

**State College Hints
To Farm Homemakers**

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Almost every rural housewife

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is cotton bag-conscious, but chances are that every few have realized the full potentialities of the material. For many years bags have entered the house as dish cloths, curtains, and slip covers, but now they are being looked upon as dresses in the making.
An unlimited number of items for yourself, your home, and your children can be made from this sack material. The white bags can be left plain, or dyed any color and several print

bags in the same pattern will make a dress. Boys' sport and dress shirts can also be made from this material.
Besides wearing apparel, numerous other useful and attractive items can be made from bags—all kinds of aprons from the necessary overall type to dainty tea-aprons of print, trimmed with deep ruffles of white or pastel-dyed material; luncheon cloths, napkins, and table mats provide unlimited possibilities.

Let the daughters try their hands at making some of their own clothes using the bag material. They are especially good for attractive school dresses. "Never let a good opportunity go untried," is a good rule to follow, and certainly discarding cotton bags would be like throwing away good bolts of material. Washed thoroughly, dyed, and made into any of hundreds of possible items, cotton feed bags become indispensable around the home.

When shopping for dress-making fabrics, don't overlook the remnant tables. Those short lengths of expensive fabrics make collars and cuffs for a dress of less expensive black fabric. Under-suit blouses are made from short lengths of fabric and some remnants contain sufficient material to line jackets or children's coats.

When powder puffs become really old and frayed, they can still be useful after being washed. Use an old puff, instead of a cloth, to polish silver. For fitting a dress or measuring a hem, attach one on your wrist with a rubber band and use as a pin cushion.

**NEGRO FARMERS
MAKE PROGRESS,
REPORT SHOWS**

**Results Of Extension
Program In 43 N. C.
Counties Given**

Home production and conservation of the family food supply, livestock production, and crop production, high-lighted the activities of Negro county extension workers in 43 North Carolina counties in 1946, according to a recent annual report submitted to Director I. O. Schaub of the State college extension service by R. E. Jones, state Negro agent, Greensboro.

With the assistance of county farm agents, 129 farmers purchased purebred bulls, and 679 secured purebred or high grade cows and heifers to build dairy herds in 387 communities in 37 counties.

To produce cheaper pork and maintain a better hog quality, 151 families purchased purebred boars and 300 obtained purebred or high grade females.

In poultry, 2,638 families secured strain of chicks for home production of eggs and poultry, and in one county alone, more than 15,000 baby chicks were purchased by Negro farm families.

A total of 15,835 farm women were active members of home demonstration clubs in 43 counties. They canned fruits, vegetables, and meats for their families in the amount of 1,830,328 quarts of fruit, 2,063,311 cans of vegetables, and 315,017 quarts of meat and fish.

"Although the job of our extension agents is a full-time one," the state agent said, "the 89 men and women found time to co-operate with Negro farm families on program of public interest."

**MARKETING
with Marjorie**

Easter is a big day at my house, just as it probably is at yours. A few days beforehand, I start shopping at my A&P, so the family can enjoy all Easter's special good things to eat. Because A&P's prices are modest, my food money goes farther. And A&P's big variety means I can pick and choose from the best of everything available.

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CLUE TO GOOD COFFEE

Ever noticed how quickly apples turn brown when they're cut? It's a sign the air is robbing them of freshness. That happens to coffee, too, when the bean is broken by grinding, so take a tip from me and buy your coffee in the whole bean and have it Custom Ground to fit your coffeepot! That's how A&P COFFEE is sold, and believe me, it's grand! Get mild, mellow EIGHT O'CLOCK; rich, full-bodied RED CIRCLE, or vigorous, winey BOKAR at the A&P.

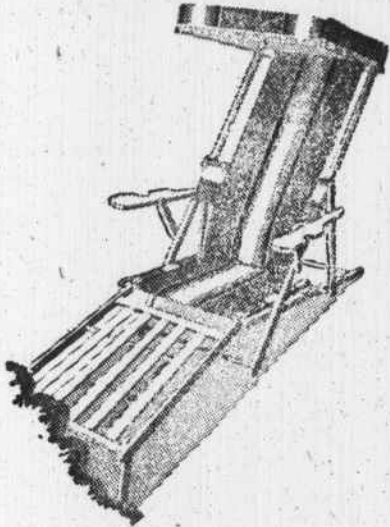
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Jack Berry and son, Junior, are on the sick list.

A new arrival at Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hedden's home March 30 was named Lillie Jane.

Mrs. John Fulton is very ill. Mrs. Amy Ledford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ella Mae Maney, in Franklin.



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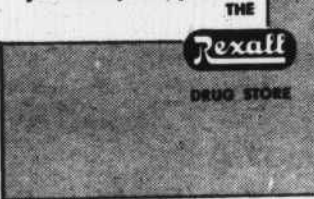
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