

TOPPING!



ON nearly a million fertile acres in nine Western and Midwestern states the harvest of 1943's sugar beet crop is in progress...

to dig the beets from the soil and top them in a single mechanical operation.

The beet leaves which remain after the topping has been completed, as well as other by-products—beet pulp and molasses—are fed extensively to cattle and sheep.

Two varieties of sugar beets are grown in the United States—a hard-headed variety and a soft-headed variety. The hard-headed variety is now being developed with which...

Agriculture Dept. Makes Large Seizure

Raleigh, N. C., August 12.—D. S. Coltrane, assistant to the Commissioner of Agriculture, declared recently that the State Department of Agriculture has seized and condemned a total of 307 tons—37 carloads—of ground feed wheat shipped into this State by the Union National Mills of Springfield, Ohio.

"This is the largest seizure in the history of the Department," said Coltrane.

The feed was seized for poor quality, shortage in weight, and for lack of analysis tags.

Shipments of the feed were made by the Ohio Company to various manufacturers and dealers in Goldsboro, Asheboro, Reidsville, Wadesboro, Marshville, Morris Plains, Lenoir, Asheville, Hendersonville, Beaufort, Gastonia, Waynesville, Sylva, Bryson City...

State laws," shipped nine carloads of the bad feed out of North Carolina, six cars going to Georgia, two to South Carolina and one to Tennessee.

The Department recently received a certified check for \$680 from the manufacturer of the feed and those who used feed from eight counties will be reimbursed for the dirt weight and poor quality according to Coltrane.

Men working under Coltrane and representatives of C. D. Bannum's Weights and Measures division combed the State in locating the feed and apprehending the company responsible for the shipments.

The case has been referred to representatives of the Federal Food and Drug Administration.

Third War Loan Drive Starts On September 9th., 1943

F. H. GREGORY OF HALIFAX IS COUNTY CHAIRMAN

The Treasury Third War Loan Drive will start on September 9, 1943. Mr. F. Jones has been appointed Chairman of Region Two, of the War Finance Committee of counties of Edgemont, Halifax, Nash, Northampton and Wilson.

The members of the War Finance Committee in Region Two for the September drive are: Edgemont County: Campaign Chairman, S. N. Clark of Tarboro; County Chairman, S. B. Kittrell of Pinetops; Halifax County: Campaign Chairman, F. H. Gregory of Halifax; County Chairman, H. E. Lee of Roanoke Rapids; Nash County: Campaign Chairman, F. P. Spruell of Rocky Mount; County Chairman, J. J. Potts of Spring Hope; Northampton County: Campaign and County Chairman, H. R. Hines of Seaboard; Wilson County: Campaign and County Chairman, A. D. Shaverford of Wilson.

In this drive the Treasury is asking \$160,000,000 of War Securities be purchased by individuals and corporations other than banks. Secretary Morgenthau states that the Government will spend a total of about \$32,000,000,000 between July 1 and the end of 1943. The daily cost of the war running in excess of \$240,000,000, which is necessary to equip our army and navy and other necessary war expenditures. This is nearly \$100,000,000 a day more than we were spending last year at this time. This means it is going to be necessary to sell twice as many bonds to individuals between now and the end of 1943.

"It is going to be necessary to sell a bond to nearly every man, woman and child in America. The sale of bonds will have to be treated twenty-four hours a day. The co-operation of the people everywhere is necessary to do the job that is ahead of us. The Government knows exactly...

what we are going to do and how we are going to do it. From now on we are going to do the planning and sticking and Mr. Morgenthau, the Secretary of the Treasury, fervently hopes that we can continue to work out financial plans together and keep them on a voluntary basis. In the final analysis this is up to you, the American people.

SMALL GRAINS

North Carolina growers will find that an increased acreage of small grains will help offset the existing feed shortages, say Extension Service officials at State College.

NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

NORTH CAROLINA HALIFAX COUNTY.

Frances Jordan

-vs.-

Waverly Jordan

The defendant, Waverly Jordan will take notice that an action entitled as above, has been commenced against him in the Superior Court of Halifax County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant on statutory grounds; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Halifax County in Halifax, North Carolina within 30 days after the 1st day of September, 1943, and answer or demur to the complaint in this action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

This 3rd day of August, 1943.

