

THE RED CROSS

"Your Red Cross Must Carry On", reads the slogan. It is not necessary to recite the needs and responsibilities of the Red Cross in 1946, but simply to say that during the next few days everyone at the Station will be given an opportunity to have a part in the work of this great organization. A very interesting program has been arranged by the Geneva campaign committee for tomorrow night, Thursday, in the Geneva High School, to which everyone is cordially invited. There will be no entrance fee nor any solicitation; simply a presentation of the needs of the Red Cross from those who know. The committee here at the Station include Miss Hogan, Miss Baumgartner, Mrs. Legnini, Miss LeGab, Miss Van Riper, Mrs. Wharton, Miss Updike, Mrs. McDonald, Mr. Hefferon, and Mr. Luckett. Your cooperation in successfully completing the Station's part in the campaign at an early date will be greatly appreciated.

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#### STAFF MEETING TODAY

With another meeting scheduled for next Monday afternoon, the usual date for a Staff meeting, the Director has called a meeting of the professional Staff for this afternoon at 3:30 in Jordan Hall.

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## SEMINAR FRIDAY

The Division of Food Science and Technology will hold a seminar next Friday afternoon, March 8th, at 3:30 in Daguerre Hall, when Doctor W. B. Robinson will discuss "Measurement of Color and Some Applications to Food Products." All persons interested in the topic are cordially invited to attend.

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# TRANSPIRATION

"The Influence of Leaf Temperature on Transpiration" will be the subject of a talk by Professor O. F. Curtis of the Botany Department at Cornell next Monday, March 11th, at 3:30 p. m., in Daguerre Hall. Arrangements for the program have been made by Doctor Nelson Shaulis under the auspices of the local branch of Sigma Xi.

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## LARGEST EVER

The attendance at the Extension School for canning factory field men held here Monday and Tuesday was by far the largest for the twenty-one years that the school has been held. The total was well over the 300 mark.

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### ON WAY OUT

Jack Heinicke called his folks from a West Coast port on Monday to tell them that he was back in the USA and on his way to Fort Dix to be separated from the Army. He has been in Manila for the past several months.

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#### LEON TYLER BACK

Leon Tyler who at one time served as an assistant in the Dairy Division here and who has just recently been released from the Army, is back at the Station, this time with Doctor Pederson in the Division of Food Science and Technology.

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### THANK GOODNESS!

"At 12:30 p. m. today (Tuesday, Feb. 26th) the chemistry building had aired out enough to be habitable and chemistry department personnel were back at work."—News item in the Geneva Daily Times. Whether the chemistry building is ever really "habitable" in an olfactory sense may be a matter of opinion, but any way we are glad that no serious harm was done from the bursting tank of "poison gas".

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#### AT MICHIGAN STATE

Robert Carlson has resigned his position as Research Associate in Pomology and left last week for Michigan State College where he has accepted a position in the Department of Horticulture.

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#### HERE FOR THE SUMMER

Mr. R. Rhamani of Teheran, Persia, is here at the Station for a period of several months to study methods of plant propagation under investigation here. He is in the Graduate School at Ithaca and has spent a year at the University of California. He will be associated with Mr. Brase while at the Station.

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### ASSISTING IN BACTERIOLOGY

Miss Verna Herlikofer, a recent graduate of William Smith College, is assisting Doctor Hucker.

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### BACK HOME

We are happy to report that Bobbie Traphagen was able to leave the Geneva General Hospital last week and is now resting comfortably at his home in Seneca Castle.

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### NAME YOUR GAME

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The local branch of the New York Association of State Civil Service Employees will hold a card party in Jordan Hall Tuesday evening, March 12th, at 8:00 p. m. There will be bridge, euchre, or whatever you wish to play, say the Committee, which would seem to leave it wide open! Tickets are 35 cents, and you may even bring your own cards; in fact the Committee requests that you do so.

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# POWER OF THE PRESS

No sooner had we mentioned in these columns the need for redecorating the Editor's office than Mr. Bowen and Mr. Withers appeared at our door and began to make plans. The job is now well along and we shall soon be able to hold open house. The Venetian blinds, rugs, modernistic furniture, and so on will come later—we hope.

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# THANKS TO THE LADIES

We are indebted to Miss Jennings particularly, and to those who aided her, in getting out last week's issue of the NEWS. For some reason or other the girls always seem to find more news than we do, but then they probably work at it harder. Anyway it is a break for everybody when they take over.

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