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Jed Spencer, certified superintendent of Chenal Country Club in Arkansas, wrote us to dispute the nickname of Kansas, which was discussed on our Big Picture page in the August issue. We suggested that Kansas was the "Jayhawk" state. Kansas' nickname is the Sunflower state, Spencer points out. "The University of Kansas is not the land grant school for the state," Spencer writes. "Kansas State University is the land grant school in the state and offers degrees in horticulture and turfgrass. I would venture to say the majority of those from the state of Kansas who read your magazine are Kansas State alumni."

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