

OUR WAR WORK STORY

Bonnie Cotton Mills

Here is the list of end products using Bonnie yarn:

Armature tape, used as insulation on armatures and generators for jeeps, trucks, aeroplanes, submarines and ships.

Binding tape, used as binding on aviator's life jackets and for Red Cross kits.

Shoe stays, used in manufacturing of Army, Navy and Marine shoes.

Wing tape, used by the aircraft industry to tape wings and fuselage of transports.

Parachute tape, used in T-18 parachutes for ordnance.

Marking tape, used by engineers as marking to denote presence of mine field, dangerous areas, etc.

Wire insulation, assault wire, field wire, demolition cable, witchboard cord, and hook-up wire, used in correcting airplane instruments.

Ignition wire, used in ignition systems of jeeps, tanks, planes.

Kings Mountain Mfg. Co.

Our "16's", 2-ply yarn, go into the following high priority products:

Tape, straps and bindings for tents, shelters, leggings, haversacks, handkerchiefs, motor transport, packs, re-enforcements, flak curtains, armored vests, and parachute packs.

Our "20's", also a 2-ply yarn, go into the following: bunting for flags, camouflage netting, helmet netting, signal corps field wire, anti-aircraft battery control cables, boot and shoe lacings, and shell lacings.

Mauney Mills, Inc.

War in the European Theatre has drawn to a close. This, however, does not lessen military requirements for cotton combed yarn fabrics.

The demands will become greater because of the transfer of troops to the Pacific area. Requirements for the second quarter of 1945 are greater than for the first quarter, and it is anticipated that the increase in the third quarter will be even larger.

Our yarn is being sold to concerns with high priorities and the requirements of our outfit are 100 percent on all weaving yarns.

Our yarn is used in shoe laces worn by the WAC, as well as the Army and Navy, for various kinds of braids and cloth for airplanes, and for some of the millions of yards of mosquito netting required annually. Approximately one-third of our production is going for Hosiery for the Army and Navy.

Sadie Cotton Mills, Inc.

Cotton textiles, combed yarn in particular, are high on the critical war commodities list for the simple reason that just about all combed yarn goes into vitally needed war material.

Here are some of the products made with Sadie yarn:

Tape for Navy uniforms.

Mortar bomb covers.

U. S. Army uniforms.

Insulation wire.

Mosquito and camouflage netting.

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