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Old-Fashioned Syrup Still In Style

A grinder squeezes the cane to a juice form.

Twomey pours the hot, foamy syrup into baskets.

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Chris Powell samples the sugary sweet cane juice.

Nan Powell and Twomey skim pollution from the steaming syrup.

Syrup is taken off the fire at just the right moment.

J.E. Carter seals a can of syrup.

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