The American reader is beginning to have less and less information about the dictatorial, un-American activities of the loud-mouth Senator from Wisconsin. It takes a little closer reading to find out the "demagogue" now. That time and effort will be well spent by those who are interested in finding out just how far and how low Senator Joe McCarthy has gone.—B.R.

In the March 24 issue of Time magazine, McCarthy received quite gentle treatment from the Time writers. "Gentleman" Joe was one of the questioners of Newbold Morris, President Truman's clean-up man, about a Chinese tanker scandal. The tanker investigation does not, however, seem to be the main point of the charges against Morris. He has requested subpoena powers from Congress in order to facilitate his job to clean corruption out of the administration.

Morris couldn't keep his temper during the investigation and finally let loose with "It (McCarthy's questioning) is very similar to what they did to Cardinal Mindszenty, what the Hungarian Communists did. Gradually, you can wear a witness down. That is what you call mental brutality."

Time magazine, in the news report of the investigation, called this little speech of Morris, "the depths of public self-pity." Time said Morris' attitude during the investigation was one of "anger, self-pity, exaggerated politeness and flippancy."

Even to the casual reader of Time magazine, a definite change in policy has taken place. Time has dropped its "Demagogue-McCarthy" attitude and seems to have sided with Joe in flushing out the Communists in the state department and other administrative agencies. Whether or not Newbold Morris is guilty of any connection with the tanker scandal, Time magazine and Joe McCarthy are both guilty of the basest motives in their various stands on "McCarthyism" and "anti-McCarthyism."

The Communist Bullet

Almost everyone is aware now that the United States is on the brink of war with Russia and her sister, Communism. One of the most effective weapons used against us in this cold war is the deadly Communist bullet—propaganda.

Being able to distinguish between the Red's printed weapon and factual material is a feat everyone should possess. It may be slightly excusable for those who have not had the opportunities of higher learning to accept propaganda as factual, but when college students peddle it in the campus newspapers of one of the greatest universities the staff must not possess the ability to make the distinction.

In an article appearing recently in the Daily Californian, student newspaper at the University of California, a reporter wrote a story of a campus meeting at which a collection of juvenile minds expressed opposition to the California Committee on Un-American Activities.

No one became alarmed about the meeting until the story appeared in the campus publication. The meeting, sponsored by the Labor Youth league, was described by the reporter as an "off-campus political group."

The "off-campus political group," the LYL, is a Communist controlled organization that publishes a mimeographed handout devoted to a type of propaganda that sends one back to the dictionary for another look at the definition of the word treason. The league distributes its propaganda on the university campuses. In a recent handout it had this to say:

"The U.S. press had led many Americans to regard the war in Korea as a war to preserve democracy. Carefully concealed is the deliberate U.S. policy to methodically exterminate the Korean people."

American troops fighting in Korea are accused of committing atrocities and using such weapons as poison gas. In fact, the LYL says that in Korea "old people as well as children were tortured, burned and buried alive by U.S. soldiers on orders from U.S. officers."

That's quite a big hunk for an "off-campus political group."

Margin Notes

Miriam Willey, YWCA delegate to a World Conference of Christian Youth to be held the last two weeks in December in Travancore, India, is a shining example of the college student who sees beyond the ivy-covered walls into the realm of international understanding. Miss Willey will be taking an admirable bit of American culture and education to the conference with her and also to Europe and the Far East which she plans to visit from October until May.

In today's Daily Nebraskan Marty Lewis, junior class president, has written an open letter to members of the class and other University students explaining the work done by his officers and the junior class council.

The Women's Athletic association seems to have taken a step in the right direction by announcing that seven WAA positions, formerly appointive, are open for filing for the first time this year. Much corruption in national government, results from the political plums of appointive offices. WAA has the right idea to start straightening out the policies of our own organizations first.

Daily Thought

Scandal is like an egg: When it is hatched, it has wings.—Malay Proverb.

In Taft's Absence

The day-to-day political activities on this campus—which have been going at a rapid pace—will be centered today around Rep. Howard Buffett and Gen. Albert Wedemeyer. They will be presenting views of Sen. Robert Taft, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, at 8 p.m. in the Union ballroom.

