

# The Station News

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Geneva, N. Y.

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BUSY WEEK : Twenty-four members of the Staff are scheduled to take part in the pro-  
AHEAD : gram for Farm and Home Week at Ithaca next week, while several others  
-----: will participate in various conferences, meetings of farm organizations,  
and as mere spectators. We list below the schedule for members of the Staff to and  
including Wednesday, February 13:

## Monday

3:00 p.m. A. W. Clark, The Composition and Cost of Fertilizers in 1934.

## Tuesday

12 noon H. B. Tukey, Mutual Problems of the Nurserymen and the Fruit Growers.  
G. E. R. Hervey, The Control of Worms on Cabbage and Related Crops.  
3:00 p.m. F. C. Stewart, Mushrooms and Toadstools.  
4:00 p.m. R. S. Breed, Dairying in Europe.  
D. M. Daniel, Peach Insects.

## Wednesday

9:00 a.m. A. C. Dahlberg, Viscosity of Cream.  
10:00 a.m. M. T. Munn, Seed Growing in Sweden.  
11:00 a.m. Richard Wellington, New Tree Fruits.  
12 noon F. Z. Hartzell, Winter Injury and Its Relation to Orchard Spray Practices.  
C. S. Pederson, Homemade Sauerkraut.  
Hugh Glasgow, The Pea Aphis.  
3:00 p.m. F. C. Stewart, A Potato Experiment.  
C. B. Sayre, Fertilizer Placement and Its Effect on the Growth of Vegeta-  
bles.  
4:00 p.m. W. T. Tapley, Market Garden Peas.  
M. T. Munn, The Quality of Flower Seeds on Sale in New York.

The meeting and banquet on Tuesday of the New York State Dairymen's Association and New York State Breeders' Association will be attended by Dr. Hucker and Dr. Breed, Secretary and Director, respectively, of the Dairymen's Association, and by others from the Station.

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"GENE": It is with sincere regret that we note the death in Storrs, Conn., of Eugene  
CASLER: T. Casler, for twenty-seven years engineer at the Station. Mr. Casler came  
-----: to the Station in 1898 and retired in 1925. Since his retirement, he and  
Mrs. Casler have made their home in Geneva with occasional visits to their daughter,  
Mrs. W. L. Kulp, in Storrs. Dr. Kulp was formerly a member of the Chemistry Division  
here. Private services are to be held at Mr. Casler's late home at 400 South Main  
Street at 1:00 o'clock today. We extend sympathy to Mrs. Casler and to Dr. and Mrs.  
Kulp and Carol.

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A GOOD : That the Kingston meeting of the State Horticultural Society last week was  
MEETING : the best eastern meeting of the Society in recent years is the general  
-----: consensus of opinion of all of those who took part in the affair. Cer-  
tainly, the trade and educational exhibits were more extensive and were better housed  
than ever before. Here again, the publications exhibit proved a popular spot and  
more than 3,000 Station bulletins and circulars were taken away by the visiting fruit  
growers. The Executive Committee of the Society recommended a four-day show for  
Rochester in 1936.

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EXPERT : Mrs. Hening was summoned into court in Canandaigua yesterday to testify  
TESTIMONY : as to the weather on certain days involved in a damage suit. Armed with  
-----: the official records, she was prepared to qualify as an expert witness.

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THE NEW : The appointment of Peter G. Ten Eyck to be Commissioner of the De-  
COMMISSIONER : partment of Agriculture and Markets aroused considerable interest  
-----: around the Station where Mr. Ten Eyck is well known. A former presi-  
dent of the State Farm Bureau Federation and long interested in other farm organiza-  
tion, Mr. Ten Eyck was also a member of the Board of Control of this Station at the  
time that the Board was discontinued and the Station placed under Cornell University  
in the reorganization of the State service. Hence Mr. Ten Eyck had first-hand knowl-  
edge of the work and objectives of the Station.

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MORE : Announcement of the election of Dr. Conn to the American Society of Natural-  
HONORS . ists in last week's NEWS elicits the further information that Dr. Nebel  
-----: should have shared the honors, his election to this select group having  
come about thru recognition of his contributions on the structure of chromosomes.

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THE TOM : We extend our best congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Corcoran who en-  
CORCORANS : tered the state of matrimony last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Corcoran was  
-----: formerly Miss Isabell Ingraham.

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MRS. HARMAN : We are glad to be able to report that Mrs. "Bill" Harman is recovering  
IMPROVING : satisfactorily from severe injuries sustained in a fall in her home  
-----: last week.

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GRANTED : Mr. Van Eseltine was granted six months leave of absence by the Board of  
LEAVE : Trustees of Cornell University last week, beginning March 1. He plans to  
-----: devote the major portion of the period to a study of the flora of Onondaga  
County for Syracuse University. Except for time spent in the field collecting, Van  
expects to make his headquarters at the Station.

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BACK FROM : Karl Brase has returned to his duties at the Station following a term  
THE "WARS" : at Cornell.  
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BACK IN : Mr. Van Alstyne returned to Rochester yesterday where he will undergo  
ROCHESTER : further treatment at Strong Memorial Hospital.  
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FROSTED : Mr. G. A. Fitzgerald, in charge of the Boston laboratory of the Frosted  
FOODS : Foods Sales Corporation, consulted with Dr. Tressler and others at the  
-----: Station early in the week on work under way here on the freezing of fruits  
and vegetables.

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VALENTINE : The Station Club is to have a Valentine's Day party, only it will be a  
PARTY : couple of days after that romantic event, that is on Saturday, February  
-----: 16. Attached to the NEWS will be found a questionnaire which the Social  
Committee asks that you make out and have ready to hand in later this week. From  
this questionnaire it is evident that the Committee plans to provide a program to  
meet every taste, with Mrs. Beattie in charge of arrangements for contract, Dr.  
Kertesz in charge of a dance program, and Mr. Enzie in charge of sports and games.  
If you are too old to play games, too stiff to dance, or object to cards, come any-  
way. There will be others there with whom to gossip and there will be refreshments  
and a general air of conviviality to make the evening pass pleasantly.

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