

"OPEN HOUSE" VOTED

At the Staff Meeting on Monday members voted to hold an annual "Open House for the Public". Part of this activity would be devoted to the stimulation of the interest of high school students in agricultural research. A committee will be appointed to implement the decision.

BIOLOGY CLASSES TO VISIT STATION

Mrs. Glasgow will bring two of her classes in biology to the Station this week. The first group will arrive this afternoon and the second group will arrive on Friday. They will visit the greenhouse where Karl Brase will lecture and demonstrate grafting and budding; the Entomology Department where Dr. Smith and Dr. Tashiro will speak to them; and the Seed Laboratory to observe the work of that Department.

CONSTRUCTION UNDERWAY ON GROWTH CHAMBERS

That large pile of dirt near the head house marks the site of four "growth chambers" or "phytotrons". In these chambers plants will be grown under artificial conditions. Temperature and humidity can be controlled in each chamber. High frequency fluorescent lights will be employed as light sources. Each chamber will be 8' x 14' and will have its own separate controls. These chambers are scheduled to arrive Sept. 1st. They are pre-fabbed in 4' sections and will be assembled and bolted together here.

NEWLY WEDS OFF TO CANADA

Charlotte Pratt attended Pat Rayno's wedding in Glens Falls last Saturday and reports that it was a "Lovely wedding and reception". The newly weds are taking a wedding trip through Canada.

NOTICE

Until further notice the greenhouse will be fumigated every Friday evening instead of Wednesday evening.

FARM NOTES

Veg Crops planted two acres of peas on Tuesday on the Childs Farm and also began setting out cabbage plants down on the Taylor Flats. Another welcome sign of spring is the breaking of buds on the Star Magnolia at the East entrance of Hedrick Hall.

CONVALESCING

Carrie Legnini underwent surgery at the Geneva General Hospital last Friday. She is getting along fine and expects to be home by the middle of the week.

A NOTE FROM THE NEWS BULLETIN OF THE BUREAU OF SAFETY & ACCIDENT PREVENTION

The expression "Good Housekeeping" has far greater application than in merely cleanliness around the home. It means "A PLACE FOR EVERYTHING AND EVERYTHING IN ITS PLACE", and is quite important in every person's efficiency on the job. In short, the theorem that poor housekeeping denotes inefficiency and is conducive to accidents applies to EVERYONE.

NOT AN ACCIDENT

From the Forest Service Alumnus comes this item: Dick Dorsey of the Collawash district, Mt. Hood National Forest, had been stung over the left eye by a hornet. While Dick knew the hornet did it on purpose, he had to report it as an accident. From his report:

Question--What actually has been done to correct the conditions causing the accident?

Answer--Killed the hornet.

Question--What remains to be done to correct such conditions and why?

Answer--More hornets remain to be killed.

LATE FLASH

Dr. Ralph Dean arrived at the Station from the Poughkeepsie Lab late Tuesday afternoon. He will be at the Station Wednesday and will relate some of his experiences in the Philippines where he recently spent 18 months as a member of the Los Banos Project. His illustrated talk will be given in the Staff Room in Jordan Hall at 4 P.M. on Wednesday. All interested people invited.