STATION NEWS

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WEEK'S WEATHER

	Maximum	Minimum	Precipitation
April 21	48	27	Fair
April 22	59	32	Fair
April 23	66	35	Fair
April 24	70	44	Fair
April 25	81	44	Cloudy
April 26	50	39	.12 inches of rain
April 27	45	39	.11 inches of rain

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TO VISIT RESEARCH LAB IN WILMINGTON

Dr. Mack and Dr. Avens are leaving next Monday for Wilmington, Delaware to visit the Hercules' Powder Company's new Research Laboratory. Accompanying them will be Professor Don Lisk, Director of the Pesticide Residue Research Lab at Cornell.

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ON THE AIR

Kark Brase, Roger Way and Leo Klein broadcast over WGVA at 5:30 on Sunday afternoon. Leo spoke on the Development of New Fruit Varieties, Kark spoke on Size Controlling Rootstocks, and Roger spoke on Cultural Aspects of Fruit Growing.

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VISITOR

Mr. Elon Gilbert, President of Rickey and Gilbert, one of the biggest fruit growing enterprises in the Northwest, spent two days at the Station last week. He spent one day with Leo and the other with Karl Brase.

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SCOUT TROOP TOURS STATION GREENHOUSE

The Girl Scout troop from St. Stephens, visited the Station on Monday afternoon. They visited the Greenhouse where Leo Klein and Ton Kenny spoke to them. Dr. Provvidenti gave them a short talk on Italy. Leo took charge of their tour.

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4th GRADE VISITS STATION

The Fourth Grade from Prospect Avenue School will arrive at the Station today. They will visit the Seed Lab, the Greenhouse and the Entomology Department. They are interested in collecting insects and will pick up some pointers from station entomologists.

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SPENDING WEEK IN MISSISSIPPI

Ben Clark is spending the week in State College, Mississippi attending and presiding at the meeting of the Interregional Coordinating Committee for Regional Seed Technology Projects.

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BUDGET HEARINGS

The annual budget hearing for the 1960-61 Station budget will be held at Jordan Hall on Saturday. Top administrative officials from Ithaca and Department heads here will attend.

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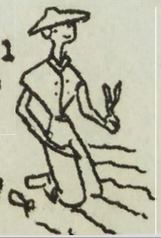

OPEN HOUSE

The Open House Committee will meet on May 5 in the Director's Office. The meeting is called to discuss the general plans for Departmental displays and demonstrations and how to best project our overall theme.

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SOCIAL NOTES

Donald and Marjory Pederson and their 4 children visited Dr. and Mrs. Carl Pederson last week. The Pederson home was headquarters while Don and Marjory went out to the Midwest. Two of the children went to Red Creek to visit the Pederson's daughter, Mrs. Phillip Palmer. Midway of the week they changed and the other two visited Red Creek. On Sunday everyone got together at the Pedersons. There were 6 grandchildren altogether.

Mary Atkins' parents, the Guy H. Nelsons, are here from Utah. They are on a trip East to visit their children. In addition to Mary and John they will visit Mary's brother in Washington and another in Georgia.

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NEW PRESIDENT OF GENEVA CHAPTER OF SPEBSQSA

Bob Shallenberger has been elected president of the Geneva Chapter, Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America. The new officers were installed during a ladies night meeting at the American Legion Home last Saturday. The Geneva Chapter now has a 35 man Chorus and 5 quartets. In the fall they will bring to Geneva the "Buffalo Bills" the feature quartet of the Broadway Hit, "The Music Man".

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ADDITION TO THE FAMILY

Ronnie Clark, who works for Dr. Tashiro, reports an addition to the family. A boy, Jeffry Scott, was born last week.

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WINS AT BROCKPORT SCIENCE FAIR

Helen Bremer won 2nd prize at the recent Science Fair at Brockport for her project on "The Study of Carbohydrates". While she didn't win one of the three scholarships offered, Helen says she enjoyed herself tremendously. Many of the other children in Station families won Honorable Mentions.

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GETTING AROUND

Vit is up and around now and the doctor says he can come in to work for a few hours each day.

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DIES SUDDENLY

Edward Johnson, former general manager of the Metropolitan Opera died suddenly in Guelph, Ontario last week. He was a good friend of Mr. Barry, Leo's father-in-law and when the two were visiting at the Klein's several years ago they spent a day here at the Station.

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NEW PTA PRESIDENT

John Atkin is the new PTA President at Phelps Central School. He will be installed in May for the next school year.

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IT BEARS REPEATING

Was it President Wilson who said "Give me a week's notice and I will write an excellent 10 minute speech. Give me only a day's notice and you will get a boring, hour long speech on the same subject.

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