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STOCKS OF LEAF TOBACCO OWNED BY DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS

JANUARY 1, 1937.

Stocks of leaf tobacco in the United States and Puerto Rico owned by dealers and manufacturers on January 1, 1937, totaled 2,205,874,000 pounds, compared with 2,372,761,000 pounds on January 1, 1936, a decrease of 166,887,000 pounds. From October 1, 1936, to January 1, 1937, total stocks increased 59,274,000 pounds compared with an increase of 172,566,000 pounds in the last quarter of 1935.

Stocks of flue-cured tobacco on January 1, 1937, were 971,859,000 pounds, an all-time high record. Type 11 stocks were reported as 418,459,000 pounds; Type 12 as 314,530,000 pounds; Type 13 as 165,443,000 pounds; and Type 14 as 73,427,000 pounds on January 1, 1937.

Stocks of fire-cured tobacco were reported as 174,953,000 pounds on January 1, 1937, compared with 186,094,000 pounds on January 1, 1936. Virginia Fire-cured, Type 21 stocks were reported as 25,647,000 pounds on January 1, 1937; (Note 1936 revisions on Page 12) Type 22, as 112,722,000 pounds; Type 23 as 33,711,000 pounds; and Type 24 as 2,873,000 pounds.

Burley stocks were nearly 107 million pounds lower on January 1, 1937, than they were on January 1, 1936. The January 1, 1937, report shows 592,367,000 pounds. Maryland Tobacco, Type 32 stocks were reported as 37,436,000 pounds.

One Sucker stocks on January 1, 1937, were 23,939,000 pounds; Green River stocks were 24,916,000 pounds; Virginia Sun-cured, 2,154,000 pounds; Eastern Ohio, 429,000 pounds; Perique, 235,000 pounds; Other Miscellaneous Domestic, 677,000 pounds; and foreign-grown cigarette tobacco (Turkish and other) 54,560,000 pounds.

Flood injury. The present report is based on stocks of tobacco as they existed prior to the recent flood in the Ohio River Valley. Complete data on the tobacco affected by the flood waters are unobtainable. The indications are that from 30 to 40 thousand hogsheads of Burley tobacco, representing from 30 to 40 million pounds of redried leaf, were partially or wholly submerged, and that about 5,500 hogsheads of fire-cured tobacco, representing about 8 million pounds, suffered similarly. The extent of water injury in packed tobacco is problematical. Considerable quantities are being redried and will be salvaged. An indeterminate quantity of Burley and dark tobacco which had not been put in hogsheads was soaked. The percentage of loss in the loose tobacco, even where not washed away, will be large.

JANUARY 1 CIGAR LEAF TOBACCO STOCKS

Stocks of American-grown cigar-filler types amounted to 164,557,000 pounds on January 1, 1937, about six million pounds lower than stocks on January 1, 1936. Practically all of this decrease is in Gebhardt, Type 42. Type 41, Pennsylvania Seedleaf stocks on January 1, 1937, were 79,598,000 pounds; Type 42, Gebhardt, 17,047,000 pounds; Type 43, Zimmer, 23,067,000 pounds; Type 44, Dutch, 6,706,000 pounds; Type 45, Georgia and Florida Sun-grown, 1,360,000 pounds; and Type 46, Puerto Rican, 36,779,000 pounds. The detailed report by groups of grades shows about 75 percent of the total filler type stocks in the C group as strictly filler grades, about 21 percent in the X group as stemming grades, and the balance in the B, Y, S and N groups.

The cigar-binder type stocks, some of which are used for wrappers, were about 26 million pounds lower on January 1, 1937, than they were January 1, 1936. Total binder type stocks were reported as 134,723,000 pounds on January 1, 1937. Type 51, Connecticut Broadleaf stocks were reported as 27,193,000 pounds; Type 52, Connecticut Havana Seed, 25,081,000 pounds; Type 53, New York and Pennsylvania Havana Seed, 1,650,000 pounds; Type 54, Southern Wisconsin, 52,180,000 pounds; and Type 55, Northern Wisconsin, 26,619,000 pounds. The detailed report by groups of grades shows that of the total binder type stocks reported, 4,209,000 pounds are of wrapper quality, 55,605,000 pounds are binders, 4,933,000 pounds are fillers, and 69,215,000 pounds are X group or stemming grade tobacco.

Shade-grown wrapper type stocks were reported on January 1, 1937, as 12,855,000 pounds. Connecticut Shade stocks were 9,133,000 pounds and Georgia and Florida Shade stocks were 3,722,000 pounds. Of the total shade tobacco stocks reported, 11,011,000 pounds are shown in the A group as being of actual wrapper quality.

The foreign-grown cigar-leaf tobacco stocks in the United States on January 1, 1937, consisted of 7,170,000 pounds of Cuba (Havana) tobacco, 2,323,000 pounds of Sumatra and Java, and 700,000 pounds of Philippine Island (Manila). Stocks of foreign-grown cigar leaf are shown in the detailed report subdivided into wrappers, fillers, and scrap.

