

Buy Cotton Seed For Planting Early Says Specialist

The cotton seed situation for next year's crop is grave, says J. A. Shanklin, Extension cotton specialist at State College, but if farmers will investigate their next year's seed requirements at an early date, there should be no reason why everyone cannot get as many seeds as he needs.

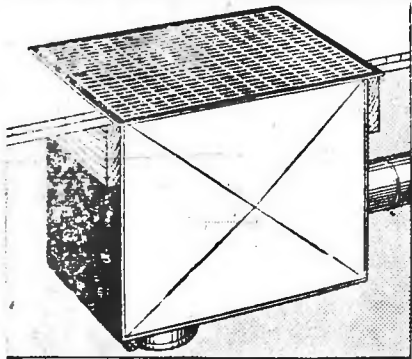
Weather conditions for the past few weeks in the Piedmont Counties have damaged the cotton seed to the extent that most of the farmers in that area will have to rely on outside sources for their seed next year, he said. Heretofore, farmers in that section of the state have been supplying a large amount of the seed used by growers in other counties.

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have already placed orders for 1,200 tons of Certified Coker 100 wilt resistant seed, Mr. Shanklin said. These seeds will come mostly from Mississippi, Alabama, and Georgia where the past season has been favorable for cotton harvesting.

Mr. Shanklin suggests that each farmer who is interested in locating seed for next year's crop, get in touch with his county agent.

Small Grains Being Attacked By Plant Lice

Fields of small grain in almost every section of the State are being attacked by plant lice, says James T. Conner, in charge of Entomology for the State College Extension Service.

Oats, especially those planted early, is the crop being attacked most widely by the little insects, Mr. Conner said. However, they have also been found in fields of wheat and barley, as well as in pastures and forage crops.

Usually plant lice, or aphids as they are known by many, attack the plants in large numbers. They damage the plant by sucking the juices from it, causing it to gradually wilt and die.

Now that cold weather is prevailing over most of the State, it is quite possible that many of the plant lice will be destroyed, the Entomologist said. But, where infestation is continuing and as a preventative for further infestation, Mr. Conner recommends that an application of nitrogen be placed on the grain. This will not kill the aphids, but it will promote a more vigorous growth of the plants and will make them less susceptible to further damage.

Such a preventative is also suggested for pasture and forage crops, Mr. Conner said.

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