

try, with the hirst scheduled to take place at Boston on April 30, and the second at Kansas City in May. Two others have been definitely decided upon and it is understood that five get-togethers will be had. At these House Loudly Applauds Connery's Speech And Passes Bill Shortly gatherings it is hoped to crystalize platform declarations and make clear, as far as possible at this time, the position of the Republican party."

PLANNING PARTY'S FUTURE

through the House to an over-Some speculation, naturally whelmingly favorable vote arises as to whether or not Mr. Thursday was praised for his ef-Hoover has his eye on the nomforts in a short speech from the ination of his party in 1936. floor by Representative Connery, Certainly, he intends to give of Massachusetts, during discus and as titular leader to assume sion of the bill.

some responsibility for minority leadership that heretofore has not consider one of the great conbeen too explicit. Whether he gressmen. a great American, a hopes to head the ticket is un-certain although Senator Barbour, of New Jersey, says he would be a "good candidate." At this stage of the contest political hopes to head the ticket is un-

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stage of the contest political observers do not expect any statement from Mr. Hoover, be-cause regardless of his intenit is better strategy to quiet. The probability is Doughton, of North Carolina," explained last night by Representations. keep the friends of the Former The House rang with applause tive Bowie, of Ashe, as both President will keep the gate open and watch developments. The House rang with applause ifter Connery's speech, and it was only a short time later that the bill was passed by a vote of the bill was passed by a vote of boldays.

Mr. Hoover, it is said, in his conferences, discussed means of getting the campaign against the Doughton had pointed out that Doughton had pointed out that the bill was passed by a tote of home By prearrangement they con-sidered local bills only, and very few of those. Thirteen senators New Deal underway without lon- the bill had received more atten- met for six minutes and less than ger delay. His main interest, at tion during its consideration by half of the House's 120 members present, is to put life into the the committee, and by the com- met 28 minutes, receiving one party itself, encourage loyal Re-publicans and bring to an end bill considered by Congress in explanation of what he said the what he considers a failure on the part of party leaders to pre-

the part of party leaders to pre-sent something like unity of purpose in the midst of the pre-sent political debate. He wants the minuty conferences to be extra "There has been more time used in general debate; more liberal opportunity given for amendment than in any bill here-to-fore con-the more adjourned to recon-

OOVER'S PROSPECTS It is probable that Mr. Hoover's single amendment has been made ed that practically every bill is proceed to be appropriation on becoming a candidate except two perfecting amendments is manufment. The second term of terms of the second term of terms of It is probable that Mr. Hoover's decision on becoming a candidate will depend upon the results of these special meetings. Certainly he has not taken himself out of consideration and while there is a liberal element opposed to his leadership should be repudiated Spring presidential primaries next year unless there is a plain drift to a declaration of principles that

went to see about them, had gone MEASURE IS DISCUSSED to get them some medicine, they managed to break the cage lock and make their way through the outer door to temporary freedom. However, their freedom was temporary indeed, for they were recaptured an hour or so later by Jailor Ward in the Wolf Hill sec-Washington, April 23 .-- Repre-

sentative "Farmer Bob" Doughtion. near Independence. ton, who piloted the security bill **Bowie Points Out Much Work Done** Connery said: "I want to pay a By Legislature

April 23.-Reasons Raleigh, why the General Assembly has -the great chairman of the ways far outstayed its constitutional 60

372 to 33. Just before Connery's speech sidered local bills only, and very In the same ca public believes to be extra-

trial.'

Trenton, N. J., April 23.-Bruno Richard Hauptmann's coun-Bruno Richard Hauptmann's coun-sel charged recently that Colonel of the North Carolina General Charles A. Lindbergh's daily presence at the Flemington trial the revenue bill which was passed "unduly influenced" the jury, today on third reading by the Senwhich saw him "a bereaved fath- ate still \$2,500,000 under annual er for whose sorrow the world appropriations. demanded a sacrifice."

five are known to be favorably The allegation was one of 143 "manifest errors" defense coun- disposed toward the administration's three per cent sales tax sel filed with the clerk of the court of errors and appeals, the with no exemptions. They are: state's highest tribunal, which on