The figures quoted for type totals are the sums of unstemmed and stemmed leaf as reported. For information on American-grown types shown on a farm-sales-weight basis with stemmed leaf converted to unstemmed equivalent, see page 15 of this report.

EXPLANATION OF GROUP SYMBOLS

GROUPS OF TYPES 11, 12, 13 and 14:

A-Wrappers
B-Heavy Leaf, Cutting Leaf
and Fillers
C-Thin Leaf or Cutters
X-Lugs and Ground Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 21, 22, 23 and 24:

A-Wrappers
B-Heavy Leaf
C-Thin Leaf
X-Lugs
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPE 31:

A-Wrappers
B-Leaf or Fillers and Tips
C-Lugs, or Cutters
X-Trash, Flyings and Spods
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPE 32:

B-Heavy Leaf, locally known as
Dull Crop
C-Thin Leaf, locally known as
Bright Crop
X-Seconds and Ground Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 35, 36 and 37:

A-Wrappers
B-Heavy Leaf
C-Thin Leaf
X-Lugs
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPE 41:

B-Binders or Tops
C-Fillers, locally known as
Wrappers or B's
X-Stemming and crops unsuitable
for sorting
Y-Farm Fillers or Ground Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 42, 43 and 44:

C-Fillers, locally known as Wrappers
X-Stemming and crops unsuitable for
sorting
Y-Farm Fillers or Ground Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPE 45:

C-Fillers
X-Stemming and crops unsuitable for
sorting
Y-Ground Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPE 46:

C-Fillers (Tripas)
X-Resagos, Boliches, and crops
unsuitable for sorting
Y-Ground Leaves (Pie)
S-Scrap (Picadura)
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 51, 52 and 53:

A-Wrappers
B-Binders, Seconds, and Brokes
C-Fillers and Short Darks
X-Stemming and crops unsuitable for
sorting
Y-Sand-Leaf Fillers or Ground Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 54 and 55:

B-Binders
C-Fillers, locally known as Tips or
B's
X-Stemming and crops unsuitable for
sorting
Y-Sand-Leaf Fillers or Bottom Leaves
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 61 and 62:

A-Wrappers
B-Stout Wrappers and Binders
C-Fillers, or Tips
X-Filler Brokes
S-Scrap
N-Nondescript

GROUPS OF TYPES 81, 82 and 83:

A-Wrappers
C-Fillers
S-Scrap

TOBACCO STOCKS BY GROUPS OF GRADES
JANUARY 1, 1937.

U. S. TYPE 11.-OLD BELT FLUE-CURED VIRGINIA AND NORTH CAROLINA

| Group | January 1 | | October 1 | |
|-------|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Unstemmed 1000 lbs. | Stemmed 1000 lbs. | Group Totals 1000 lbs. | Group Totals 1000 lbs. |
| A | 7,262 | - | 7,262 | 4,824 |
| B | 61,700 | 1,866 | 63,566 | 41,127* |
| C | 111,225 | 12,112 | 123,337 | 92,236* |
| X | 187,864 | 23,327 | 211,191 | 162,721 |
| S | 12,100 | 161 | 12,261 | 10,537 |
| N | 821 | 21 | 842 | 395 |
| Total | 380,972 | 37,487 | 418,459 | 311,838* |

U. S. TYPE 12.-EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED

| | | | | |
|-------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| A | 167 | - | 167 | 186* |
| B | 45,797 | 2,300 | 48,097 | 31,033* |
| C | 98,512 | 17,252 | 115,764 | 105,678* |
| X | 112,603 | 20,575 | 133,178 | 125,302* |
| S | 15,682 | 306 | 15,988 | 13,290* |
| N | 1,288 | 48 | 1,336 | 301* |
| Total | 274,049 | 40,481 | 314,530 | 275,790* |

U. S. TYPE 13.-SOUTH CAROLINA FLUE-CURED
(INCLUDING SOUTHEASTERN N. C.)

| | | | | |
|-------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| A | 938 | - | 938 | 1,084 |
| B | 22,582 | 1,608 | 24,190 | 24,147* |
| C | 45,798 | 3,662 | 49,460 | 56,498* |
| X | 74,654 | 10,230 | 84,884 | 88,082* |
| S | 5,700 | 143 | 5,843 | 5,413 |
| N | 128 | - | 128 | 1,170 |
| Total | 149,800 | 15,643 | 165,443 | 177,303* |

U. S. TYPE 14.-GEORGIA AND FLORIDA FLUE-CURED

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| A | 87 | - | 87 | 208 |
| B | 7,733 | 1,561 | 9,294 | 12,198 |
| C | 3,591 | 27,810 | 31,401 | 35,978 |
| X | 10,421 | 20,454 | 30,875 | 34,721 |
| S | 1,110 | 136 | 1,246 | 1,953 |
| N | 473 | 51 | 524 | 260 |
| Total | 23,415 | 50,012 | 73,427 | 85,323 |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

