

Record Yield Of Long Staple Is Seen This Year

Memphis, Tenn. — To meet demands of the military services for increasing quantities of fabrics made from long staple cottons, the U. S. Cotton Belt will this year produce substantially more cotton of the longer staple varieties than ever before, the National Cotton Council said today.

The Council reported that cotton farmers this season planted a substantially increased acreage to long staple cottons, acting on the request of the Department of Agriculture. Much of this increased long staple acreage was created by a diversion of land from short and medium staple lengths, though some undoubt-

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edly was accounted for in the 3.8 per cent general acreage increase over last year.

In the irrigated sections of New Mexico, Arizona and California, where American-Egyptian long staple is the customary variety, cotton acreage increased sharply. In New Mexico and Arizona acreage this year is 51 per cent over last year and 202 per cent over 1940. Plans are already being made to top these increases in 1943.

While military demands have been particularly heavy on long staple stocks, domestic consumption has so increased generally that a substantial hole has been made in the cotton surplus during the past twelve months. Stocks in warehouses and compresses on June 30 had dropped 20 per cent below a year ago, standing at 8,459,000 bales. At the same time mill inventories totaled 2,441,000 bales.

Domestic consumption for this season has reached such high peaks that it will stand about 40 per cent higher than in any year prior to the 1940-41 season, totaling around 11,000,000 bales, the council said. Exports for 1941-42 were around 1,250,000 bales.

In U.S. Air Raid on Rouen, France



Uncle Sam's air forces, after intensive preparation at British bases, have swung into action over Europe and are bombing Hitler's arsenals. Those participating in the first raid on Rouen, France, are left to right (seated): Movie star Gene Raymond, intelligence officer; Sergt. Kent West of West Blockton, Ala.; and Lieut. Tom Borders, pilot, Birmingham, Ala. The dier standing up is unidentified. Sergt. West, the rear gunner, shot down a Focke-Wulf 190. This is a cablephoto. (Central Press)

STORE OWNER REGAINS 10 POUNDS ON RETONGA

Few Ever Suffered More from Nervous Indigestion, Declares Prominent Wilkes County Resident. Was Slave To Laxatives.

Happy and grateful praise of Retonga continues to pour in. Among the latest to strongly endorse this famous herbal stomachic and Vitamin B-1 medicine is Mrs. Mitch Reeves, proprietor of her own store on R.F.D. 1, North Wilkesboro, and one of the best known women in her section. Telling of her happy relief by Retonga, Mrs. Reeves declared: "Few people suffered more distress from nervous indigestion than I did. After meals my stomach would fill up with gas until often I would have to gasp for breath, and my nerves were so badly on edge I scarcely got an hour's sound sleep all night long. Mornings I just felt so achy, sluggish, and miserable I hated to see the sun come up. I was a slave to harsh laxatives and mineral oil, and I had such throbbing dizzy headaches, and I felt so weak, nervous, and trembly that sometimes I hardly dared to risk getting out of my chair. "Retonga relieved all this distress so promptly that I was astonished.

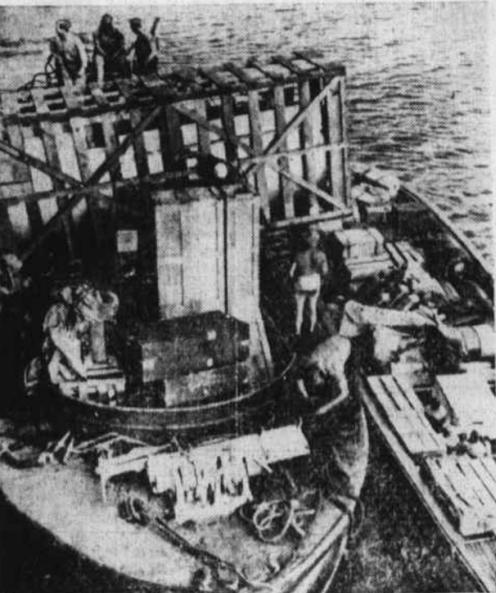


MRS. MITCH REEVES

I have regained ten pounds, I sleep fine and I don't have to take those harsh, sickening laxatives. I feel strong and energetic, and Retonga has my everlasting gratitude."

If the first bottle of Retonga fails to bring you gratifying relief, the small cost will be refunded without question. Retonga may be obtained at Clark's Pharmacy, Inc.—Adv.

Supplies at U.S. Pacific Base



These two lighters pull up alongside a cargo boat loaded with supplies to be taken ashore to one of the U. S. outposts in the Pacific. These bases offer excellent jumping off spots for United States forces in counter-attacking the Japs. This is a phonephoto. (Central Press)

Cotton Protector Adds Tire Mileage

Akron, Ohio.—Resembling nothing so much as the price of feminine wearing apparel known as a girdle, a new cotton cord protector for tire inner tubes just developed here is expected to add thousands of miles to thousands of old tires, already marked for the scrap heap.

In tests at a rubber company laboratory, one of the new cotton protectors was placed as an inner lining in a tire which had been run flat and supposedly was so badly damaged it could not be used further. To make the test more severe, the sidewall of the tire was slashed in four places. Use of the protector resulted in more than 4,000 miles additional use before the tire was discarded.

The "girdle" will be manufactured in quantity as no rubber is consumed in its make-up. It provides perfect protection for the inner tube against the chafing action of cuts and breaks in the tire.

Stir well and add 1 teaspoon cream. Stir again and spread on cookies.