From the House of Representa-June 20 will hear Hauptmann's tives: Gary, of Gaston, chairman appeal from conviction of the tives: Gary, of Gaston, chairman Lindbergh baby kidnap-murder. of the House finance committee Papers were served also on Hun-|Harris, of Person; Lumpkin, of Franklin, co-author of the Mcterdon County Prosecutor An-Donald-Lumpkin anti-sales tax measures which failed to receive thony M. Hauck, Jr. Egbert Rosecrans, a member of

defense staff, announced he would the House's endorsement; Bowie, carry the appeal, if necessary, to of Ashe, and Horton, of Martin. Conferees from the Senate are the United States supreme court. Newman, of New Hanover, chair-The "assignment of errors" alleged that Hauptmann's rights man of the Senate finance com-

under the sixth amendment were mittee; Bailey, of Washington, contravened because he was tried and Folger. of Surry. The Senate, meeting at 2 p. m. in Hunterdon county and not Merhad passed the revenue bill after cer. "the district wherein the replacing sales tax exemptions on crime was committed." all nine basic food projects ex-Lindbergh's presence at the

It also removed the tax from hotel rooms which it had once process of law" guarantee of the voted and again removed. During the debate on the hotel

ious to become a United States inflamed the members of the jury senator." panel against this defendant" and

Graveley, in voting against the league. "the hysterical mob spirit with revenue bill. which passed on its which the jury was surrounded during the entire conduct of the "And because," the arguments

Raleigh, April 23-A confer-

for school teachers and other state employees of 20 per cent contests will be held. The Music class in Sparta high in 1935-36 and 25 per cent for 1936-37.

> HOLD REVIVAL MEETINGS assisted by Rev. O. E.

and Bugle corps. Commander Floyd Williams, of the Legion post, received a mes-sage Tuesday by long distance GRADE PROGRAM FRI.

telephone from officials of the B. & B. Shows. which is to furnish the carnival attractions, that the carnival will be in Galax on the dates given above. The B. & B. Shows played in Galax last year during the firemen's Fourth of Of the eight conferees, at least July celebration.



Rev. W. I. Howell, Jr., To Deliver Commencement Sermon Seniors To Give **Class Play Monday Night**

27, and continuing through Mon-

Sparta high school, of scheduled to begin on Friday, May 10, at 8 p. m., when a grade program Operetta, "Rainbow's End," will be presented. A Reading contest and presentation of Seventh grade diplomas will take place on Saturday morning, May 11, at

10 c'clock. On Saturday night, May 11, at 8 o'clock, the Senior play, "Everybody's Getting Married," will be presented.

Congressman Doughton To

Address Seniors. North

Wilkesboro Minister To

Deliver Sermon May 12

Commencement exercises, bring-

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ing to a close the 1934-35 term

Rev. H. K. King. of North Wilkesboro, is to deliver the commencement sermon to the Beginning on Saturday, April graduating class on Sunday morning, May 12, at 11 o'clock.

day, April 29, the annual commencement exercises at Glade On Monday night, May 13, Valley high school will be held, graduation exercises will be held, The finals will begin with a and at this time the literary admusic recital Saturday night. dress to the graduates is to be On Sunday morning. April 28, delivered by Congressman Robert at 11 o'clock, the commencement L. Doughton, of the Ninth North sermon will be delivered by Rev. Carolina district. Congressman W. I. Howell, Jr., pastor of the Doughton is considered a very ed "biased and and exaggerated reports and stories . . . be-minitions, be-minitions of the appro-bracksville. At 8 o'clock Sun-and is one of the foremost men fore the trial and which unduly priations committee, as "ambit- day night, Rev. J. K. Fleming, in the United States House of Mount Airy, will deliver the ser- Representatives, where he occupies mon to the Young People's the important position of chairman of the powerful Ways and

Graduation exercises will take Means committee. At present he third reading by a vote of 34 to 10, explained his vote by pro-testing that the tax measure did live will receive their diplomas. not meet appropriations decided The address for this occasion will of North Carolina in 1936.

sent political debate. He wants the regional conferences to be free from the dictation of party managers and to allow frank discussion of the situation. Taking the list of House com-mittees one by one the rotund vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in witheling the measure not a light from every angle and vocabulary has been exhausted in vocabulary has been exhauste

