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Many of our readers have doubtless thoughtlessly allowed their subscription to run along year after year, and we ask them now to come in and settle.

Payment of these little bills mean a good deal to the publisher as they run into hundreds of dollars. So we trust you will call, settle up, and start 1941 with a clean slate.

THE DAYS OF LONG AGO

Fifty-Five Years Ago

The Frontier, January 21, 1886
Mrs. James Mullen, of Agee, started Tuesday morning on a visit to her former home in Kingston, Canada.

The two biggest hogs of the season came into market Monday from the Redbird country. One was brought in by George Ridgeway and the other by P. Kelly and weighed 515 and 514 pounds respectively.

Fifty Years Ago

The Frontier, January 23, 1891
Ed Welton came down from Chadron Tuesday morning. Ed and his brother, Charlie, have been scouting for the government during the Indian trouble.

"It's a girl," said Mike Mullen as he handed a Frontier representative a fragrant Havana yesterday afternoon.

Clyde King, who went to Ancon, Wash., about a month ago, surprised his many friends here by returning to the city Friday evening, that country being a little too wet for him. He expects to remain.

Forty Years Ago

The Frontier, January 17, 1901
James Weekes died Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. P. Hicks of this city. He was 86 years of age and grandfather of S. J. and Harry Weekes of this city.

The criminal libel suit brought by Ex-County Attorney Butler against the editor of The Frontier was dismissed by County Attorney Mullen last Friday, the latter informing the court that he had looked the matter up carefully and was convinced that there was no chance for a conviction on the charge and as the prosecuting attorney of Holt County dismissed the charge.

Thirty Years Ago

The census of 1910 shows the population of O'Neill to be 2,087.

The remains of Mrs. Hannah Gibbons, who died at her home in Butte, Mont., arrived here Monday for interment accompanied by her son, Miles, and daughter, Margaret.

Mrs. Garrett Janzing died suddenly at Omaha last Sunday, the remains being brought home and her funeral held from St. Patrick's church on Wednesday.

Twenty Years Ago

The Frontier, January 20, 1921
E. F. Barnes, of Atkinson, was elected president, Jacob Hirsch, of O'Neill, vice president, and Peter Duffy, secretary of the Holt

County Fair Association at the meeting at the K. C. Hall Monday.

Fred Watson, of Amelia, who the forepart of the month completed a four year term as member of the Holt County board of supervisors is again a member of the board, having been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the failure of Samuel Riley, also of Amelia, who was elected last fall, to qualify.

Ten Years Ago

The Frontier, January 22, 1931

The wedding of Thomas Donlin and Mrs. Anna Harrington was solemnized at the 7 o'clock mass Thursday morning, January 15, 1931, by Monsignor M. F. Cassidy. Miss Geraldine Cronin, of Chicago, came Tuesday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

BRIEFLY STATED

Front Quarter of Beef, 13½¢; Hind Quarter of Beef 15½¢ at Council Oak Store. 37-1

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ruzicka entertained at their home on Monday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schulte, who left for Brookings, S. D., on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bob Lucas returned on Sunday from California, where she visited friends, and from Denver, Colo., where she attended the Live Stock Show held there last week.

Bill Biglin, a student at Creighton University, Omaha, is expected home to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Biglin.

Jimmie Herre, a student at the University of Nebraska, is expected home to spend the weekend here visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Herre.

C. E. Jones, manager of the Central Finance company, and Melvin Cezik drove to Norfolk on Thursday, where they attended a meeting of company employees.

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There has been a large number of highway accidents during the past six weeks. When will people learn that speed and icy roads does not add to safety. They had better spend a few hours longer getting

to their destination and get there, than try and break speed records and land in a hospital or a mortuary.

Jack Kersensbrock and Jack Vincent, both students at the University of Nebraska, arrived here on Wednesday to spend a few days visiting their parents.

C. S. Cappel, of Grand Island, District Traffic Manager for the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, was in O'Neill, Wednesday on business.

Group One of the Presbyterian Guild will serve lunches commencing at 11 o'clock, Saturday, January 25, 1941, in Golden Hotel corner.

Mrs. Mike Timlin, of Casper, Wyo., arrived here on Sunday evening and is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Frank Kubitsek, and other relatives.

C. J. Coffey and son, John, of Wichita Falls, Texas, who came up to attend the funeral of their brother and uncle, Dan E. Coffey, left for their home last Friday.