U. S. TYPE 21.-VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED**

| Group | : January 1 | | : October 1 | |
|-------|-------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| | : Unstemmed | : Stemmed | : Group Totals | : Group Totals |
| | : 1000 lbs. | : 1000 lbs. | : 1000 lbs. | : 1000 lbs. |
| A | : 810 | : 8 | : 818 | : 852* |
| B | : 6,674 | : 135 | : 6,809 | : 6,776* |
| C | : 2,211 | : 5 | : 2,216 | : 2,685* |
| X | : 14,546 | : 190 | : 14,736 | : 14,992* |
| S | : 1,050 | : - | : 1,050 | : 1,055 |
| N | : 18 | : - | : 18 | : 19* |
| Total | : 25,309 | : 338 | : 25,647 | : 26,379* |

U. S. TYPE 22.-TENNESSEE AND KENTUCKY FIRE-CURED
(EASTERN DISTRICT C. H. & S.)

| | | | | |
|-------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|
| A | : 643 | : 19 | : 662 | : 1,460 |
| B | : 71,675 | : 40 | : 71,715 | : 79,897 |
| C | : 13,179 | : 10 | : 13,189 | : 16,733 |
| X | : 25,497 | : 2 | : 25,499 | : 29,401 |
| S | : 802 | : 10 | : 812 | : 1,311 |
| N | : 844 | : 1 | : 845 | : 666 |
| Total | : 112,640 | : 82 | : 112,722 | : 129,468 |

U. S. TYPE 23.-KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED
(WESTERN DISTRICT M. & P.)

| | | | | |
|-------|----------|------|----------|-----------|
| A | : 85 | : 1 | : 86 | : 80* |
| B | : 21,426 | : 81 | : 21,507 | : 24,013* |
| C | : 6,106 | : - | : 6,106 | : 6,387* |
| X | : 5,667 | : - | : 5,667 | : 6,029* |
| S | : 339 | : 3 | : 342 | : 424 |
| N | : - | : 3 | : 3 | : 24 |
| Total | : 33,623 | : 88 | : 33,711 | : 36,957* |

U. S. TYPE 24.-HENDERSON STEMMING OR NORTHERN FIRE-CURED

| | | | | |
|-------|---------|------|---------|---------|
| A | : 12 | : - | : 12 | : - |
| B | : 1,430 | : 9 | : 1,439 | : 1,641 |
| C | : 827 | : 4 | : 831 | : 901 |
| X | : 517 | : - | : 517 | : 518 |
| S | : 74 | : - | : 74 | : 56 |
| N | : - | : - | : - | : 3 |
| Total | : 2,860 | : 13 | : 2,873 | : 3,119 |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

** See page 12 for revisions of 1936 reports on Type 21.

U. S. TYPE 31.-BURLEY**

| Group | | | January 1 | October 1 |
|-------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| | Unstemmed | Stemmed | Group Totals | Group Totals |
| | 1000 lbs. | 1000 lbs. | 1000 lbs. | 1000 lbs. |
| A | 1,338 | - | 1,338 | 1,078 |
| B | 200,302 | 28,682 | 228,984 | 234,271* |
| C | 209,057 | 17,912 | 226,969 | 217,568* |
| X | 114,651 | 9,980 | 124,631 | 122,156* |
| S | 8,963 | 1,274 | 10,237 | 10,933* |
| N | 208 | - | 208 | 622 |
| Total | 534,519 | 57,848 | 592,367 | 586,628* |

U. S. TYPE 32.-SOUTHERN MARYLAND

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-----|--------|---------|
| B | 4,159 | - | 4,159 | 13,217 |
| C | 25,196 | 684 | 25,880 | 22,096 |
| X | 6,278 | 49 | 6,327 | 5,801 |
| S | 1,022 | 18 | 1,040 | 57 |
| N | 30 | - | 30 | 70* |
| Total | 36,685 | 751 | 37,436 | 41,241* |

U. S. TYPE 35.-ONE SUCKER

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-----|--------|---------|
| A | 921 | - | 921 | 1,007 |
| B | 11,087 | 233 | 11,320 | 12,116 |
| C | 4,445 | - | 4,445 | 5,690* |
| X | 6,203 | 242 | 6,445 | 6,638 |
| S | 752 | - | 752 | 694 |
| N | 56 | - | 56 | 98 |
| Total | 23,464 | 475 | 23,939 | 26,243* |

U. S. TYPE 36.-GREEN RIVER

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-----|--------|--------|
| A | 55 | - | 55 | 71 |
| B | 9,583 | 152 | 9,735 | 9,659 |
| C | 2,280 | 36 | 2,316 | 2,853 |
| X | 11,417 | 177 | 11,594 | 13,992 |
| S | 422 | 3 | 425 | 479 |
| N | 791 | - | 791 | 35 |
| Total | 24,548 | 368 | 24,916 | 27,089 |

U. S. TYPE 37.-VIRGINIA SUN-CURED

| | | | | |
|-------|-------|-----|-------|-------|
| A | 36 | - | 36 | 33 |
| B | 521 | 51 | 572 | 530 |
| C | 272 | 3 | 275 | 236 |
| X | 437 | 713 | 1,150 | 1,220 |
| S | 121 | - | 121 | 118 |
| Total | 1,387 | 767 | 2,154 | 2,137 |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