Teachers Of the recitation and declamation Concluding the commencement

three acts with thirteen charac-

Adult Classes Meet In Sparta

tion, Clyde C. Sorrels, of Ruther-

discussed were projects and plans for a county commence-

Miss Lola Billings, unit chair-

man of Alleghany county, and the following teachers were pre-sent; Mrs. T. C. Edwards, Mrs.

sent; Mrs. T. C. Edwards, Mrs. Lura W. Spaulding and Misses Grady Sue Spicer, Vada Dun-can and Alkafair Shumake, of Sparta; Mrs. Ruth B. Osborne and Mrs. Vergie Pugh. Piney Creek, and Mrs. J. E. Blevins,

Mrs. G. A. Martin, of Sparta, was an interested visitor at the

Among the many features of the adult program that were

fordton, in attendance.

activities for this year at Glade The teachers of adult classes Valley will be the senior class in Alleghany county held a meet-HOLD REVIVAL MEETINGS Rev. L. B. Murray, State Road, being assisted by Rev. O. E. 29. This is a comedy-drama in the county is a comedy-drama in 29. This is a comedy-drama in the county is a comedy-drama district supervisor of adult educe

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The faculty of Low Gap high school, with the junior and sen-ior classes of the school, enjoyed

meeting.

year unless there is a plain drift to a declaration of principles that would eliminate him. The so-

called liberals hope to prevent anything like standpat control of the party and to write an ex-tremely liberal platform that will particularly appeal to the West. nator Borah goes so far as to

think that the present party The annual I. O. O. F. sermon leadershipshould be repudiated, for Odd Fellows of Grayson, Car-that Chairman Fletcher should roll and adjoining counties is to resign and that Mr. Hoover be delivered on Sunday, April this body." should definitely state that he is 28, in the Galax Baptist church not a candidate.

THIRD PARTY DISCOUNTED In the face of this activity on the part of the Rpublicans there eral idea that the third party efforts of various leaders would eral idea that the third party efforts of various leaders would not prove sufficient to prevent an old-fashioned two-party fight. Republicans who sat in upon the Hoover parleys at Washington seemed to agree with Postmaster General Farley on this point ties, are invited to attend, and are requested to meet at the lodge hall in Galax Sunday morning not later than 10 o'clock. From the hall, the lodge members will march in a body to the church on North Main street.

seemed to agree with Postmaster General Farley on this point. Members of both parties also seemed inclined to believe that such strength as the new move-ment might develop would cut into both parties but few of them sensed real dangar to either of the present major political organizations. Meanwhile, the open attack upon Senator Long by Secretary Ickes indicated that the Administration is not going to besitate in waging a war upon News was received just before this issue of the TIMES went to press of a sheep growers' meet-ing to be held in the Alleghany ing to be held in the Alleghany county court house here on Tues-day, April 30, at 2:30 p. m. Paul Swofford, of V. P. I., Blacksburg, Va., will talk on "Sheep Raising From The Pro-duction Standpoint." and Paul Fletcher, of the Cooperative Ship-pers' association, will discuss "Sheep Raising From The Mar-keting Standpoint." It is ex-pected that Mr. Fletcher will have some valuable information regard-ing marketing and prospective livestock prices this year. hesitate in waging a war upon the Louisiana leader. In the upon the present outlook, a for-midable third party movement would do more damage to the Democrats than the Republicans.

SPENDING DEVELOPS SLOW-

Top speed in spending the work-relief billions is promised by the President by November and he will do his utmost to use the five billion dollays in the next fifteen months. Definite allocations were slow in coming but the Chief Executive believes that

EXCAVATE FOR GALAX P. O.

Excavation work is progressing rapidly in Galax preparatory to the beginning of actual construc-tion work on the new federal P. O. building.



Odd Fellows To He finished with an eulogy of Hear Sermon At Speaker Johnson, of Pender, whom, he said, he had opposed Galax Church Sun. The annual I. O. O. F. sermon

for nomination but whom he had found to be "impartial in his for Odd Fellows of Grayson, Car-roll and adjoining counties is to eminently fair in his control over

Galax Firemen To by the Rev. John Leslie Hart, **Have Celebration** Week Of July 4

At a meeting of the committee for the Galax Fire department and a representative of Bunts Greater Shows, held in Chief of Police J. I. Snow's office. preced-ing the regular meeting of the fire department, a contract was signed for the carnival attrac-tions at the foremen's annual cele-

ing he for the carnival attrac-tions at the firemen's annual cele-bration at Felts park, Galax, dur-ing the week of July 4. The celebration is to be jointly spon-sored by the firemen and the city government.

