The general idea is that further farm legislation will not develop at this session particularly in view of hearings, announced by the House Agriculture Committee. Chairman Jones of the House Committee and Chairman Smith of the Senate Committee, apparently have their own ideas as to proper measures and are not inclined to push the ever-normal granary plan, proposed by the Farm Bureau Federation.

NO FARM LAW

In view of the indicated production of wheat and cotton this year, some leaders fear that additional farm legislation is necessary to prevent a critical condisurplus. Whether yields this year will lead to lowered prices re-mains doubtful but the threat mains doubtful but the threat House Action On to farm prosperity is real regardless of the adjournment fever which is heating up Congress. In view of the Supreme Court Wage, Hour Bill is some confusion as to what Congress can do to meet the situ-1 21.1

CONVENTION BOOKS

Representatives Baker, Snell and other Republicans continue to denounce the sale of souvenir convention books by the Democratic National Committee and while the investigation that they seek stands little chance of being the souvenir books to purchasers, at varying prices, included some having business dealings with the Government. Office-seekers, corporations and others, no doubt, the Roosevelt Administration in "unsa disbursing vast sums of public bor." money.

MORE FOR VETERANS

The House has passed a bill liberalizing pensions for veterans the Spanish-American War, the Phillipine Insurrection, and the China Relief Expedition. About 23,000 veterans 65 years or older, will get \$60 a month pension, the increase adding about \$4,875,000 to Government expense and about 2500 who repense, and about 2,500, who require the constant quire the constant, aid of a nurse or attendant, will get \$100 a month which increase will cost the Government an additional \$873,000. Whether the increase voted in the House will become law or not is uncertain but the obability is that both houses probability is that both houses of Congress will do as they have always done and pass almost any bill giving money in the form of bill giving money in the form of pensions. The pensions are granted without regard to need or to any injury suffered while serving the Government. Incidentally, when Congress displays the same generosity to World War veterans, the average citizen will begin to understand something more about the hurdens of wer the burdens of war.

PRESIDENT OVERRIDDEN ' Both houses of Congress voted over-ride the President's veto to over-ride the President's veto of the bill to continue in effect existing reductions in interest on mortgage loans made by Federal Land banks. The Sonate voted 71-19, with staunch economy advocates voting for the measure which the President had declined to sign because it would add \$30,000,000 to the Federal budget and upset his financial program. Every Republican, except Senator Vandenburg, voted to over-ride and Senator Smith, of South Caroline, Chairman of the Agricultural Committee, was "as-

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TODAY'S THOUGHT "It is better to be nobly

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Roosevelt Says Is Essential

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Bill To Follow Up AAA Seen As Necessary To Economic Structure Of U. S. National Life

Washington, Aug. 3 .- New crop control legislation is essential to prevent collapse of the nation's economic structure, said President Roosevelt today.

adjustment act is inevitable and will be demanded by the country. Mr. Roosevelt's comment fol-

lowed demands in Congress for immediate government loans on cotton and other surplus products. Meanwhile, Senator Barkley, the majority leader, suggested that new crop control legislation be the New England states and made "Item No. 1" for the next Canada. session of Congress.

The President said his stand against loans applied also to wheat, corn, hogs and other major crops, asserting that attempts to stabilize prices will follow to stabilize prices will follow tion from developing, particularly to stabilize prices will follow enactment of a law curbing surpluses.

Blocked Tuesday

on the wages-and which passed the Senate week, in the House labor com- pany. mittee was blocked today President Roosevelt dent William Green, of the where the business has been op-American Federation of Labor, erated since shortly after its es-as his price for supporting the sweeping reform measure.

It was a confusing and unpre-the A. & Z. store, fixtures have musical program, to be followed cedented maneuver and left con-been installed in the building, by a social event. purchased the convention booklets without pressure or thought
of favor, but the opposite may
also be true. As a money-raising
scheme, the sale of the books by
the Party is not to be endorsed.
Such a salesmanship device does

Those from that the front has been painted a bright red color.

In addition to the many tables of merchandise which will be on the main floor of the store, the balcony, which extends along two balcony are represented to have their own bed linen with them.

Clade Valley. by the Senate last Saturday is ing, will be used for display of with them.

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> said are approved "in principle" by President Roosevelt, are: 1. No interference with collec-

tive bargaining contracts. 2. No minimum rates to be fixed below minimum rates won for the same type of labor through collective bargaining. 3. Elimination of the provision which amends the standards fixed in the Walsh-Healey act.

If these amendments are ac cepted by the House labor committee Green said, the full strength of the federation will be thrown behind the wages bill it reports. What the federation will do if the comimttee rejects the proposals, however, Green would injured in not say.

"We don't want to make any threats," he said.

