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Home Making Hints

Buying Blankets: Comes the chill winter, and many a homemaker needs a blanket or two to fill the gaps in her bedding supply.

This year, blankets—like many another household item—are reflecting the international uncertainty. Wool, fiber for making the warmest blankets, is scarce. And there is a trend toward simplification of both sizes and colors to conserve labor and materials for defense purposes. As a result, there may be a more limited variety this year from which to choose.

However, just as in other years, it's the woman who knows a good quality blanket when she sees one who comes with the best buy. To bring homemakers up-to-date on marks of blanket quality, textile experts in the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Home Economics give here some blanket buying tips.

Find The Fiber: First of all, find the kind of fibers that have gone into a blanket. According to fiber content, there are three main types. A blanket may be all wool—part wool—or all cotton. There is considerable variety in the part-wool groups. For the other part may be cotton, rayon, or a mixture. And the part that's wool may range from 5 to 98 percent of the whole.

The more wool, the warmer the blanket—if the wool is of good quality. A part-wool blanket must be at least 25 percent wool to make much difference in its warmth or to give the blanket any of the characteristics of a wool blanket—such as fluffiness, elasticity, ability of the blanket to absorb moisture without the blanket itself feeling damp.

According to the Wool Labeling Act now in effect, any blanket called wool or part wool must have the exact percentage stated on the label. It also must be specified whether the wool is new, reprocessed, or reused. There are good, poor, and indifferent qualities of all three.

Cotton makes a stronger blanket—wool a warmer one. When the two are combined, cotton is used in the lengthwise or wrap yarns that need to be the stronger—and sometimes as a core for the filling yarns when only a small amount of wool is used. Wool or the mixed fibers are used in the crosswise or fillingwise yarns, either alone or wrapped around the cotton core. Then, in a finishing process called napping, the loose ends of the fillingwise yarns are pulled out to the surface of the blanket to give it that fluffy appearance.

Wool fluffs up better than cotton, and therefore is warmer. The still air that gets emmeshed in the fluffs keeps the person under it warm. A new cotton blanket might fluff up to almost as warm as a new wool blanket. But wool keeps this fluffiness after countless launderings—if the washings are done carefully. Cotton must be renapped after each washing.

Incidentally, many a good wool blanket has become second rate as warm bedclothing simply because of rough handling in the laundry. Wool must be washed in warm, soft water with a mild soap. It should be handled as little as possible. And there should be no sudden changes in temperature during the washing. Hot and then cold water, strong soaps, and rubbing cause the wool to shrink and become boardy. Once a wool blanket becomes stiff, firm and boardy nothing can restore it to its original fluffiness.

See How It's Made: Hold the blanket up to the light. See if the napping is even all over. Blankets that are over-napped will have thick and thin spots. The thin spots soon wear out.

While you have the blanket up to the light, look at the underlying weave. This should be regular all over, yarn, should be regular all spaced-regularly and close together.

Note end finished of the blanket. Most blankets are now bound with rayon or sateen. If it is, make sure the binding is sewed on securely. Rayon bindings wear out more quickly than sateen, but they hold their color better, and show soil less. Edges on lightweight cotton blankets are usually lockstitched. Make sure all thread ends are securely fastened.

To see that the blanket is cut straight, hold it up to the light and note whether the end is cut parallel to the crosswise threads. It should be. If there are stripes or borders, use them as guides and make sure the threads are parallel to them.

Be sure, too, that any contrasting borders, stripes and plaids are of the same fiber and woven in the same way as the rest of the blanket. Otherwise the blanket will shrink unevenly.

Size and Color: The size of the blanket usually is marked on the label. When you buy "bargain" blankets, though, it's a good idea to have the blanket measured for you at the store to make sure of full size. Choose a blanket long enough to tuck in at the foot yet

come up well around the neck and ears. Short blankets wear out more quickly than those of ample size, because they wear out more quickly than those of ample size, because they get more tugging.

For a double bed, a blanket needs to be at least 72 x 84 inches. More satisfactory, of course, are the "luxury" 80 x 90's. For a single bed, 63 by 84 is about the minimum satisfactory size—and for a twin bed, the blanket needs to be at least 66 x 84.

After you decide on quality of the blanket, it matters little what color you select. But be sure to have the blanket unfolded at the store so you can look at the color all over—to make sure there is no unevenness in the seams.

Information Labels: There is a trend these days towards putting more information on labels attached to the blanket. Chief value of much information on labels attached is that it makes it possible for the consumer to compare the various properties of different blankets in the same price range.

