

THE WEATHER

Fair to partly cloudy tonight and Friday; slightly colder Friday; light scattered frost tonight.

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TWO BILLIONS OF FINANCING IS CONSIDERED

Treasury Contemplates 'New Money' Borrowing

REFUNDING ALSO BEING PLANNED

Morgenthau Declares Confidence of Public in Obligations is Illustrated by Subscriptions

Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Secretary Morgenthau said today the Treasury was considering nearly \$2,000,000,000 worth of financing before January 1.

The financing contemplated, the secretary told reporters, included about \$500,000,000 of "new money" borrowing, refunding of \$1,373,364,200 of notes which will come due until next March 15 and between \$50,000,000 and \$60,000,000 of Tennessee Valley Authority borrowing.

Morgenthau said that the \$500,000,000 of "new money" borrowing was wanted to pay for the deficit on regular governmental operations in addition to the \$258,000,000 which the treasury expects next week from the reconstruction finance corporation.

The treasury helped the RFC this week to float an issue of approximately \$250,000,000 one per cent notes for the specific purpose of enabling the RFC to repay its debt to the Treasury.

Morgenthau said the "confidence" of the public in not only the direct obligations of the treasury, but also the guaranteed obligations, was shown by the fact that the subscription for the RFC notes totaled \$2,643,000,000.

Fails Prove That Juror Influenced

The question of whether or not a witness in a case against Sam Columbus, Negro, charged with larceny of tobacco, attempted to influence a member of the jury was argued in Pitt Superior court here this morning.

A motion that the verdict of guilty be set aside was made by W. J. Bundy, attorney for the case, who attempted to show that Carl Langley, a witness in the case and also a juror at this term of court, had talked to one of the jurors hearing the case, Rufus Dudley, during the process of the trial and had asked him to "sit there until you convict him."

The Negro's landlord, Mr. Moore, gave evidence that he heard Mr. Langley make such a statement, Mr. Dudley and another witness, however, declared that Langley merely asked Dudley for a ride home.

Judge Frizzelle ruled that it was improper for anyone to speak to a juror during the consideration of a case, but held that nothing happened in the case which was prejudicial to the rights of the defendant and denied the motion.

Columbus was given a 12-months suspended sentence on the lesser charge of trespass.

A co-defendant, Lee Lockamy, was given a 12-months sentence, to be served at the state hospital.

Indictments Here Total 91 For Oct.

Ninety-one persons were indicted by Greenville police officers during October, compared with 139 the previous month, the report of City Court Clerk H. B. Drum revealed today.

During October 73 defendants were convicted, 11 acquitted, two cases were dismissed, probable cause found in five, two defendants appealed, one case transferred to Superior court for a jury trial, two not passed, two not passed with leave and judgment was continued in two.

Fines last month totaled \$136, two of \$50 each being assessed against persons convicted of driving drunk. The money goes to the school fund. Costs during the month amounted to \$302 and goes into the city general fund. A total of \$36 was collected each for the State Department of Justice and the local police pension fund.

During the previous month fines amounted to \$58.10 and costs totaled \$650.95.

Man Hits Car. Butte, Mont.—(AP)—"Hit and run, in reverse," was the way police labeled the accident report. Bert Goslin, Jr., told the officers a pedestrian walked into the side of his car, and injured his eye. Goslin rushed him to a hospital and ran inside for assistance in carrying the patient to the examination room. When Goslin returned with a stretcher carrier the victim had fled.

Dies Witness



William C. McCuiston of Frederick, Md., a seaman who was expelled from the National Maritime Union, is shown telling the Dies Committee in Washington that Harry Bridges, CIO maritime leader on the west coast, was a Communist. The witness said the NMMU grew out of several Soviet-sponsored organizations.

INTERESTED IN LEAF GRADING

Large Groups Witness Burley Demonstrations

Bakersville, Nov. 2.—Large and enthusiastic groups of farmers are witnessing the Burley tobacco grading demonstrations being conducted in western North Carolina under the sponsorship of county farm agents. It was announced here Thursday by L. T. Weeks, extension tobacco specialist of State College, who is assisting with the demonstrations.

The demonstrations were scheduled in Mitchell county Thursday, and on Friday morning, after which the grading specialists were to move on to McDowell county for an afternoon meeting Friday. Meetings were held with farmers in Alleghany, Ashe, Watauga, and Avery counties earlier this week.

On Saturday morning of this week a demonstration will be presented in Rutherford county.

Weeks said that the schedule for the remainder of the demonstration tour is as follows: November 6 and 7, four demonstrations in Buncombe county; November 8 and 9, four demonstrations in Madison county; November 10 and 11, three demonstrations in Yancey county.

November 13 and 14, four demonstrations in Haywood county; November 15, morning demonstration in Jackson and afternoon meeting in Swain; November 16, two demonstrations in Graham; November 17, morning meeting in Cherokee and afternoon demonstration in Clay; Nov. 18, morning demonstration in Transylvania.

County farm agents are making arrangements for the meetings, and are announcing the times and places locally.

Notices Sent Out By Pitt Clerk Of Court

The office of Clerk of Superior Court J. Frank Harrington today was preparing to mail notices to administrators, executors and guardians who have not filed reports as required by law advising them to do so at once.

The letters state that unless the reports are filed by certain dates citations will be issued, as provided by the law.

Highway Commission Lets Eleven Projects

Raleigh, Nov. 2.—(AP)—The Highway and Public Works Commission received bids today on 11 construction projects, with Bowers Construction Company of Whiteville bidding low for all or part of five of the jobs.

The projects by location, type of work, length and low bidder included: Johnston county, grading and structures on 13.34 miles of county road between route 70 and Wilson; roadway, Lavender brothers of Earl, \$69,119.25; structures, F. A. Triplett of Chester, S. C., \$87,619.90. Lenoir-Greene grading, structures and surfacing of 5.97 miles of route 258 between Kinston and Snow Hill; roadway, W. C. Shepherd of Atlanta, Ga., \$60,139.10; structures, Bowers Construction Company.

WARREN BACKS PRESIDENT ON EMBARGO BILL

Regrets That He Voted for Arms Ban In 1937

FOR AMENDMENT REPEALING ACT

North Carolina Solon Says that He Frankly Admitted Mistake On Many Public Occasions

Washington, Nov. 2.—Rep. Lindsay C. Warren (D.-N.C.), who presided over House debate on the arms embargo in 1937 when it was written into law, regrets that he voted for the measure, which the administration now seeks to repeal.

Urging approval of the Senate neutrality bill which would lift the embargo and put munition shipments abroad on a "cash and carry" basis, Warren told the House:

"I voted for the present law (the embargo) as did a large number, because, to say the least, it had the appearance of being a beautiful gesture because I thought at the time it might serve notice to the world of the American desire for peace.

"I believed then that it was impossible to legislate on such a thing as a future war with all of its far-reaching implications.

