

dream about fruit-culture alone night and day. If at the end of a fair period he does not know enough to grow a decent orchard, I am sadly mistaken in human nature.

The College at Coimbatore is fully equipped to afford all facilities in the matter of the culture of the plant or in the botanical aid required, for in it are concentrated experts in sciences relating to plant-culture.

“A fruit-lover.”

News and Notes.

Rao Sahib A. P. Patro, one of our Patrons has published his studies in “Village Economics.” Dr. Gilbert Slater of Madras University has written an introductory note. The book teems with interesting details and its marked feature is a study of the family budgets of ryots in Ganjam villages.

An organization named the Indian Indigo Co-operative Society has been formed at Calcutta with the object of promoting the distribution of indigo and research work and of advancing the interests of the members as manufacturers and sellers.

List of Students who obtained the Certificate of Proficiency in Practical Agriculture in 1920.

Name of Student.	Rank.	Name of Student.	Rank.
Subbiah Mudaliar, V. T.	1	Krishna Nayak, S.	10
Govinda Nambiar, K.	2	Sakkaram Rao,	11
Vasudevarao Nayudu, R.	3	Venkataraman, S.	12
Krishna Rao, P.	4	Lakshminarayana, P.	13
Vijiyaraghavachari, C.	5	Srinivasachari, K.	14
Visvanatha Ayyar, S.	6	Venkuswami Ayyar, K.	15
Kunhunni Nambiar, V. K.	7	Krishnamurthi Ayyar, C. S.	16
Seshagiri Ayyar, C. S.	8	Purnalingam Pillai, M. S.	17
Rama Rao, K.	9	Subramania Ayyar, D. S.	18

Appaswami Pillai, P. M.	19	Visvanatha Ayyar, V.	29
Seshagiri Rao, K. V.	20	Prasada Rao, K.	30
Soans, W. S.	21	Narasimha Ayyar, R.	31
Narasimha Rao, C. L.	22	Narayanamurti, C. S.	32
Narasimhamurthi, V.	23	Suryanarayana Ayyar, P. S.	33
Sudarsana Raju, C.	24	Ramalingam Pillai, C. A. S.	34
Belliappa, M.	25	Subba Rao, C.	35
Narasimham Pautulu, P. L.	26	Abdullah, P.	36
Narasimha Achari, R.	27	Gopala Rao, M.	37
Narayana Ayyar, L. K.	28	Achutam Pantulu, V.	38

Departmental Notes.

Appointments, transfers etc. :—

1. On completion of their training at the Teachers' College, Saidapet, Messrs. K. Unnikrishna Menon and M. K. Nambiyar are directed to report themselves for duty to the special Assistant Director of Agriculture, Coimbatore, for purchasing kappas for two months.
2. On completion of Spodoptera campaign in the Malabar district under the Government Entomologist, Mr. M. P. Kunikutti is directed to report himself for duty to the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Live Stock, (Madras Dairy) and Mr. M. Govindan Nambiyar to the Assistant Director of Agriculture, VII Circle (Coconut Station).
3. Mr. A. Soma Raju is appointed as Supervisor temporarily in the place of Mr. C. Ramamurti.
4. Mr. N. V. Visvanatha Ayyar, Farm Manager, Palur, to the Central Farm, Coimbatore. To move without undue delay.
5. Mr. S. Subbaya, Assistant Agricultural Demonstrator, Chinglepat, to the Manganallur Farm. To join without undue delay.
6. Mr. K. Raghavachari, Farm Manager, Hagari, to the Palur Farm on relief by No. 7.
7. Mr. M. Mangesha Rao, Farm Manager, Sugarcane Breeding Station to the Hagari Farm. To relieve No. 6 from June 30th.
8. Mr. S. Ramachandra Ayyar, Agricultural Demonstrator, Trichinopoly, to report himself for duty to the Government Entomologist on 1st May 1920.

9. Mr. V. Chidambaram Pillai, Assistant Agricultural Demonstrator, Tanjore, to the VI Circle.

10. Mr. S. Pranarthiharan, Farm Manager, Anakapalli to the V Circle, on relief by No. 11 to report himself at Trichinopoly.

11. Mr. S. Kuppuswamy Ayyangar, Farm Manager, Manganullur to Anakapalli on relief by No. 5.

12. Mr. T. G. Muthuswami Ayyar, Farm Manager, Manganullur, to the VI Circle.

13. Mr. P. V. Raghavendra Rao, Assistant Farm Manager, Central Farm, to the VII Circle, under the Special Assistant Director of Agriculture, VII Circle.

14. Mr. W. Raghavachari, Agricultural Demonstrator, Coimbatore, to the Sugarcane Station in time to relieve No. 7.

15. Mr. P. S. Venkuswami Ayyar, Assistant Farm Manager, Koilpatti, to the VII Circle under the Special Assistant Director of Agriculture, VII Circle, for two months.

16. Mr. C. V. Ramaswami Ayyar, Assistant in Chemistry on probation, is confirmed in the IV grade of the Upper Division, Science Section with effect from 6th February 1920.

17. Mr. G. Jogi Raju is confirmed as Farm Manager, III Grade, from the date of his appointment.

Leave :—

1. Rao Saheb, Mr. M. R. Ramaswami Sivan, Assistant Agricultural Chemist, privilege leave for five months and 15 days from 8th April 1920 with permission to prefix the Easter Holidays.

2. Mr. K. Gopalakrishna Raju, Teaching Assistant, privilege leave for one month from 12th April 1920.

3. K. T. Bhandary Teaching Assistant, privilege leave for one month and 3 weeks from or after 12th April 1920.

4. Mr. S. Vedantham, Farm Manager, Hagari, privilege from 15th April 1920 to 20th May 1920.

5. Mr. G. Rangayya Nayudu, Assistant Farm Manager, privilege leave for one month and leave on medical certificate for two months from 29th March 1920.

Resignation :—

1. Sub-pro-tem Assistant in Entomology, Mr. J. T. Devasagayam's resignation accepted.