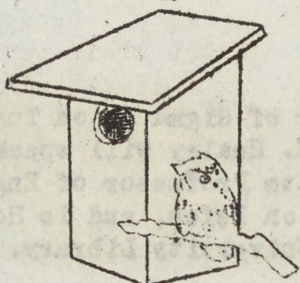


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## TO SPEAK TO GROWERS

Professor Sayre and Don Barton are scheduled to speak to the Olney and Carpenter Lima Bean and Pea growers in Kings Ferry on Thursday night. Don will speak on "Pea Breeding Work" and Professor Sayre will speak on "Precision Planter for Peas" and "Growing Lima Beans".

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## VISITOR FROM JAPAN

Hiroo Terami, Director of Kotobukiya Limited, of Osaka, Japan visited the Station Monday. He will attend the International Vine and Wine Congress in Santiago, Chile this month and is taking time to tour this country to observe new developments in grape cultivation, fermentation of wine, and grape juice production. Mr. Terami talked with Pomologists and arrangements were made for him to visit local wineries. Mr. Terami graduated in 1937 from Pomology at Ithaca and has also studied in California.

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## TO MAKE PLANS FOR EXPERIMENTS

Friday the Bean Committee of the New York State Canners and Freezers Association will visit the Station with a representative of the Chisholm-Ryder Company to discuss plans for experiments at the Station with a mechanical snap bean harvester.

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## TO ATTEND MEETING IN WASHINGTON

Des Dolan will be in Washington March 13, 14, and 15 to attend a meeting of the 4 regional co-ordinators, 2 inter-regional co-ordinators, and officials of the Plant Introduction section of the USDA to discuss Plant Introduction work for the coming year.

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## SPEAKER AT ROTARY CLUB

Dr. Pederson went to Fredonia and Westfield last Wednesday afternoon to get some samples of grape juice and stayed over Thursday to address the Rotary Club of Fredonia at their annual Farmer's Day Meeting. He spoke on "Research on Food Preservation".

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## TO DISCUSS PRODUCTION PROBLEMS

The area supervisor of agricultural products for Libby, McNeill and Libby of Delaware will visit the Station on Friday to discuss production problems in vegetable canning crops with Professor Sayre.

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## CONFERENCE ON IRRADIATION WORK

Mr. Morris Simon from the Food and Container Institute in Chicago visited the Station on Tuesday to confer with Dr. Kertesz on irradiation work.

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## GIVES SEMINARS

Des Dolan visited Rutgers University on March 1st and gave two seminars on the N.E.-9 Project, one to graduate students and the other to the faculty and undergraduates.

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## MICHIGAN MEETINGS

John Einset flew out to South Haven, Michigan, Tuesday morning to address a meeting of the Michigan Horticultural Society. He will speak about the newer apple varieties.....John Atkin has returned from Chicago where he attended a meeting of the National Cannery Association.

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## SIGMA XI MEETING

There will be a Program Meeting of the Cornell Chapter of Sigma Xi on Tuesday, March 13, at 8:15 P.M. in Room M, Olin Hall. Dr. George H. Healey will speak on: "THE STRANGE CASE OF THOMAS J. WISE". Dr. Healey, Associate Professor of English and Bibliography, is the author of books on Wordsworth and on Defoe, and is Honorary Curator of the Wordsworth Collection of the Cornell University Library.

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## MAIL BAG

We have word from Curtis Dearborn, formerly with Vegetable Crops and now in Palmer, Alaska, thanking us for the Station News and giving us this bit of advice: "Those of you who plan to visit Alaska this summer don't forget to wind your watch twice a day because our days are so long an ordinary watch just won't go the distance."

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## SPRING IS IN THE AIR

Betty Russell's engagement to Richard J. David has been announced. The wedding is tentatively scheduled for June.

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## NEW CITIZENS

Congratulations to The Don Wilsons on the birth of their son on February 29th (When this little fellow has his fourth birthday, he'll be 16 years old). He arrived at the Geneva General Hospital and weighed in at six pounds, three ounces.... Congratulations also to The Keith Kimballs upon the arrival of their son on March 4th at Geneva General Hospital. Mother and six pounds, four and one-quarter ounces son are doing fine.

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## HERE AND THERE

According to the newspapers Leo Klein had quite a bonfire on his front porch Saturday morning. Fire engines and everything. Loss--one coconut mat plus one rubber door mat plus scorched front door plus broken glass in one front door plus smoked up front porch.....In visiting Entomology last Monday I found that Joe of the busy paint brush has appropriated Dr. Chapman's office, so anyone wishing to see the "boss" for the duration has to go to the far back room.....Janice Allen is back on the job, says she's feeling fine.....I see that Millie is pounding the typewriter again, guess that thumb is just about well..... Florence's left arm has finally emerged from the cast and she says that she feels like she has lost twenty pounds.

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## BRIDGE PARTY

The Station Bridge Party will be held March 16th at 8:00 P.M. in Jordan Hall.