

EDITORIAL PAGE

Rewards Of Public Service

Politics, it seems is a tough racket. Persons of integrity and high purpose who venture into the field with the advantage of a good background and a liberal education are undoubtedly very keenly aware of this.

Former Daily Nebraskan Editor and now Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr. was placed in such a predicament several days ago. A news story datelined Chicago quoted Federal District Judge William J. Campbell as saying, "Communist police tactics" were involved in a deportation action allegedly initiated by Brownell.

The incident involved what the story termed a "Chicago gangster" being whisked away before a writ of habeas corpus could be heard.

Notwithstanding the possible validity or good taste involved in Judge Campbell's statement, it illustrates the hazards one is subjected to in the political arena.

A politician or public servant who acts de-

cisively and with good motive usually finds that he has stepped on someone's toes. Rarely encountered is the situation when everyone is pleased by a public servant's policies.

Because of conflict of interests found in politics those entering the field are, if essentially honest, either foolishly unaware of the risk or extremely courageous.

For, in addition to being exposed to the scrutiny of the newspapers and the public, the remuneration is hardly equal to corresponding civilian positions of responsibility.

In fact, there are surprisingly few motives for going into politics. Prestige, service and, in certain cases (fortunately few), the possibility of monetary gain through illegal conniving are just about the only reasons one would venture into the field.

Success in politics is sometimes gauged by the number of enemies one makes during a career; it is unusual for a politician who really accomplished something to go unscathed while in office.

In the case of Brownell, the criticisms have not been many nor have they been answered by counter-criticisms and the mudslinging sometimes resorted to by others in the Republican political family.

It is unfortunate that frequently society judges public officials by their shortcomings alone and fails to consider the un-headlined, high-principled work of the many who are truly the servants of the people.—E.D.

Voice Of The Free

In reading about the 23 Americans who have refused repatriation in the Korean prisoner exchange, we had the most peculiar sensation we've had in a long time.

Here were 23 U.S. soldiers who were convinced that "America is embarked on a war policy." Twenty-three young men who had lived in the United States for probably more than 20 years, attended American schools for 8, 12 or more years and been trained by the United States Army.

But here they were, smoking Chinese cigars, wishing Communists good luck and promising to see them later.

Although perhaps 23 out of the total number of prisoners repatriated is a small enough percentage of deserters, the fact remains that these men did not make a "percentage" decision. When the time came for a choice between the United States and Communism, each man committed himself 100 per cent—not just admitting that the Communists may have had a grain of truth in their favor.

Granted that the 23 may have succumbed to Communist brainwashing, it sounds strange to hear Americans say:

"Our staying behind does not change the fact that we are Americans. We love our country and our people... (But unfortunately under present conditions in America, the voice of those who speak out for peace and freedom are rapidly being silenced. We do not intend to give the American government the chance of silencing our voices too."

We may never know just how silent their voices will be when the Communists have exhausted their opportunities for propaganda. But the 23 will know.—K.R.

KK Precedent

Kosmet Klub's action in lifting the restrictions governing eligibility to enter the annual fall revue, making it possible for all organized houses to take an active part in the show, is the first one of its type on the University campus this year.

The change makes it possible for many University students who were automatically out-of-the-running for any laurels in the production to take an active part in an activity which brings enjoyment to a great percentage of University students, those who see and present the program.

It will be difficult for groups who have never taken part in a program of this type to present a skit of the caliber found in the KK show. It would be if an organized house, previously barred from taking part in the production, would come through with an act that would make the revue.

The action is a commendable one—the University would be enriched if there were more of them.—T.W.

Margin Notes

Twenty-Five Years The abstract ideal of the teaching profession is that of dedication to the teaching and molding of youth. As all ideals do, this one must occasionally become lost in the day-to-day hum-drum of work. Teachers must become depressed with the apparent hopelessness of imparting knowledge and values to their charges. To those five University faculty members honored for 25 years of service to their ideal we say, "Your dedication is recognized and deeply appreciated, not only by your fellow staff members, but by your students."

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LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS by Dick Bibler



"Boy, I'd hate to be going into THAT locker room!"

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God Has A Place On Campus

- HILLEL SERVICES Sept. 24-Tifereth Israel Synagogue, 18 and L Sts., 8 p.m., reception following services. AG STUDENT HOUSE Sept. 27-Church service, 11 a.m. Ag Youth Fellowship, 5:30 p.m., Sunday Cost Supper Program, and Worship, 7 p.m. Sept. 28-Group Bible Study, 7:30 p.m., all independent students invited. Sept. 30-Bible Study, IVCF, 5 p.m. LUTHERAN STUDENT FOUNDATION 535 No. 16th Sept. 27-Joint Ag City LSA picnic, 3 p.m.; meet at city campus or Ag Campus House. Bible class, 9:15 a.m. Sept. 29-Vespers, 7:15 p.m. Sept. 30-Religion course, 7:15 p.m. Oct. 1-Matins, 7:15 a.m. Choir, 7:15 p.m. LUTHERAN STUDENT HOUSE 1200 N. 37th Sept. 27-9:15 a.m., Bible class. METHODIST STUDENT HOUSE 1417 R St. Sept. 25-"Alice in Wonderland" party, 7:45 p.m. Sept. 27-Wesley Fireside, 5 p.m., "Why Study the Bible." Mr. Dale Weese, speaker. Sept. 29-Kappa Phi big-little sister banquet, 6:15 p.m., Union. Sigma Theta Epsilon Banquet, 6:30 p.m., Student House. CHRISTIAN STUDENT FELLOWSHIP Sept. 27-Bethany Christian Church, Cotner and Aylesworth Sts., 5 p.m. East Line Church, 27th and Y Sts., 5:30 p.m. First Christian, 16th and K Sts., 5:30 p.m. Tabernacle, 20th and South Sts., 7 p.m. PRESBYTERIAN-CONGREGATIONAL STUDENT HOUSE Sept. 27-Supper forum program, "Faith of a College Student," 6:30 p.m., Rex Knowles, speaker. Sept. 28-"Why Believe?" discussion group, 7 a.m. Sept. 29-"Why Worship?" discussion group, 5 p.m.