** See Supplementary Burley report on page 11.

U. S. TYPE 41.-PENNSYLVANIA SEEDLEAF

| Group | | | January 1 | October 1 |
|-------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| | Unstemmed | Stemmed | Group Totals | Group Totals |
| | 1000 lbs. | 1000 lbs. | 1000 lbs. | 1000 lbs. |
| B | 934 | 13 | 947 | 1,652 |
| C | 54,580 | 2,153 | 56,733 | 64,771 |
| X | 18,786 | 1,690 | 20,476 | 22,465* |
| Y | 568 | 129 | 697 | 1,085 |
| S | 34 | 711 | 745 | 522* |
| Total | 74,902 | 4,696 | 79,598 | 90,495* |

U. S. TYPE 42.-GEBHARDT, MIAMI VALLEY

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| C | 12,087 | 1,297 | 13,384 | 14,582 |
| X | 2,904 | 484 | 3,388 | 4,145 |
| Y | 184 | 6 | 190 | 311 |
| S | 2 | 82 | 84 | 212 |
| N | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| Total | 15,177 | 1,870 | 17,047 | 19,250 |

U. S. TYPE 43.-ZIMMER, MIAMI VALLEY

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|---------|
| C | 15,392 | 1,336 | 16,728 | 14,666 |
| X | 5,943 | 146 | 6,089 | 10,797* |
| Y | 128 | 1 | 129 | 161 |
| S | 1 | 119 | 120 | 230* |
| N | - | 1 | 1 | - |
| Total | 21,464 | 1,603 | 23,067 | 25,854* |

U. S. TYPE 44.-DUTCH, MIAMI VALLEY

| | | | | |
|-------|-------|-----|-------|--------|
| C | 5,897 | 141 | 6,038 | 6,844 |
| X | 524 | 5 | 529 | 489 |
| Y | 30 | 1 | 31 | 43 |
| S | 53 | 54 | 107 | 79* |
| N | - | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 6,504 | 202 | 6,706 | 7,456* |

U. S. TYPE 45.-GEORGIA AND FLORIDA SUN-GROWN

| | | | | |
|-------|-----|-----|-------|-------|
| C | 604 | 729 | 1,333 | 1,419 |
| X | 18 | 1 | 19 | 65 |
| Y | - | - | - | - |
| S | - | 1 | 1 | 54 |
| N | 7 | - | 7 | - |
| Total | 629 | 731 | 1,360 | 1,538 |

U. S. TYPE 46.-PUERTO RICAN SUN-GROWN**

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| C | 9,638 | 20,125 | 29,763 | 37,710* |
| X | 2,000 | 2,386 | 4,386 | 4,665* |
| Y | 77 | 359 | 436 | 531* |
| S | 98 | 2,003 | 2,101 | 1,602* |
| N | 47 | 46 | 93 | 42* |
| Total | 11,860 | 24,919 | 36,779 | 44,550* |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

** Includes stocks of leaf tobacco in Puerto Rico.

U. S. TYPE 51.-CONNECTICUT VALLEY BROADLEAF

| Group | Unstemmed 1000 lbs. | Stemmed 1000 lbs. | January 1 Group Totals 1000 lbs. | October 1 Group Totals 1000 lbs. |
|-------|------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| A | 1,523 | 1 | 1,524 | 1,519 |
| B | 22,997 | 209 | 23,206 | 25,376* |
| C | 1,085 | 45 | 1,130 | 1,415* |
| X | 2,162 | 844 | 3,006 | 2,953 |
| Y | 4 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| S | 10 | 300 | 310 | 166* |
| N | - | 12 | 12 | 3 |
| Total | 27,781 | 1,412 | 29,193 | 31,434* |

U. S. TYPE 52.-CONNECTICUT VALLEY HAVANA SEED

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|---------|
| A | 2,672 | 9 | 2,681 | 2,213 |
| B | 17,995 | 34 | 18,029 | 17,790* |
| C | 821 | 16 | 837 | 460 |
| X | 2,155 | 1,229 | 3,384 | 3,407 |
| Y | 9 | 30 | 39 | 18 |
| S | 4 | 106 | 110 | 80 |
| N | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 23,657 | 1,424 | 25,081 | 23,960* |

U. S. TYPE 53.-NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA HAVANA SEED

| | | | | |
|-------|-------|----|-------|-------|
| A | - | 4 | 4 | 15 |
| B | 106 | - | 106 | 129 |
| C | 89 | 4 | 93 | 85 |
| X | 1,414 | - | 1,414 | 1,488 |
| Y | - | - | - | 4 |
| S | 10 | 23 | 33 | 11 |
| Total | 1,619 | 31 | 1,650 | 1,732 |

U. S. TYPE 54.-SOUTHERN WISCONSIN

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| B | 4,996 | 33 | 5,029 | 5,519 |
| C | 370 | 676 | 1,546 | 1,774 |
| X | 42,430 | 3,128 | 45,558 | 49,514 |
| Y | - | - | - | 50 |
| S | 3 | 44 | 47 | 64 |
| Total | 48,299 | 3,881 | 52,180 | 56,921 |