Bunts Greater Shows, in addition to the many attractions that are customarily included in most of the larger shows, has two-high of the larger shows, has two-high class free acts, to be presented daily at Felts park throughout the celebration, which will be held Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 1, 2,-3, 4, 5 and 6. The show grounds will be open only on Thursday, July 4 and Saturday, July 6 in the day, but will be open every night in the entire 1 week.

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HOPEFUL—Friends of Clyde R. Hoey, Shelby Democratic leader, are hopeful that he will continue of a mind to enter the race for Governor. From the Cleveland metropolis comes word one week that Mr. Hoey certainly will run and then the next week Bunts Greater Shows travel, in addition to their large motorized

trucks, on six railway cars. This will be the first appearance of comes a grapevine message that he is still undecided. Nevertheless,

civic conditions it will never be for high school pupils will be Ward, Winston-Salem, in a series possible again to adjourn this General Assembly in 60 days." presented on Friday night, May 3, of revival meetings at Indepen-dence Baptist church. W. C. Thompson. The play, it W. C. Thompson. The play, it is said, is full of action and General Assembly in 60 days." at 8 o'clock. promises much fun for those who witness it, from start to finish. Through State Capital Keyholes Low Gap School By Bess Hinton Silver

STRATEGY-The boys around the Cleveland delegation in the Classes Enjoy Raleigh who keep busy trying to Legislature, Representative Gard-figure out what is going to ner and Senator Thompson. are happen in the gubernatorial of the very definite opinion that campaign have been analysing the Mr. Hoey will run and equally latest statement of Congressman certain that he will be elected. R. L. Doughton that he will make Other prognosticators are holding another statement next Tuesday their bets on the probable victor and tell the world if he is going in the event the trio just mento be a candidate. Some of the tioned try to unhorse one dopesters figure his statement another, was a trial balloon aimed at

was a trial balloon aimed at measuring his strength in this State. They express the opinion that the water in the bast were many the chairman of the Newman, the chairman of the minor, also of Low Gap. Covers that the reaction to his last State Senate finance committee statement will be a big factor who hatched the idea of levying statement will be a big factor in determining the nature of his announcement on April 30. who hatched the idea of levying the sales tax on gasoline and taking the toll out of the highway as was also the menu. which was

NO DOUBT—While Lieutenant ditional \$630,000 each year from The toastmaster Governor A. H. Graham has your gasoline tax to the general made no formal announcement of fund, admits his plan is nothing made no formal announcement of his candidacy he does not deny that he has already decided to enter the contest for Governor. A lot of folks are inviting Mr. Graham to make speeches these days and it looks like he is mak-a little longer. But the General

days and it looks like he is mak-ing an effort to accommodate all corners. Of course, a man holding a legislative office is handicapped in running a campaign but you can watch the Graham smoke after the General Assembly ad-journs. HOPEFUL—Friends of Clyde R. Hoey, Shelby Democratic leader, are hopeful that he will

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EARFUL-North Carolina mem-bers of Congress are still hear-ing plenty about the Rayburn

Juniors were: Opal Lowe, Gayle Thompson, Evelyn Hampton, Er

Seniors were: Clara May Jolly, Roger Poole, Alonza Davis, Lon-nie Davis, Carlyle Thompson. Vergie Bartley, Cecil Combs, Clara Glasco, Vera Glasco and Pite Lorge Rita Lowe.

were laid for forty-four.

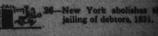
a banquet at Bluemont hotel, Galax, Thursday night, April 18.

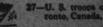
Galax Banquet

The toastmaster for the oc The toastmaster for the oc-casion was Gayle Thompson. The Welcome was given by Opal Lowe; the toast to the seniors was by Gayle Thompson, and Alonza Davis responded. Evelyn Hamp-ton gave a toast for the school and Mr. Minor responded. Mil-dred Davis toasted the faculty and Miss Rowlin responded. The and Miss Bowlin responded. The prophesy was by Marie Bartlett. Members of the faculty present included; M. C. Minor, Mrs. Bur-

ris, Miss Bowlin, Mrs. Chilton Miss Cox, Miss Greene, Miss Arm field and Mr. Eason

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