A. L. HUX, Clerk of the Superior Court, Halifax County. A. W. Oakes, Attorney. Aug. 26 - 41.

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

NORTH CAROLINA HALIFAX COUNTY.

Halifax County

-vs.-

William Mayo, et al

The defendant (s) William Mayo and Mrs. William Mayo and all other persons having or claiming any interest in the subject matter of this action will take notice that an action entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Halifax County, N. C., to foreclose certain tax liens and certificates of tax sales, due the plaintiff, Halifax County, on land in Weldon Township listed for taxation in the name of Emma Mayo Marable and the said defendant (s) and all other persons, will further take notice that he/she they are required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Halifax County at his office in Halifax, N. C., not later than thirty days from the 19th day of July, 1943, and answer or demur to the complaint, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

The defendant (s), above named and all other persons having or claiming any interest, vested or contingent, in or to the lands or parcels of land hereinafter described, and described in the complaint filed herein, and any such ones as are non-residents of the State of North Carolina, or whose names and residences are unknown, and all persons not in being, all minors, mental incompetents, or persons under other disability, or all persons who may in any contingency become interested in said land, but because of such contingency cannot be ascertained, and to whom the remainder or reversionary interest in said land will or may go, together with the respective wives or husbands of such persons, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Halifax County, North Carolina, for the purpose of foreclosing the lien of certain certificates of tax sales issued by the Sheriff of Halifax County, N. C., and held by the plaintiff for the years 1923-24 and other taxes, costs, interest and penalties due any individual or municipal corporation, against the property listed for taxation in the name of Emma Mayo Marable and described below, to-wit:

That certain lot located on the West side of Chestnut Street, Weldon, North Carolina, fronting thirty feet on said street and running back in a Westerly direction between parallel lines 110 feet, and being bounded as follows: On the East by said Chestnut Street, on the North by Joe Higgs, on the West by Julia Ivey and on the South by Sue Ash.

And the relief demanded in the complaint consists wholly in excluding all persons from any e-

quity, interest or lien in and to said lands.

This the 3rd day of August, 1943.

A. L. HUX, Clerk Superior Court, A. W. Oakes, Attorney. Aug. 26 - 41.

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

NORTH CAROLINA HALIFAX COUNTY.

Halifax County

-vs.-

Maggie Shearin et al

The defendant (s) Rebecca Shearin (unmarried); Matthew Shearin (unmarried); James Shearin and wife, Celest Shearin; Maggie Smith and husband, Clinton Smith; Doc Shearin and wife, Willie Florence Shearin; and all other persons having or claiming any interest in the subject matter of this action will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Halifax County, N. C., to foreclose certain tax liens and certificates of tax sales, and plaintiff, Halifax County, on land in Weldon Township, listed for taxation in the name of Maggie Shearin; and the said defendant (s) and all other persons will further take notice that he/she they are required to be and appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Halifax County at his office in Halifax, N. C., not later than thirty days from the 2nd day of September, 1943, and answer or demur to the complaint, which has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

The defendant (s), above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Halifax County, North Carolina for the purpose of foreclosing the lien of certain certificates of tax sales issued by the Sheriff of Halifax County, N. C., and held by the plaintiff for the years 1939 thru 1942 and other taxes, costs, interest and penalties due any individual or municipal corporation against the property listed for taxation in the name of Maggie Shearin and described below, to-wit:

Lot No. 2, containing 16

acres, more or less, allotted to William Turner in that instrument of record in Halifax County Public Registry in Book 75B, page 14 to which said instrument reference is hereby made for greater certainty of description and by this reference said instrument is hereby made a part hereof as fully as if herein written.

And the relief demanded in the complaint consists wholly in excluding all persons from any equity, interest or lien in and to said lands.

This the 3th day of August, 1943.

A. L. HUX, Clerk Superior Court, W. H. Dickens, Attorney. Sept. 2 - 41.

Advertisement for Pepsi-Cola featuring a young man in a military-style uniform holding a Pepsi can. Text includes 'AMERICA'S Favorite!', 'AMERICA GOES WITH PEPSI-COLA', and 'PEPSI-COLA COMPANY, LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y.'.

Advertisement for 'GLASSING LATE SUMMER FAVORITES' featuring a woman in a kitchen preparing food. Text includes 'Uncle Sam says WE CAN!' and 'Reddy Kilbatt'.

