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CHEESE RESEARCH

Members of the Research Cheese Institute spent the Monday conferring with rep and Bacteriology Divisions. Freidel of Green Bay, Wis.; Arthur Erikson of Plymouth, Chicago. These men repre Kraft Cheese Company, Bor Freidel, who is a frequent been "loaned" to the Army by anization of the Shefford engaged in preparing Army rations. Dr. H. L. Gilman of the College of Agriculture who is cooperating on one of the projects supported by the Institute was also in attendance.



Committee of the National day at the Station last resentatives of the Dairy The visitors included E. F. L. K. Riggs of Chicago; Wis.; and Victor Conquest of sent Kingham & Co., the dens, and Armours. Mr. visitor to the Station, has Kingham & Co., the parent org- Cheese Company, and is en-

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KEEN INTEREST

The eighty members of the New York State Fruit Testing Association who attended the 24th annual meeting of the Association in Jordan Hall last week made up for what might have been lacking in numbers in their interest in the new fruits on display and the reports of the fruit specialists. Mr. Parrott addressed the group and commented on the increasing interest on the part of farmers in the work of the Experiment Station and the need for the long view ahead on such projects as the breeding of new fruits. Director Heinicke, who is also a member of the Board of Directors of the Association, pointed out the need for more land for testing seedling fruits in order that many more trees might be grown from a given cross, thus providing more material from which to make selections. Mr. B. J. Case of Sodus was re-elected to the Board of Directors and Mr. A. L. Shuttleworth of Silver Creek was also placed on the Board.

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COMPLETES WORK

Miss Jean Conn has completed work for the M. S. degree from Cornell University and took her final examinations last Monday.

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DWARF FRUIT TREES

Dr. H. W. Laauwe and County Agent L. B. Williams, both of Patterson, N. J., stopped at the Station last Friday to look over the dwarf orchard on Dr. Tukey's nursery farm with regard to making a commercial planting of dwarf fruit trees.

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MR. HELLELAND

We regret to note the death of Mr. Olva Helleland on Sunday morning at the Geneva General Hospital. Mr. Helleland was John Einset's uncle and John has been making his home with the Helleland's since taking up his work at the Station.

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BACK NUMBERS WANTED

Anyone having extra back numbers of Farm Research with which they are willing to part can perform a "good deed" by sending them over to Miss Mabel Sperry in the Bulletin Room. Several newcomers to the Station are desirous of completing their files with numbers which can no longer be supplied by the Bulletin Room.

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STATION SALVAGE

The Director has appointed a Station Salvage Committee with Dr. Kertesz at the head. The other members include Mr. Beattie, Dr. Gambrell, Dr. Magee, Mr. Hening, Mr. Bowen, Mr. Larsen, and Mr. Traphagen. The committee met yesterday afternoon with Mr. R. C. Shreve, Geneva salvage head, to discuss ways in which the Station can aid in the salvage effort. A plan of procedure will soon be worked out and put into operation through the members of the committee.

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THESE ARE NEW

The following publications have been delivered by the printer and are now available upon request to the Bulletin Room:

Circ. No. 196. The Vitamin C Content of New York State Vegetables, by D. K. Tressler.

Tech. Bull. No. 264. Distribution and Relative Importance of Various Fungi Associated with Pea Root-rot in Commercial Pea-growing Areas in New York, by O. A. Reinking.

The Sixty-first Annual Report for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1942, by P. J. Parrott.

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RETURNING TO NEW YORK

Dr. A. B. Stout, Director of Laboratories of the New York Botanic Gardens is returning to New York the latter part of the week after spending several days inspecting a large collection of seedless grapes growing in the Station Vineyards. Dr. Stout has been cooperating with the Pomology Division for the past twenty years in the breeding of seedless grapes adapted to New York conditions. Some very promising results are in sight.

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A VISITING EDITOR

Miss F. K. Dorin, Editor of the Fruit Products Journal, is visiting the Station today.

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DR. CARVETH

Dr. H. R. Carveth, internationally famous electro-chemist who died in Lewiston following injury sustained in an explosion in his winery at Chateau Gay, Ltd., was well known here at the Station where he has been a frequent visitor. He was much interested in developing a superior American wine industry and kept in close touch with the grape breeding work at the Station in a search for improved wine grapes. It will be recalled that Mr. Alexander Brailow who was here at the Station for a short time was employed by Dr. Carveth in his enterprise at Chateau Gay.

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NEW YORK SEEDSMEN

Mr. Munn and Mr. Tapley attended the meeting of the New York State Seedsmen's Association in Rochester on Monday when Mr. Munn reported on trends in the seed situation and discussed the findings in the control field plantings.

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