A new book, *Advances in Agronomy, Vol. 18, 1966* (Academic Press Inc., New York), has just reached my desk. Among other things it contains some 60 pages of text and pictures under the heading “Turfgrass Management in the United States” by W. H. Daniel, Purdue, and E. C. Roberts, Iowa. This publication is another milestone in the progress of turfgrass management. It was just 20 years ago (1946) that we organized and held the first session on turf at the American Society of Agronomy meetings in Omaha—the first official recognition of turf by A.S.A.

This contribution is commendable in that it brings to the attention of the scientific world the present status of the turfgrass industry.—Fred V. Grau

Maietta, “I have complementary winter/summer duties. During the golf season, I am public relations director for the club. In winter, I direct the ski operation, and especially the snow-making, and also look after the ski shop.”

The ski staff at Merrywood comprises 28 instructors whose work is scheduled by Ski School Director Frank Mazzola. Besides giving lessons, the instructors also supervise the tow booth and police the slopes. For example, they keep skiers from remaining in the base area, which is dangerous, and move them over to the tow line. They also prevent novices from attempting the intermediate slope.

All the instructors have other jobs besides working for the ski area, which fits in nicely with the hours the slopes are open.

Monday through Friday Merrywood is in operation from 4:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.,