Some labels give breaking strength for the blanket for both the filling-wise and length wise yarns. For most purposes, the higher the breaking strength for the fillingwise yarns, the stronger the blanket. Blankets that are long enough usually are strong enough in the warp for the wear they get. But napping often weakens the filling-wise yarns.

Some information labels also tell the weight of the blanket. This may be more usable information, because it makes it possible to compare the weight of blankets of different sizes. Naturally, when you are comparing blanket weights, you can compare only those with the same fiber content. For example, if two all-wool blankets are alike in size and price—but different in weight, the heavier one will give you more wool for the money. But if one of the blankets contains some

News Ads Get Results

Old-Timers Recall Things Were A Bit Different In 1901

Nobody cared about the price of gasoline.

Streets were filled with mudholes—some of them knee deep. Farmers came to town for their mail.

Most young men had "livery bills." You could buy a cord of good dry wood for \$2 and this was a regular source of income for farmers.

There was no floating debt. You could buy a pound of epsom salts, a keg of nails, or a lamp wick at almost any store in town.

Trogan shoes sold for \$1 a pair, ducking work pants 50c.

Every store had a collection of Hoyt's cologne, Mason's shoe polish, Garrett's snuff, Colburn's bag bluing.

There were not a half-dozen phonographs in town.

Shoe pegs were in common use and sold for 5 cents a pint.

Celluloid collars and cuffs were in vogue, and some dudes wore celluloid shirt fronts.

A clerk who made \$10 a week was registered as well off, and was looked up to as a prominent business man.

Axle grease sold for 10c a box. The hats women wore were just as cunning and caused as much talk as those they wear today.

Sarsaparilla was a common household remedy.

Sermons were an hour and a half long.

OC pills were twice as large as they are now and sold for 10c a dozen.

Ox teams were a common sight. There wasn't a "Keep Off The Grass" sign in town.—Fred B. Whipkey in Colorado City Record.

Mrs. M. H. Cook of Freer, spent several days visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, Sr., this week. She left here and went to Waco to visit with her mother for a few days.

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Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of Respect, and any kind of entertainments where admission fee or other monetary consideration is charged, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

COTTONWOOD

Miss Mildred Young left Friday for California to visit with her sister Miss Thelma Haley.

Mrs. S. G. Robinson of Cross Plains visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Peavy last week.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass and Patsy of Swenson spent Thanksgiving Day with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sparks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Varner and baby of Hobbs, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neal and baby of Merkel and J. N. Varner of John Tarleton spent Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Varner.

Judge and Mrs. B. H. Freeland and family, Parker Coppinger and Miss Susie Smith of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coppinger and son of Cross Plains at Thanksgiving in the home of Mrs. T. A. Coppinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Manion and children of Baird spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John I. J.

We are sorry to report that Uncle Nuff Arvin is still very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Woody and family of Coleman and Mrs. C. W. Proctor of Cross Plains visited their mother, Mrs. J. A. Woody, Thanksgiving Day.

Rev. Redden and family, Robert Rainey and family spent Sunday with relatives at Clyde.

Mr. Jess Sparks and John Har-

rison who are working at Camp Barkley spent week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of Admiration visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. V. L. Fulton was called to McAllen Tuesday of last week to be with her son, Cecil Fulton who is very sick.

Misses Reba Waldrop and Lois Hazelwood spent Thanksgiving holidays with home folks of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey attended Hardin-Simmons and Howland Payne football game Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. Thompson and Mrs. Gladys Mitchell were Abilene visitors Wednesday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Redden and family spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Redden of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Meadors and children of Baird spent Thanksgiving Day with parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Weedy Joy and children visited with his parents last week end.

Misses Reba Waldrop and Fumice Hembree visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ledbetter of Scranton Monday night.

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MRS. T. W. BRISCOE, Tax Assessor-Collector



I never visit Laredo but what I remember it as it was when I first saw it, in November of 1920. Upon alighting from the I. & G.N. train, the traveler found out what had happened to a goodly portion of the hacks over the United States that had been displaced by taxis, for a line of 25 frayed carriages drawn by sad nags was in waiting, each with a shouting Mexican driver.

The principal streets were not paved but there were stepping stones at the intersections and the drivers of carriages and of flivvers would stop and let the pedestrian escape being splattered with mud and water.

There were orange trees and exotic blooms and you heard Spanish on all sides—even from the motormen and the policemen. There were more signs in Spanish than in English; and a soda dispenser, after filling your order (which you'd give in English) would resume his conversation with friends in Spanish.

