

NICARAGUA. Mr. B. Barlow, a graduate of Michigan Agricultural College, and for some time bacteriologist of the Ontario, Canada, Experiment Station. He is an enthusiastic collector of plants, and owing to ill health desires to go to Nicaragua. He proposes to study the nodule bearing leguminosae of the tropics, being a specialist on nodule-bearing bacteria.

NORWAY, Roikenvik. Lars Hvinden. Molsted clover, a very old variety is grown in Southern Norway. A very cold-resistant strain and longer lived than American or German clover. He will send samples of this and another variety from Middle Norway. The minimum temperature there is 40° below zero; commonly 4° below. Ground frozen a yard deep, but generally covered with snow.