U. S. TYPE 55.-NORTHERN WISCONSIN

| | | | | |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|---------|
| B | 9,152 | 83 | 9,235 | 10,199* |
| C | 937 | 390 | 1,327 | 1,652 |
| X | 14,892 | 961 | 15,853 | 18,067 |
| Y | - | - | - | - |
| S | 31 | 173 | 204 | 111* |
| Total | 25,012 | 1,607 | 26,619 | 30,029* |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

U. S. TYPE 61.-CONNECTICUT VALLEY SHADE

| Group | Unstemmed 1000 lbs. | Stemmed 1000 lbs. | January 1 Group Totals 1000 lbs. | October 1 Group Totals 1000 lbs. |
|-------|------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| A | 7,675 | 7 | 7,682 | 4,770* |
| B | 934 | 69 | 1,003 | 793 |
| C | 178 | 17 | 195 | 157 |
| X | 28 | 2 | 30 | 24 |
| S | 1 | 216 | 217 | 197 |
| N | 6 | - | 6 | 7 |
| Total | 8,822 | 311 | 9,133 | 5,948* |

U. S. TYPE 62.-GEORGIA AND FLORIDA SHADE

| | | | | |
|-------|-------|----|-------|--------|
| A | 3,327 | 2 | 3,329 | 3,154* |
| B | 301 | - | 301 | 389 |
| C | 15 | 1 | 16 | 31 |
| X | 67 | - | 67 | 12 |
| S | 1 | 7 | 8 | 2 |
| N | - | 1 | 1 | 2* |
| Total | 3,711 | 11 | 3,722 | 3,590* |

U. S. TYPE 71.-EASTERN OHIO

| | | | | | | | |
|------------|-----|---|----|---|-----|---|-----|
| No Groups: | 416 | : | 13 | : | 429 | : | 465 |
|------------|-----|---|----|---|-----|---|-----|

U. S. TYPE 72.-PERIQUE

| | | | | | | | |
|------------|----|---|-----|---|-----|---|-----|
| No Groups: | 12 | : | 223 | : | 235 | : | 184 |
|------------|----|---|-----|---|-----|---|-----|

U. S. TYPE 73.-OTHER MISCELLANEOUS DOMESTIC

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------|----|---|-----|---|-----|---|-----|
| No Groups : | 85 | : | 592 | : | 677 | : | 349 |
|-------------|----|---|-----|---|-----|---|-----|

U. S. TYPE 81.-CUBA (HAVANA)

| | | | | |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| A | 170 | 9 | 179 | 284* |
| C | 1,521 | 4,398 | 5,919 | 6,445* |
| S | 36 | 1,036 | 1,072 | 1,126* |
| Total | 1,727 | 5,443 | 7,170 | 7,855* |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

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U. S. TYPE 82.--SUMATRA AND JAVA

| Group | Unstemmed 1000 lbs. | Stemmed 1000 lbs. | January 1 Group Totals 1000 lbs. | October 1 Group Totals 1000 lbs. |
|-------|------------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| A | 2,253 | - | 2,253 | 1,860 |
| C | 64 | 3 | 67 | 62 |
| S | - | 8 | 8 | 4 |
| Total | 2,317 | 11 | 2,328 | 1,926 |

U. S. TYPE 83.--PHILIPPINE ISLANDS (MANILA)

| | | | | |
|-------|----|-----|-----|-----|
| C | - | 40 | 40 | 41 |
| S | 15 | 645 | 660 | 832 |
| Total | 15 | 685 | 700 | 873 |

U. S. TYPE 84.--OTHER FOREIGN GROWN CIGAR LEAF

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|----|---|----|---|----|
| No Groups : | 2 | : | 14 | : | 16 | : | 21 |
|-------------|---|---|----|---|----|---|----|

U. S. TYPE 90.--FOREIGN-GROWN CIGARETTE TOBACCO
(TURKISH AND OTHER)

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--------|---|---|---|--------|---|--------|
| No Groups : | 54,560 | : | - | : | 54,560 | : | 62,646 |
|-------------|--------|---|---|---|--------|---|--------|

GRAND TOTAL ALL TYPES

| Quarter | Unstemmed 1000 lbs. | Stemmed 1000 lbs. | Grand Total 1000 lbs. |
|-----------------|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| January 1, 1977 | 1,051,842 | 254,052 | 2,205,874 |
| October 1, 1976 | 1,006,990* | 239,504* | 2,146,600* |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT ON
BURLEY TOBACCO STOCKS BY GROUPS AND QUALITIES
JANUARY 1, 1937