It was all very picturesque—but it made one who was young and far from home feel very lonesome. For three days the weather did its best to add to the feeling of depression for a slow, cold drizzle fell. One who was seeking sunshine in which to build up his strength was bound to think longingly, under such circumstances, of the little town of Cotulla—halfway between San Antonio and Laredo—where the train had stopped and all the passengers hurried over to a long table in the hotel and sat down to a meal of bountiful proportions.

And so it is hardly to be wondered at that I retraced my journey as far as Cotulla and spent a winter there.

Laredo has changed greatly in 21 years. Can it really be that 21 full years have passed since then? Streets are paved; hacks have disappeared; coffee shops and hotel rooms are air-conditioned; stores are modern; but there is still the atmosphere of romance—dark-eyed señoritas, musical Spanish, vendors with trays of queer candy, lovely parks, and just below the city (now twice the population of 1920) rolls the Rio Grande and on the other side is a foreign land.

Coming events cast their shadows a long way before: The first political announcement your columnist has noted has already appeared in the Fort Bend Reporter and it is that of C. D. (Clem) Myers for county clerk, "subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July, 1942, and the endorsement of the Jay-bird Association."

The clamor for a special session of the Legislature has died down to a whisper before the press and public throughout the State, united in opposing needless turmoil and expense.

The Postoffice Department in Washington was looking up titles in Baton Rouge, La., with the idea of securing a site for a new Postoffice. The favored site looked good but the title was guaranteed only as far back as 1803. That would satisfy most of us; but the Government is particular; so the Department demanded that the title be traced back to the source, regardless. In due course the explanation arrived, signed by the attorney for the owners of the land: "Please be advised that the Government of France in the year 1803 acquired title from the Government of Spain, which government acquired title by discovery of one Christopher Columbus, traveler and explorer, a resident of Genoa, Italy, who (by agreement concerning the acquisition of title to any lands discovered) traveled and explored under the sponsorship and patronage of her majesty, the Queen of Spain. The Queen of Spain had verified her arrangement and received the sanction of her title by consent of the Pope, a resident of Rome, Italy, an ex-officio representative and viceroy of Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ was Son and Heir Apparent of God. God made Louisiana. I trust this complies with your request."

The Government accepted the title. (Clipped from Exchange)

Miss Mildred Yeager left for Washington last week after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager where she will take up her duties in the United States Treasury Department.

COTTONWOOD H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. SAM MOORE

The Cottonwood Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday afternoon, December 5, at two o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Sam Moore, who lives West of Cottonwood.

Final plans are to be made for the county-wide banquet, which will be held in Baird Thursday evening, December 11. Also, plans will be discussed for the annual Home Demonstration Club's Christmas party.

All those desiring to attend the meeting Friday, are asked to meet in Cottonwood promptly at 1:45 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton attended the ball game at Arlington last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard Carlile of Cisco spent the week end visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Qualls, Mrs. Carlile is a sister of Mrs. Qualls.

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To us your friendship, among the sweetest we've known, May our lives radiate the influence you've tenderly sown, Such friendship of longstanding, beautiful and true, God's gift from Heaven abiding with you.

Friendship that makes life worthwhile, One who shares heartaches, joys and smiles. Before we will have reached the summit of life's hill, Striven, in lives of others, happiness to fill; Then thru life's journey, we'll find in the end, A preeminent grace—is to be a true friend. Thats You.
 By Mrs. Geo. E. Biggestaff

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom spent several days on the Bayou last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum. Mrs. Idom is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tatom.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Evans of Rowena spent several days visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Everett. Mr. Evans is a son of Mrs. Everett.

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coming up within the near future have the preference of volunteering through the Abilene office and choosing their own branch of service", Sgt. Parham stated. Any further information may be obtained by either writing or visiting the Abilene office, the News was told.

SAFETY FIRST

Begin fire defense at home. The National Board of Fire Underwrit-

ers suggests these 9 ways.

1. Keep chimneys, stoves, and furnaces clean and in good repair.
2. Empty ashes into metal containers, never wooden ones. Store in metal containers rags and mops that may contain paint and oil stains.
3. Never force a heating plant in cold weather. Call a heating expert.
4. Always disconnect electrical appliances even if they are left only a minute.
5. Never under any circumstances

rubbish anywhere, especially in attics and basements.

6. Guard against accumulation of use inflammable cleaning fluids,
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