N.Y. school graduates  
First turf class

The State University Agricultural and Technical College, Farmingdale, N.Y., graduated its first class in its new turf management program.

Of the six graduates, three have since transferred to the University of Maryland to pursue Bachelor degrees and the other three have gained employment on Long Island golf courses.

Teacher of the course is Charles McCrea, superintendent of Engineers’ CC, Roslyn, N.Y. The accredited, full-semester course covers cost accounting, time studies, record keeping, inventories and evaluation of equipment and materials. Mr. McCrea also uses his golf course for field trips and term problems.

The June 1969 graduating class is expected to double.

In an unrelated move, the Long Island Golf Course Superintendents Assn. presented to the college $500 to be divided between two deserving turf management students. Tom Kowalski and Bill Pearsall (not students in that first class) were the recipients.

Obits . . . .

Willie Hunter, 76, British Amateur champion 1921, president of Southern California PGA section for 12 years, head professional at Riviera CC, Pacific Palisades, Calif., for 30 years.

Father of William P. Stevens, Jr., acting president of Stevens Appliance Truck Company.

Mrs Fred Grau, wife of GOLFDOM columnist, died recently. Dr. Grau and two sons survive.

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three inches longer than most, come in violet, bright green, yellow, tan and white. They coordinate with Sahara’s slacks available in the same colors ($36).

Thomson Trousers joins the freedom trend in men’s fashions with Dacron/rayon/flax walk shorts ($15) and trousers ($15) in floral and geometric prints. Thin stripes of blue, chocolate, mint green or gold on white can be had in a short with western pockets ($20) or a walk short ($15) in a tricot knit of 85 per cent Dacron, 15 per cent nylon. Speaking of knits, Thompson features a 100 per cent Dacron doubleknit slack ($25) with side pocket and continental waistband. Colors are blue, yellow, olive, peach, red and white. For further color variety there’s the poplin trouser in Fortrel/cotton ($13), which comes with a striped belt.

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