

The Station News

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Geneva, N. Y.

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EXTENSION : The program of the Extension Conference which opens at the College of
CONFERENCE : Agriculture this morning will be found in the Director's office for
-----: those who may care to attend the various sessions. The annual dinner
and entertainment is to be held tomorrow evening in Willard Straight Hall.

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GOING TO : Dr. Tressler leaves Friday evening for St. Petersburg, Florida, where he
FLORIDA : will attend the sessions of the American Chemical Society which convenes
-----: in that city on Monday, March 26. Dr. Tressler is Chairman of the Divi-
sion of Agriculture and Foods and will preside over the meetings of that group.

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COLLEGE : Dr. Hedrick has received from Prof. R. H. Wheeler of the College of Ag-
ACCOUNTS : riculture a supply of expense account blanks for the use of members of
-----: the Station Staff who have occasion to submit accounts against the Col-
lege. This will save delays in writing to the College for the necessary forms.

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THE CWA : The CWA workers who have been employed at the Station have joined the
STRIKES : other groups in the City in the protest against reduction in rate of pay.
-----: While the Station has no direct contact with the CWA workers assigned to
projects on the Station grounds, there is a desire to the projects which have been
started brought to completion.

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VISITING : Mr. and Mrs. Hansen are spending a brief vacation in Washington where
WASHINGTON : spring is reported to be well advanced.

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ON THE : We are glad to be able to report that Arthur Clark is able to be back on
JOB AGAIN : the job again, altho still a trifle weak in the knees.

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CONFERRING : The Station will be represented by Mr. Lockett at a conference in the
IN ALBANY : Department of Agriculture and Markets in Albany tomorrow of represen-
-----: tatives of State institutions that participate in the State Fair.
Funds and space for the 1934 State Fair will be allotted at that time. Mr. Lockett
will also spend some time at the J. B. Lyon Company, State Printers, who have the
Sweet Corn book and many Station bulletins in various stages of publication.

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A NOTED : Dr. Arne Muntzing, Swedish botanist, will visit the Station next Saturday.
VISITOR : Dr. Muntzing will address the Biology Department at Rochester University
-----: this afternoon at 4:30 on the subject of chromosome structure.

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GOOD : Word comes from Aubrey Crawford, one-time entomologist at the Station, that
WORK! : he has been taken on as a permanent member of the business staff of the
-----: Buffalo Telephone Company, beginning this week. Mr. Crawford has been em-
ployed by the company in a temporary capacity for the past six months, and his is
the first permanent appointment to be made in the Buffalo office in the past three
years. Congratulations!

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THEY WERE : Dr. Hedrick and Dr. Breed were elected to the offices of Custodian, and
ELECTED : Vice-President, respectively, of the Geneva Historical Society at the
-----: annual meeting of that Society last week.

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SPRING : At least it is officially, and if one needs ocular evidence a visit to the
IS HERE : greenhouses will furnish ample proof that the seasons are advancing, for
-----: there one will find a great quantity of bloom, cherry blossoms that is,
on the specimen branches sent in to Mr. Van Eseltine from all over the State to check
up on winter injury.

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ANOTHER : Also, plans for the National Flower and Garden Show to be held in Roches-
SIGN : ter April 14 to 22 are developing rapidly. And the best news about the
-----: Flower Show right now is that admission tickets are obtainable at a worth-
while saving for those who want to see this remarkable display. Up until April 12,
tickets may be purchased for 35 cents apiece. After that date and all thru the show,
admission will be 50 cents. Books of 11 tickets can also be purchased prior to April
12 for \$3.50. Mr. Tapley, as President of the Geneva Garden Club, has been supplied
with tickets for the advance sale and has asked Miss Sharpe to take care of the tick-
et sale at the Station. If you expect to visit the National Flower Show, here is a
chance to save some money.

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THE DIRT : The real cause of the excessively cold weather we have just gone thru
COMES OUT : has been revealed at last--and it was just what we suspected--the Demo-
-----: cratic Administration. The Pathfinder, a leader in the field of jour-
nalism since 1894, went to "The Record", as Al Smith would say, for their evidence,
and they produce figures that no scientist can dispute in the form of records from
the U. S. Weather Bureau itself. These figures show that beginning with the Cleve-
land Administrations, the average winter temperatures during Democratic regines were
5 to 6 degrees lower than for other periods. The Pathfinder might have added, but
did not, that one explanation might be that the Democratic party rules more by cold
logic and reason than by the warm impulses of the heart.

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GOOD : Bill Harman returned to work Monday, following two weeks in Florida where
REPORTS : he enjoyed some excellent fishing altho he reports nothing as ambitious
-----: as Col. Sayre's famous fish. Word also comes from the Dahlbergs of de-
lightful weather and a restful vacation.

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SIX : The Geneva Badminton Club, which is made up very largely of members of the
ALL : Staff, covered itself with glory in a match with the Plant Pathologists at
-----: the College of Agriculture last Friday night--that is it held its own by end-
ing with 3 wins and 1 loss in the doubles and 3 wins and 5 losses in the singles.
Among those playing Friday night were Dr. Kelly, Dr. Kertesz, Dr. Horsfall, Mr.
Tapley, Mr. Sayre, and Mr. Harrison. President Tapley, for of course in this year of
1934 Mr. Tapley would be president of any Club to which he belonged, confided to a
NEWS reporter that actually the match was a moral victory for his crowd as they play-
ed the ranking 8 players, or the 8 ranking players according to who tells the story,
from a squad of 22 in the Plant Pathology Department. A return match is contem-
plated for Friday night in the Hobart Gymnasium. Mr. Enzie and Dr. Isenhour also play for
the Station, while the ladies auxiliary includes Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Kertesz, Mrs.
Horsfall, Mrs. Sayre, and Mrs. Isenhour. Our money goes down on the ladies every
time.

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MORE : Here is the secret to vibrant health, beautiful skin, attractive teeth, and
MILK : that youthful figure that some of us have lost, all explained by America's
-----: "most attractive woman", Miss Lilian Anderson, before 2,500 beauty parlor
operators recently. Miss Anderson's formula is "Fresh air, sunshine, rest, exercise,
plenty of fruit and vegetables, and four glasses of milk daily." "Have a fresh milk
complexion," says Miss Anderson. This advice, coupled with recent researches which
show that milk is not fattening, should go a long way toward selling more of that
good Jersey milk from the Station herd.
