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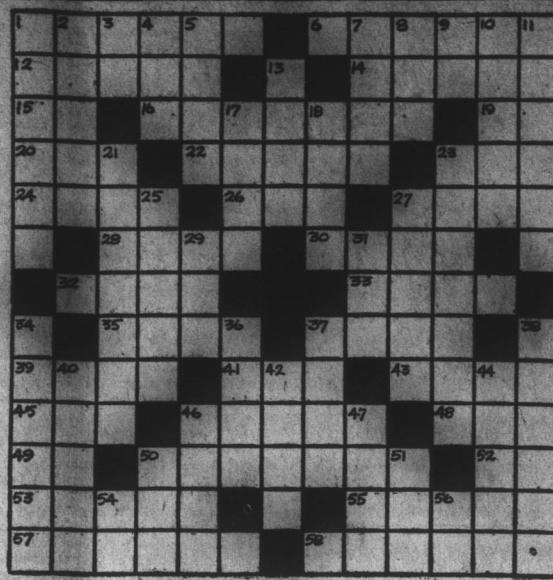
In and About the City

Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle. CRY VARNISH FRA... HE PALE STAR AT... I CAPOT ARSIS T... MARLINE TUTANIA... EWE DENSITY ARC... REED TEN TREK... ADDICH W EGRESS... EARN TRUE... PASTRY S ENARME... ARMS BOA TIES... LEE SMOLDER GAT... SALLIES OPALINE... I LOTTO ROPED E... EN WARM EDIT AM... DOG RESIDED BIS

COMMENCEMENT AT SUNDERLAND SCHOOL

Will Take Place May 10-12.—Mr. Rowan to Preach Sermon. Invitations have been issued by the class of 1925 to the commencement exercises of the Laura Sunderland Memorial School to be held May 10 to 12.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



After trying out the notes in this musical crossword puzzle, you may be ready to do justice at least one good-sized portion of 11 vertical.

HORIZONTAL

- 1 A curtain on which motion pictures may be shown. 6 A string of links (pl.). 12 Inclination. 14 Valuable property. 15 Sun god. 16 Conducts orchestra. 19 You and I. 20 Liabilities. 22 Weighs. 23 Early evening meal. 24 Fruit. 26 Roadhouse. 27 To place automobile in a reserved spot. 28 To embark. 30 Rent. (v.) 32 To allot. 33 Garden tool. 35 To want. 37 Known facts. 39 Performs. 41 Metal in natural form. 43 Sea eagle. 45 Matter in aeriform state. 46 To taunt. 48 Period. 49 Atop. 50 Proceeding from the side. 52 Seventh musical note. 53 Ships' prows. 55 Selected. 57 To boil. 58 To confide.

VERTICAL

- 1 Strips of leather. 2 Material used for mourning. 3 Second note in scale. 4 Finish. 5 To prepare for publication. 7 Headgear (pl.). 8 Animal similar to donkey. 9 Exits. 10 More recent. 11 Special cuts of meat. 13 Common house plant. 17 To invade suddenly. 18 A penny. 21 Abilities. 23 Large drinking cup. 25 Values. 27 To babble. 29 Born. 31 English money. 34 Four-wheeled vehicles drawn by horses. 36 Contraction. 37 Stag. 38 To happen. 40 Light boat used by Indians. 42 Long grass. 44 Remarks. 46 Ribbon band around the waist. 47 To rage. 50 To rent. 51 To cut off. 54 Point of compass. 56 Toward.

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CITY ELECTION DOES NOT AROUSE MUCH INTEREST Light Vote Predicted Due to Fact That Democrats Have No Organized Opposition. Voters of Concord are choosing their city officials for the next two years at the polls today, but little interest has been aroused in the election due to the fact that the Democratic candidates have no organized opposition. The Democratic nominees were named in April in two primaries and so far they have had smooth sailing as no Republican or independent ticket for the city was offered to the voters. Voting began early this morning and will continue until sunset, and unless voting in the afternoon is much heavier than it has been this morning a very light vote will be cast. More than 1,800 votes were cast in the run-off primary between C. H. Barr and J. B. Womble for the Democratic nomination for mayor, but it is doubtful if this many votes will be cast today since there is no opposition to the candidates sponsored by the Democratic ticket.

