

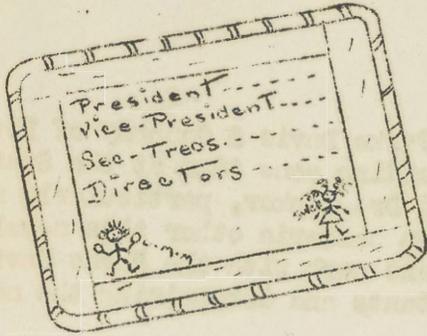
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VICTUALS AND BALLOTS



The nation may be in the throes of an epic-making political campaign just as the politicians would like to have us believe, but nevertheless national affairs must wait until the Station Club elects its officers for 1936-37. The big event is set for next Monday evening in Jordan Hall to be preceded by one of those good Club suppers and a brief business meeting. We understand that the Nominating

Committee has a slate to present that will challenge the best efforts of the voters to pick the winners. Fortunately, our method of procedure precludes the infliction of straw votes--and also the withdrawal of the hapless candidates--since no names are named until just before the vote is recorded. And so if you want to get elected to something, or want to keep from getting elected, be on hand next Monday evening. Supper at 6:00 o'clock prompt!



Be an early bird to The Station Club Supper!

THE HOBART INAUGURAL

The inauguration of Dr. William A. Eddy as President of Hobart and William Smith Colleges next Friday will occupy the attention of a number of Station people and others associated with the Station. Among the out-of-town participants in the event will be President Farrand of Cornell and Commissioner F. P. Graves and Dr. H. H. Horner of the Department of Education. In addition to Dr. Hedrick who will act as the official representative of the Station, the following are serving as special representatives of the institutions indicated: Dr. Reinking, University of Wisconsin; Dr. Breed, University of Colorado; Dr. Tukey, University of Illinois; Mr. van Alstyne, Massachusetts State College and Dr. Yale, Iowa State College.

JUST OFF THE PRESS

The October number of Farm Research is going into the mail this week and marks the peak in size and distribution of the Station's quarterly. Feature articles appear in this issue under the authorship of Dr. Collins, Dr. Magie, Dr. Hucker, Mr. Marquardt and Mr. Durhan, Mr. Cooley, Dr. de Tomasi and Dr. Kelly, Mr. Sayre, Mr. Munn, Mr. Pearce, Mr. Slate, and Dr. Nebel.

We have also received from the printer within the past few days Bulletin No. 665 by Mr. L. M. Cooley entitled, "Wild Brambles in Relation to Spread of Virus Diseases in Cultivated Black Raspberries".

GOING TO PHILADELPHIA

Mr. Harlan leaves Friday for Philadelphia where he has been invited to participate in the national convention of the Master Brewers Association to be held in that city October 4 to 7. While Mr. Harlan will not appear on the program, he has been asked to make an exhibit illustrating the progress of his work with hops in this State and showing the relationship of the New York hop industry to hop growing in general.

AN ASSISTANT IN JUNIOR EXTENSION

Word comes from Cornell that Miss Stella Gould who has spent some time at the Station on frozen food projects has been appointed assistant-club-agent-at-large in junior extension.

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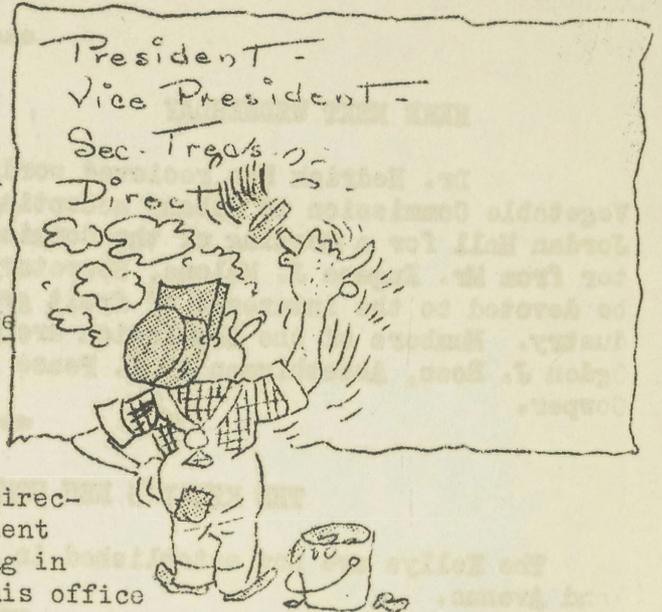
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CHAPMAN WINS!

Dr. Paul J. Chapman was swept into office by the narrowest of margins in the race for the Presidency of the Station Club which was settled last night when some 90 members of the Club and friends met in Jordan Hall for the annual supper and business meeting. Dr. Chapman carried the rest of his ticket into office with him, including Harold Beattie, Vice-President; Miss Sharpe, Secretary-Treasurer; and Miss Sperry and Mr. Cooley, Directors. An amendment to the constitution approved earlier in the evening, assured the Station Director a permanent place on the Board of Directors of the Station Club. "Retiring" President Kertesz expedited the business of the evening in a most workmanlike manner and relinquished his office with a comfortable balance in the treasury, even if most of it was consumed at the excellent repast spread on the banquet tables last night, and with a record of every one of the 129 members paid up, which we believe is unprecedented in the history of the Club.



THE LADIES, BLESS 'EM!

Something is going to be done about it! We have the word of the President-elect that the first thing he intends to do upon taking over his new office is to look into this matter of entertaining the ladies, particularly the newcomers to the Station group. Whenever the "old guard" gets together one of the chief items of conversation is the large number of strange faces at the Station parties and how something should be done about getting acquainted--then the party breaks up and that is the end of the matter until the next party when the conversations are repeated, and so on. But now the ladies have taken the matter in hand and are going to do something, at least if the good intentions expressed in a discussion of the situation at the meeting Monday evening materialize. And so some Wednesday afternoon the ladies are going to get together and mend socks (?) and drink tea and get acquainted. More power to them!

IT RUNS IN THE FAMILY



All misgivings as to what the Club would do for a coffee maker of such high repute as Mr. Stewart when he retired were set aside Monday evening when Mr. Jorgensen took over that important post and produced a beverage that compared most favorably with Mr. Stewart's best efforts. Evidently we are all set in that regard for another forty years at least.

ATTENDED HEARING

Dr. Hedrick was in Albany on Monday to attend a hearing on the Station budget for 1937-38 before the Board of Regents of the State Department of Education.

VISITORS ON FRIDAY

The Station has been included in an itinerary for the ladies who are in Geneva next Friday in connection with the State convention of sewage engineers which is to be held in the City on that day. The tour around Geneva will include stops at Hobart College, the Shur-On Optical Works, and the Station.

VISITORS FROM ITHACA

Dr. Otto Rahn, Professor of Bacteriology at Cornell, brought his advanced class to the Station last Friday; and next Friday we expect to have Professor Paul Work and a group of his students in vegetable crops with us. They are also visiting the Geneva Preserving Company plant and are particularly interested in the work on vegetable preservation here at the Station.