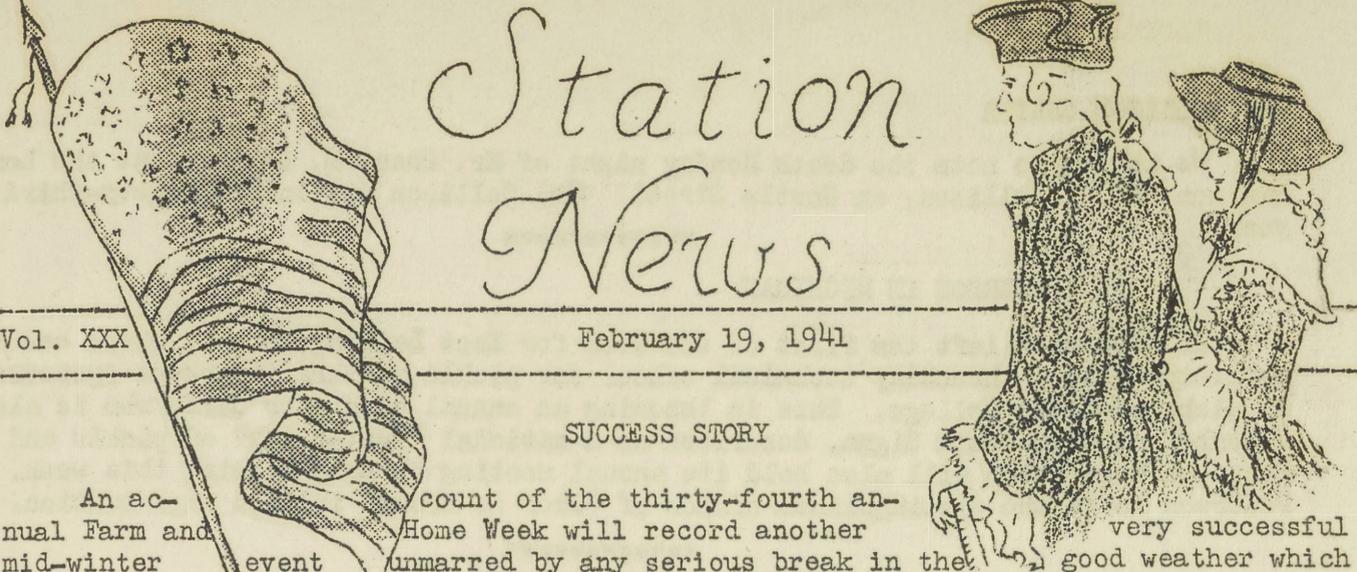


Station News



SUCCESS STORY

An account of the thirty-fourth annual Farm and Home Week will record another very successful mid-winter event unmarred by any serious break in the good weather which prevailed generally thru this section of the State. So far as we know, all appointments were met by the Station talent and a good time was had by all. The Director brought back the menu from the luncheon given in honor of the Governor on Friday which was designed to illustrate "The role of research in developing New York State food products". Among the items listed there we find the following credited to the Station: Raspberry-apple shrub (just juice to those of you who eat in "diners"), peas frozen in the Station's "farm freezers", maple jelly made from maple sirup by a Station process, and ice cream "of superior quality developed at Geneva" with one-fourth of the cane sugar replaced with corn sugar. The salad was bedecked with native black walnuts said to have been selected for local adaptation at Cornell and Geneva. Macoun apples, one of the Station's most promising new varieties, were also served to the guests. The affair marked Governor Lehman's ninth annual visit to Farm and Home Week as Governor of the State.

CANNING CROPS "SCHOOL"

The eighteenth annual Extension School for canning crops production will be held in Jordan Hall Thursday and Friday of next week, February 27 and 28, with several members of the College faculty and of the Station Staff functioning as instructors. The program is designed to interest growers of canning crops and canning factory field men.