"I did not wait until last June to frankly say on many public occasions that I had made a mistake. For over a year I have regretted ever casting that vote."

"I am in favor of the Senate amendment because I believe from the bottom of my heart and with all of the sincerity I possess we are much more liable to keep out of the present conflict in Europe with that proposed law than we are under the present law," Warren continued.

Seven Rulings In This Single Case

Reflector Bureau By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, Nov. 2.—Rowan's hardy perennial slot machine case (State vs. L. F. Cox) has just had its seventh court decision and this seventh judgment (rendered by the North Carolina Supreme Court on Wednesday) appears to set the stage so that the curtain may fall for the last time with an eighth to be given by the Rowan county courts.

Already there have been three judgments in the county court, two in Rowan Superior; and Wednesday's was the second in Supreme court. Lawyers and judges have tied themselves into so many legal knots that on its first trip to the highest court, Chief Justice Walter Stacy threw up his hands, confessed the record was in such a state that no heads nor tails of the matter could be located, and sent it back in a masterpiece of no-decisionism with the expressed hope it wouldn't bob up to bother him again.

But it did come back like the cat, or worse, and so it had to be decided. The decision, always provided that anything can be certain about this case, means in its essence that the defendant Cox will not have his slot machines confiscated and destroyed.

The case was first tried in county court, where the defendant was fined and the machines ordered destroyed. He appealed to Superior court, but while it was pending there, the county court tried to modify its ruling so that the machines need not be chopped up but sent out of the state. Superior court remanded the case to county court with a provision that the state could appeal if it didn't like the decision. County court again tried to put its second judgment into effect. State appealed to Superior court which held second and third county court decisions invalid. Defendant appealed to Supreme court, which sent the thing back to Superior court which again decided as it had before, whereupon defendant again appealed to Supreme court which now says Superior court was wrong and the case should again go back to county court. If this makes sense, it does more than the whole case does.

Leroy Hardee was given six months for larceny of tobacco. Frank Hart was acquitted of fraud in employing tenants.

Robert Lee Joiner and Hubert Ward, Negroes, were given four years each for larceny.

Of the 120 million cows in the world, 24 million, or 20 per cent, are in the U. S.

Hoey Not Talking About His Presidential Boom

Reflector Bureau By HENRY AVERILL

Raleigh, Nov. 2.—There never has been any general idea that Governor Clyde R. Hoey is taking with anything less than a bushel or so of salt the presidential boom which North Carolina politicians have been launched for him—possibly with tongues in cheek.

Now there is a definite, obvious and pretty convincing evidence that the Governor does not seriously consider himself as among those having even a remote chance to gain the Democratic nomination.

This proof has been furnished without so much as one word being said by the Governor about the presidency; but there's speak louder than words; and when the Governor declined two very fine invitations to speak outside of North

Winsor On Inspection Tour



Major-General The Duke of Windsor (extreme left) is shown in this radiophone on an inspection tour "somewhere in France" with a party of officers led by Viscount Gort (right), commander of the British battle forces.

BRITISH SHIP SAFE 600 MILES OFF N. Y.

Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—The coast guard received word today that the British freighter Coulmore was safe.

The word was received by the coast guard cutter Bibb from a Canadian radio station at Camperdown at 2:30 a. m. EST. The station said it had heard directly from the Coulmore that she was safe.

The Bibb was the leader of a squadron of coast guard and navy vessels scouring the Atlantic for the freighter about 680 miles east of New York after the interception early yesterday morning of a distress signal which indicated the freighter might have been attacked by a submarine.

The position given by the Coulmore at that time indicated it was just inside the neutrality safety belt around the Americas fixed at the recent Pan-American neutrality meeting in Panama.

The Camperdown station gave no indication of where the Coulmore was at the time she reported being safe, but officials assumed that she was proceeding on her way to England.

All last night the Bibb steamed with all her lights ablaze in hope that they might be seen by the Coulmore.

SLOT MACHINE SAYS GERMANY CASE STARTED DISAPPOINTED

Two Negroes Sentenced on Murder Charges

London, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain, making his weekly report to the House of Commons, today declared Russian Premier Molotov's foreign policy speech had "occasioned some disappointment" in Berlin.

Chamberlain said he refused to disturb himself over the flights of fancy in which Molotov indulged when describing the aims of the allies.

The Russian premier Tuesday accused the allies of fighting Germany primarily to protect their colonial empires and declared the restoration of Poland could not be considered.

"He dwelt at length on friendly relations with Germany, but made no mention of any aid other than economic and political to Berlin."

Despite losses to British shipping since the war started, the prime minister said, "nothing has occurred to shake our confidence in our ability to overcome the submarine menace."

"We have continued to take full of enemy submarines," although "a certain number" of British merchant ships have been lost, he declared.

Winston-Salem Man Killed While Hunting

Morehead City, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Clifton Snyder of Winston-Salem died in a hospital here today of buckshot wounds he suffered on a deer hunt in Carteret county.

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SMALL FRENCH TOWN SHELLED BY NAZI GUNS

Paris Admits Heavy Firing on Village of Forbach

CLAIMS DAMAGE IN AREA MINOR

Belief Expressed, However, that Hitler Has Accepted Advice of Aides to Defer Offensive

Paris, Nov. 2.—(AP)—German heavy artillery is continuing its pounding of French positions on the Western front, military reports said today, disclosing that the town of Forbach was shelled yesterday.

Forbach, two miles inside the French frontier on the eastern edge of the Warndt forests, was believed to be the town mentioned by the French as having been attacked unsuccessfully Tuesday by a German raiding force of 1,000 men.

French dispatches said damage to the town was minor.

German artillery also directed its fire against French positions on the left bank of the Blies river. There were a few encounters of small infantry detachments.

Despite the artillery activity, the War Ministry noted a general lull in operations on the Western front and military commentators predicted a winter-lull "waiting war."

The commentators expressed belief that Adolf Hitler had decided on the advice of his general staff to postpone any general offensive until spring.

Want Member For This Section

More recognition for Pitt and neighboring counties was urged in a petition presented by J. H. Blount, prominent farmer and business man, last night to the members of the Farm Bureau meeting at the Woman's Club. It was seconded by D. T. House, and passed unanimously.

"Whereas, the counties of Greene, Wilson, Nash, Edgecombe, Lenoir, Martin and Pitt produce a large portion of the blue-cured tobacco; and whereas none of these counties are represented on the State AAA committee; therefore, be it resolved that the Pitt County Farm Bureau go on record as requesting E. Y. Floyd, state executive officer of the AAA, to recommend to the secretary of agriculture that one of the state committeemen come from this area."

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Cherokee county authorities began an investigation.

"Won't You Please Keep Quiet?"

