

**BEETS GROW WELL IN**

**EARLY SPRING GARDEN**

Raleigh, N. C. March 31.—Beets grow best as a spring or fall crop, and a few rows planted now will yield a supply for the home table with some extra for the local market. R. F. Payne, extension horticulturist for the College of Agriculture, says the following directions:

A good, deep, loose, sand loam soil is best suited for the crop, but it will grow on a clay soil if organic matter is applied. They will not stand an acid soil but will tolerate an excessive amount of alkaline. A 9-4-7 fertilizer should be applied at the rate of from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds per acre. Frequent side dressings with nitrate of soda should be given at the rate of 100 to 200 pounds per acre, beginning about three weeks after the seed are sown. Fresh stable manure should never be applied, but well rotted manure may be used freely.

The seed can be sown directly in the field or may be started in the hotbed and later transplanted to the open. If started in the hotbed, they should be sown about one month before time to transplant.

The seed should be planted 1 to 1 1/2 inches deep in rows 15 to 18 inches apart for hand, and 24 to 30 inches apart for horse cultivation. Later the plants should be thinned out to 4 to 5 inches apart in the row. Cultivation should be shallow but frequent to destroy the weeds and conserve the moisture.

Detroit Dark Red, Crosby's Egyptian or Eclipse are the best varieties for use.

If any of the beets are put on the market, they should be pulled when they are 1 1/2 to 2 inches in diameter and sold in bunches containing 3 to 10.

**UNIVERSITY EXTENSION WORK IS EXPANDING RAPIDLY**

Chapel Hill, N. C., March 31.—Rapid and substantial progress has been made recently in the work of expanding the extension service of the University to all the people of the State, according to an announcement from the central office of the University Extension Division, which has just issued a brief statement covering certain features of the program.

In the year 1920 just 24 students were registered in the Extension Division. Today 786 students sprinkled over the State "from Murphy to Manteo" are studying in extension classes or in correspondence instruction courses provided by the University. George B. Zehmer, director of extension teaching, has charge of all of this work and under his leadership it is expanding rapidly. It is the aim of the University through the Extension Division, according to the statement, to make it possible for any citizen in North Carolina to get some educational training right at home, if it is impossible to get it by going to college. Three hundred and eighty physicians took the 1923 summer post-graduate medical courses in 24 cities of the State.

Other facts covered by the statement include: 400 women's clubs are studying programs issued by the Extension Division; 16,000 homes receive weekly the University News Letter; 7,000 business and professional men receive regularly "North Carolina Commerce and Industry"; 250 high school debaters will visit the University during "High School Week"; 50 delegates will attend the First Dramatic Institute to be held under the auspices of the Bureau of Community Drama; over 500 communities in North Carolina utilized one or more forms of the University Extension service during the last twelve months.

Where consolation is valued by the court. The guilty party is caught, convicted, the court costs are paid, the lawyer gets his fee, but the one who had the \$20. stolen from him gets all the consolation but not the \$20. Boys get what you can call justice if you want it.

**BEAVER DAM LOCAL NEWS**

Miss Mabel Price of Winterville spent last week with Mrs. H. A. Culpher.

Mr. G. B. Simpson went to Everetts Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Williams of Oxford spent the week-end with their daughter Mrs. Sylvester Raynor.

Mr. Dossie Jenkins motored to Robersonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nicholson went to Williamston Saturday shopping.

Mr. Frank Bennett has been on the sick list for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Peel, Miss Elizabeth Peel and Messrs. Roscoe Peel and William Peel went to Williamston Saturday shopping.

Messrs. Lester Rogers, W. A. Burroughs and Sylvester Raynor motored to Everetts Saturday morning.

Miss Sallie Saterwhite of Oxford is spending some time with Mrs. Sylvester Raynor.

Miss Helen Clark spent Saturday night with Mrs. George Jenkins.

Mrs. John Oakley and family motored to Williamston Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rogers entertained in honor of their guest, Miss Mabel Price of Winterville with a sugar stew Saturday evening.

Mr. Guthrie Strawbridge spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. S. C. Ray in Williamston.

The recent milk campaign in Cleveland county disclosed the fact that of the 4,500 children turning in cards, 1,334 are drinking whole milk, 2,043 are drinking tea and coffee daily and 111 are taking milk to school with their lunch.

The Franklinton News is offering \$10 in cash prizes for the best essays by school children on the advantages of living in the country. The town children have had their say and now the News expects to present the other side.

A dish of vegetables is still the best spring tonic, say home demonstration workers of the State College of Agriculture.

Three prizes of \$100, \$50, and \$25 are offered in each of four belts for the best production of cotton by Tarheel club members this year. The eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce is cooperating with the Agricultural Extension Division to make possible this offer of \$700.

A thing never started is better than a thing started and never completed.

Read the advertisements—it pays. They contain beaucoup information for the thrifter shopper. And more, you can depend on the goods advertised to be such as they are advertised.

History is essential. How else would European countries know whose turn it is to get revenge?

Friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Robert McClaron who has been very ill with pneumonia is improving.