There is just one trick to cheese cookery and that is, never "cook" the cheese. Just melt it. Otherwise it may become tough and stringy. Shave it thin or grate it so it will blend better and faster with other foods.

Did you ever use cheese in your soup? Soup season is almost here so why not grate cheese fine and sprinkle plentifully into cream of onion, tomato, or potato soup.

From soup to dessert, cheese will improve the flavor and goodness of any meal.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County, In The Superior Court. Joseph H. Lilley vs. Ethel Mae Lilley. The defendant above will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to secure an absolute divorce based upon two years separation, and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear before the clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina within thirty days (30) and answer or demur to the complaint in the said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint. This the 31st day of August, 1942. L. B. WYNNE, Clerk Superior Court, Martin County. s1-4t

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of the clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County entered in that certain special proceedings pending in the Superior Court of Martin County entitled: "W. H. Everett and wife, Serena Everett, et als, vs. Joseph H. Everett and wife, Katherine Everett," same being a partition proceedings, the undersigned Commissioner will on the 1st day of October, 1942, at twelve (12) o'clock Noon, at the Courthouse Door, of Martin County, Williamston, N. C., offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: First Tract: Commencing at the Joseph H. Hollis corner on the Hamilton and Everetts Public Road; thence up, with and along said Everetts and Hamilton Road to W. A. Edmondson's corner; thence down and along said Edmondson's line to said Edmondson's corner; thence a straight line with Edmondson's line as heretofore mentioned to a corner in Millie Rawls' line in a branch, said line being marked by a straight ditch leading from the Public Road as far as said ditch reached; thence up run of branch to what is known as Glisson's corner of J. B. Coffield's line; thence up and along said Coffield's line to the beginning. Containing 20 acres, more or less. Second Tract: Beginning at a post, Ben Glisson and J. B. Coffield's corner on the Wild Cat Road; thence along said road 50 yards to a post; thence a West straight course 150 yards to a post on J. B. Coffield's line; thence along said Coffield's line to the beginning. Containing 1-2 acre, more or less, and being that certain tract of land deeded to Joseph H. Hollis by Samuel Glisson and others, recorded in Book C-1, page 161. Third Tract: Situated on the West-erly side of public road leading pass of said Holliday, beginning at the line in said Joe Hollis and H. R. Mizelle corner and running thence a stake, a corner, Will Killebrew, H. R. Mizelle and Jos. Hollis; thence

Doolittle in London



Symbol of America's rising air offensive in Europe, Brig. Gen. James Doolittle, who led the raid on Tokyo, is pictured on one of the main streets of London. This photo was flashed by radio from London to New York. (Central Press)

State College Hints For Farm Homes

By RUTH CURRENT

Honey is prized for its distinctive flavor and delicate sweetness.

When you cook with honey, remember that it is part water. Replace sugar with honey, cup for cup, but use on-half the quantity of other liquid called for. For example, if the original recipe called for 1 cup sugar and 1 cup milk, use 1 cup honey and 1-2 cup milk. Other ingredients remain the same.

When honey is used in cakes and quick breads be sure to bake at the lowest temperature possible so the honey won't scorch.

Honey takes up moisture as it stands. It is not so good for candies and frostings unless they are eaten at once.

Honey will keep fruit cakes and steamed puddings moist.

Honey is good for a sandwich filling — creamed with butter, nuts, grated orange peel, cream cheese, or peanut butter.

Honey, like other forms to sugar, supplies energy to the body.

A time-saving frosting: For delicious cookie frosting that takes little time to make, melt 8 chocolate covered peppermints in double boil-

VICTORY ON THE FARM FRONT NEWS from the Agricultural Extension Service

PLANS BEING MADE FOR FURNISHING AAA LIME

Plans now are being made by County AAA committees for furnishing ground limestone to North Carolina farmers as a grant-of-aid material under the 1943 AAA program, according to G. T. Scott, chairman of the State AAA committee, with headquarters at N. C. State College.

Orders for limestone under the 1942 program already have exceeded 300,000 tons, and orders will be accepted under this program until September 15, Scott said.

County AAA committees now are soliciting bids for hauling limestone from railroad points in the various counties to farmyards, he said, and arrangements are expected to be completed before the end of the month so that orders under the 1943 program can be taken by October 1. Bid forms may be obtained at county AAA offices.

Delivery prices of limestone under the 1942 program vary from \$2.40 to \$3.90 per ton, depending on freight charges. Prices under the 1943 program will be announced as soon as arrangements for delivery are completed, the chairman said.

"With farmers engaged in their biggest production program in history, it is expected that use of AAA limestone under the 1943 program will be more than 400,000 tons. Our production goals call for more livestock, among other agricultural products. This means more pastures, and limestone is needed to insure a good growth. At the same time, it is likely that commercial nitrates will be hard to get next year. This makes it necessary for farmers to produce as much nitrogen as possible through use of winter legume crops, and limestone will be used extensively to promote better growth of these crops," Scott said.

Big Increase Seen In War Cotton Use

Philadelphia, Pa.—With the realization of America's 8,000,000 man Army, the cotton industry will be called upon to supply approximately 992,000,000 yards of cotton fabrics for annual replacement of clothing alone.

Purchases of fabrics for uniforms, fatigue garments, underwear, raincoats, socks, neckties, handkerchiefs, shoelaces, belts and other personal equipment have already run into astronomical figures. The approximate doubling of the size of the army during coming months will create vast new demands for these cotton clothing items.

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