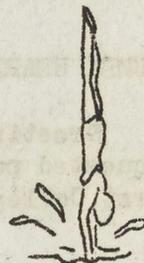


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FRUIT GROWERS MEETING IN JORDAN HALL

A Small Fruit Growers group from Erie and Chautauqua counties visited the Station on Friday. The group will hold a meeting June 28th in Jordan Hall to discuss small fruit problems and look over the Station variety plantings and breeding experiments.

CLASS FROM RUTGERS VISITS STATION

Fred Hough brought his graduate students from Rutgers University to the Station Friday and Saturday. The class was interested in fruit breeding and members of the Pomology Department talked to them and showed them around the Station. In the group was Carlos Fernandez, who was a student at the Inter-American Institute of Agricultural Science in Turrialba, Costa Rico when John Cain was there. He is now getting his Ph. D. at Rutgers.

STATION TOURS

The Station was host to two groups Saturday morning. A YWCA group from Newark, N. J., arrived by bus about 10 A.M. Professor Luckett took the ladies on a conducted tour and Station scientists explained some of their work. A second group, The Men's Garden Club of Onondaga, arrived about 10:30. They came by car and were also taken on a tour arranged to meet their special interests. Both groups wish to express their thanks to the men who came in on their day off to speak to them.

FOREIGN VISITORS

Dr. Osman Tosun, head of the Department of Crop Production and Plant Breeding, College of Agriculture, Ankara, Turkey, was a recent visitor to the Station. The College of Agriculture at Ankara has recently set up a seed testing laboratory and Dr. Tosun was particularly interested in the Station seed lab and seed certification operations. He also spent some time with Dr. Dolan in the Plant Introduction section....Albert Kars, Horticultural Specialist, Phillips-Roxane Company, an affiliate of Phillips Petroleum, Amsterdam, Holland, visited the Entomology Department recently. Mr. Kars has been sent by his firm to the United States to become familiar with current research developments in the use of pesticides for fruit trees. He is also interested in fruit production.

NEW PRESIDENT

Dr. Benjamin Clark was installed as President of the Association of Official Seed Analysts at their annual meeting held in Baton Rouge, La., last week. Congratulations, Ben.

BACK FROM A WEEK AT BROOKHAVEN

Charlotte Pratt spent last week at the Brookhaven Laboratories checking over the Station's grape and apple seedlings in the gamma field. Charlotte says she finally got up nerve enough to drive her car through New York City.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

Dorothy Baldouf has received an appointment as Laboratory Technician in the Seed Lab....Arnold Jensen and Glen McGuigan have received appointments as field assistants in the Entomology Department.

DICK BEATTIE MARRIED

The wedding of Elizabeth Ann Bartlett and Richard Beattie occurred last Saturday in Hamilton, N. Y. Ann is a graduate of William Smith and Dick of Colgate. Dick's father, Harold, was a chemist here at the Station for several years before going with the Baking Division of the A & P, with headquarters in New York City. Marian Beattie, Dick's mother, died earlier this year. Our congratulations and best wishes to the young couple who are making their home in Cambridge, Mass., while Dick completes work at the Harvard School of Business Administration.

ALUMNI HEARD FROM

Greetings received from Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Nebel, Elmhurst, Ill. Mrs. Nebel requested publications for use in general biology courses she is teaching at Elmhurst College.

NOT CONTAGIOUS

Incidentally, Dr. Cain says in case anyone has noticed it he hasn't come down with a strange disease. Those white spots on his arm are paint. He's painting his house.

SICK LIST

We are sorry to learn that Al Braun is in Geneva General Hospital. Al has to rest and cannot have visitors but would appreciate cards.

NEW HOME OWNERS

The Loyd Powells have bought a home on Sunset Bay on the East Lake Road. They expect to move in July 1st.

CONDOLENCES

Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amidon upon the death last week of Mrs. Amidon's father....also to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler upon the death of Leon's mother in Jacksonville, N. Y., last week.

CHIMNEY NOW A HIVE

This writer has recently discovered that he's in the bee business. During the course of cutting a hole in the gables of the house for attic ventilators, it was discovered that the west flue of the north chimney is the site of a thriving colony of bees. They investigated the source of all the pounding, and sawing (this writer) but were peaceably inclined. This was fortunate because the top of a 40 foot ladder is no place to engage in active warfare with a colony of belligerent bees. A state of war will probably be declared in September when the flue is full of honey and will have to be cleared anyway so the fireplace can be used.

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