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TODAY'S THOUGHT
'It is better to be nobly remembered than nobly born.'—Ruskin.

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ABOUT ADJOURNMENT
The adjournment of Congress, much desired by many legislators, may be nearer at hand than most people think but, if it is, a number of important issues will be left unsettled.

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Roosevelt Says Farm Legislation Is Essential

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.

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.

House Action On Wage, Hour Bill Blocked Tuesday

Washington, Aug. 3.—Action on the wages-and-hour bill, which passed the Senate last week, in the House labor committee was blocked today by President Roosevelt until the group can consider three union safeguards demanded by President William Green.

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 condition from developing, particularly if the 1938 yields bring another surplus.

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.

PRESIDENT OVERRIDDEN

Both houses of Congress voted to override the President's veto of the bill to continue in effect existing reductions in interest on mortgage loans made by Federal Land banks.

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 bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnson, of North Wilkesboro. She received her education at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro.

A. & Z. Store In Galax Moving To N. Main St. Site

Saturday of this week, August 7, the A. & Z. store, which has been in business in Galax for several years, will occupy its new location on North Main street, in the Joines building, opposite the Colonial theatre.

The stock of goods is now in process of removal from the building at the corner of South Main and East Oldtown streets, where the business has been operated since shortly after its establishment.

Preparatory to occupancy by the A. & Z. store, fixtures have been installed in the building, and the entire front has been painted a bright red color.

Grayson Man Injured In 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.

PWA Sewing Room In Sparta Making Rapid Progress

Good progress is being made by those who are engaged in work with the WPA sewing room in Sparta, according to information obtained recently.

Dedicate World War Memorial



MONTFAUCON, France . . . President Roosevelt and President Lebrun, of France, were the principal speakers on the occasion of the dedication in France Sunday of the Montfaucun Memorial America's greatest World War Memorial.

Home-Coming To Be Held Aug. 7 At Glade Valley H. S.

Next Saturday, August 7, is to be Home-Coming Day for Glade Valley high school alumni.

As scheduled, the first event of the program is to be a picnic supper on the campus at 6:30 p. m.

Following the supper, a business session of the Glade Valley High School Alumni association is to be held in the high school auditorium.

W. Bryan Oliver 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.

Vance E. Swift, State Director for Rural Rehabilitation was in 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.

Borah Says No Supreme Court Vacancy Exists

Washington, Aug. 3.—A new issue was raised in Congress today when Senator Borah (R), of Idaho, a recognized constitutional authority, added a new angle to the current controversy over the appointment of a Supreme Court justice by insisting to the Senate that no vacancy exists.

Despite considerable heckling from the Democrats, Borah stuck to his position that Justice Van Devanter, who retired in June, is still a member of the court and that therefore President Roosevelt has no right to name a new justice.

President Roosevelt insisted, however, that he has the right. At a press conference, he indicated he might make the appointment before the senate adjourns.

The Idahoan drew some support from Senators Johnson, of California and Austin, of Vermont, on his own side of the chamber, but none from the Democratic side.

Alleghany Girl Is Honor Student At A. S. T. C., Boone

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

LOCAL BOY GRADUATES FROM TENN. AUTO SCHOOL

Eugene Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Edwards arrived home Friday from Nashville, Tenn., where he graduated with honors from a Nashville automobile school.

BARBECUE SUPPER SERVED

A barbecue supper was given last Wednesday evening on Choate's Mountain in honor of Dick Chesson, of Plymouth, who has been a visitor here for several days.

Northwestern Bank Meeting Is Held Last Sat. Night

On Saturday night, July 31, the members of the Executive Committee and employees of The Northwestern Bank had a meeting at the Daniel Boone hotel, Boone.

The Northwestern Bank serves a section more than two hundred miles in length. Its customers include the counties of Alleghany, Watauga, Wilkes, Mitchell and Yancey.

Alleghany Farm Tour To Be Made Thurs., August 12

In order for interested farmers of Alleghany county to learn more about what is being done in the county along agricultural lines, according to R. E. Black, county farm agent, Thursday, August 12, has been designated as Farm Tour Day in Alleghany county.

According to Mr. Black, farmers often wonder what some other farmer is doing to make a living, methods used to build and 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.

The group which is scheduled to make the tour is to leave Sparta at 8:30 o'clock on the morning of the designated day and spend the day visiting and observing pasture demonstrations, corn variety tests, hog-feeding demonstrations, permanent pasture improvements, terracing demonstrations, truck farms and other places which should be of interest to every progressive farmer in the county.

Farmers are asked to group together and take care of their own transportation on the tour. They should have their lunch with them, although refreshments will be served during the day.

Jurors For Fall Term Of Alleghany Court Are Chosen

At the meeting of County Commissioners held here Monday, August 2, jurors for the Fall term of Alleghany County Superior court, to be held here, beginning on Monday, September 27, were selected.

Names of the persons selected follow: J. P. Absher, G. C. Landreth, R. M. Joines, G. R. Edwards, C. B. Kilby, Lon Brooks, R. L. Southern, J. C. Sparks, A. V. Millsaps, Y. L. Cooper, G. P. Crutchfield, P. C. Collins, Leff Edwards, Herbert Woodruff, Walter Jennings, Glenn Crouse, Calvin Richardson, Fred Miller, Lester Green, Mart Rector, F. G. Weaver, Glenn Warden, John Toliver, Glenn Fender, Will Pugh, J. M. Joines, Claude Holloway, M. L. Richardson, H. C. Gaudill, Lester Phipps Henry Delp, J. S. Wyatt, C. F. Osborne, Frank Richardson, Willie Hamm and Sewell Woodruff.

Fund For Parkway Now In Hands Of Chief Executive

Roosevelt Studies Interior 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 studying it.

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.

Orphanage Group Gives Interesting Program In Sparta

What has been described as an interesting event was the program presented in the Sparta high school auditorium Tuesday night by the Oxford Orphanage singing class to a representative audience of Masons and friends.

The coming to Sparta of this group of children, among nearly 40 who are being maintained and educated at the orphanage, is an annual event, sponsored by the Sparta Masonic lodge.

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He who is wrong fights against himself.
AUGUST
1-A national Thanksgiving observed for victories in the Civil War, 1863.
2-The war and navy departments of the United States government organized, 1789.
3-First yacht race to captivate America's cup held, 1870.
4-Harvard College held its first commencement exercises, 1824.
5-An extraordinary shower of shooting stars occurred, 1833.
6-Peasants granted for the first time the right to own land, 1848.
7-Practical steam engine invented by James Watt, 1769.