

27-DAY DROUGHT SCORCHES EAST

Only Heavy Rain in Week
Can Prevent Loss of
Tens of Millions.

NEW YORK, July 27 (U. P.)—Unless three to four inches of rain falls in the Eastern drought area in the next week, farmers will lose tens of millions of dollars, agricultural experts estimated today.

The loss already was in the millions after 27 days of the record-breaking drought and weather officials saw no general relief in sight for the six New England states, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

From Maine to Atlantic City, a merciless sun had baked fields dry, reduced forests to tinder, dried up streams, lowered reservoirs from which millions obtain their water. Scores of communities were threatened with water shortages, though the larger cities, including New York City, had supplies expected to last 60 to 150 days.

Thirty-four forest fires broke out yesterday in New York State alone. Brush fire also burned over dried up alfalfa and other ruined crops in many areas.

Tune Up for Township Show

Dorothy Sheaffer (left) and Margaret Newhouse, members of the Action 4-H Club, tune up for the songs they'll sing at the Franklin Township 4-H Club Achievement Day to be held tomorrow at the township school. The show is expected to be the largest of all the various township Achievement Day shows.



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RETURNED GOODS CUT STORE PROFITS

NEW YORK, July 26 (U. P.)—The American shoppers use of the returned-goods privilege has played an important part in rising distribution costs and, consequently, higher retail prices, the Twentieth Century Fund declared today in a survey of marketing costs.

Returns of goods and allowances, on the average, amount to one day's sales out of eight in department stores, according to the survey.

Further reasons for high distribution costs were found in the urbanization of the population, higher standards of living, and the consequent refinement and elaboration of consumer tastes. The survey

added, however, that the "increasing cost of distribution which results cannot be set down as wholly the fault of either consumers or distributors."

Quoting from figures obtained in 1936, it added, "In the largest de-

partment stores, doing an annual business of from two million dollars to upwards of 20 million dollars, returns and allowances amount to 14.5 per cent of sales. This ratio tends to decrease as the stores get smaller."

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Boys' Swim Trunks Cotton rib and part-wool swim trunks. Assorted colors. Sizes 8 to 16.

39c

Girls' Wear at 39c

Girls' Shorts

39c

Girls' One-Piece Print Play Togs

39c

Girls' Cotton Chenille Sweaters

39c

Girls' Broadcloth Blouses

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Girls' Gym Suits

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