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CANDIDATES : The younger men at the Station will be interested in a recommendation
STEP UP : embodied in Dr. Hedrick's report to the Agricultural College Council of
-----: the Board of Trustees of Cornell University last week, following a sim-
ilar recommendation by Dean Ladd for the College of Agriculture in which it was sug-
gested that a Traveling Fellowship be awarded annually to one young assistant or
associate on the Station Staff for study in some scientific institution abroad. The
exact wording of the recommendation is as follows:

It is recommended that there be created in the New York State Agri-
cultural Experiment Station a Traveling Fellowship, amounting to
\$300 to \$500, to be awarded annually, under rules and regulations
prepared by the President, the Dean of the College of Agriculture,
and the Director of the New York State Agricultural Experiment
Station, to a young assistant or assistant professor to provide for
organized study at a scientific institution in Europe, if the funds
are available.

The recommendation was approved by the Council and we understand that applica-
tions for the Fellowship are now in order and should be made directly to Dr. Hedrick.

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BUDGET : Dr. Hedrick is leaving Thursday night for Albany where he will attend
HEARINGS : hearings before the Budget Director on Friday on the 1936-37 budget. He
-----: plans to go directly to Washington from Albany to attend the annual
meeting of the Land Grant College Association which will convene in that city on
Monday.

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TO HONOR : Friends of the late Mr. C. R. White will gather on the White farm near
MR. WHITE : Ionia on Friday to dedicate a marker to the memory of Mr. White, who at
-----: the time of his death was President of the State Farm Bureau Federation.
A large marker carrying a suitable inscription has been erected at the entrance to
the farm. In addition to this marker, Mr. White's host of friends in New York State
and the large number of farm organizations that he aided during his lifetime have
created a scholarship at Cornell in his memory to be given to outstanding students
in economics, the field in which Mr. White made his greatest contributions.

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WORK : Two WPA projects affecting the Station have been approved during the past
PROJECT : week, one providing for the construction of a new fence around the pasture
-----: and the other providing for a tile drain across the lower end of the farm.
The two items carry sums totalling \$5,178.30.

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BETTER : We trust that starting out on the 13th of the month as they do, the ento-
LUCK : mologists will fare better than Mr. Clark and Mr. Walsh did last Sunday
-----: morning as they set out in Mr. Clark's car for the meetings of the Associa-
tion of Official Agricultural Chemists which are being held in Washington this week.
A bad skid and an upset car ended the Washington trip just south of Dresden. Mrs.
Clark and her sister were also in the car and the latter suffered a broken shoulder,
all of the others escaping with a severe shaking up. Mr. Walsh continued on to
Washington by train later in the day, but Mr. Clark decided to forego this year's
meeting. We extend our condolences to the Clarks in this unfortunate affair and in
the loss of their car, but at the same time are grateful that the accident did not
have more serious consequences.

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STILL IN THE : Last reports on the condition of Frank Kokoski are that he did not
HOSPITAL : progress as well last week as was hoped and that he would be con-
-----: fined to the hospital a while longer.

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TO BE WELL : The Entomology Division is moving on Baltimore today in preparation
REPRESENTED : for participation in the seventh annual meeting of the Eastern Branch
-----: of the American Society of Economic Entomologists tomorrow and Friday.
Papers are to be presented as follows:

- Dr. Gambrell, "Some Ecological Observations on the Spruce Gall Aphid."
Mr. Carruth, "A Report of Experiments for the Control of Larvae of Heliothis
obsoleta Fabr. on Western Long Island During 1935."
Mr. Reed, "The European Red Mite Problem on Prunes in Western New York."
Mr. Hartzell, "Rosy Aphid Control by Means of Tar and Petroleum Oil Sprays
with Special Reference to Winter-injured Trees."
Dr. Chapman, "Further Studies on the Use of Larvacides for Control of the
Fruit Tree Leaf Roller with Special Reference to Lead Arsenates
and Supplements."
Mr. Munding, "The Nature of Pear Midge Injury and Relation to the Timing
of Control Measures."
Dr. Hockett, "Some Tests of Pyrethrum, Derris, and Nicotine Mixtures Against
Cabbage Worms."
Dr. Glasgow, "The Efficiency of Calomel Suspensions as Influenced by Dispersing
Agents."

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A GRACIOUS : Visitors come and go at the Station by the hundreds and usually when
GESTURE : they go that is the last that is heard of them. Not so with the group
-----: of French fruit growers who visited the Station late in the summer,
however, for Mr. Parrott has just received a most gracious letter from M. Renaud who
conducted the group. In the course of his letter M. Renaud says, "We especially
appreciated the perfection of American methods which enable your growers to produce
abundant, healthy, and neat fruit. The visit to the laboratories, library, museum,
and experimental station of your post were of great interest to us and we shall cer-
tainly avail ourselves of your kindness in authorizing us to ask for some of the
pamphlets you issue."

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THIS WEEK'S : Among those calling at the Station the past week were Dr. O. C.
VISITORS : Magistad, recently appointed Director of the Hawaii Experiment Station
-----: at Honolulu; Dr. E. L. Emsweller, Washington, D. C., in charge of
floriculture and ornamental horticulture for the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture; Prof.
C. J. Hunn of Cornell and a group of students in plant propagation; and Dr. C. B.
Lipman of the University of California, Berkeley, Calif., who called to enlist Dr.
Conn's aid in the identification of bacteria found deeply imbedded in ancient rock
formations.

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MRS. HENING : Mrs. Hening was called to her home near Minneapolis last Friday on
CALLED HOME : account of the serious illness of her father, who is in a Minneapolis
-----: hospital for surgical treatment.

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SEWAGE : The regular meeting of the Geneva Chemists Club will be held next Tuesday
DISPOSAL : evening at 7:45 on the top floor of the Dairy Building, with Dr. H. E.
-----: Goresline as the speaker. He will discuss "The Principles of Sewage Dis-
posal" and will supplement his talk with comments on the disposal of cannery and
creamery wastes in particular. As usual, the meeting will be open to anyone inter-
ested in the subject.

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HERE AGAIN, : Dr. J. M. Hamilton returned from his summer duties in the Hudson River
GONE AGAIN : Valley just long enough to pack up his grip and start out for
-----: Manchester, N. H., where he is to appear on the program of the New
Hampshire Horticultural Society today or tomorrow to discuss "What Is New In Spray
Materials?" Jim is also scheduled to speak before the Michigan State Horticultural
Society early in December on "Factors That Determine An Effective Spray Program."