Kirksville, Mo.—(AP)—A humorist, with a name known nationally, was talking about "wit and wisdom" at Northeast Missouri Teachers college. He was interrupted several times by a whispering, gesturing student in a front row.

"You're apparently trying to humiliate me," he said finally to the offending student after requesting him twice to please sit quietly.

"Oh, no," said the student, a shocked expression on his face. "I wouldn't for the world do that. I was trying to explain your jokes to my friend."

D. E. Jones, rural electrification specialist of the State College Extension Service, is urging farm families to have their homes wired for electricity by reliable contractors.

Gives Warning



Mrs. Dollie M. Crawford of Frederick, Md., is shown testifying before the Dies committee in Washington that Joseph Curran, president of the CIO's National Maritime Union, told her the Communist party was placing so many members in key positions at Washington that it hoped to take over the government in a few years. Mrs. Crawford is the mother of William McCuiston, another Dies witness who was detained for questioning in connection with a slaying at New Orleans.

ONE-THIRD OF SUM REPORTED

College Community Contributing to Chest Fund

By WYATT BROWN

With only one more canvasser reporting today and more complete reports from the ten reporting yesterday the total to date raised for the 1939 Community Chest is \$2,200. An unofficial report has come in that the College community is contributing one hundred per cent.

Most cheering was the team which reported today. They said they had collected their list one hundred per cent and all cash and did not have to do one iota of urging to get the donations. Mr. Ryan asked that it be emphasized how valued cash gifts were for it meant so much less work and no delay in having the funds available.

Solicitors are working but are waiting until they have worked their lists completely to turn in; hence, the slow growth of the total. The larger givers have not been reported on as yet at all.

"We feel greatly encouraged to expect our budget to be raised," said W. A. Ryan, general chairman of the 1939 campaign for the Community Chest today. He said any number were telling him of successful canvassing but only eleven had turned in. Only the money actually turned in are given as the total raised to date.

Canvassers report that everyone appears convinced of the superiority of the one campaign for the six agencies included in the Community Chest. People are in a position to regulate their giving more intelligently when they know they will not be called on for an unknown number of causes before the Fall season is over. By considering the giver as well as the money needed, the Board of Directors of the Community Chest are able to see that only necessary items are included in prospective budgets of those participating. Each budget is carefully studied and only absolutely necessary items are permitted.

Negro Child Injured When Struck By Auto

A six-year-old Negro girl, L. Victoria Brimame of Vanceboro, was injured yesterday afternoon when she was struck by a car said by Patrolman C. R. Williams to have been driven by a M. Hellen of Vanceboro.

According to the patrolman, the little girl was struck by the car near the Pitt-Craven line. Mr. Hellen took her to a doctor's office in Vanceboro. Although painfully injured, she is not believed to be in a critical condition.

No charges have been preferred against Mr. Hellen.

Mayor Spain Is Ill; Postpone Board Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the Greenville Board of Aldermen, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed on account of the illness of Mayor Jack Spain.

City Clerk J. O. Duval said the meeting would be held some time next week, the exact date to be determined by the recovery of the mayor.

EXTRA SESSION NOW EXPECTED END SATURDAY

Prediction Made by Administration Leaders

GOP TO OPPOSE ANY SUCH MOVE

Will Contend That Congress Should Attend to Domestic Legislation and Keep Eye on Europe

Washington, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Administration leaders predicted today that Congress would complete revision of the nation's neutrality law—for which it was called into session September 21—in time to adjourn Saturday night.

As the House moved toward a showdown on repeal of the arms embargo, key issue of revision, Speaker Bankhead disclosed that he expected the legislation would be put in final form by a joint committee of Senate and House members tomorrow or Saturday.

Then, despite republican insistence that Congress remain in session both to consider domestic legislation and be ready to act on international problems, the speaker indicated his belief that the democratic majorities would put over a vote to end the session.

Such a quick conclusion has been desired by President Roosevelt.

In debate today the house was urged by Rep. Luther Johnson (D-Tex) "to carry out the will of the American people" and support repeal of the arms embargo.

Asserting that the arms embargo has not worked—"it was only a noble experiment, although a noble experiment," Johnson criticized arguments of anti-repealists that it would be un-neutral to change the rules in "war-time."

But Rep. Austin (R-Conn) said repeal of the arms embargo would make United States participation in the European conflict "not only possible, but probable" "with retention made such participation possible."

Increase Activities In National Guard

First Lieutenant J. H. Moyer, acting commanding officer of the local unit of the National Guard, Battery A, 113th Field Artillery, revealed today that the unit here, acting under direction of the President and the War Department, was holding drills twice each week and was standing ready for a week's encampment, scheduled to be held some time before January 31, 1940.

Also in accordance with directions of the president, the local unit has increased its personnel from 64 to 80 men. The unit now has only two active officers, Captain Worth Wicker is at Fort Sill undergoing extensive army training and Lieut. W. S. Tyson is in Charlotte, on leave of absence.

Battery A began holding armory training twice a week, instead of once a week, about the middle of last month.

Lieut. Moyer said he did not know when the unit would undergo field training for the seven-day period stipulated in the orders, adding that the order only stated that the unit stand in readiness.

The stepping up of National activity and the increase in the personnel were taken to boost this country's defense forces and, in the words of Governor Hoey, commanding-in-chief of the National Guard in peace-time, "have a well trained force competent to afford the protection of our homes and business."

On January 1 of this year there were only one milk cow for each nine inhabitants of North Carolina. A poor average, says Alan Aray, extension dairyman at State College.

Weather Report

J. A. CLARK (Airways Observer)

TEMPERATURES

High yesterday 62
Low yesterday 33
At 1:30 p. m. 65

PRECIPITATION (In Inches)

For 24 hrs. ending 1:30 p. m. 00
Total for month 40

BAROMETER (Pressure)

7:30 last night 30.69
7:30 this morning 30.21
Prevailing Winds and Velocity
7:30 a. m. 7
1:30 p. m. NE-2

Social and Personal

Cam Fether spent last evening in Rocky Mount.

Mrs. William von Eberstein of Washington was a Greenville visitor yesterday.

Hoover Tall is spending today in Chapel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lee left this afternoon for Atlanta to spend several days.

Mrs. Diane Cannon and Mrs. Will Salisbury of Ayden were here yesterday.

Mrs. Walter J. Carroll of Gastonia will arrive tomorrow to spend the weekend with Mrs. Charles Carroll Sr.

Mrs. Agnes Blount and Mrs. Frank Davis of Farmville were Greenville shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. Helen Davis of Farmville spent Wednesday here with friends.

Mrs. H. C. Merritt left this afternoon for Durham.

B. D. Johnston left last night for a business trip to Lynchburg, Va.

Miss Ann A. New is ill at her home in Mount Airy.

Social Calendar

THURSDAY
7:30 p. m.—The Memorial Baptist choir meets.

7:30 p. m.—The Presbyterian choir will meet.