The favorable part of the appearance by Congressman Buffett and General Wedemeyer is that University students will have a chance to find out about the stands of one of the strongest bidders for the GOP presidential nomination.

Taft supporters in Nebraska have been encouraging a write-in vote in the primary Tuesday for the Ohio Senator. Before voters consider writing-in Senator Taft's name, it is only fair to have the opportunity to find out first hand about the Ohio senator's attitude toward national issues.

Since Senator Taft is unable to appear in person, it is at least gratifying to know that Buffett and General Wedemeyer will appear on campus in his absence. Students would profit a great deal by this discussion for we can not dismiss lightly the possibility that Senator Taft may be the GOP nomination for president of the country.—J.K.

litical organization" to chew isn't it?

The LYL has also said: "Every day that we students, supposedly the best informed, the leader material of our country, remain silent in not voicing our desire for a return to peace and decency, we continue to share the collective guilt of our nation."

Maybe some LYL members ought to share a few more things our "our nation" such as the battleground or a foxhole in Korea. Things other than the freedom and liberty offered freely to them by the country they are attempting to destroy.

The Daily Nebraskan, as all other college newspapers, has been plagued with Communist propaganda. Before going into the wastebasket this literature has at least served a purpose: to provide a few laughs from "our comrades across the seas" and a continual reminder that the Communist goal is to infiltrate American minds with their blasphemy—a goal which must be recognized and squelched.—S.G.

Many Hours For One

It is unfortunate that some University instructors have the attitude that THEIR CLASS is the only class requiring outside work. Following this trend of thought, others seem to have forgotten the policy that two hours of work is generally agreed to be the maximum requirement for one credit hour.

The women's physical education department has stated it follows this theory when it requires three hours of class attendance for every credit hour. Therefore, no outside assignments should be made in phys ed classes.

However, coeds taking modern dance are required to read one book concerning a famous dancer and make a written or oral report on the book at the end of the semester. In addition, they are required to make-up original dances on their own time to be presented to the class. Certainly this is requiring much more work than an ordinary one hour course. If instructors wish to assign extra work without students getting credit, it would only be fair to reduce the number of hours required for class attendance.—S.A.

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What Am I Doing Here?

—Bob Reichenbach

Hats off to Bobby Decker for his article on the situation involving Jim Cederdahl which appeared in Tuesday's Daily Nebraskan! There was a good example of a man who knows what he is writing about and is not afraid to come out and say what he thinks. Decker and Marshall Kushner have created quite a stir on the pages of local papers with their comments on the issue. I agree with Decker in every respect.

Have you noticed how hard it is to hear any music or anything other than political speeches on the radio. It's kind of interesting to observe the stands taken by the various politicians. They all say about the same thing but each one tries to say it just a little more patriotically than the other. They are all against taxes (aren't we all), increased spending, etc. But all for the better understanding of the patronage, I guess.

Maybe you think that I don't know of anything about which I can write. You're right. As my closing shot, I would like to leave this bit of sage advice to all you potential columnists. Don't!

Letterip

'Buck-Passers'

Dear Editor:

If what Pat Wall said in her letter March 25 is true, University students are bigger "buck-passers-of-the-buck" than politicians seeking reelection. Anyone who indicts the University of weakening his faith is simply afraid to face the truth. Aren't such students simply trying to ease their consciences by blaming their own weaknesses on the University and college life?

Is it not true that University students have as strong a faith as other young men and women of comparable age not attending college? And is it not true that we all pass through a stage usually at college age, when we are impressed by light and frivolous living and lose some of our earlier faith? And, moreover, is it not true that when we are forced to take on adult responsibilities?

You, Miss Wall, have based your assumption on the testimony of two, and possible more, students who are obviously passing the buck. Those who let the influence of a minority of students called "Coed Betty's" and "College Joe's" could not have what you define as a strong faith before their entrance into the University. And does the student who accused the University or University life of weakening his faith realize the extent of the religious facilities on the campus? Does he realize that there are probably more facilities here to provide him with a strong faith than there are in his home town? And, does he realize that the student pastors, when given half a chance, will probably make a greater effort to help him than his home town minister? What more could be injected into University life to insure the faith of students?

I don't know how other students have been affected by University life, but I do know that through the influence of classes, outside reading and new friends, I have gained a much stronger faith in the few months I have been here. Maybe I am one of a minority. However, I have good reason to believe otherwise.

