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THE DAYS OF LONG AGO

Fifty-Five Years Ago

The Frontier, August 13, 1885
The foundation for the new school house is finished.
James Brennan went up to Valentine last evening to work for the railroad company.

Fifty Years Ago

The Frontier, August 14, 1890
From all parts of the county comes the cheering news that the corn crop is better than ever before and so we all rejoice.
O. P. Biglin and wife are rejoicing over the arrival at their home Monday of a bouncing baby boy.

Forty Years Ago

The Frontier, August 16, 1900
It is stated that several of the smaller stations on the Short Line will be closed as they do not furnish sufficient business to keep them in operation.
Tom Coyne returned home Sunday evening, having resigned his position at the State Penitentiary where he had been employed as a guard. He expects to attend school at Fremont.

Thirty Years Ago

The Frontier, August 10, 1910
Work of installing the sewer system is progressing rapidly. Contractor Donohoe now has about fifty employed upon the work.

Twenty Years Ago

The Frontier, August 12, 1920
Dr. L. A. Burgess and Miss Hazel Walker, both of this city were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker at Page, Nebr., at 6:30 this morning. Rev. Ralph Fagan, of the Methodist church officiating.

Ten Years Ago

Ross Amspoker, of Springfield, won the republican nomination for state senator over F. J. Brady of Atkinson, with a majority of 182 votes in the district.
Mrs. John Carney returned home Sunday from a three weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Cherry at Denver.



LEAGUE OF NATIONS?

With the arrival of Mr. C. J. Hambro of Norway, head of the League of Nations, "feelers" are being sent out relative to this country's invitation to the League of Nations to make its headquarters here. Some of the officials of the League are reported in Canada and a report is current that the International secretary of the League may open offices in this continent soon. In these discussions, it is brought out that whether Americans like it or not, a "League of American Nations" is practically formed. In time to come the voice of Mr. Hambro will be heard more loudly providing peace does not come soon to the world. Hambro is one of the most eloquent orators in Europe, and he knows the American people better than most Europeans. He is a banker of international acquaintance. Before Germany marched into Poland last August and when representatives of many countries were assembled, listening to speeches on world affairs in Oslo, Norway, and when European delegates demanded "What is America going to do?" Mr. Hambro in his speech to the delegates had this to say in part: "If any nation on earth should be called upon to do its bit to solve the problems of the world, it should be the United States, whose population owns kinship with all the nations of Europe and is indebted to all, in that all have contributed to construct and build up the United States of today." Many American delegates did not agree with Mr. Hambro's statement.

Despite Federal expenditures of over 60 billion in the past seven and one-half years—much of it borrowed money—some experts estimate that we still have more than nine million unemployed. Half a million farm families, at this time, have little, if any, substantial outlook. No matter how much money is going to be spent for national defense, some WPA officials figure there will be from eight to nine million unemployed throughout the year. The unemployment problem is still a gigantic one in our land.

The new Army of Federal workers coming to town is carefully checked by all kinds of businesses here. They have a great system. The hotels, rooming and boarding houses, the society racketeers and the merchants are closely allied to get the biggest chunk of what these regularly paid Federal workers get every two weeks. The photograph racket is one of the big items. Soon as the new employee arrives in town somebody calls him or her up and tells them the society editor of a newspaper wants their picture. The racket rarely misses fire and hundreds of thousands of pictures are sold.

In the debate on the Commodity Credit Corporation legislation, it developed that there has been comparatively little loss so far as corn loans are concerned. The big loss is in cotton loans. These have run close to 25 million dollars.

Charles Ammon of Lincoln, head of Nebraska's committee of "100" came to town the other day to join the army of other industrial men who are interested in the national defense program. C. W. Motter, Secretary of the Fremont Chamber of Commerce, has been here for a week, exploring the industrial phases of national defense and acquainting the National Defense Council with the facilities of the Fremont area for the supply of national defense materials. Representatives of nearly every big town in the United States are here and some of them have elaborate offices and a large staff of office workers. American businessmen are in the Nation's Capital after big business these days. All of them are reading the hearings on the recently passed five billion dollar supplemental appropriation bill.

At the present time, letters from home are against compulsory military training in the ratio of about ten to one. Many writers feel that the army and navy have not exhausted efforts to secure voluntary enlistments. Many opponents are demanding the conscription of wealth in case a selective service bill is passed. It is quite certain now that proponents of the draft bill may no longer insist on registration of men from the ages of 18 to 64 and may concentrate their fight on registration of those aged

19 to 31. Those fighting against the war hysteria are not forgetting that only a few weeks ago the Administration was advocating the registration of women as well as men. One plan was also to conscript for suitable types of national defense training girls between the ages of 18 and 20. The opposition group will fight desperately for the elimination of many of the plans in the original program which went far afield from any reasonable plan to recruit our armed forces up to necessary strength for actual national defense.

