

STATION NEWS

A house organ for
Station employees



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WEEK'S WEATHER

	Maximum	Minimum	Precipitation
July 7	77	50	Trace of rain
July 8	84	61	Fair
July 9	91	63	Fair
July 10	86	56	.25 inches of rain
July 11	83	63	Fair
July 12	82	56	Cloudy
July 13	82	53	Fair

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SUCCESSFUL STATION PICNIC

195 plus people attended the highly successful Station picnic. The weather cooperated and most everyone was observed in the water during the course of the afternoon. However, we have a mystery. Who buried the ball and bat? The Station All Stars were there with fire in their eyes raring to go. They are planning to play the game on the Brook St. diamond some evening. Many thanks to the General Chairman: The Austin Wagenknechts, to the Brauns who were in charge of the tables, to the Bigelows in charge of the punch, and to the Sferras in charge of the milk and ice cream.

A WELCOME GIFT

Mrs. Robert S. Breed has presented to the Library an unabridged Spanish-English and English-Spanish dictionary formerly belonging to Doctor Breed. It is unique for its listing of modern technical terms and is a welcome addition to the Library shelves.

EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION DINNER

The 4th annual 25 year recognition ceremony of employees was held in Statler Inn at Cornell University on July 8th with dinner and awards. Station people attending were: Dr. Heinicke, Florence Updike, Millie McGuigan, Viggo Jensen, Bob Larsen, Hermann Jahn, Ralph Stearman, Roy Bergstresser and Peter Gigliotti. Florence Updike received her 25 year pin, Millie McGuigan her 35 year pin and Viggo Jensen, a 30 year pin.

APPLE GROWERS ASSOCIATION MEETS

The Western NYS Apple Growers Association and the N. Y. S. Canners and Freezers Association's Apple Committee met in Jordan Hall on Tuesday morning. The meeting was called to review and discuss research in all phases of apple production and the processing of apple products.

ANNUAL VACATION

In the interests of the work at the Station as a whole, we are returning to the State fiscal year as the basis for vacations. May and June constitute a busy season in both the field and office, and work is hampered with a large number of people taking vacations due them at this time. It is therefore requested that vacations earned in 1958-59 be taken prior to April 1, 1960. In all cases, vacations should be arranged through the Head of the Department. It is preferable that not more than one week of the vacation period be taken a day or two at a time.

FLOWER SEED TRIALS OPEN TO VISITORS.

The flower seed trials are quite attractive now. The plots are all labeled and visitors are welcome at any time.

SOME FIELD NOTES

The sour cherry harvest in the Station orchard started on Monday morning.....
The pea harvest is complete. Veg-Crops finished up on Friday.....
Two of the biotrons are being successfully used for bean seed germination experiments.

HOME FROM CHILE

Mrs. Einset and the children arrived home from Chile last night. They had a wonderful trip by plane, had a fine aerial view of the Panama Canal. Peter, Ann, and John have just finished a semester in school in Chile and they decided that they would rather have two summers this year than two winters so they flew home. Hjordis says John is very busy, this is winter in Chile and he is in northern Chile at present speaking at Agricultural meetings. He expects to be home in Geneva around the first of the year. Hjordis says they really had an interesting visit, would not have missed it for anything. The kids charged around the neighborhood last night visiting friends and had a ball game started in the backyard the first thing Tuesday morning.

NEWLY WEDS HOME

Barbara Lunick is back at her typewriter after a two-week honeymoon. Don and Barbara are living in a small house on Routes 5 & 20 for the summer. They plan to go to Springfield, Illinois in September when Don will enter his senior year at Concordia Theological Seminary.

The George Schaefer's have returned from a honeymoon in New England. They spent the weekend hauling gear up from Ithaca. Come Monday morning, George took a long look at the situation and beat a strategic retreat to his office in the Entomology building, leaving Kathy to cope with the problem.

SOCIAL NOTE

Mary Smith is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hervey, for the summer. Her three children are along. Charles, who is teaching summer school at the University of Florida, will be up to join her about the first of August.

GLEANNED FROM THE TIMES

To the Massey's 8 year old son Nathan goes the prize for being observant. He found a gas leak which utility workers had been unable to locate. He heard a hissing sound which he thought was a snake. Looking around he smelled the leak and saw it bubbling up through a puddle of rainwater. He marked the spot and his parents called the utility workers.

NEW ARRIVAL

Ronda Lee is the name of the latest arrival in the Armitage family. She was born June 26, weighed in at 7 pounds even. She is home now and everyone is doing fine.

MAIL BAG

We have a letter from one of the National Science Foundation undergraduate students thanking us for showing them around the Station. The letter says in part "I enjoyed the tour very much, and found the research being carried on there very interesting and stimulating".

NOTICE

For Sale---a 14' Wolverine boat with a 14 horse-power Evinrude motor and a trailer. Make an offer to Don Willson.

NOTICE

Missing---a three legged wooden salad bowl at the Station picnic. The Earl Waters' have a wooden bowl sans legs with a steel spoon to exchange for theirs.

FOUND

One glass bowl, two spoons, one fork. Owner can pick up same in the Visual Aids office.