Sincerely, DICK RALSTON

Main Feature Clock

Scheduled Furnished by Theaters Esquire: "One Foot in Heaven," 7:24, 9:23.

Varsity: "Death of a Salesman," 1:00, 3:08, 5:16, 7:24, 9:32.

State: "Indian Uprising," 2:19, 4:48, 7:17, 9:46. "G.I. Jane," 1:17, 3:46, 6:15, 8:44.

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Death of a Salesman

—POLITICAL GUIDE—

Republicans For Governor

'Youngest' Donner The youngest candidate for governor in either party this year is John D. Donner, 36, a Republican gubernatorial hopeful.

Dr. 'Habit' Walker Running for the Republican nomination for governor has almost become a habit with Dr. Arthur B. Walker of Lincoln.

An Elgin farmer and thoroughbred livestock auctioneer, he is part owner of the Bar Cross farm, which produces seed corn.

April 1 will be his fourth straight attempt to secure the gubernatorial nomination. He unsuccessfully opposed Val Peterson in 1946, 1948 and 1950.

Although Donner has been active in young Republican work in Antelope county, he has never held a political office.

Walker, 71, has endorsed Hugh Butler and Dwight Griswold for senator and Robert Taft for president.

He advocates sound efficiency in all branches of government with emphasis on economy. He has stated that he is against all tax laws which are not absolutely essential to the "general improvement of the conditions of our state."

His platform consists of seven main points: 1. Higher old age pensions and old age insurance 2. Increased qualifications and salaries for teachers 3. More flood control and electric power 4. Re-enactment of the bicameral legislature in Nebraska 5. Increased industry and farm products factories 6. Re-enactment of the Slocum law with sharper teeth or prohibition 7. End to manslaughter and murder of pedestrians and automobile drivers.

He did not receive the endorsement of the pre-primary convention.

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'Familiar' Swanson Few primary elections during the last 20 years have failed to see the candidacy of the handlebar mustache of Andrew E. Swanson, retired Polk farmer and stockman.

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Making it a practice of running for public office nearly every two years, Swanson has now set his eye on the Republican nomination for governor.

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Although an officer in farm organizations, Swanson has never been successful in any of his candidacies. He has run for county treasurer in Boone and Polk counties, the state legislature, lieutenant governor, governor and congressman.

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His latest bid was last fall when he was an unsuccessful candidate for the unexpired term of congressman from the third district.

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In 1950, after announcing that he would contest Gov. Val Peterson's bid for re-election, he attempted to withdraw from the election and run as a Democratic candidate for governor. Told this was illegal, he then entered the race for lieutenant governor in the August primary. He was defeated by Charles J. Warner, 82,323 to 32,351.

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Chords And Discords Local Combo Receives Magazine Acclaim

A local group is finally receiving some long overdue credit. This month's issue of a leading music magazine published a picture and story on Jimmy Phillip's combo. Phillip's outfit is one of the best in the Midwest and it is good news when a top-notch crew receives acclaim.

KNUS On The Air

870 ON YOUR DIAL THURSDAY 3:00 "Interlude" 3:15 "Big 7 Sports Scope" 3:30 "Radio Workshop Players" 3:45 "Ag Notes" 4:00 "Something for the Girls" 4:15 "Holiday Inn" 4:30 "Your Top Ten" 5:00 Sign Off

Ray Anthony's new releases "For Dancers Only" and "I Hear a Rhapsody" are another sad story in the epic of Anthony's prolonged career. Rhapsody is a dance side, so the song implies, but it is a sad sounding disc. "For Dancers Only" sounds like the rhythm men had lead in their hands when it was recorded. Ray's men are heavy and leaden and the sax section sounds like they haven't had sleep in days.



Cohen

The brightest release of the week is Buddy De Franco's "Swing Low, Sweet Clarinet." This disc features the Dave Lambert singers and Pat Collins vocalizing, with Buddy playing great clarinet. The band is polished and the sax section is impressive.

Innocents Award All organized men's houses are to turn in their information for the Innocents Scholarship Activities award by Tuesday, April 1.

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Ella Fitzgerald's "I Don't Want to Take a Chance" is a good ballad and Ella gives it the full treatment. It not only

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