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Nine additional States have been given their last FERA funds: total now 26.

Harry L. Hopkins, Federal Emergency Relief Administrator and Works Progress Administrator, today announced that Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Kentucky, Maine, New Jersey, Oregon, and Virginia have been given their last allotments of Federal funds by the FERA. The actual transfer of funds comprising the final grants will be completed in a few days.

The addition of the nine States to those that will not again appear on the FERA allotment list when other allotments are made later for the last half of November brings the total to 26. Other States already removed from the grant list are: Alabama, Indiana, Nevada, New Hampshire, Vermont, Wyoming, Maryland, Delaware, South Dakota, Rhode Island, Georgia, Iowa, New Mexico, Ohio, South Carolina, Mississippi, and Connecticut.

The allotments have ended for the 26 States because Works Program employment is either well enough along or will be soon to take care of employables transferred from the relief rolls, and also, the needs of unemployables are provided for by States and their localities.

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