| Group | Quality | Unstemmed :1000 lbs.: | Stemmed :1000 lbs.: | January 1 : Total :1000 lbs.: | October 1 : Total :1000 lbs.: |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| A - Wrapper | All Grades | 1,338 | - | 1,338 | 1,078 |
| B - Bright Leaf | Choice to Fine | 19,964 | 5,096 | 25,060 | 26,551 |
| | Medium or Good | 42,687 | 5,429 | 48,116 | 49,278 |
| | Fair to Common | 2,849 | 194 | 3,043 | 3,517* |
| Total Bright Leaf | | 65,500 | 10,719 | 76,219 | 79,346* |
| B - Red Leaf (Including Green) | Choice to Fine | 14,183 | 3,212 | 17,395 | 17,332 |
| | Medium or Good | 29,270 | 7,284 | 36,554 | 36,853 |
| | Fair to Common | 7,804 | 1,742 | 9,546 | 9,720* |
| Total Red Leaf | | 51,257 | 12,238 | 63,495 | 63,905* |
| B - Tips | Medium or Good | 47,856 | 4,784 | 52,640 | 54,771* |
| | Fair to Common | 35,689 | 941 | 36,630 | 36,249* |
| Total Tips | | 83,545 | 5,725 | 89,270 | 91,020* |
| Total B Group | | 200,302 | 28,682 | 228,984 | 234,271* |
| C - Lugs and Cutters | Choice to Fine | 87,881 | 7,253 | 95,134 | 88,594 |
| | Medium or Good | 74,999 | 8,656 | 83,655 | 78,895* |
| | Fair to Common | 46,177 | 2,003 | 48,180 | 50,079* |
| Total C Group | | 209,057 | 17,912 | 226,969 | 217,568* |
| X - Granulators or Flyings | Choice to Fine | 54,551 | 3,180 | 57,731 | 55,192 |
| | Medium or Good | 39,816 | 5,118 | 44,934 | 43,958 |
| | Fair to Common | 20,284 | 1,682 | 21,966 | 23,006* |
| Total X Group | | 114,651 | 9,980 | 124,631 | 122,156* |
| S - Scrap | All Kinds | 8,963 | 1,274 | 10,237 | 10,933* |
| N - Nondescript | Unsuitable for manufacture | 208 | - | 208 | 622 |
| | and damaged | | | | |
| TOTAL ALL GROUPS | | 534,519 | 57,848 | 592,367 | 586,628* |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

* Revisions in October 1 report.

VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED TOBACCO, TYPE 21,
REVISIONS IN 1936 QUARTERLY STOCKS REPORTS

| Group | January 1 | | April 1 | | July 1 | | October 1 | |
|-------|-----------------|----------|-----------------|----------|-----------------|----------|-----------------|----------|
| | Un- stemmed: | Stemmed: | Un- stemmed: | Stemmed: | Un- stemmed: | Stemmed: | Un- stemmed: | Stemmed: |
| | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | pounds: | pounds: | pounds: | pounds: | pounds: | pounds: | pounds: | pounds: |
| A | 1,059 | 1,059 | 1,436 | 1,436 | 1,258 | 1,258 | 852 | 852 |
| B | 6,533 | 245 | 9,005 | 144 | 3,317 | 8,494 | 6,619 | 157 |
| C | 2,136 | 107 | 4,556 | 35 | 3,654 | 3,684 | 2,656 | 19 |
| X | 15,925 | 273 | 18,741 | 234 | 16,468 | 16,676 | 14,818 | 174 |
| S | 849 | 849 | 914 | 914 | 924 | 924 | 1,055 | 1,055 |
| N | 11 | 11 | 24 | 24 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| Total | 26,563 | 625 | 34,676 | 413 | 30,640 | 31,055 | 26,029 | 350 |

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

TOBACCO STOCKS ON A FARM-SALES-WEIGHT BASIS

In this issue, for the first time, a supplementary table is included showing the equivalent farm-sales weight of stocks of the principal types of tobacco held by dealers and manufacturers. This supplementary table, which will be a feature of the reports henceforth, is in response to the need for greater comparability between holdings of leaf tobacco as customarily reported and production statistics. The lack of comparability arises from the losses in weight sustained after the tobacco leaves the growers' hands, due to stemming, fermentation, and drying during storage. To accomplish this result, the Bureau has made detailed studies of these various losses, and appropriate conversion factors have been applied to stocks as reported. A forthcoming circular will present an analysis of these losses and the conversion factors determined by this study, together with tables showing the stocks of leaf tobacco from 1912 to date converted to a farm-sales-weight basis.

It is not intended to discontinue publication of stocks as reported; the farm-sales-weight equivalents will be published as supplemental information for the benefit of those interested. Comments thereon are invited.