On The Aisle 'The Moon Is Blue' -Banned, But Good

By BOB SPEARMAN If you're like most people, you've probably already seen "The Moon Is Blue." Just in case you haven't seen it—or your friends' opinion isn't enough to convince you that it is a good movie, I'll add my two cents worth. (I really don't get two cents for this column, but then I'll add my recommendations anyway.) "The Moon Is Blue" is different. The play was a three-year success on Broadway. The movie has been a success everywhere it has been shown. The local showing has had a long line of "waiters" for every running. You are missing a bet if you don't see this wonderful, spicy comedy. Spicy? Yes, it's spicy, sophisticated, and just a little daring.

Maggie McNamara, William Holden and David Niven all flavor the spice with some wonderful acting. One thing that you'd never find out from the movie is the fact that the taxi-driver who appears in a bit part is in reality Otto Preminger, who wrote and produced both the play and movie.

The story of this once in a blue moon movie is about love. Let's admit that love is an old story; goes back as far as a couple of folks by the name of Adam and Eve. This love story is about a girl and an architect. The girl really wants to be an actress, but since she wants to be married more than she wants to be theatrical, we'll just call her a girl. She goes to the architect's apartment on a rainy

Main Feature Clock (Schedules Furnished by Theaters) Varsity: "The Moon Is Blue," 1:09, 3:13, 5:17, 7:21, 9:25. State: "Salome," 1:10, 3:53, 6:36, 9:20. "The Secret Sharer," 2:53, 5:36, 8:20.

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PRESBY HOUSE Faith of a College Student Rex Knowles Sunday, Sept. 27, 5:30 Supper 25c

The Student Speaking Stern Thoughts

By ARNIE STERN This boy journalist stuff is really rough! After spending eight hours on the Law Library, I'm plugging away at this type-writer with half-closed eyes and a weary mind. Not that I'm a bookworm, mind you. I'm leaving town for the weekend, and I don't want to get too far behind. I hope the football squad is feeling the same way.

Speaking of football, the season is really here now that the World Series is upon us. I saw the game last Saturday, and, while I was disappointed in the team, I was more disgusted with those "loyal Cornhusker fans."

I'm not referring to the booing, although that too was disgusting, but to the lack of lung support from students. From where I sat (Section 3) only the Freshmen Pep Squad was joining the cheerleaders in huzzahs for the team. That is really poor.

I am sure that the some 80 million television viewers of that game are convinced that the University of Nebraska has no cheering section. The cheers and yells from the East Stadium crowd must have sounded like about 20 sick mice bemoaning hangovers.

It may be that the cheers and yells sound silly to many of you sophisticates, but they sound pretty good to the team. The team is trying on the field, so let's give them our audible support.

I, for one, am going to make an honest effort to support the cheerleaders and the team. If you hear the radio broadcast of the Illinois game tomorrow, listen carefully for the Nebraska cheering section. It will be me, and I promise to yell 'til I'm hoarse.

I want to take this opportunity to put in a plug for the University Theater and its always superb productions. The Temple crew has some fine selections planned for this year, and I urge everyone to buy a season ticket. You can't beat this kind of high-class entertainment anywhere, especially at such a low price. See any Kosmet Klub member or worker for

tickets to some wonderful plays. I personally will guarantee the most enjoyable theater season in any and all purchasers of season tickets.

Some editorial writer was bemoaning the fact that the Student Council was a once-a-week organization. This has been no contention for a number of years. I have long felt that the Council was merely a body in name, with emblems and shirts and no power. I think we can do away with the Council. (Pardon me, RGY.)

If we need a body for student government, I think the Faction—oops, the All University Party—would do the job well. The Faction claims no powers, but fights for everything it gets. The problems of such a switch are easily solved.

I am sure Mr. Lake will leave the Union open late one night a week for meetings, and any room can easily be filled with smokers at atmosphere. Cigars are readily obtainable in the Crib, and the DB&G is only a few blocks away.

With the Faction as the governing body I am sure that the parking situation would be cleared up in a matter of days, and likewise with the many other "problems" of the Council. The Student Council is merely a suggestion box for faculty committees to waste their time with. The Faction, with no constitution, would submit to no one but the students. Granted, of course, that wider representation be given in the AUP.

In closing I want to make two pleas. First, for the sake of other car drivers, don't use more parking space than you need. Second, for the pleasure of TV viewers and the Lincoln City Council, repair your hair dryers and electric razors. To quote Ajon Farber, Daily Nebraskan columnist of the 1949-50 season, "Over and out."

Chickles By CHICK TAYLOR THE FOLLOWING WERE TAKEN AT RANDOM FROM NUR'S EXAM PAPERS.

Crooning is a special noise made by men in love. An inhibition is like an exhibition. Trigonometry is when a lady marries three men at the same time. A virgin forest is a forest in which the hand of man has never set foot.

Name six animals peculiar to the Arctic regions... Three bears and three seals. In preparation for the channel crossing Caesar built 18 new vesicles—vesicles—vesicles—botes.

Robinson Caruso was a great singer who lived on an island.

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