CHERRY GROWERS TODAY

The Western New York Cherry Growers Cooperative Association will meet in Jordan Hall this afternoon and, among other things, will hear from Dr. Reinking on cherry disease control and from Dr. Gambrell, pinch-hitting for Dr. Glasgow, on cherry maggot control.

IN THE HUDSON VALLEY

Dr. Hamilton, Dr. Chapman, and Dr. Palmiter are participating in a series of Farm Bureau fruit meetings in Hudson Valley counties this week.

IN NIAGARA COUNTY

Mr. Harman is in Niagara County for a two-day Farm Bureau fruit meeting.

ADDRESS PAPER MANUFACTURERS

Dr. Breed and Dr. Sanborn are in New York City for a three-day meeting of the American Pulp and Paper Association. They will speak before the technical section of the convention on methods of making bacterial counts in paper and on the prevention of economic losses from the growth of micro-organisms in pulp and paper.

GOES TO ALBANY

Mr. Munn will be in Albany tomorrow for a conference with officials of the Department of Agriculture and Markets on the procedure to be followed this season in the seed inspection work and also on the specifications for the bids on seeds for the State institution farms. Samples of seeds delivered under contract to the 32 State farms are tested in the seed laboratory here before payment is made on contracts which total hundreds of thousands of dollars.

MR. COLLISON SENIOR

We regret to note the death Monday night of Mr. Chas. E. Collison at the home of his son, R. C. Collison, on Castle Street. Mr. Collison was in his ninety-third year.

DR. PEDERSON IN MICHIGAN

Dr. Pederson left the first of the week for East Lansing, Mich., where he will participate in a three-day technical school for pickle and kraut packers sponsored by Michigan State College. This is becoming an annual event for Carl, who is also a member of Sigma Beta Sigma, described as a national "funternity" of pickle and kraut packers which will also hold its annual meeting at East Lansing this week. Dr. Pederson holds the distinguished office of "Chef de Kraut" in this organization.

BACK FROM ITHACA

Doug Greenwood has returned to his duties in the Entomology Division following a term of residence work at Cornell.

ASSISTING DR. HOFER

Miss Thressa Campbell, a graduate of Cornell, has recently started work in the Bacteriology Division where she is assisting Dr. Hofer in efforts to improve methods for using legume inoculants.

CONFERRING IN WASHINGTON

Dr. Glasgow was called to Washington for a conference in the U. S. Department of Agriculture on standardizing experimental procedure for the control of the pea aphid—a universal pest of peas thruout the country.

FROM MIAMI

The following communication comes from Mr. Stewart at Gables Trailer Park, Miami, Fla., written on Valentine's Day:

"Arrived here January 2. Expect to stay until February 27 and then move to Plymouth. The Everys, friends from 7th Lake, have been here ever since I came...All has gone well with me so far. I like this camp. 96 trailers. Too much rain this winter. I hope the weather at Geneva and Ithaca good for Farmer's Week. Station NEWS comes regularly."

Mr. Stewart's address until February 27 is 4394 S. W. 8th Street, Miami, Fla. After that date, mail should be addressed to him in care of Mr. Grossenbacher, Plymouth, Fla., until further notice.

A NEW ARRIVAL

The Library has just been presented with a copy of the Proceedings of the first food conference of the Institute of Food Technologists which was edited by Dr. Hucker and which contains the papers presented at the meeting of the Institute held in Chicago June 16 to 19, 1940.

THESE ARE MISSING

The Librarian wishes to locate Sturtevant and Beadle's "Genetics", which has disappeared. Also, Biological Abstracts, Vol. 14, No. 10, lost from the bag enroute from the Pomology Division to the Library, is still missing. The NEWS has a reputation to maintain in locating missing books and magazines. PLEASE look for these.

MENTIONS THE STATION

In an article in the February Atlantic Monthly on the development of an American wine industry, the author, a World War No. 1 flyer and since then an importer of French wines, mentions briefly the work of the Station in developing new wine grapes.

BRUNDAGES IN NEW QUARTERS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brundage have moved from the NYA Residence Center on DeLancey Drive to 22 Hoffman Ave.