In the following table the stemmed leaf as reported has been converted to unstemmed leaf by allowing for the loss in removal of the stems and midribs. This converted stemmed leaf has been added to the unstemmed leaf reported and the total unstemmed leaf has been converted to a farm-sales-weight basis by allowing for the loss in weight in handling, in sweating or fermentation, and in storage. The conversion factors applied are based on average losses for each type separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT ON

TORACCO STOCKS CONVERTED TO FARM-SALES WEIGHT, JANUARY 1, 1937

| Type name | U.S. Type number | | Stemmed | | Unstemmed reported | Total on unstemmed basis | Farm-sales-weight equivalent |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|--------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| | Quantity reported | 1,000 lb. | Unstemmed equivalent | 1,000 lb. | | | |
| Flue-cured | 11-14 | 143,623 | 184,125 | 828,236 | 1,012,361 | 1,133,844 | |
| Virginia Fire-cured | 21 | 338 | 439 | 25,309 | 25,748 | 30,383 | |
| Tennessee and Kentucky Fire-cured | 22 | 82 | 108 | 112,640 | 112,748 | 117,258 | |
| Kentucky and Tennessee Fire-cured | 23 | 88 | 116 | 33,623 | 33,739 | 35,089 | |
| Hendersn Stemming | 24 | 13 | 17 | 2,860 | 2,877 | 3,237 | |
| Burley | 31 | 57,848 | 78,153 | 534,519 | 612,672 | 686,193 | |
| Southern Maryland | 32 | 751 | 1,015 | 36,685 | 37,700 | 38,454 | |
| One Sucker | 35 | 475 | 679 | 23,464 | 24,143 | 26,316 | |
| Green River | 36 | 368 | 484 | 24,548 | 25,032 | 28,286 | |
| Virginia Sun-cured | 37 | 767 | 1,009 | 1,387 | 2,396 | 2,707 | |
| Pennsylvania Seedleaf | 41 | 4,696 | 6,513 | 74,902 | 81,415 | 90,371 | |
| Gebhardt | 42 | 1,870 | 2,562 | 15,177 | 17,739 | 19,868 | |
| Zimmer | 43 | 1,603 | 2,246 | 21,464 | 23,710 | 26,792 | |
| Dutch | 44 | 202 | 286 | 6,504 | 6,790 | 7,571 | |
| Georgia and Florida Sun-grown | 45 | 731 | 932 | 629 | 1,561 | 1,943 | |
| Puerto Rican Sun-grown | 46 | 24,919 | 31,772 | 11,860 | 43,632 | 51,049 | |
| Connecticut Broadleaf | 51 | 1,412 | 1,824 | 27,781 | 29,605 | 31,677 | |
| Connecticut Havana Seed | 52 | 1,424 | 1,850 | 23,657 | 25,507 | 27,292 | |
| N. Y. and Pa. Havana Seed | 53 | 31 | 42 | 1,619 | 1,661 | 1,885 | |
| Southern Wisconsin | 54 | 3,881 | 5,045 | 48,299 | 53,344 | 56,545 | |
| Northern Wisconsin | 55 | 1,607 | 2,142 | 25,012 | 27,154 | 29,462 | |
| Connecticut Shade-grown | 61 | 311 | 381 | 8,822 | 9,203 | 10,445 | |
| Georgia and Florida Shade-grown | 62 | 11 | 13 | 3,711 | 3,724 | 4,320 | |

In this table stocks are shown as reported, and converted to a farm-sales-weight basis, taking into account the loss in stemming and the loss in handling, fermentation, and storage.

(Figures rounded to nearest thousand pounds)

TOBACCO STOCKS REPORT
LEAF TOBACCO OWNED BY DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS, JANUARY 1, 1937
and comparisons with other quarters

(Figures are in thousands of pounds)