8:00 p. m.—Pitt County Alumni Women's Division U. N. C. will meet in high school library.

8:00 p. m.—International Relations department of Woman's Club meets at Woman's Club building.

FRIDAY
4:30-5:30 p. m.—Directors of Service League will entertain at tea at the home of Mrs. R. C. Stokes, Jr. honoring new members of the league.

8:00 p. m.—Greenville alumnae and alumni of E. C. T. C. will be entertained at Fleming Hall.

8:00 p. m.—The Little Theatre will meet in Sheppard Memorial Library.

SATURDAY
4:00-5:00 p. m.—Mrs. H. C. Sugg and Mrs. M. D. Sugg will entertain at tea, complimenting Miss Louise Taylor, bride-elect.

Forty Years Ago Today

THE DAILY REFLECTOR
Thursday, November 2, 1899

AUTUMN BERRIES
Here is a Dish To Feast on

The hunters are out. The tobacco warehouses had large breaks again today. The Greensboro dispensary takes in about \$100 a day. The Commonwealth says that Scotland Neck handles more Spanish peanuts than any other market in the world. Supper will be ready to serve at 6 o'clock this evening at the Confederate tea.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING ON HANES IS LARGEST IN UNDERWEAR FIELD

This fall, the P. H. Hanes Knitting Company of Winston-Salem, launches their 28th consecutive year of underwear advertising.

Appearing in The Daily Reflector and in 865 other newspapers throughout the nation, this Hanes newspaper advertising is easily the largest in the underwear field. The total circulation of the newspapers used reaches 19 million.

Over the years, Hanes has found that newspaper advertising is the retailer's best medium. It reaches customers and prospects directly and quickly. Sales results are gained on the day the advertisement appears.

The middleweight Hanes winter sets which have proved so popular with men and boys everywhere are being particularly featured in this Hanes advertising. These middleweight garments provide indoor comfort with outdoor protection... just the weight for modern winter heating, both in offices and at home. Hanes winter sets have the Hanes-Knit stretch-guard which gives gentle athletic support with the convenience of a buttonless vent. Hanes heavy weight champions and other union suits are also included in the advertising.

The advertisements, themselves, are breezy in tone and speak the language of the average man. Such headlines as "I gave gooseflesh back to the goose," and "As comfortable as a bird-doo by the fire," supported by humorous illustrations, capture the attention and invite a reading of the entire advertisement.

Thousands of Hanes dealers have found it profitable to use these Hanes advertisements as a means of locating their own stores. By running small, inexpensive tie-in advertisements immediately beneath the larger Hanes advertisements they have directed readers to their doors. More than 14,000 of these tie-in advertisements have been used in the past year. Dealers report that they have brought sales not only of Hanes underwear but also of shirts, socks, ties and other items.

The advertising department of The Daily Reflector has a number of these attractive small-space advertisements, available with free mats. A telephone call will bring our representative. He will be glad to show you these advertisements, tell what they have done for other Hanes dealers in this territory, and give you the very modest figures on their cost.

Hollywood Sights and Sounds

Hollywood—Uncle Sam will be cheered to know that our statistical department just reported that his prosaic army pays its buck privates more than fabulous Hollywood does. The department tackled the problem when a Warner statistician opined that fighting for Warner Bros. in "The Fighting 69th" probably offered an extra more monetary return than fighting for Uncle Sam. Not so, not so. The average yearly wage of dress extras is \$320.92, and they're the highest paid of the extra class. At \$30 a month a U. S. private draws an annual \$360, plus board and room and medical care and clothes, etc.

Myrna Loy, who got started on this "perfect wife" role as Nora Charles, wife of the detective, comes out with a starter: Nora (says Myrna) is not "the perfect wife."

Nora, in the Loy point of view, lives too fast a pace, is seldom calm or composed, is always afraid she's going to miss something exciting. Quote: "It's amusing to remember that Nora is considered an ideal wife—yet she never seems to have a home. In the latest Thin Man picture, she does become maternal with her baby—but she skips off to night club or other function with such abandon you wonder if

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS

- Kind of electric light
- Muscle of the arm
- River: Spanish
- Beverage
- Kind of acid found in urine
- Massachusetts cape
- Except
- On the sheltered side
- Note of the scale
- Make amends for
- Unlaid
- Is able
- Addition to a building
- Place of defense
- Loving
- In victorious
- Forbidden
- Prospacious
- Benovolent
- Chalice
- Cost of the ocean
- Parted
- Whole
- Numerous
- United
- Writing fluid
- Be in process of
- Social unit

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

R	O	M	P	S	T	Y	A	P	S	E
A	L	O	E	P	O	E	C	R	O	W
P	L	A	N	T	E	R	S	R	I	F
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DOWN

- Path
- Assemble
- Chilled
- Type square
- English letter
- Pertaining to
- Messy
- Old times: poetic
- Capable of being regulated
- Cover the inside of
- Destiny
- Melt
- Unclasp
- Comprehensive
- Flock of quail
- Scottish church
- Repair
- River in Siberia
- Paradise
- Warble
- Mentally sound
- Convene
- Intimidate
- Oil of rose petals
- Soakin fabric
- Large
- Smile
- Gratis
- Kind of balam
- Shobin
- Kind of wood
- Entirely
- Aids to
- News organ: abbr.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RENTING OF LAND

On Monday, the 4th day of December, 1939, and at 12 o'clock noon, before the Court House door in Greenville, N. C., the undersigned will rent at public renting and to the highest bidder for cash the following described farm and land, for the year 1940.

Lying and being in Bethel Township, Pitt County, and being about 11-2 miles West of the Town of

"I STOPPED WEARING A TRACK SUIT FOR FOOTBALL WEATHER"

I used to sit in the stands with my teeth chattering. Now, I'm all set for comfort in HANES middleweight WINTER SETS.

HANES WINTER SETS give you outdoor warmth with indoor comfort. You feel right, too... with the gentle, athletic support of the HANES-Knit Crotch-Guard. See your HANES Dealer today. F. H. Hanes Knitting Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

HANES WINTER SETS 50¢ to 79¢ THE GARMENT

Wear a middleweight undershirt. Then choose a pair of Crotch-Guard Wind-Shield (figure above), or Crotch-Guard Shorts. Combed yarn... or 100% wool. HANES' HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONS \$1.00. (Choose 79¢ to \$2.00.)

Acid Stomach?

If you are troubled with acid indigestion, sour risings, gassy stomach or heartburn, you want to help improve your digestion. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery stimulates the appetite and tends to increase the flow of gastric juices and thus aids in improving digestion.

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Washington Daybook

By Preston Grover

Washington—First alarm over difficulties of purchasing war reserves of strategic materials have begun to abate. But the problem is still far from solved.

The difficulties were not made easier by the various "pressure groups" that arise whenever federal money is to be spent.

