

PUSSYFOOTING



EROSION COST \$38.75 IN ONE MONTH.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 18.—That Nature's forces take an enormous toll from the hillsides of Piedmont North Carolina is shown by measurements of soil erosion conducted by engineers of the Drainage Division on the Experiment Station farm near Raleigh.

During the period from June 18 to July 18 the loss of soil from a plot six feet wide and one hundred and seventy-five feet long planted to cotton was 1157 pounds or an average of 25 tons to the acre. One-fifth of an inch of soil was removed from the surface during this period with a rainfall of 9.13 inches.

On estimate of the plant food lost on each acre and its value in dollars and cents is as follows:

- Phosphoric acid 21 lbs. at 5c \$1.05
- Potash 666 lbs. at 5c 33.30
- Nitrogen 22 lbs. at 20c 4.40

Total..... \$38.75

The method used in measuring the soil was to collect the siltladen water as it drained from the plot into large tanks where it was allowed to settle. The water was then drained off and the remaining mud taken out, dried and weighed. The plant food loss was then found by analyses.

Save the Soil.

In order to remedy this loss, cover crops must be grown and above all, a system of terraces must be constructed and maintained. This is most important as terraces lessen the leaching and keep the fertile soil on the fields. While most of the soil is deposited in hollows and small valleys before it reaches the stream, yet the larger part is lost, as only a small portion of the soil thus deposited can be used for the growing crops. Properly constructed terraces will keep this soil on the hillside where its fertility can be used.

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For 25 years Father Jerome S. Ricard has sent out daily weather reports to the farmers near the Santa Clara (Calif.) University. Now the Knights of Columbus are conducting a campaign to erect a new observatory for him.

Now is the time for Club encampments throughout the State, and reports from Stanly, Vance, Guilford, Rockingham and many other counties show the good these "get-together" meetings are doing.

The fifth annual meeting of the National Soybean Grower's Association will be held on August 29 and 30 at Ames, Iowa. This association is composed of all the largest soybean growers in the country and North Carolina growers are urged to attend.

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I WOULD JUST LOVE TO HAVE IT CURLY BUT MOTHER FORBIDS DOGS IN THE HOUSE -

WHY AM I BLUE? AW, I WON A PUP LAST NIGHT POP WANTED TO GIVE IT TO ELEANORE BUT HER MOTHER HATES DOGS. I DON'T WANNA KEEP IT AN' MAY IS OUTA TOWN

WHY NOT GIVE IT TO OL' MAID MAGGIE YOUNG

MISS YOUNG WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE A LITTLE DOG?
ME?

OH CURLY THIS IS SO SUDDEN

SAY, STRANGER DO I LOOK LIKE A DOG?