| Type name | U. S. Type number | January 1, 1937 ^{1/} | | | October 1, 1936 | January 1, 1936 | October 1, 1935 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | Unstemmed | Stemmed | Total | Total | Total | Total |
| | | 1,000 lb. | 1,000 lb. | 1,000 lb. | 1,000 lb. | 1,000 lb. | 1,000 lb. |
| Old Belt Flue-cured Va. and N. C. | 11 | 380,972 | 37,487 | 418,459 | 311,838* | 418,157 | 275,995 |
| Eastern N. C. Flue-cured | 12 | 274,049 | 40,481 | 314,530 | 275,790* | 328,383 | 282,660 |
| South Carolina Flue-cured (Including Southeastern N. C.) | 13 | 149,800 | 15,643 | 165,443 | 177,303* | 158,213 | 177,742 |
| Georgia and Florida Flue-cured | 14 | 23,415 | 50,012 | 73,427 | 85,323 | 59,369 | 61,969 |
| Total Flue-cured | -- | 828,235 | 143,623 | 971,859 | 850,254* | 964,122 | 798,366 |
| Virginia Fire-cured | 21 | 25,309 | 338 | 25,647 | 26,379* | 27,188** | 25,968 |
| Tennessee and Kentucky Fire-cured (Eastern District C. H. and S.) | 22 | 112,640 | 82 | 112,722 | 129,468 | 119,790 | 142,794 |
| Kentucky and Tennessee Fire-cured (Western District M. and P.) | 23 | 33,623 | 88 | 33,711 | 36,957* | 35,848 | 38,953 |
| Henderson Stemming | 24 | 2,860 | 13 | 2,873 | 3,119 | 3,300 | 3,525 |
| Total Fire-cured | -- | 174,432 | 521 | 174,953 | 195,923* | 186,126** | 211,240 |
| Burley | 31 | 534,519 | 57,848 | 592,367 | 586,628* | 699,183 | 660,810 |
| Southern Maryland | 32 | 36,685 | 751 | 37,436 | 41,241* | 37,647 | 39,331 |
| Total Light Air-cured | -- | 571,204 | 58,599 | 629,803 | 627,869* | 736,830 | 700,141 |
| One Sucker | 35 | 23,464 | 475 | 23,939 | 26,243* | 30,481 | 29,999 |
| Green River | 36 | 24,548 | 368 | 24,916 | 27,089 | 29,377 | 30,270 |
| Virginia Sun-cured | 37 | 1,387 | 767 | 2,154 | 2,137 | 2,060 | 2,076 |
| Total Dark Air-cured | -- | 49,399 | 1,610 | 51,009 | 55,469* | 61,918 | 62,345 |
| Pennsylvania Seedleaf | 41 | 74,902 | 4,696 | 79,598 | 90,495* | 79,904 | 88,556 |
| Gebhardt (Ohio-Miami Valley) | 42 | 15,177 | 1,870 | 17,047 | 19,250 | 23,822 | 23,411 |
| Zimmer (Ohio-Miami Valley) | 43 | 21,464 | 1,603 | 23,067 | 25,854* | 23,613 | 27,396 |
| Dutch (Ohio-Miami Valley) | 44 | 6,504 | 202 | 6,706 | 7,456* | 6,125 | 6,777 |
| Georgia and Florida Sun-grown | 45 | 629 | 731 | 1,360 | 1,538 | 1,783 | 2,049 |
| Puerto Rican Sun-grown 2/ | 46 | 11,860 | 24,919 | 36,779 | 44,550* | 35,400 | 19,691 |
| Total Cigar-Filler Types | -- | 130,536 | 34,021 | 164,557 | 189,143* | 170,647 | 167,880 |
| Connecticut Broadleaf | 51 | 27,781 | 1,412 | 29,193 | 31,434* | 32,133 | 32,604 |
| Connecticut Havana Seed | 52 | 23,657 | 1,424 | 25,081 | 23,969* | 28,457 | 28,043 |
| N. Y. and Pa. Havana Seed | 53 | 1,619 | 31 | 1,650 | 1,732 | 1,910 | 1,751 |
| Southern Wisconsin | 54 | 48,299 | 3,881 | 52,180 | 56,921 | 64,655 | 68,486 |
| Northern Wisconsin | 55 | 25,012 | 1,607 | 26,619 | 30,029* | 33,433 | 37,616 |
| Total Cigar-Binder Types | -- | 126,368 | 8,355 | 134,723 | 144,085* | 160,588 | 168,500 |
| Connecticut Shade-grown | 61 | 8,822 | 311 | 9,133 | 5,948* | 9,418 | 7,624 |
| Georgia and Florida Shade-grown | 62 | 3,711 | 11 | 3,722 | 3,590* | 3,508 | 4,090 |
| Total Shade-grown | -- | 12,533 | 322 | 12,855 | 9,538* | 12,926 | 11,714 |
| Eastern Ohio | 71 | 416 | 13 | 429 | 465 | 961 | 1,001 |
| Perique | 72 | 12 | 223 | 235 | 184 | 327 | 327 |
| Other Miscellaneous Domestic | 73 | 85 | 592 | 677 | 349 | 153 | 236 |
| Total Miscellaneous Domestic | -- | 513 | 828 | 1,341 | 998 | 1,441 | 1,564 |
| Cuba (Havana) | 81 | 1,727 | 5,443 | 7,170 | 7,855* | 9,258 | 8,980 |
| Sumatra and Java | 82 | 2,317 | 11 | 2,328 | 1,926 | 1,971 | 1,660 |
| Philippine Islands (Manila) | 83 | 15 | 685 | 700 | 873 | 1,093 | 1,325 |
| Other Foreign-grown Cigar Leaf | 84 | 2 | 14 | 16 | 21 | - | - |
| Total Foreign-grown Cigar Leaf | -- | 4,061 | 6,153 | 10,214 | 10,675* | 12,322 | 11,965 |
| Foreign-grown Cigarette Tobacco (Turkish and other) | 90 | 54,560 | - | 54,560 | 62,646 | 65,873 | 66,480 |
| Total all types | -- | 1,951,842 | 254,032 | 2,205,874 | 2,146,600* | 2,372,793** | 2,200,195 |

These statistics represent the quantity of leaf tobacco reported as owned by all leaf tobacco dealers, manufacturers, quasi-manufacturers, growers' cooperative associations, warehousemen, brokers, holders, and owners, except (a) the original growers of tobacco, (b) manufacturers who in the first three quarters of 1936, according to the returns of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, manufactured less than 35,000 pounds of tobacco, less than 185,000 cigars, or less than 750,000 cigarettes, pursuant to the provisions of The Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act approved January 14, 1929, and the amendments thereto passed in the 72nd and the 74th Congress.

^{1/} Preliminary.

^{2/} Includes stocks on the Island since January 1, 1936.

* Revisions in October 1 report.

** Corrections in January 1, 1936, report.

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