

Co-Eds Will Go Back-To-School Wearing Cotton

From Velvetreen Date Dresses To Cotton Cardigan Suits.

New York City.—From the Park Avenue debutante at Smith to the Southern planter's daughter at Ole Miss, the gals are going back to college this year dressed in cottons.

And what smart gal wouldn't have a yen for cotton? To hear the designers in this fashion capital of the world talk, cottons are simply a "must" in every girl's college wardrobe. From velvetreen date dresses to cotton cardigan suits cottons represent the "ultra-ultra" in college styles.

More beloved this year than ever before, cotton corduroys will certainly find a basic place in Mary Jane's wardrobe. These corduroys stand out in toppers, in separates including culottes, in coats and suits. They're colorful, too, appearing in vivid red, vivid blue and royal blue, all colors which will still be available this fall and winter.

Corduroys Popular.

The men's wear corduroys will get a big play from college girls. They're especially good in trench coats and short top coats. And the girls are asking for these heavy duty corduroys in the browns and tans which have long found favor among their brothers on the campus.

Velveteens, too, will be hard put to meet the demand. Growing numbers of requests are being made from college shops for hollow cut velveteen coats in smart, bright school colors. The plain velveteens, so soft and warm to the touch, will be worn on every campus in date dresses that must be a bit better than the ordinary to please the man who soon will join the fighting forces.

In the early fall when so many campus organizations are planning informal outings and picnics, cotton denim slacks are going to be seen on every hand. These slacks are in the new shorter length known as "Huck Finn" slacks. They're especially clever when teamed up with a cotton bandana shirt to wear with shirttail out and tied at the waistline in front.

Cotton cardigan sweater dresses are destined for college popularity along with velveteens and corduroys. They're being made in solid colors or with contrast in the ribbon which is sometimes striped. These sweater dresses are decidedly one of the most casual two-piece styles of the year.

True enough, these new cottons are all done along simpler, more severe lines than last year to meet with War Production Board requirements but designers here say that cottons are so adaptable to simplicity that they're even more attractive than those of previous years. Cottons are definitely "in" for college. They'll be greeting you on the campus.

N. C. Egg Production Reaches New Heights

North Carolina poultry raisers are setting a new high in the food-for-victory campaign.

Frank Parker, statistician in the Department of Agriculture, reported that North Carolina farmers have 21 per cent more hens than they had last year. These hens laid 73,000,000 eggs during July, 20 per cent more than in the same period last year.

Tar Heel farmers raised approximately nine per cent more chickens during the past six months that were raised in the same period last year.

When a Wyoming farmer wanted his fields cleaned of grasshoppers, he hired a neighbor's turkeys, paying so much each day until the land was free of the hoppers.

Poultrymen Warned About Coccidiosis

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Muggy weather at this time of the year is bad news for poultrymen because that is the kind of weather when coccidiosis is most likely to strike, according to Dr. Johnny Huttar, GLF poultry specialist.

"Chicks three to 12 weeks old are the most susceptible to coccidiosis," he said in a warning to poultrymen to be on the lookout for drooping chicks with rough feathers, pale beaks and shanks which are advance signs of the disease.

EMERGENCY

That farm land in the United Kingdom may be used to its maximum efficiency during the present war, the entire agricultural industry has been placed under the British Minister of Agriculture.

PEANUTS

Home economics in the U. S. Department of Agriculture have developed a commercially practical way to remove peanut skins with low weight loss and no splitting, and still have a nut of high quality.

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U. S. Treasury Department

SAFETY

The widespread interest in chopping soybean hay has brought to the market two products designed to eliminate heat in the mow and to detect it should it occur.

Production Up For Leaf Crop

Poundage Expected To Be 12 Per Cent Above 1941, Says J. J. Morgan

North Carolina's 1942 flue-cured tobacco crop, estimated at 506,450,000 pounds, will be 12 per cent larger than last season's crop of 452,825,000 pounds, J. J. Morgan, statistician of the State Department of Agriculture, reports.

Morgan, on the basis of information from farmers to the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service, attributed the tobacco acreage increase to "additional allotments allowed by the Agricultural Adjustment Agency and above average prices paid for the 1941 crop."

A total of 540,000 acres will be devoted to leaf this season, or 11 per cent more than last year when growers reported an acreage of 488,000.

"Although North Carolina's production of bright tobacco is expected to be 12 per cent higher than for 1941, the crop will still be three per cent under the 10-year (1930-1939) average," Morgan said. "Since the indicated yield per acre is only one per cent above last season, the indicated increase in production is due almost entirely to the expanded acreage."

The indicated per acre yield for tobacco, based on July 1 reports, is 938 pounds, or 10 pounds above last year.

"The stand and early development of the crop were excellent," Morgan said. "However, cool nights early in June, followed by continued dry weather in the eastern half of the State, checked the satisfactory rate of growth and materially reduced the yield outlook."

"Drought damage has been severe in the heart of eastern Carolina and other localities through the belt. Recent light, scattered showers in the dry areas have given practically no relief."

"In other eastern areas moisture has been fairly ample and the crop has developed nicely, while rainfall has been excessive in some parts of the Old Belt this year."

Growing conditions in the mountain burley regions were reported "satisfactory" with an indicated yield per acre of 1,100 pounds compared with 1,075 last season.

Production, yield and acreage estimates by belts compared with last year follows:

Old Belt (Type 11) Production, 187,920,000 pounds, up 17 per cent; per acre yield, 870 pounds, up four per cent; acreage, 216,000, up 12 per cent.

Eastern N. C. Belt (Type 12)—Production, 259,350,000 pounds, up eight per cent; per acre yield, 975 pounds, down two per cent; acreage, 266,000, up 10 per cent.

Border Belt (Type 13)—Production, 59,160,000 pounds, up 16 per cent; per acre yield, 1,020 pounds, up six per cent; acreage, 58,000, up nine per cent.

Burley (Type 31)—Production, 7,480,000 pounds, up 12 per cent; per acre yield, 1,100 pounds, up 2 per cent; acreage, 6,800, up 10 per cent.

FARMERETTES

The farmerette program was no passing fancy. Girls have twisted up their hair, filed down their fingernails and really gone to work. They are doing many farm jobs that heretofore were considered in the exclusive realm of man. The ever-increasing use of girls as cow-herders in the Northeast brought this complaint from one Northeast farmer: "While she's in the barn I just can't tell my kicking cows what I think of 'em."

Classic statement, however, came from a farm woman who has already given up three of her men-folk to the armed forces: "My city friends wonder how I find time to hoe in the garden. I tell them that instead of going to bridge parties and club meetings the way they do, I get a good sharp hoe and imagine I am whacking Hitler's heels up one row, and Hirohito's down the next, with an extra lick at the end for the fifth column."

ROY E. PARK.

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF PITT
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
County of Pitt, Plaintiff,

— vs —
George May and wife, Appie May,
and Town of Farmville, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of the judgment made and entered in the above-entitled cause in the Superior Court of Pitt County dated July 27, 1942, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 31st day of August, 1942, at 12 o'clock noon, at the door of the Court House of Pitt County, in Greenville, North Carolina, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the confirmation of the court, the property hereinafter described, located in the County of Pitt, State of North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

One Norfolk and Southern Railroad lot, more particularly described in that deed recorded in Book B 10 at page 185 of the Pitt County Public Records.

This the 20th day of July, 1942.
ROBERT BOOTH,
Commissioner.

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