

The Station News

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AN INSPIRING : About a hundred members of the Station Club and their friends
ADDRESS : heard a most interesting and inspiring address on China last
-----: Thursday evening when Dr.A.S.Taylor, Director of the Clifton
Springs Sanitarium, told of the life of the foreigner in that strange land. While
his topic had been announced as "War Lords", Dr.Taylor limited his remarks on that
subject to an experience he had with one old war lord whom he believed to be the
original for "The Tiger" about whose life Mrs.Buck has written so interestingly in
"Sons". The Club management scored again when it procured Dr.Taylor as the speaker
for its April meeting.

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SPRING : While there was not the great volume of blooms that has featured
FLOWERS : many of the shows of the past, the display in Jordan Hall on Monday
-----: and Tuesday at the first Geneva Garden Club show of the 1933 season
left nothing to be desired in attractiveness and beauty of arrangement. It was
typical of early spring and marked a good beginning for the year's activities.

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TALKED IN : Dr.Hucker spoke Monday evening on his mastitis investigations before
ITHACA : a joint seminar of the Veterinary College and the Departments of
-----: Animal Husbandry and Dairy at Cornell.

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PLANT : A summary report on the plant science seminars held at the Station
SEMINARS : during the winter months has been prepared. The report shows that
-----: 10 seminars were held with an average attendance of 12 persons--
quite a satisfactory response in the opinion of those responsible for the meetings.
Activities have been suspended for the summer, but it is planned to organize
similar group meetings next winter.

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DAYLIGHT : We have been asked if we want daylight saving time at the Station.
SAVING? : In view of the fact that we don't play golf and that the fish bite
-----: best at twilight, we are not personally interested in more daylight
hours. Several local industries meet the situation by going to work an hour earlier
during the summer months, which serves the same purpose as kidding oneself by
changing the clock.

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STATE : A meeting of representatives of State institutions exhibiting at the
FAIR : State Fair has been called for next Friday morning in Albany. The
-----: Station will probably be represented by the Editor, and it is expected
that at that time definite information will be available on the new
horticultural building which will mean a realignment of the Station exhibits. The
funds available to the Station for the 1933 Fair will also be made known at this
meeting.

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KIND : The Dairy Division has passed along a letter received from the owner
WORDS : of Plainview Farms in Kentucky because it carries a word of appreci-
-----: ation of the Station in general. The writer says in concluding a
letter of thanks for certain information supplied by the Dairy Division, "I want to
say to you that I have gotten some helpful information from different departments
of your institution and think the people of New York State should be congratulated
on the type of men that are manning their agricultural experiment station."

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MR.FEE'S : Word has come from Albany of the appointment of Mr. C.G. Plumb
SUCCESSOR : as head of the Dairy and Food Bureau of the State Department
-----: of Agriculture and Markets. Mr.Plumb takes the position vacated
by Mr.Fee who recently became head of the Milk Control Board. Mr.Plumb will come
into contact with the Station thru the various inspection services.

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WILL ATTEND ICE : Dr.Dahlberg plans to be in Albany on Friday to attend a
CREAM HEARING : hearing at the Department of Agriculture and Markets on
-----: various details of the sanitary code for ice cream.

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NEW : Altho some of the titles listed below can scarcely be designated
BOOKS : as "new", nevertheless they have been acquired by the Library since
-----: the last list of books was given in these columns. The new
acquisitions are as follows:

McEwen, Culture of the peach and nectarine. 1859

Clemente, Essai sur les Varieties de la Vigne. 1814

Denman, The Vine and its Fruit.. 1875

Jones and Strong, Absorption Spectra of Solutions.
Carnegie Institution. 3 vols.

Howard, Fighting the Insects. 1933.

Fuller, The Nut Culturist. 1919

Roget's International Thesaurus of English words and phrases.
1932.

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SHOULD BE : The University of Vermont is to benefit very materially under
HELPFUL : the terms of the will of the late Senator Waterman of Colorado
-----: who died in August of last year. Securities of a present market
value of \$1,000,000 are placed in trust, the income to be paid to Mrs.Waterman and
the securities to be transferred upon her death to the University. The trustees
of the University are directed to use 90 per cent of the proceeds to erect a
Waterman memorial building for such purposes as they may determine and to use the
remaining 10 per cent of the fund for the maintenance, repairs and renewal of the
building and its equipment. Senator Waterman was a graduate of Vermont University
in the class of 1885 and was a trustee of the University for several years.

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A ROMAN : The annual meeting of the University Club will be held next Monday
BURNS : evening at the Hotel Seneca following the usual supper. After a
-----: brief business session, Prof. Perley O.Place of Syracuse University
will speak on "Catullus, the Roman Burns". Prof.Place is head of the Latin Depart-
ment at Syracuse.

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BACK FROM : Mr.A.L.Harrison, who spends his summers working on bean mosaic
CORNELL : in cooperation with Dr.Horsfall, has returned to the Station
-----: from Cornell where he has been studying in the Department of
Plant Pathology during the winter months.
