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THE STATION picnic, in all probability, will be held on Wednesday, June 30, in the pasture. The Social Committee of the Station Club is in charge, under Mr. Streeter's direction. The usual run of "athletic" events, such as quoits, handball, baseball, etc., will be important features of the afternoon under the able supervision of Mr. Gambrell. The picnic has always proved to be the most popular social event of the year, and those who have attended former ones know that they cannot afford to miss it, while the new comers to the Station may be assured of a good time. Mark the day on the calendar so that no conflicting engagements will interfere.

MR. DAHLBERG attended the annual meeting of the American Jersey Cattle Club in New York City the latter part of last week.

DR. THATCHER returned from his trip West yesterday morning.

DR. AND MRS. BREED expect to attend a class reunion at Allegheny the latter part of this week.

DR. HUCKER is expected back today from his home in Iowa. We suspect that George was delayed in order to cast his vote for Iowa's pride, Col. Brockhart, in the recent primaries.

THE STATE CANNERS Association holds its quarterly meeting in Syracuse Friday. Messrs. Sayre, Jones, and Glasgow are planning to attend.

DR. C. G. WOODBURY, of the National Cannery Association, is expected in Geneva tomorrow.

SEVERAL members of the Entomology Department are planning to attend a meeting of the spray service at the College at Ithaca next Saturday.

FRIDAY was circus day in Geneva and a brooding silence reigned over the halls of the Experiment Station while fathers, uncles, and grandfathers "took" small hopefuls to the parade and big show.

A CHRONICLE OF THE STATION STAFF
(Continued)

WITH a scarcity of "news" this week, we offer a few additional notes on former members of the Staff.

46. Thompson, Firman, B. S.--Assistant Chemist (1897-1898). Present whereabouts unknown.
47. Smith, George A.--Dairy Expert; Chief in Research (Dairying) 1898-1921. Mr. Smith will be remembered by many now on the Staff for his genial nature and active interest in his work up to the time of his retirement. Mr. Smith came to the Station with a wide practical experience in the dairy industry and was largely responsible for putting the Station herd on its present high plane of good breeding and healthfulness. Mr. Smith died at Kingston, N. Y., in April, 1924.
48. Harding, Harry A., Ph.D.--Bacteriologist (1899-1923). Dr. Harding left Geneva to accept the position of Chief of the Department of Dairy Industry of the University of Illinois. Later he accepted a position with the F. C. Matthews Company of Detroit which conducts a technical service for milk plants. Dr. Harding makes occasional calls on his acquaintances at the Station on his trips East.
49. Mudge, Chas. W., B.S.--Assistant Chemist (1899-1905). Since 1913 Mr. Mudge has been employed as chemist in the Research Laboratory of the Standard Oil Company at Elizabeth, New Jersey. His address is 716 Willow St., Cranford, New Jersey.
50. Blodgett, F. H., M.S.--Assistant Botanist and Entomologist (1899-1900). For several years after leaving Geneva Mr. Blodgett was Botanist at the Texas Experiment Station. He now resides in Noroton, Conn.