

# STATION NEWS

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## 86TH ANNUAL MEETING

With one exception, the departments of the Station are represented at the 86th Annual Meeting of the New York State Horticultural Society in Rochester to help make it a success. The meetings started yesterday and will continue thru Friday.

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## ALSO AT ROCHESTER

The New York State Nurserymen's Association is holding its Annual Meeting at the Powers Hotel on Friday of this week at the same time as the Horticultural Society because of the many interests common to both organizations. Several members of the Staff are expected to be present at the meetings, including: Dr. F. C. Gambrell, K. D. Brase, and Dr. H. B. Tukey.

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## WIDE RECOGNITION

During the past two months members of the Dairy Department have been developing formulae for the cheese industry for making processed pasteurized cheeses to replace those which are no longer available from Holland. Thru the cooperation of the Department of Agriculture and Markets, adequate facilities have been secured and the work of commercially making the new types in this State is well under way. Production in the Middle West will get under way shortly.

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## NOW OPERATING

The new snow plow was pressed into service recently and worked satisfactorily. Its real test will come sometime before the end of the month when that long predicted snow storm of the season arrives.

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## MUCH IMPROVED

Barbara Slate who has been on the sick list for the past ten days is improving steadily. The NEWS is hopeful that her recovery will be complete in time to enable her to enjoy the real skating season which appears to be just around the corner.

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## FROM WOLCOTT

Mr. H. Wilson, Manager of the Sodus Cooperative Creamery at Wolcott conferred at the Station yesterday in regard to problems encountered in making cream cheese by the Geneva method. The plant at Wolcott was among the early pioneers to adopt this method and they have used our procedure for more than a decade.

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## A RECORD FOR 1940

During 1940 a total of 811 fertilizer samples and 2,521 feed samples were officially analyzed, according to a summary prepared by Mr. Clark.

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## SEED INSPECTION

During 1940 the Seed Inspection Laboratory examined and reported upon 13,775 service samples supplied by seedmen and farmers. Besides these, 2,134 official samples collected by the State Inspectors were analyzed. We can see Mr. Munn and his Department have been tending strictly to business the past year.

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AT BUFFALO

According to a report coming from the New York State Cannors Association, Messrs. William Tapley and W. D. Enzie will share the responsibilities of the office of Secretary-Treasurer jointly during the coming year.

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THIS AFTERNOON

The NEWS has received a request to remind its readers that the Ceres Circle will meet promptly at 3:30 this afternoon at the Director's residence. Mrs. Brownlee will present a book review, which in itself is an incentive for attending.

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CIRCULAR 153

This circular on raspberry growing in New York State has been revised and is ready for distribution. The popularity of this circular indicates the interest which small fruit growers have in the Station work. It has been authentically reported that a significant percentage of the small fruits raised in the United States are those that originated at our Station.

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DAIRY BULLETINS

Bulletin No. 696 - Dextrose and Corn Sugar in Frozen Deserts, and Tech. Bulletin No. 254 - The Influence of Various Times and Temperatures of Pasteurization on the Properties of Milk, will be available for distribution during the coming week.

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OFF TO OKLAHOMA

Genial James Devito, an N.Y.A. student associated with Plant Pathology, left during the past week for Oklahoma where he will attend the Oklahoma A. & M. at Stillwater. Jim will be working with Dr. K. S. Chester.

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BACTERIOLOGY SEMINAR

Mr. J. L. Hileman, of the Dairymen's League, addressed the Bacteriology Seminar on Wednesday. "Heat Resistant Bacteria in Pasteurized Milk", was the title of his address.

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BULLETINS AND JOURNAL PAPERS

The following summations according to our fiscal years show certain trends in our publication procedures and are of interest:

Year	Tech. Bulletins	Bulletins	Journal Papers	Total
1934	14	16	43	73
1935	5	8	52	65
1936	10	12	57	79
1937	4	14	57	75
1938	6	1	73	80
1939	3	6	53	62
1940	1	5	52	58
Total	43	62	387	492

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PEACE

I think the greatest peace is found  
By those who live near to the ground,  
Who find their work and play and rest  
Close to the kind earth's warm brown breast.  
Who work with flowers and trees and grain  
Who feel the summer sun and rain.  
Who hold dumb creatures in their care  
And plan for them a daily fare.  
Who read with understanding eyes  
The changing message of our skies,  
And see in earth from sky to clod  
The open, living Books of God.