The last Congress appropriated \$10,000,000 to buy supplies of manganese, chromium, tin, quinine, tungsten and a fairly long list of other items of which this country has little or none. Authority also was given for spending \$100,000,000 during the next four years. It must be remembered there is at times a long spread between an "authorization" and an "appropriation."

A Sample 'Headache'
The supply of manganese presents a sample problem. This country does not produce much.

The government is trying the two-fold job of developing the domestic sources by suitable contracts, while at the same time it brings in shipments from Russia, Cuba and India. Manganese, chromium and tungsten are vital essentials to steel manufacture.

Recently the treasury opened bids for the first of the desired supply. The bidding to say the best, was not keen. There was evidence that all sources were looking for prices to be pushed higher by the war.

Russia from which we buy 50 per cent or more of our 750,000-ton annual need, seemed to be low bidder but so many technicalities in her bid that the treasury seemed appalled. For example, she asked the U. S. to fork over 80 per cent of the price before the stuff left Russia.

As an explanation, it was remembered that Russia is desperately short of dollar exchange with which to pay for the huge shipments of machinery she is buying in this country.

Unofficial guesses are that Russia will modify her terms. Just how the U. S. is not pressed to buy. There are a million tons in private hands, more than a year's peacetime supply.

In the past half-dozen years Cuba has developed a source, mighty close and handy. A top production of around 190,000 tons a year is estimated by the army.

Buy Tin Slowly
A Dutch-British cartel controls the world tin supply so the buying of tin is very conservative to avoid giving the cartel an opportunity to sock up prices.

South Africa, the major chromium supplier, sent a bid that cheered the government. China bid to supply tungsten.

As to rubber, the recent trade of cotton to England brought \$7,000 tons of it as a reserve. That is less than one-fifth of a year's needs. As with tin, England controls the rubber supply. But in a pinch the U. S. has a tremendous reserve from two sources—synthetic rubber and old tires.

SHORT SHOTS

Raleigh, Nov. 2—One of the gentle little Halloween customs in Raleigh is for everyone to belabor everyone else on Fayetteville street with improvised, but still capable of stinging paddles. Tuesday night usually sedate Supreme Court Justice M. V. Barnhill was running a veritable gauntlet along the city's main drag. It seemed that everyurchin on the sidewalk had it in for the judge, though it is improbable they actually know who it was they were

The Creeping Man

by Frances Shelley Wees

YESTERDAY, Michael catches Miss Lissey furtively searching the woods with a magnifying glass. She angrily denounces him for "spying" on her, and tells him to find out about a gray hat left at McBain's the night Murchison went away.

Chapter 23
Talk With McBain

IT IS possible that Michael would never have acted on that strange hint of Miss Lissey's had he not determined in any event to take Dr. McBain into his confidence. Here was the man who must have been in his possession knowledge to clear up a great deal of the mystery surrounding Edgar Murchison if only he were so inclined; a man who had already shown that he was kindly toward Murchison, level-headed and fair-minded.

At dusk that evening Michael lifted the knocker on the McBain door.

McBain himself answered the door, in slippers and smoking jacket, the inevitable pipe in his hand.

"Come in, come in," he said heartily, holding out a welcoming hand. "It's good of you to come."

"Thanks," Michael replied. "I hope you're not busy. I want to have a talk with you."

McBain led him into a small comfortable room on the right; a man's room, with deep chairs and an air of untidiness. The newspaper was spread open on the table, and part of it lay on the floor.

"You'll see how busy I am," his host said with a smile. "I was just having a smoke and finishing the paper."

He indicated a chair with a wave of his hand, and Michael sat down. "I'll come right to the point," said Michael, and looked across at McBain, who put his pipe in his mouth, crossed his knees, and glanced up inquiringly. "You'll remember I asked you several questions about Professor Murchison the night of the Deanes' party?"

"Yes," he smoothed down the fringe of hair on each side of the high white forehead. His eyes were deeply attentive.

Michael hesitated. "I'm afraid I was doing something not quite polite," he said. "I was... well, I was pumping you."

Michael leaned forward and clasped his hands between his knees. "That business about the women," he explained. "I hadn't heard anything. I was looking for information."

McBain frowned. The wrinkles at the side of his strong face deepened. "You had some purpose, I suppose."

"Yes," he paused again. "Did it ever occur to you, Dr. McBain, that it was rather queer of Professor Murchison, whom you know so well, to leave as he did without a word of farewell to you, or an explanation?"

McBain raised his eyebrows. "It did," he said quietly. "Did you ever ask his wife, or his brother, where and why he had gone?"

'A Bit Offended'
IT WAS McBain's turn to hesitate. "To tell you the truth, Forrester," he said, after a moment, "I was a bit offended. I considered that some explanation was due me, particularly as Murchison and I had planned to do a bit of research together. I didn't ask for several days, because I was huffed, and then I spoke to Duncan. I don't care much for Mrs. Murchison."

"And what did Duncan say, may I ask?"

McBain looked at him directly. "Before I answer that I should like to know just what you are getting at, Forrester."

"I'm sorry, I should have told you... well, plainly it's this. The Professor did not go away on a business trip. He disappeared, and no one knew where he went."

"Surely, that isn't possible!"

"Well, it's the truth!"

McBain was thoughtful. "Then that may explain what Duncan meant," he said half to himself. "I was a bit puzzled."

"What did he say?"

"He said 'You'll have to ask his wife for the answer to that question'—and I don't suppose she'll tell you."

"Did he seem content, or what?"

"He was angry. But I suppose, there's no harm in mentioning it to you... he and his sister-in-law have never gotten along any too well. They're both not tempered. I put it down to a fit of pique. You say she doesn't know where her husband is either?"

"No."

"You had something of that in mind, then, when you spoke about his interest in women?"

"Yes. The only explanation that seemed to fit the facts would be that of his having gone off with some other woman."

McBain shook his head. "No, I shall never believe that possible. He wasn't that sort."

"Did he seem disturbed about anything?"

"Not at all. He was a bit pre-occupied, but nothing more."

"About what?"

"I do not know—unless it might be money matters."

"His wife's extravagance was a continual source of worry to him. He mentioned then, I remember, that he would need to work all vacation to keep ahead of the game."

"He had a considerable bank balance?"

"Possibly, but she planned an extensive holiday, I believe. This was said in so many words, you know. I knew him pretty well and there that I gather this."

"You never heard him mention any property, valuable property?"

"That he owned? No. Although—let me see... No."

"Why did you hesitate?"

"I realized that I was mistaken as soon as I spoke. His wife corrected me unconsciously the other night."

"How, Dr. McBain?"

'Happy At First'
YOU wouldn't have noticed, perhaps. It was in regard to a diamond necklace—Mrs. Deane questioned her about one. I was rather under the impression that those were diamonds, and if that is so, they must have been Murchison's property. His wife was penniless when he married her. He told me that once. But she said quite frankly that her necklace was not diamonds, so I was wrong."

