

# Station News

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## FOOD TECHNOLOGISTS

A number of men from the Station will attend the first annual meeting of the Institute of Food Technologists being held June 17th to 19th in Chicago. Dr. Hucker, Secretary of the Association, will present several reports. Dr. Tressler, Chairman of the Program Committee, Dr. Breed, Dr. Pederson, Dr. Sanborn, Dr. Lee and Mr. Beavens will also be in attendance. Several reports on investigations being carried on in their departments will be given.

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## INVITATION BY WIRE

Hot off the wire comes this telegram for the NEWS:

"Paw Paw is on direct Detroit-Chicago route to Food Conference on U. S. 12. Glad to see some of our old neighbors coming or going."

Signed - Ed and Helen Davis

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## ABOUT THE FAIR

Mr. Van Alstyne requests that all who expect to have exhibits at the State Fair this year indicate by a hand sketch their mural and what they want to show. Also, he would like an estimate of the expense involved in setting up and tearing down the exhibits. Van is going to the Fair next week and would like to have the material by then.

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## STILL AT IT

Dr. Carpenter spoke Saturday at the N.Y.A. Five County Conference held at Penn Yan. "Science Opens Up New Frontiers" was the topic of his talk. Monday night he continued to spread the good word about "New Synthetic Plastics", this time talking before the Williamson Rotary Club at their annual ladies' night meeting.

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## AT ROMULUS

"Central American Agriculture" was the topic of a talk given by Dr. Reinking at the annual dinner and meeting of the Romulus Presbyterian Church last night.

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## IN PENNSYLVANIA

Dr. Tressler was at Skytop, Pennsylvania yesterday. He spoke before the American Society of Refrigeration Engineers.

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## LEAVING US

Dr. Willits will leave the Station July 1st to enter into the analytical division of the Eastern Regional Laboratory at Philadelphia, Pa. Dr. Willits came to the Station in February, 1933. He carried on work in the Chemistry Division until 1938, when he was transferred to work on maple products investigations, including both the laboratory analyses and a study of the industry. Dr. and Mrs. Willits have been very active in Station affairs and their helpful cooperation will be greatly missed. Best of luck in this new venture.

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## HOME AGAIN

It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Enzie and family will return to Geneva this week from Oregon State College where Mr. Enzie received his M.A.

## JOINING OTHER RANKS

Also leaving the Station for other fields are Mr. J. Bryant of the Soil Conservation Department who will leave Friday night for the University of Maryland at College Park, to work in the U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation laboratory there. And Miss Miles, Secretary to Mr. Slater, is being transferred to Hastings, Nebraska where she will continue her work in the Soil Conservation department.

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## DOCTORS ALL

The following received their Ph.D's within the past few days: E. A. Beavens, Domenic DeFelice, W. I. Zimmerman and Miss Mary Mann Kirk. Dr. DeFelice received his degree from the Massachusetts State College, while the others received theirs from Cornell. Congratulations!

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## JUNE BRIDES

Congratulations are also in order for two couples in our Station group who were married last week. Miss Mary Frances Reeves and Mr. Lawrence Ansley, both associated with the Soil Conservation laboratory, were married in the Presbyterian Church at Bellona, N. Y., Friday afternoon. Mr. Henry Bennett of the Pomology Division and Miss Gertrude Peck were united in marriage Saturday afternoon.

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## A VISITOR

Mr. J. C. Thompson who recently represented the American Jersey Cattle Club at the Jersey Cattle Sale visited the Station Monday afternoon to get a final check-up on the results of the cattle sale. He indicated that all buyers and men who participated in the sale were highly satisfied and are looking forward to another next year.

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## SUMMER ADDITIONS

Robert Kindle, a graduate of Penn State College, 1940, starts work for the summer with Mr. Pearce and Dr. Avens today. Miss Margaret Needham of Phelps, N. Y., will assist Mr. Marquardt during the summer. Miss Needham is a Junior at William Smith College. Mr. William Walter has returned from Ithaca where he has been in attendance in the Graduate School at Cornell University, to take up his regular work with Dr. Hucker.

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## OUR PICNIC

And, speaking of summer, the Station picnic under the direction of Mrs. George Harvey and Dr. Hucker will be held on June 26th. The place is as yet undecided. Preliminary meetings have been held to decide upon the program. More about this later!

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## A NEW CHORE

On July 1st Mrs. DeFelice will leave the Department of Bacteriology to assume the role of housewife.

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## IN ALBANY

Dr. Breed is in Albany today to attend an adjourned meeting of the Advisory Committee of the Milk Sanitation of the New York State Department of Health.

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## AN UNEXPECTED VACATION

We are happy to say that Mr. Lockett's sudden trip to the hospital turned out very satisfactory. From all reports he is feeling "fit as a fiddle" and anxious to be doing things. However, he must be kept quiet for several weeks and should enjoy a vacation of complete relaxation.

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