Bio-Med Plans Victory Garden To Train Future Farm Workers

If the fair weather continues, the Bio-Med Society will send out its first squad of students soon to start work on the Brooklyn College farm plots.

For about three years, B.C. Biology students have been working on the two plots, improving the soil and planting various crops. They plan to make a Victory Garden this year with early peas as their first crop. In the past, the grounds have supplied the Biology labs with algae and other plant matter. One of the plots is devoted to growing wild plants and is supplied with running water.

This year, the land will be used as “toughening-up” grounds for those who intend to work on farms during the summer. The government advises such a preliminary process for future farm laborers.

The Faculty Committee for Employment is still negotiating for sites for the proposed B.C. Farm Project.