Memorial Services Are Held Sunday At Glade Valley

Memorial services were conducted last Sunday, August 1, at the Glade Valley Presbyterian church, and the sermon for the occasion was preached by Rev. J. L. McBride, Statesville.

"The King's Highway" was used as a sermon subject by the Rev. Mr. McBride, The sermon was apparently of a forceful type and was seemingly enjoyed by a large congregation.

JARS FOR CANNING WPA VEGETABLES REQUESTED Boy Scouts will be around

Duke Bledsoe And N. Wilkesboro Girl Are Recently Wed

Miss Eula Virginia Johnson, of North Wilkesboro, was married to Mr. Duke Bledsoe, Sparta on Thursday, July 22, at 8 o'clock The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. L. Blevins, uncle of the bride, in the presence of mem-bers of the immdiate family.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnson, of North Wilkesboro. She received her education at Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, Greensboro. The bridegroom is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bledsoe, of He added that legislation to re-place the invalidated agricultural cated at Oak Hill academy, in Virginia, and Michigan State college. He is the owner and manager of the Alleghany Motor Sales, Sparta.

The bride and bridegroom are making a two-weeks trip, during which they will visit Niagara Falls, and interesting places in

They will make their home in

Galax Moving To N. Main St. Site

several years, will occupy its new location on North Main street, Washington, Aug. 3.—Action the Colonial theatre. The buildthe wages-and-hour bill, ing was formerly occupied by last Pless Electric and Furniture com-

the where the business has been op- at this time.

merchandise. The shoe departing the rear of the is president of the alumni organi
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in passing the voluntary retired ture improvements, terracing interesting event was the demonstrations truck farms and gram presented in the Sp. building, set off by an archway. zation

W. A. Alderman and M. W. Zack established the business in Galax in February, 1935, in the old Todd building, on South Main street. Shortly thereafter, however, the store was moved to the location from which it is now being moved to the new site on North Main street. A. & Z. stores are also operated by Mr. Alderman and Mr. Zack in Mount Airy and Elkin, N. C.

Grayson Man Sawmill Mishap

Lloyd Pugh, of Razor Ridge, suffered a badly crushed foot, Friday, July 23, about 2:30 p. m., when he was thrown into the flywheel of the sawmill machinery where he was employed, three miles west of Troutdale. Without medical attention, Pugh was rushed the forty miles to Galax hospital, where his foot and leg were amputated about two inches above the ankle.

According to Pugh's story, he was attempting to adjust a governor on the boiler at the saw-mill when a small set screw in one of the wheels caught in his overalls, completely tearing them off and hurling him into the

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Dedicate World War Memorial



MONTFAUCON, France . . . President Roosevelt and President Lebrun, of France, were the principal speakers on the occasion of clude the counties of Alleghany, the dedication in France Sunday of the Montfaucon Memorial Watauga, Wilkes, Mitchell and America's greatest World War Memorial. President Roosevelt spoke Yancey. from Washington, via trans-Atlantic wire, while President Lebrun was present at the ceremonies.

Home-Coming To Borah Says No Be Held Aug. 7 At Supreme Court Glade Valley H. S.

Next Saturday, August 7, is

basket of food, and coffee and that no vacancy exists. tea will be furnished by the school.

Following the supper, a business session of the Glade Valley High School Alumni association is to be held in the high school The stock of goods is now in process of removal from the oup can consider three union building at the corner of South leguards demanded by Presint William Green. Of the school of the s

Miss Gray Green, a former teacher in the school, and Miss Preparatory to occupancy by Evon Eldridge, are to present a

W. Bryan Oliver South Attends "Rehab" Meet At Raleigh

W. Bryan Oliver, supervisor for Alleghany county, attended a meeting in Raleigh, last week, of all county and district Rural Rehabilitation supervisors of this state.

entire week, was held for the purpose of discussing problems Attorney General Cummings adconfronting supervisors in their vice to him that a recess apwork and for the purpose of gain- pointment would be legal. ing helpful information needed in carrying out the Rehabilitation Alleghany Girl Is Loan Program conducted by the Resettlement Administration of the U. S. Department of Agri-

Vance E. Swift, State Director for Rural Rehabilitation was in charge of the meeting which was

In Sparta Making Rapid Progress

Vacancy Exists

Washington, Aug. 3.-A new to be Home-Coming Day for Glade Valley high school alumni.

As scheduled, the first event of Idaho, a recognized constitutional

and that therefore President Department of Agriculture. Roosevelt has no right to name a new justice.

President Roosevelt insisted however, that he has the right. At a press conference, he indi-cated he might make the ap-pointment before the senate ad-

journs. The Idahoan drew some support from Senators Johnson, of California and Austin, of Ver-

mont, on his own side of the chamber, but none from the crats who had opposed President Roosevelt's court bill took issue with him. Senator Logan (D., Ky.), an-

gress had actually changed the size of the court. He said the court could now fluctuate in farmer in the county. ership from six to eighteen Farmers are asked to group audience of Masons and friend

Miss Donna Carolyn Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. charge of the meeting which was held at State college in order to take advantage of the facilities offered by the college, the N. C. Experiment Station and the Agricultural Extension Service.

