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EVERYTHING is in readiness for the reception to Director and Mrs. Morrison for tomorrow evening, November 10th.

DIRECTOR MORRISON will attend the meeting of the Land-Grant College Association at Chicago next week. The American Society of Agronomy meets in Chicago during the same period, and Jim Luckett who edits the Society Journal is planning to be present. Dr. Thatcher will also be present at both meetings.

MR. AND MRS. FRED Kokoski were the unfortunate participants in an automobile accident near Albany last week-end. The car was badly wrecked, and Mrs. Kokoski was somewhat hurt, but how seriously no one has yet heard.

A NUMBER of Station folks attended the Auburn-Geneva football game Saturday, and took keen delight in the performances of Bud Hedrick in every department of the game, plunging, tackling, blocking, and receiving and intercepting passes. Bud has been out of the game the last few weeks because of injuries. There is no question but that he was there on Saturday.

MR. AND MRS. SAYRE are back from their vacation trip to the home of Mrs. Sayre's parents in Illinois, and Mr. Sayre's parents in Nebraska. They made the trip to Geneva just in time to drive through the first snowfall of the season. And just for fear anyone has not heard of a snowstorm at this time of the year an item of one hundred years ago, gleaned by Mr. Marquardt and dated November 8, 1827, reads: "Albany-- The snow fell fast and constantly nearly all the day yesterday. It was about six inches deep at the middle of the afternoon.

MR. BOWEN spent Monday in Ithaca going over the book-keeping system in use at Cornell University, looking for improvements in the methods employed at this Station.

FIVE HUNDRED visited the greenhouses last Sunday to see the chrysanthemums. Conrad Mohr estimates the total number of visitors as over 2,000.

ON MONDAY night of last week, Director Morrison spoke to the Ontario County Farm Bureau at Canandaigua on "The Mysteries of Proteins". He also spoke to the freshmen of the Colleges of Agriculture and Home Economics on Tuesday of this week on the subject "Opportunities in Research".

PROF. G. BOHSTEDT, of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, in charge of the Animal Industry Division there, including Nutrition, Veterinary Science, Beef Cattle, Poultry, Sheep and Swine, has accepted a professorship in the University of Wisconsin, to take up the Animal Husbandry duties formerly carried on by Prof. Morrison. Prof. Bohsted was a former colleague of Mr. Morrison's at the Wisconsin institution.

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ROCHESTER vigorously "defeated the daylight saving time proposition yesterday." No longer will Station folks be embarrassed by the mental burden of converting standard time to interurban daylight saving time.

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DOC GLASGOW and Mit Harman have returned from the north woods, though Bill Harman and two others are still tramping the wilds. The party accounted for three deer. In accordance with the regular custom, it is expected that Bill's many friends will be invited to a venison dinner immediately upon his return.

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WORD FROM Rodney Cecil has him safely in Columbus, Ohio, having made the 442 miles from Geneva in 13 hours driving time and 15 hours total elapsed time. Figure it out for yourself. He sends his regards to all.

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LIDA THATCHER reports that her mother, who has been ill the past few days, is very much better.

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THE STORE of Rachel Hayne's father is located only a short way from the river in Springfield, Mass., and is in consequence very much "in" the flood area.

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DR. L. L. VANSLYKE attended the meeting of the Association of Official Agricultural Chemists in Washington last week.

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THE HUCKERS sailed for home (though it is a question just where home is when one has been spending almost a year in half a dozen different countries) last Saturday. They should be in Geneva sometime next week.

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HARRY HADLOW was a party to the Republican landslide of yesterday and is again City Alderman from his Ward. A choice bit of information is that a pious votee emphatically declared, referring to the amendment for a 4-year term for Governor, that she surely was going to vote for that Sixth Commandment.

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A QUOIT team of station men yesterday trounced the "Shur-Ons", leaders of the city industrial league. This is no more than fair because barnyard golf is an agricultural pastime and quoits is after all only a variety of the old farm game.