"Had he told you of owning any diamonds?"

"No. But I saw the necklace in question on Christmas Eve, and once or twice previously. I certainly took the stones to be diamonds. My wife and I spoke of them to each other, and wondered privately how he managed diamonds on his income. However, I was wrong."

"You say his wife was penniless. How long had they been married?"

"Five or six years, I believe."

"They were happy?"

"They seemed happy when they first came."

"But not later. What caused the break, Dr. McBain?"

He ran his long sensitive hand nervously over his head. "I dislike this personal material," he said.

"It may be very important."

"Well, then—it seems to me I noticed a rift after the Devoes' came. He did not like them, and as they were her relatives, it made matters rather unpleasant."

"How does it happen that her cousin came to this University? It looks like a coincidence."

"I believe that Murchison was instrumental in getting him the place."

"He had known Devoe previously, then?"

"No. I think not. His credentials were good, and Mrs. Murchison spoke so highly of him that when the opening was made known, Murchison recommended Devoe."

Michael considered for a moment, then looked up with an air of decision. "I'll tell you the whole story," he said frankly, "and perhaps you'll be good enough to tell me what you think of it." And with that he told McBain of the letter which had come to the police regarding the Professor's diamonds; of the Commissioner's idea that he, Michael, by living on the campus might get some clue to the strange mystery; of, finally, the discovery of the diamonds and of the sheaf of letters which had been in the box with them. McBain listened in absolute silence, looking up once or twice, but never interrupting, never speaking until Michael came to the end of his recital. Then "You actually found these diamonds?" he asked incredulously.

"We did. Had them tested by an expert today, and they're the real thing. He values them at fifty thousand dollars, so they've stored them away in a safety deposit vault at Headquarters until we find out to whom they belong."

He leaned back in his chair. "Who would be your choice for the writer of that letter, sir?" he asked, his eyes on the other man's face. "The letter about the diamonds?"

McBain frowned. "I don't understand it," he said in bewilderment. "Diamonds—love letters—Edgar Murchison? Actually, Forrester, it all sounds perfectly preposterous and most unbelievable. Why, the man's a friend of mine, an intimate friend! This can't be true, this rhapsody of romance you're telling me."

"Nevertheless, it is," said Michael drily. "And it's just as inexplicable to us, I can assure you."

the latter excepted; but the highest state court said it was quite all right.

To those familiar with the tale of Merrie Old England, it probably isn't so reassuring to walk up to the window of a Raleigh bank wherein a neat little sign informs that the teller who will wait on the customer is "Robin Hood."

Governor Clyde Hoey has been reluctantly forced to decline two very fine invitations to make addresses outside the state—talks which would bring him into prominence nationally.

Here's a good line from the defense's answer in the case of Mrs. Bessie D. Block and Mrs. Ethel D. Bennett, executors of Mark Squires, deceased, vs. W. G. Whisman, as reported in the Supreme court decision handed down Wednesday.

"As a further defense, defendant pleads the three-year and the ten-year statutes of limitations and all other statutes of limitations known to God or man."

Man may listen to the plea, but God certainly will not if the facts alleged by the plaintiffs can be proved.

The cause of action alleges that Squires, as an attorney, succeeded in keeping Whisman out of a five-year penitentiary term to which he had been sentenced in 1926. Squires, it is alleged, appeared before the Volunteer Supreme court and secured a dismissal of the indictment against Whisman.

It is alleged that no payment for these services was ever made until 1933 when \$15 was paid on account. Recovery of \$1,000 is sought.

The North Carolina Supreme court ruled that Judge Frank Armstrong should have admitted testimony which Squires gave at a hearing before his death. The case, which had been dismissed on demurrer, was remanded for a new trial.

Apple Pie
Helena, Mont.—AP—Mrs. Oliver Johnson of Helena recalled that what Violinist Rubinoff particularly liked when she was a vocalist with his orchestra was apple pie. So when Mrs. Johnson greeted Rubinoff in Helena recently she carried with her a thick, juicy apple pie. "Wonderful, wonderful," said the violinist.

NOTICE
TO ALL LANDOWNERS IN THE EDGECOMBE COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT No. 2

You will take notice that it is the purpose of the Board of Drainage Commissioners of the Edgcombe County Drainage District No. 2 to issue bonds for the payment of the total cost of the improvement, in the total amount of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY SEVEN THOUSAND (\$177,000.00) DOLLARS, of which amount ONE HUNDRED THIRTY FIVE THOUSAND (\$135,000.00) DOLLARS is planned to be issued at once. These bonds are to draw four per cent interest, payable semi-annually, and are payable in twenty equal installments, one each year, beginning on January 1st, 1945. Any landowner in the district not wanting to pay interest on bonds may, on or before the 30th day of November, 1939, pay the County Treasurer (or County Auditor) of Edgcombe County the full amount for which his land is liable, which:

for Class "A" land is \$12.50 per acre;
for Class "B" land is \$10.00 per acre;
for Class "C" land is \$7.50 per acre;
for Class "D" land is \$5.00 per acre;
for Class "E" land is \$2.50 per acre.

said amounts having been ascertained from the classification sheet and the certificate of the Board showing the total cost of the improvement. The lands on which the assessments are so paid shall be released from liability to be assessed for the said improvements, but such land shall continue liable for any future assessment for maintenance or for any increased assessment authorized under the law.

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Kingham's Vienna Sausage	6c	Men's Heavy Suede Tan Work Shirts	69c
Kingham's Potted Meats	3c	Men's Heavy Fleeced Grey Work Shirts	49c
Kingham's Pickled Pig Feet, 9-oz jar	12c	Men's Work Pants, good heavy quality	97c
Blankets, part wool, solid colors, good heavy quality, 4 pounds	\$1.98	Ladies' Rayon Taffeta Slips, good quality, all sizes	29c
2 1/2 Part Wool Blankets, plaids	\$1.29	Bed Sheets for double beds	33c
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Bears to Seek Revenge In Game Friday Night

To Be Out to Beat Phantoms in New Bern Battle

Tomorrow night at eight o'clock the Flying Phantoms of Greenville high school will be the guest of the New Bern Bears in the second conference tilt of this season for the locals. New Bern won one conference game and lost three.

Greenville's record up to date consists of three wins, one loss and one tie game. With this record, the Phantoms have a slight edge over the Bears and expect to have another win dangling from their belt.

The Bears will be out to avenge a 19-0 defeat handed to them last year by the Phantoms. The locals are expected to be at their best when they clash with the Bears in an effort to defend their record. With no injuries to halt their progress, the Phantoms backfield is doped to push the pigskin deep into Bear territory. The starting backs are J. B. Kittrell, Marvin Stocks, George Tyndall and George Sakas. These boys are also crack defensive players.