Mr. W. T. Ward spend the week-end in Rocky Mount.

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**CANDIDATE FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS**

To the Democratic Voters of Martin County:  
I take this means of announcing myself a candidate, and soliciting your support, for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to action of the Democratic Primary to be held June 7th, 1924.

I have served as Deputy Register of Deeds for the past three years and trust that my services, as such, warrants the support and confidence of the voters of Martin County.  
**J. SAM GETSINGER.**

**CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF REG. OF DEEDS**

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF MARTIN COUNTY:

After serious consideration and the endorsement and the solicitations of my many friends throughout the county, I announce myself a candidate, and solicit your support, for the office of Register of Deeds of Martin County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on June the 7th, 1924.

If nominated and elected your support will be rewarded by earnest effort to render efficient and faithful service as I always have done to all trust confided to me heretofore.

Respectfully submitted, this March 20th, 1924.  
**SYLVESTER PEEL.**

**CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Martin County and soliciting the support of the Democratic voters in the Democratic primary to be held June 7th, 1924.  
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**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by Wheeler Hassell ad wife, Emma Hassell on the 5th day of July 1922 which said deed of trust is of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book N-2 at page 309 said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing certain notes of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations contained in the said deed of trust not having been complied with and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and at the request of the holder of the said notes the undersigned trustee will on Wednesday the 23rd day of April, 1924 at 12 o'clock M. in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Beginning at a post on Broad Street and Bunch's line, running along Bunch's line in a Southerly direction 137 feet to a stob, thence in an Easterly direction 40 feet to Faulk's line, thence along Faulk's line 134 feet to Broad Street, thence along Broad Street 40 feet to the beginning, being the sam lot number 2 in the Crawford lot land division and deeded to Emma Hassell by J. G. Godard.

This the 10th day of March, 1924.  
**R. G. HARRISON, Trustee.**  
Martin and Peel Attorneys. 3-11-4t.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned

trustee by Roy Godard and wife, Armenia Godard on the 23rd day of Dec. 1918 which said deed of trust is of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book O-1 at page 398, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing certain notes of even date and tenor therewith, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and the stipulations contained in the said deed of trust not having been complied with and at the request of the holder of the said notes the undersigned trustee will on Wednesday the 16th day of April, 1924 in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

First tract: Beginning at a black gum in a small branch on the South side of Swain's Pocosin, John A. Hodges line, and running thence along said line to a corner black gum in the edge of said Pocosin, thence

along said line to a corner gum in a small branch, James K. Hodges corner, hence along said line to the run of Breeces Swamp, thence down the run of said swamp to John A. Hodges line, thence with said line to a corner pine, thence to the beginning, containing 25 acres more or less. It being the same land conveyed by Philip Hodges and wife to Jesse S. Hodges by deed dated August 15th, 1878 and duly recorded in Book RR on pages 74 and 75 in the Register's office of Martin County.

Second tract: Beginning in a corner a black gum, John A. Hodges corner, and running thence along said line down the swamp to Jesse B. Hodges corner, thence nearly North along a line of marked trees to a corner a black gum Jesse B. Hodges corner, thence nearly east along a line of marked trees to the beginning, containing by estimation 15 acres more or less. These two tracts being the

same land conveyed by the said W. C. Russ to the said Roy Godard of even date with this deed of trust.

This the 15th day of March, 1924.  
**W. H. RUSS, Trustee.**  
Martin and Peel, Atty's. 3-18-4t.

**NOTICE OF RE-SALE**

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by C. O. Godard and wife, Ida Godard, on March 3rd, 1920, to the undersigned Trustee, and of record in Book A-2, at page 506 in Martin County Registry to secure the payment of a certain bond of even date thereto, the undersigned trustee did on the 24th day of March 1924 at the Court House door of Martin County in Williamston, N. C. expose for sale the hereinafter described lands, and the bid having been raised within the time prescribed by law, and in a manner required by law, and under an order of re-sale, the undersigned Trustee will on April 15th, 1924 at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Court House door of Martin county, at Williamston, N. C. again offer the land hereinafter described to the highest bidder, at public auction for cash.

Being about one and one half acres, a part of the Godard home place; being 135 yards on Williamston and Amelville side and being lot of land where C. O. Godard built his residence and where he now lives.

This the 31st day of March 1924.  
**R. G. HARRISON, Trustee.** 4-1-2t

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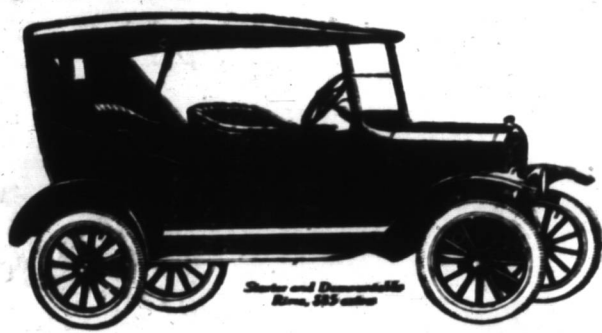
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