PWA Sewing Room

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jones, who is in her Senior year at Appalachian State Teachers at Appalachian State Teachers at Appalachian State Teachers at Appalachian State Teachers college, Boone, made an average of "B" or above on all classwork, during the first summer term, thus signifying that she is above the average in respect to scholastic ability.

Misc Lores will teach in Alley Newey of the persons selected.

Miss Jones will teach in Alle-ghany, at the Toliver school, this winter.

Northwestern Bank Meeting Is Held Last Sat. Night

On Saturday night, July 31, the members of the Executive Committee and employees of The Northwestrn Bank had a meeting at the Daniel Boone hotel, Boone, The event was a get-together meeting, the purpose being to permit the officers and the employees to meet each other and become acquainted and discuss their various and sundry duties. A short speech was made by R. A. Doughton, president of the bank, after which the meeting of the Executive Committee was held, lasting until near midnight.

The Northwestern Bank serves a section more than two hundred

Those attending the meeting from here were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Choate, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers, R. A. Doughton and Edwin Duncan.

Alleghany Farm Tour To Be Made Thurs., August 12

In order for interested farm-Saturday of this week, August the program is to be a picnic authority, added a new angle to ers of Alleghany county to learn more about what is being done in 7, the A. & Z. store, which has been in business in Galax for supper is requested to take a justice by insisting to the Senate lines, according to R. E. Black, hat no vacancy exists.

Despite considerable heckling August 12, has been designated from the Democrats, Borah stuck as Farm Tour Day in Alleghany to his position that Justice Van county. This tour is being spon-bevanter, who retired in June, sored by Mr. Black, in cooper-is still a member of the court

According to Mr. Black, farmers often wonder what some other farmer is doing to make a and Mississippi. The House living, methods used to build and propriations committee slashed maintain soil fertility, variety of seeds planted, breeds of livestock to keep or why their stock or crops are not as good as their neighbors. In view of these

The group which is scheduled to make the tour is to leave Sparta at 8:30 o'clock on the Orphanage Group observing pasture demonstrations, Program In Sparta corn variety tests, hog-feeding swered Borah by asserting that demonstrations, permanent pasinterest to every progressive night by the Oxford Orpl

members.

While the senate was debating own transportation on the tour.

Borah's point a procession of They should have their lunch senators was piling into the White House to urge various names to President Roosevelt for appointment to the court.

Will be served during the day. Is an annual event, sponsored by Every farmer in Alleghany county is invited to make the tour, The lodge was assisted with There also were indications that and is urgently requested to join arrangements for the pre-

Term Of Alleghany Court Are Chosen

Names of the persons selected

Good progress is being made by those who are engaged in work with the WPA sewing room in Sparta, according to information obtained recently. Some of the workers, it is reported, had no idea of the work that is being done when they began and are now able to make attractive articles including quilts, bed-spreads, pillow cases and children's millow cases.

Mrs. Williams, supervisor in charge of the work, seems to be wary greatly pleased with the progress being made.

Fund For Parkway Now In Hands Of Chief Executive

Roosevelt Studies Interio Dept. Appropriation Bill; Doughton Leads Fight To Restore Budget Estimate

Washington, Aug. 3.-President Roosevelt at his press conference today said he had not signed the Interior Department appropriation bill but was study-

Asked if this meant he was considering a veto Mr. Roosevelt declined to comment.

The indication, however was that the President is not at all pleased with the measure and there was much speculation after the conference that it would be vetoed.

Should the bill be vetoed it would probably mean that the fight for the \$4,500,000 Blue Ridge Parkway appropriation, which is in the measure, would have to be made all over again.

Outstanding parkway contrasts will use all old funds. The Na-tional Park Service has been awaiting the new fund in order to let four new contracts, two in North Carolina and two in Tennessee. A veto of the bill would certainly mean more delay in getting construction on these new sections under way.

As the Interior Department bill went to the President it carried an appropriation of around 132 millions of dollars, or about 10 per cent. over the budget estimate. One of the biggest increases was for vocational education.

Parkway and later asked that this include the Natchez Trace Parkway in Tennessee, Alab to raise the amount back to the budget estimate allowing \$5 000 of the \$5,000,000 for Natchez Trace.

What has been described as an What has been described in the Sparts singing class to a repres

The meeting, which lasted the entire week, was held for the purpose of discussing problems confronting supervisors in their work and for the purpose of gaining helpful information needed in carrying out the Rehabilitation Loan Program conducted by the Choate, proprietors of Four Oaks tavern and others.