Mary Eason and Laura Roup of North Bend, Nebraska, experienced Washington's wave of purse snatching the other night. They were returning home when two colored men ran up behind them and snatched at their purses. Miss Roup told friends that the thieves got the handle of her purse but ran away without the loot after she screamed at the top of her voice. The police say the town is full of criminals of all kinds and purse snatching is on the daily program of many thieves who have come to town with the army of other people from all parts of the country. More than 200,000 colored people live here. Almost daily, raids are being made on places of vice by the police.

Nebraska and Iowa were well represented in impressive Memorial military field mass which was celebrated in Arlington cemetery on Sunday, May 26. Rev. Patrick N. McDermott of Atlantic, Iowa, who is national chaplain of the American Legion celebrated Mass. Frances P. Mathews, supreme knight of the Knights of Columbus from Omaha was also present. Practically all of the Nebraska and Iowa Members of Congress were there. All day long the cemetery where sleep thousands of our service men was crowded with visitors. Rev. Patrick McDermott opened Congress with prayer Monday noon and was given a reception by Members from the Middlewestern states. He is popularly known as "Father Pat" by the service men here and at home.

Some naval experts here feel that when the new Atlantic fleet is completed and equipped, the army can eliminate many men. The navy boys believe the reason we are now recruiting or planning to recruit up to 1,200,000 men is to temporarily do what the two navies will be able to do later. They think safety from invasion is a navy and aviation job.

The Appropriations Committee of the House is holding meetings on what may be the last deficiency bill of this session. No one yet knows what the grand total of this appropriation bill is to be. One important item will be about forty million dollars which will be needed to keep the interest rates on Federal Land Bank and Commissioner loans at three and a half percent.

Roy Marquardt, who, a few years ago, used to shine shoes in Bill Faubel's barber shop in Norfolk, is now a lawyer in the Social Security Department here in Washington. Like many other young Nebraskans who got government jobs here, Roy went to law school at night.

Cash Reynolds of Fremont does business via airplane. He left Omaha at 6:30 one morning; transacted business in Detroit the same afternoon and registered in a Washington hotel at 8:30 the same night. The next morning he transacted business in Washington and later in the day he was in Philadelphia finishing up his business.

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Speaking of doing business via airplanes, a high official in the State Department makes the trip to Europe from New York in twenty-five hours; flies to various capitals in Europe and frequently is back at his desk in Washington two weeks later. And this is done during war in Europe.

Reporters have about everything they want to know about Senator McNary now except the hour of the day or night that he was born. McNary told them he didn't know but he is writing back home to find out.

The House and Senate have now passed a bill to allow American ships to bring refugee children from war zones. The House amended the bill which would eliminate the danger of adults taking advantage of the opportunity to come here and also amended the bill which would eliminate the danger of adults taking advantage of the opportunity to come here and also amended the bill so that Americans who want to take the foreign children must surely become responsible for their care. Those opposing the bill, did so fearing that even when belligerent nations had approved the plan, the ships might hit floating mines and encounter other incidents that would induce hysteria in this country and plunge us into war. Although proponents of the measure claimed it wouldn't cost taxpayers any money, Appropriation Committee members say they have already been asked to provide about \$150,000 to police the homes of people who take these children in order that the government could keep in contact with the movement. About 50,000 children are expected to be brought over, mostly from England. Most of them are coming on temporary visiting passports. The British annual quota is 65,000. It is expected that at least 100,000 people from England, including children may come here within the next six months. A New York Committee is raising \$5,000,000 to help in this movement.

Andrew May, Kentucky, Chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee holding hearings on the selective service bill, figures it should be in the House in two weeks. He reopened hearings on the bill responsive to requests of opponents of the measure. When he called General Pershing to come up to testify, he was told that the General was unable to do so because of his physical condition. It was hoped that former Secretary of War Woodring would be one of the witnesses for the opponents. Many amendments to the original measure and hopes are expressed that some compromise may be reached whereby the voluntary enlistment program will be given a real test before there is resort to conscription.

The House passed a bill to authorize the F. B. I. to tap wires in its fight against the Fifth Column and to aid in national defense. Members were assured that it will not be a general wire-tapping business.

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but permits the F. B. I. to keep pace with the fifth columnists in intercepting wire messages. The Bureau of Investigation must secure the consent of the Attorney General in any particular case of wire tapping. The right to tap wires was abridged by Congress during prohibition days when excessive snooping into the private lives of citizens was charged. A lot of safeguards are provided in the new permission.

About the busiest man in Washington these days is Col. Starling, who is in charge of the White House secret service. His relatives say that the Colonel is the "busiest man in the world."

William Buetow of Wayne, Nebraska, has been in Washington for several days visiting relatives. It is his first trip east of the Missouri river and he is overwhelmed by the activity in the East. He believes the East does not understand the Midwest. "I am impressed with the many factories in these towns," he says. Farmers out here don't work like our farmers. They don't have the livestock and don't depend on their own farms for a living. They work in the factories in the towns and get what they can out of their farms. We have to depend on everything we get from our farms for a living."