There is no reason at all why high summer favorite native foods cannot be available on our dining tables throughout the winter months. Victory garden vegetables may be successfully glassed if the simple directions are followed accurately under clean "hospitality" conditions.

In preceding lessons we discussed Methods of Processing. We have been requested to review the two most popular methods.

- 1.—PRESSURE CANNER—Highly recommended for glassing all non-acid foods and meats. If you have a Pressure Canner or can get a permit from the County War Planning Board to purchase one, do share it with your neighbors. II.—BOILING WATER BATH—(any deep container such as a wash boiler or lard stand—preferably with a cover) (a) Container must be fitted with a rack to raise jars 1/2 inch above bottom of canner. (b) Water should at all times cover jars one inch over tops. (c) Water in canner should be near boiling before putting jars in. (d) Do not count processing time until water has come to a "jumping-boil" after jars have been put in container. (e) Water should boil during entire processing time. (f) Remove jars from kettle at end of processing time. (g) FOLLOW MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS FOR CARE AND USE OF GLASS AND METAL TOPS.

SHELLED BEANS OR PEAS—Butter, Lima Beans, Blackeye, Garden or Field Peas—Select young vegetables, and glass immediately after picking. Wash, shell, and precook 3 to 5 minutes in boiling water. Pack loosely to within 1 inch top 1 inch of jar top with the water in which vegetables were precooked. PROCESS IMMEDIATELY at 10 lbs. pressure for 60 minutes; or in Boiling Water Bath 3 hours.

WHOLE KERNEL CORN—Use only tender, freshly gathered sweet corn, shuck, silk and clean carefully. Cut off kernels, put into pan, cover with an equal measurement of boiling water, precook 3 to 5 minutes from lid, immediately into hot PINT jars, packing the corn loosely with liquid to within 1 inch of jar top—add 1/2 teaspoon salt. Seal and PROCESS IMMEDIATELY at 10 lbs. pressure for 60 minutes; or in Boiling Water Bath 3 1/2 hours.

BEETS—Use small uniform beets—whole, quartered or sliced. Wash carefully, leaving roots and stems long. Cut 1/2 inch slices, dip in cold water, slip skins and pack to within 1/2 inch of top—add boiling water to within 1 inch of top. Process immediately at 10 lbs. pressure for 40 minutes or Boiling Water Bath 2 hours.

CYMLINS—(Summer, Italian, Crookneck or Summer Squash) Wash and scrub, precook 3 to 5 minutes. Pack loosely and fill with vegetable liquid to within 1 inch of top. Process immediately at 10 lbs. pressure for 40 minutes or Boiling Water Bath 3 hours.

SOUP MIXTURE—5 cups tomatoes, 2 cups corn, 2 cups other vegetables, 2 tablespoons salt. Scald and peel tomatoes, removing green, hard or spoiled spots, chop and measure. Cut young, tender corn from cobs. Place all in open kettle (enamel preferred) and SIMMER 10 minutes. Fill containers to within 1 inch of jar top, seal and PROCESS IMMEDIATELY at 10 lbs. pressure for 30 minutes or Boiling Water Bath 2 hours. (Note—If less tomatoes are used—process 3 hours.)

This year there are three main types of jar caps for sealing glass jars in home-canning. Following the specific directions of the manufacturer for each type whether it is the three-piece cap, two-piece cap, lightning type or lugs over peace-time Mason jar caps. All home-glassed VEGETABLES AND MEATS (regardless of processing method) SHOULD BE BOILED 15 MINUTES BEFORE TASTING OR SERVING, to destroy any bacteria toxins which might have developed after processing.

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY Headquarters for Canning Information

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"I was just tellin' my brother Fred this morning, Judge...there's never been a time in our lives when we got to live up to that old sayin' 'United we stand, divided we fall' more than we have to today."

"How true that is, Herb. And for the life of me, I can't figure out why, at a time like this, some folks insist on raising a question like prohibition. I can't imagine anything that would tickle our enemies more than to get us folks over here taking sides

against each other, arguing about an issue like that. We've got a he-man's job on our hands to win this war and we can't be wasting our minds, our money and our strength fighting about something we tried for nearly 14 years and found couldn't work.

"I say there's a time and a place for everything, and this is no time or place to be doing any fightin' except the kind that's going to win the war."