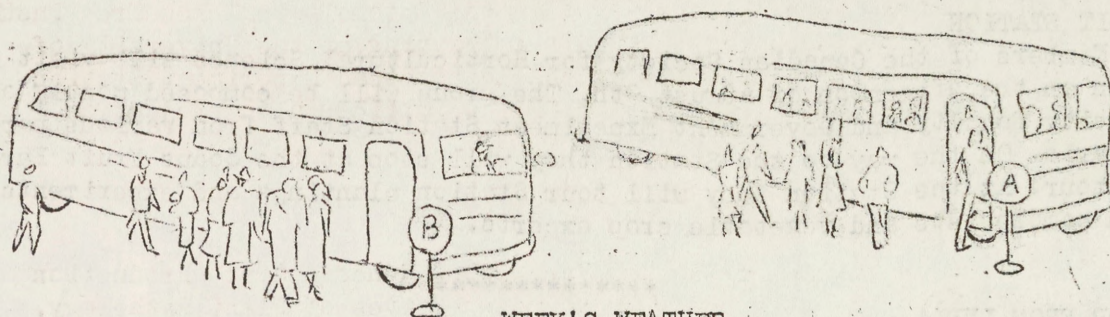


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WEEK'S WEATHER

	Maximum	Minimum	Precipitation
July 26	82	66	Fair
July 27	83	59	.04 inches of rain
July 28	87	61	Trace of rain
July 29	88	68	Fair
July 30	78	58	Cloudy
July 31	76	50	.30 inches of rain
August 1	84	57	Fair

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SUCCESSFUL PICNIC

About 150 people attended the highly successful Station picnic last Saturday. The weather cooperated until about 5 o'clock when a shower drove everyone into the pavilion (Time to eat anyway). The baseball game never got off the ground, apparently most of us prefer to swim with the family or loll around on blankets. Many thanks for a successful affair to the General Chairman Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Peck, to Mrs. Bloom for reservations, to George MacDonald for handling the milk and ice cream detail, to the Van Buren's for handling the beverage (Particularly to Jerry for his concoction of fruit juice and ginger ale), to the Braun's for table decorations, to Bob Shallenberger for bringing the ham, and to the Ways for games.

NEW YORK STATE HORTICULTURE SOCIETY MEETS HERE

The Staff at the Geneva Experiment Station will be hosts for the summer meeting of the New York State Horticulture Society on Friday, August 5. The committee has planned a full program for the members of the Society. The visitors will be divided into four groups and each group will start off the day on a different one of four tours. Tours have been arranged as follows: 1. Rootstocks and varieties 2. Disease control experiments. 3. Insect control experiments. 4. The new Food Science building. At the end of the day the persons in each group will have been on all four of the tours. The tours will start at 9:30. A picnic lunch will be served at 12 noon. Dr. Barton will speak briefly to the group at 1 P. M. and there will be an opportunity for visiting with fellow fruit growers. At 2 P. M. tours start again and run until 4 P. M. At 4 P. M. members can see other things and people of special interest.

GENETICS CLASS VISITS STATION

Professor Gillette, Associate Professor of Botany at Syracuse University, will bring a class in elementary genetics to the Station this afternoon. The group is composed of secondary school teachers in the National Science Foundation program. This summer trip is an annual visit for Professor Gillette's classes. There will be about 20 in the group this year.

SCIENCE FIELD TRIP

The Rochester school system is conducting a science field trip program this summer and a class of 20 of their students will visit the Station on Thursday morning. They are especially interested in applied science, job opportunities, and in the operation of the Experiment Station.

VISITORS

W. D. Enzie, Manager of Horticultural Research for Birdseye in this country and Dr. J. L. Sanderson, his counterpart in England, visited the Station last Friday. They spent the day with Vegetable crops experts at the Station, toured experimental field plots, and visited the new Food Research Building.

EMPLOYMENT VACANCY

There is an opening (NP-11) in the general maintenance crew. Anyone interested in applying who feels he is qualified for this type of work should consult Mr. Stearman before August 5th.

TO VISIT STATION

Members of the Canadian Society for Horticultural Science will visit the Station on the afternoon of August 9th. The group will be composed mostly of University faculty and Government Experiment Station Staff from various parts of Ontario. On the way to the Station they will stop at the Sodus Fruit Farm for a tour. At the Station they will tour Station plantings and experiments with Station pomologists and vegetable crop experts.

VISITOR FROM INDIA

Mr. Venkataratnam of the Ministry of Food and Agriculture, Government of India, New Delhi, spent the day at the Station last week. He is a horticulture Specialist and is in this country to observe fruit and vegetable production, seed testing procedures and laboratories, and methods of food processing and storage.

SEEDING SHOW

The Empire State Glad Society seedling and recent introduction Show will be held in Jordan Hall on Saturday, August 6th. It is open to the public from 2 to 3 P. M.

NOTICE

On Friday, August 5th, Station people are asked not to park on any of the parking lots along Collier Drive. These will be available for parking by members of the New York State Horticultural Society.

AROUND THE FARM

Vegetable Crops started to pick snap beans on Monday. They are from Dr. Peck's experimental fertilizer plots at the canning crops farm. The pilot plant has been set up for them and began processing on Tuesday.....

Official records will be taken at the new weather station starting on Monday. More equipment is due to arrive this summer.....

TO CONFER IN ALBANY

George Rickey and Dr. Avens will go to Albany next Tuesday to discuss feed and fertilizer inspection with officials of the Department of Agriculture and Markets.

SAMUEL LANDSCHOOT

Louis Landschoot's father, Samuel Landschoot, died Saturday at his home in Phelps. He was 93 years old. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

FOR SALE

A Janitrol Gas unit with controls for a furnace. 4 years old. See John Gigliotti.

SOCIAL NOTES

William Bridge and family are visiting the Keplingers. He is Mrs. Kepling - er's brother, a consulting engineer for computers. He works for General Electric in Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ellis from Gainesville, Florida, visited the Cain's last week. These are old friends of the Cain's and are on their way to a Canadian vacation.....

The Pedersons have received word from their daughter Jane in Tucson that she and her husband, Dr. and Mrs. Warren Williams, have adopted a little 11 weeks old girl. She has been named Elizabeth Scott.

FOUND

A key case with three keys. Owner can claim in Editor's office.