Mrs. Ira Moss entertained the Martez Club at a seven o'clock dinner at the M & M Cafe on Monday evening, followed by cards at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Nelson and daughters returned to Norfolk on Sunday evening, after spending the week end here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Reardon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark left on Monday for their home at Buffalo, South Dakota, after attending the funeral of Dan Coffey and visiting at the home of Mrs. M. R. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. McPharlin and sons, of Buffalo, S. D., left for home last Saturday, after attending the funeral of Dan Coffey here and spending a couple of days with relatives and friends.

Miss LeVeta Lehn, vice-president of the North District Dental Assistants Association, went to Norfolk on Sunday, where she attended the quarterly meeting of the association.

Oscar Newman returned last Monday after a seven weeks trip through the southland. He left here about December 7, went to Texas, Louisiana and other southern states and met many former residents of this county on his trip.

Robert Schulz went to Norfolk on Tuesday of last week to visit his mother-in-law, Mrs. William Lieberman, who was seriously ill. He returned home Friday. Mrs. Schulz had gone down Monday morning and she is still there with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Thomas, of Washington, Mo., arrived here on Sunday to visit at the home of Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Protivinsky. Mr. Thomas returned to Washington on Monday, but Mrs. Thomas remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. J. M. Hayes, Mrs. Paul Shierk and Mrs. W. N. Graves entertained seven tables of bridge at the home of Mrs. Shierk on Thursday evening. Mrs. Donald Andersen won high score, Mrs. Frank Parkins, traveling prize, Mrs. C. F. Grill the all cut and Mrs. Gordon Kuska, low score.

Colleen and Kathleen O'Sullivan arrived Sunday to visit their great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hicks, of this city. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Terry O'Sullivan, nee Gertudene Bowden, and grandmother, Adeline Bowden, all of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

If the congress grants to the President the power that he asks for in the present Lend Lease bill now before congress, they might as well adjourn and go home, for they will have delegated all their powers to the executive, and in fact made him a dictator. Whether they will or not remains to be seen.



The last meeting in the House in the Seventy-sixth Congress, also the last meeting in the Ways and Means Committee Room in the New House Office building before resumption of use of the House Chamber, brought forth praise and criticism of the president's radio speech on aid to England "short of war." One leading democrat interpreted the speech as a "presidential declaration of war." Others felt that if we get into the war it will mean national bankruptcy and a possible totalitarian form of government. Others believed that we can aid England "short of war" and yet stay out of war. The gen-

eral feeling among members is that 90 percent of the American people want to stay out of war and yet give England all possible assistance short of war. As the new congress opened for business, the impression is that a vote to declare war at this time would be defeated in both the House and the Senate.

Many new faces appear in the new Congress. Many older members have filed for better office quarters, and there is general moving day activity in both House Office buildings. New members take offices vacated by old members. The Third District office remains where it has been for the past four years, which is on the ground floor of the New House Office Building. The office number is 1017.

Sub-committees of the House Appropriations Committee have been meeting almost every day for the past few weeks. Before these committees appear department heads and bureau chiefs to justify appropriations estimated to be essential to operate their activities for the fiscal year. Most estimates are increased as compared to the preceding year. It will cost the taxpayer a lot more money to run the business of the government during the next fiscal year than it did last year notwithstanding a general administration request to hold down regular appropriations.

With the exception of a few farewell speeches and eulogies of leaders, there was little ceremony attending the ending of the record-breaking Seventy-sixth congress. A few speeches forecasting that the question of war would be much debated in the new congress contributed the closing scenes. The thirty-six billion dollar congress broke

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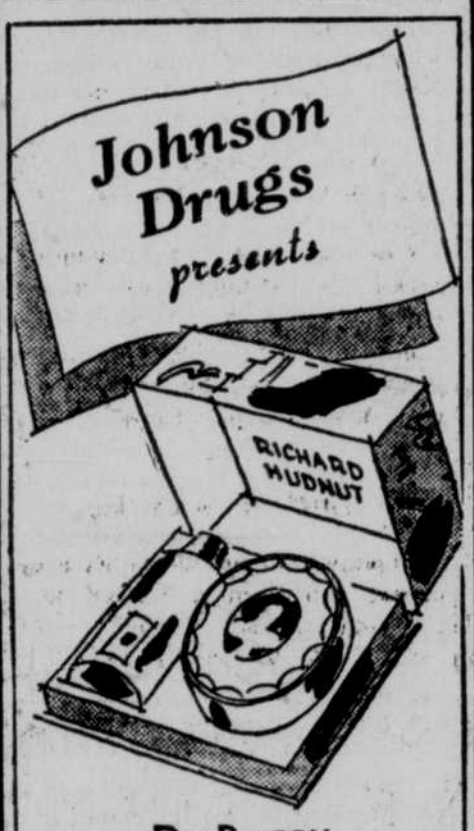
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