The local line averaging 170 pounds have been paying the way for the four horsemen during the entire season. The linemen are John Collins and Larry James at ends, Earl Kittrell and Russell Rogerson at tackles, Warren Parish and Paul Scott on guard posts and Charles Williams at center.

Coaches Bo Farley and Heman Erikson held a tough scrimmage between the two teams yesterday. They will have another tough practice today to conclude this week's workout.

Los Angeles Gets A Namesake

Los Angeles.—(AP)—In the far-away Belgian Congo there is now a village named Los Angeles. It is part of the leper colony at Lubumbashi. Its construction was financed by Southern California residents.

FARM LEADERS HOLD SESSION

Forty Gather at Woman's Club Building for Meet

By WYATT BROWN
"Legislation which the Farm Bureau Federation had passed in the last regular session of Congress provided for the United States government to provide the money to open the tobacco market after it closed on September 8th of this year, we found when we got to Washington in September," declared B. B. Sugg and W. H. Woolard, prominent bankers and business men of Pitt county, last night at a dinner meeting of forty of the most prominent farmers of Pitt county held at the Woman's Club.

The meeting was called and presided over by Earl Trevathan, president of the Pitt County Farm Bureau Federation. Besides Mr. Sugg and Mr. Woolard other speakers were John Mitchell, Jasper Winslow, Paul Davenport, R. G. Arnold, organizer of the southern states for the American Farm Bureau Federation and almost everyone else present. Everyone was enthusiastic and glad of the opportunity to make suggestions and to speak a word of appreciation for the work of the Farm Bureau in Pitt county for the tobacco farmers.

"Tobacco this year will bring as much more as the amount the United States government puts into it," Jasper Winslow quoted James Ficklen, prominent tobaccoist, as having said. "We have got to have a diversified program, crop rotation, and live-at-home program and I am not ever going to make another



Russell Rogerson, tackle on the Green Phantom eleven of Greenville High school, will see action next when the locals engage the New Bern Bears in that city tomorrow night. The locals completed practice for the contest this afternoon and the Farleymen looked to be in shape to take the Craven county boys.

speech without emphasizing that. "People say the government helped us in the September 8th crisis, some give politicians credit, some say it was our congressman but everyone who has any acquaintance with the subject know that it was the legislation brought about through the efforts of the Farm Bureau over the objection of several North Carolina congressmen that provided the needed provision for government help. The government is providing the money but under provisions of laws already seen to by the Farm Bureau. I wish people would get it clear just who and how the money was got," declared Paul Davenport, prominent farmer and business man of the Pactolus area.

The meeting was called. Forty outstanding, prominent farmers were invited and came. Representatives of the bankers and warehousemen were invited to hear what transpired so that the business men could know the Bureau is never trying to put anything over.

Several of the speakers took the occasion to pay tribute to the outstanding leadership Jasper Winslow has given the organization in North Carolina since it started in Pitt county in 1936. R. G. Arnold was particularly complimentary for the like few Pitt county citizens has been able to see Mr. Winslow stacked up against the country's outstanding leaders in Washington City, and among farm leaders in Chicago. Mr. Arnold characterized Mr. Winslow as "the most influential farm leader in the nation and one who has demonstrated his qualities as being superior to all the rest." Mr. Arnold took the occasion to say that it was Mr. Winslow's ability which saw tobacco of all farm products being the only one to secure parity prices through the depression and only for 1939 did all the others get provided with parity prices.

The remarks of all were emphasizing that the Pitt county farmers had to organize to make the Farm Bureau able to carry on and to protect the tobacco industry in North Carolina from deprivations of outsiders. Everyone brought out that

DISEASES LED BY DIPHTHERIA

Almost Preventable Disease, but Leads In Cases

Raleigh, Nov. 2.—Diphtheria, according to all medical authorities, is practically one hundred per cent preventable, yet for at least three successive weeks it led all other reportable diseases in North Carolina according to weekly reports from the Division of Epidemiology of the North Carolina State Board of Health.

Prevalence of diphtheria has not been high enough to rate in the all that was wanted was parity prices and to keep what they had. The business men present assured the Farm Bureau leaders that they were behind the getting Pitt county farmers organized for they saw the urgent need of it and stood ready to do whatever they were called upon for.

"Without membership the Farm Bureau will be powerless," declared Ornd.

really epidemic class, but in only one of the three weeks ended October 7, 14 and 21 was the number of reported cases less than one hundred and then it escaped by just one case, with 99 reported.

That was for the week which ended October 7, the other two jumping to 141 and 143, in that order. And in each of the three weekly

periods diphtheria led all other diseases. Scarlet fever, with 73 was the nearest approach during the week of October 7; and the same disease was again runnerup for the October

14 report while in the October 21 accounting, measles, with 96, took second place.

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HOEY NOT TALKING ABOUT HIS
PRESIDENTIAL BOOM

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The other declined bid is that from Frank Bane, executive secretary of the National Governor's Conference, who asked Governor Hoey to make an address at Nashville, Tenn., November 16, at a meeting of officials from at least a dozen states interested in interstate legislation.

If the Governor were seriously in the presidential running he'd find ways and means to make both these talks.

Richmond Livestock

(Courtesy J. N. and J. L. Williams) Richmond, Nov. 2.—Hogs—receipts moderate, market steady and unchanged, quoting good and choice 180 to 250 lbs. \$6.55 to \$6.80 the top, 120-140 \$5.50-\$6.00, 140-160 \$6.00-\$6.30, 160-180 \$6.30-\$6.55, 250-300 \$6.05-\$6.55, over 300 lbs. \$5.75-\$6.30. Steers—strictly good fat butcher steers \$8.00 to \$8.50, extra choice little higher; butcher steers \$7.00 to \$7.75, common steers \$6.00 to \$6.50. Heifers—average run nearby heifers \$5.00 to \$6.00, good beef breed heifers 800 to 900 lbs. \$7.00 to \$7.50, poor quality as to value. Cows—strictly good fat butcher cows \$5.00 to \$5.50, few choice little higher, medium cows around \$4.25 to \$4.50, common and canners about \$3.50. Bulls—good fat butcher bulls \$6.00 to \$6.50, lights around \$5.50 to \$6.00. Medium bulls \$5.00 to \$5.50. Vealers—merely good to near choice vealers \$9.50 to \$10.50, strictly fancy vealers to \$11.00 extreme top, with culls as to value. Sheep—lamb receipts light, good and near choice lambs \$8.00 to \$8.50, choice to \$9.00 top. Slaughter ewes around \$3.00 to \$3.50, with culls as to value.

New York Cotton

New York, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened two higher to one lower. Prices around the end of the first hour ruled unchanged to two points lower. December and March were off two at 8.95 and 8.77, respectively. Around midday prices held gains of one to five points, with December up two at 8.99 and May up the most at 8.79.