Col. Cook Flabbergasted. N. C. Christian Advocate. Col. James P. Cook, editor of The Uplift, wields a facile pen and keeps an eye out constantly for the choice products of other editors that may add to the interest of his own columns. But the following from the Journal of Social Forces has gotten beyond the ken of the Concord editor. The Journal says: "The upshot of the present argument is to the effect that the economic interpretation does not rest for its validity upon mere applications, that it cannot be upturned by specious demands for casual uniformity or by the presentation of disconcerting historical episodes, that it is not vitiated by the crowding of cultures, that it is a reasonable expression of the evolutionary concept, that its generic point of view does not serve the purpose of actual functional analysis, and that its use of the common sense concept of causality is not an invocation of mechanistic fatalism and cannot be challenged as disingenuous sophistry." Yet in spite of all this Col. Cook is still hopeful and thinks that the summer vacation, which is near at hand, will prove beneficial to the author of the foregoing.

At the Theatres. Harold Lloyd in "Girl Shy" will again be seen at the New Concord Theatre today and tomorrow. "The Prairie Wife," starring Herbert Rawlinson and Dorothy Devore, and a comedy, "The Face Makers," starring George O'Hara and Albert Vaughn, are the features being shown today at the Pastime. Pola Negri in an Ernst Lubitsch production, "Forbidden Paradise," supported by Rod La Rocque, Adolphe Menjou and Pauline Starks, is the feature being shown today at the Star.

THE NEEDLEMAN CASE IS TO START TODAY

Seven or More Alleged to Have Mutilated Prisoner Will Also Face Trial. Williamston, N. C., May 4.—The names of Joseph Needleman, tobacco salesman, charged with the capital offense of attacking a 17-year-old white girl; and of more than a score of men charged with conspiracy and breaking jail, which crime is punishable by a fine of \$500 or from two to fifteen years in the state's prison, will be presented to the Martin county grand jury this week. Of these at least seven will have bills presented against them charging mutilation of Needleman. The last named offense is punishable by imprisonment in the state's prison of from five to sixty years, in the discretion of the court.

This week's term of court will be a special term, ordered by Governor McLean, as the result of Needleman's alleged crime in March and his consequent mutilation at the hands of a masked band of men who took him from jail. He was given three choices, he is quoted as having said: Death by shooting, death by hanging, or mutilation. He is reported to have chosen the last named method of punishment.

An investigation resulting in the arrest of a number of men followed the incident. In the meantime, Needleman, in a weakened condition, was taken to a hospital in Washington, N. C., for treatment. While there he was kept under guard. Governor McLean, advised of the alleged crime and its consequent crime, committed by a band of masked men, ordered that a special term of court convene here today. Judge N. A. Sinclair is to preside. Solicitor Gilliam will ask the grand jury to indict Needleman on a capital charge and will prosecute the case. Al-

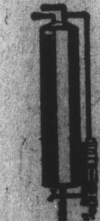
so, he will present the names of the following men, charged with violation of Section 4376 of the Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina by the alleged commission of conspiracy and breaking jail: Henry D. Griffin, Allan Bullock, Roy Gray, Edgar Johnson, Grady Smith, Sherwood Robertson, James Henry Gray, Louis Johnson, all of Robersonville; F. W. Sparrow, F. W. Sparrow, Jr., Claro Heath, all of Kingston; L. A. Crom, Tom Harrell and Lester Edmondson, of Gold Point; E. C. Stone, John Gurkin, John Smithwick, John Gray Corey, Tom Lilly, Allen Griffin, James H. Coltraine, Clarence Gurkin, Ben Lilly, Alfred Griffin, Albert Gurkin, and John A. Gurkin, all of Griffin township, Martin county. Needleman, against whom the most serious charge has been lodged, went to Kingston about two years ago, from Philadelphia, it is said. At the time of the alleged offense he was a tobacco salesman.

The crime laid to the charge of Needleman and the consequent mutilation of the defendant, after he had been arrested and placed in the Martin county jail, to await a preliminary hearing, to be conducted when the prosecutrix should be able to attend, caused feeling to run high. There was talk of asking the sheriff to resign. The governor was appealed to for a special term of court, which he granted, designating that it begin today.

Some of those arrested on the charge of taking Needleman from jail were taken to the Pitt county jail, at Greenville, for safe keeping. Solicitor Gilliam has not given out the names of those he will ask the grand jury to indict on the charge of mutilation. He said, however, that he would present the names of "not under seven."

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