Construction Planning, Equipment, And Methods
Synopsis

The Eighth Edition of Construction Planning, Equipment and Methods follows in the footsteps of the previous editions by providing the reader with the fundamentals of machine utilization and production estimating in a logical, simple and concise format. This text is aimed at supporting a basic undergraduate construction equipment course that is part of an engineering curriculum. It is also applicable to graduate equipment courses. In addition, since technology is constantly evolving, this text provides an understanding of machine capabilities and how to properly apply those capabilities to construction challenges.

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N or M? This 1941 book tells about the work of Tommy and Tuppence Beresford. The met and worked on an earlier case that involved Internal Security in the early 1920s when the beginning of the Great Depression caused turmoil in Great Britain. Now they want to get involved in the war effort but are told they are too old. Mr. Grant arrives with an undercover job for Tommy alone. He leaves for his destination, a boarding house near the sea (Leahampton). He meets the other guests. War time rationing is in effect. One boarder is a German refugee named Carl (Chapter 2). Tuppence has intelligence and shows it! We learn more about the other guests. Can anyone here be a Fifth Columnist? It doesn’t seem likely to Mrs. Blenkensop. Tommy reports to Mr. Grant about the other guests (Chapter 3). Was Mrs. Blenkensop’s experience on the staircase a hint (Chapter 4)? Can she set a trap to discover who is snooping in her letters? Little Betty Sprot disappeared, a
ransom note was found! Some of the people go looking and find the child just in time (Chapter 7). One resident is taken away by the police. "No doubt whatever." Meadowes learns of a hidden object (Chapter 9). But he has bad luck as he returns home (Chapter 12). Tuppence is sent on a mission to Leatherbarrow (Chapter 13). She gets a surprise (Chapter 14)! There is an elaborate plot to hide Fifth Columnists. She is made an offer if she tells all, like other Nazi sympathizers. Tuppence has a reply. Will she be saved at the last minute? Will the Fifth Columnists be exposed? [You'll never guess!] Chapter 15 has the explanation for the mysteries, such as the kidnapping of little Betty! German propaganda appealed to people's desire or lust for power.

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