Governors and Attorneys General from many states have been attending a conference here, called to co-ordinate the efforts of state and Federal Governments to protect America from Fifth Columnists. These state officials heard a message from the President and heard talks by J. Edgar Hoover and Attorney General Jackson and certain State Department officials. They were told that witch-hunting tactics and vigilante methods are out. Governor Cochran and Attorney General Johnson of Nebraska were among those present at the meetings.

The House went to work in earnest on Tuesday when it passed the \$25,000,000 appropriation bill for additional facilities for the TVA. The argument in favor of the bill is national defense. Those favoring it did so on the testimony of the heads of our new National Defense Commission, who asserted that the United States is short of aluminum and nowhere else in the country can sufficient power be developed to remedy this defect. Opponents claimed steam plants could do the work more economically and they feared that federal money was being used to build hydro plants to help out the aluminum trust.

Mike McGreer, veteran pensions

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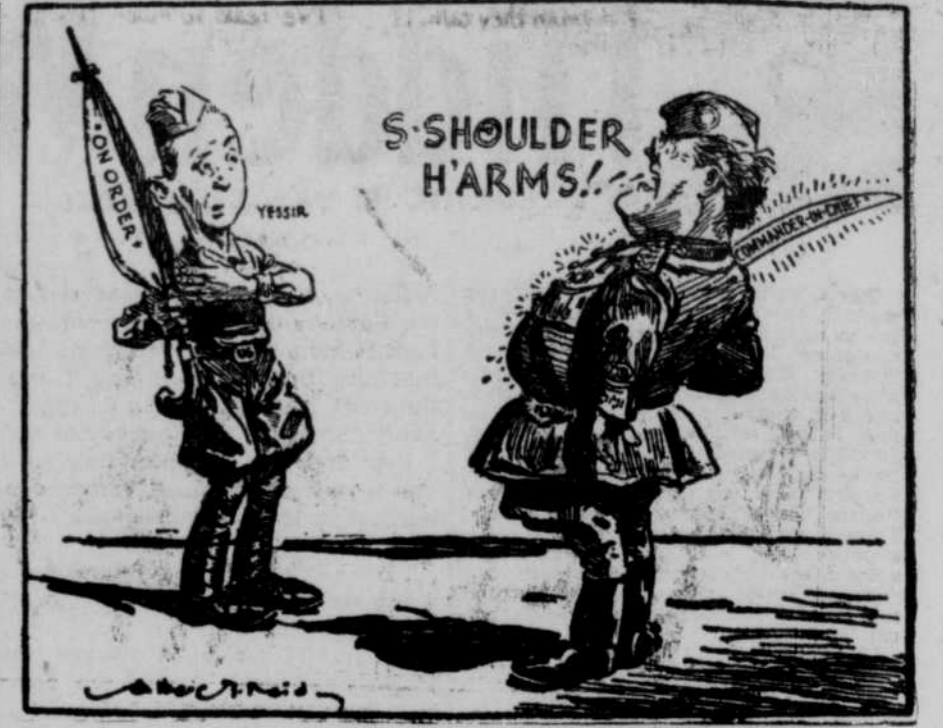
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expert is back in Washington following his annual visit to Greeley, Nebraska. He reports severe damage to the corn crop and hot weather. But McGreer admits 100 in Washington is hotter than 110 in Greeley.

Recent visitors to the Third Congressional District office include the following: Mr. and Mrs. James Kudrna of Lincoln; Sylvia Prokes, Trizah Cox and Clara Tichacek, all of Schuyler; Mary Jean Lauvets of Wahoo, Hon. Arthur J. Weaver, former Governor of Nebraska, and his son, Philip Weaver, of Falls City; Miss Mary Eason, who formerly lived in North Bend; Mrs. Ralph Lynch, who used to live in Wayne; and C. J. Reynolds of Fremont.

Lutheran Notes

There will be no Lutheran service at the Episcopal church this Sunday.

Our O'Neill friends are invited to attend the mission rally at Chambers.

R. W. Fricke, Pastor Chambers.

METHODIST CHURCH V. C. Wright, Minister

Sunday School 10 a. m., H. B. Burch, Superintendent.
Public Worship 11:00 a. m.
Epworth League meeting 7:30 p. m.

Last Quarterly Conference will be Thursday evening, August 29, at eight o'clock, Rev. C. H. Prouty presiding.
The church's year closes August 31.

Rev. R. D. Ibach of the Lynch Methodist church will preach at the Dorsey church on Sunday, August 25, at 3:00 P. M. Sunday school will be held at 2:00 P. M., previous to the worship service. All are invited to attend.

Carroll Heyden, of Plainview, was before County Judge Reimer on August 10th, on a complaint signed by Patrolman Russell, charging him with having a delinquent driver's license. He pled guilty to the charge and was fined \$2.00 and costs.

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