	Open	Close	Pr. Cl.
Dec.	8.98	8.97	8.97
Jan.	8.93	8.91	8.99
Mar.	8.92	8.82	8.79
May	8.70	8.72	8.68
July	8.55	8.57	8.52
Oct.	8.28	8.32	8.29

Chicago Grain Market

(Courtesy Vernon Parrish)
WHEAT—Open Close Pr. Cl.
Dec. 86 1/2 86 1/2 86 1/2
May 85 1/2 85 1/2 85 1/2
July 84 84 1/2 84 1/2
CORN
Dec. 50 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2
May 52 1/2 52 1/2 52 1/2
July 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2
OATS
Dec. 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2
May 35 35 1/2 35 1/2
July 32 1/2 31 1/2 32 1/2
RYE
Dec. 52 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2
May 53 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2

N. Y. Stock Market

New York, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Stocks pursued a devious course in today's market with several specialties edging forward in the face of declining trends for most leaders. Moderate activity at the start gave way to sluggishness later and losses running to a point or more were reduced near the fourth hour. The steady flow of pleasing domestic business developments brought support for isolated issues, but seemingly had little effect on the list generally.

N. Y. STOCK LIST

A. C. L.	25	Simmons	24
Anaconda	32 1/2	Southern Railway	20 1/2
American Radiator	30 1/2	Standard Brands	5 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	38 1/2	Sperry Corporation	49 1/2
Chrysler	88 1/2	Texas Corporation	47 1/2
C. I. T.	31 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur	36 1/2
Coca Cola	119 1/2	United Aircraft	47 1/2
Commercial Credit	46 1/2	United Corporation	23 1/2
Commercial Solvent	12 1/2	United Drug	51 1/2
Consolidated Oil	8 1/2	U. S. Steel	34 1/2
Continental Can	44	Warner Pictures	4 1/2
Electric Bond and Share	9	Western Union	28 1/2
General Motors	54 1/2	Douglas Aircraft	85 1/2
Gillette	6 1/2	N. Y. Central	21 1/2
International Telephone	4 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	43 1/2
Lorillard	23 1/2	American Tobacco	81 1/2
Nash-Kelvinator	7 1/2	U. S. Alcohol	25 1/2
National Dairy	16	Aviation Corporation	7 1/2
Otis Steel	13 1/2	Curtis Wright	10 1/2
Packard	3 1/2	American Telephone	168 1/2
Paramount Pictures	8 1/2		
Pullman	35 1/2		
Pure Oil	8 1/2		
Radio	6 1/2		
Reynolds	36 1/2		

PIPE WATER TO HANGING ROCK

Line Run Nearly Two Miles to Park in State

By HENRY AVERILL
Raleigh, Nov. 2.—Installation of the main park water supply system, including construction of a pipe line nearly two miles long, has been completed in Hanging Rock State Park in Stokes county near Danbury. Thomas W. Morse, superintendent of State Parks and the Department of Conservation and Development, said today.

Work is now starting on the main picnic area, he added. Water and sewer lines to this area have been finished and public rest rooms have already been built.

It is planned to build several permanent barbecue pits in addition to a large picnic shelter, Morse said there will be, too, several outdoor fireplaces, tables and other facilities. All the work is being done by employees of the Civilian Conservation Corps camp assigned to the area.

The bath house, built of native stone quarried within the park, has already been completed except for some interior work, and is now being used as a storage building, but it will be ready for use this next spring and summer if it is found possible to open the park by then, Morse said. The CCC boys are also building a hundred-car parking area near the bath house, and doing roadside improvement work along roads within the park.

Hanging Rock State Park will have one of the best water systems in any of the state areas, with the possible exception of Mt. Mitchell State Park, Morse said, in that the reservoir which will hold about 750,000 gallons, is formed out of almost solid rock with a concrete dam across one end. The water is crystal clear and very cold, even in the summer time. The water will be chlorinated automatically as it flows into the water mains. It comes from mountain springs and streams.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

New York—Once again a New York police commissioner has set out after the unattainable end of unslurring Manhattan's traffic annoyance. He is whistling up his sycophants. He may as well sit on a rooftop and bay at the moon. Traffic congestion in New York is like some dread diseases incurable.

But every two or three years some one suddenly decides to revolutionize traffic, streamline it, grease a few skids, eliminate others, and find a way out of the stalled, jammed, piled-up mess that are our cross streets. And, as usual, the taxicabs are the first ones singled out.

There are about fourteen thou-

What Russia Wants From Finland



Geographic strategy is believed to be the basis for the latest Soviet demands on Finland. This map locates the seven major points. 1—Russians seek domination of the Rybach peninsula, a key position in the Arctic. 2—In this area of the Soviet Karelia the Finns have been promised land to compensate for the area they may be forced to yield. 3—The Soviets ask for a strip of the Karelian isthmus near Leningrad. 4—The border between Russia and Finland would be demilitarized. 5—Finns would give up a small strip of territory near the entrance to the Gulf of Finland, presumably near Hango. 6—Russia seeks title to small islands in the Gulf of Finland. 7—Russia would withdraw objections to fortification of the Aaland islands by Finland.

and cabs in New York. Four thousand of these are the independents. The others belong to the great, organized fleets, belonging to corporations. They have fought each other for years—usually to a standstill.

Even on good days cab drivers do not make a lot of money. Most of them barely get by. It may be a little tougher than usual on the drivers now, for cruising during daylight hours in the mid-town areas has been prohibited—for a month at least. This means that cabs bringing passengers into this area must refuse to pick up other fares, after depositing their passengers, but must move at once out of the area and wait at stands for new fares.

But that, here or anywhere else, can't possibly work. If you are standing on a corner and my cabs let me out at your very feet, what is to keep you from piling into the cab and saying, "Driver, take me to such and such a place." It's still a free country. There aren't enough cops to keep each cab under surveillance, and besides, why make the cabbie lose chance fares when the plan, after all hasn't the ghost of a chance to succeed.

The truth is that Manhattan will always be something like midnight in a madhouse, where traffic is concerned. There are too many vehicles of every description. The only possible solution would be to cut down the number of cars. And you might as well try to talk reason to penguins. Manhattan, after all, despite its name, is a little place. There are probably a hundred thousand towns in the country that cover more ground. We are like the human skeleton at the circus—tall.

lence comes through strikes, and the battles between the company cabs and the independents. These are conditions that should be accepted philosophically. They have always existed. They always will. Police Commissioner Valentine is an able, conscientious man. He knows a thing or two. But what he needs—and can't have—in New York is an additional thousand miles of thoroughfare. Without this, the problem can not be solved.

SOUPY, SOUPY, SOUPY, WITH MILLIONS OF BEANS

Oxnard, Calif.—(AP)—The busiest September lima bean growers have ever experienced is attributed by their trade association directly to the war. Price of the beans took a big jump.

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