Green Clippings

CLIP 1: Perfect weather greeted each and every member as they entered into Northern Minnesota on June 14 for what has become almost an annual affair of a monthly meeting at the Cloquet Country Club. John Lightfoot hosted this very delightful day for about 70 wives and members of the M.G.C.S.A. and Arrowhead Association. John, as usual, had his course in nice shape which always makes for great golf. No casualties were reported even by those who had to make the treacherous walk up cardiac hill which is another name for the spectacular 5th Hole at Cloquet. That evening everyone was treated to an excellent buffet dinner in the clubhouse.

John's club president and green chairman were present for dinner and it is very gratifying to hear nothing but praise from them for the job John is doing. That is what really keeps us all going. Again, our thanks to John and all the staff at Cloquet for a very pleasant day.

CLIP 2: For Sale: Toro Sand Pro: The hydraulic pump and the motor have just been reconditioned. A steal at $900.00. 1971 Jacobsen Greensking: Reels are in good condition. Motor will need some work, also has verticut attachments. Greensking and cutting units $900..verticuts $300. If you are interested in any of the above items, contact Jim Lindblad at Wayzata Country Club, 473-8846.

CLIP 3: HOLE NOTES has received information concerning the Mid-Continent Recreation and Park Conference. It will be held August 15-18 in Fargo, North Dakota. You do not have to be a member of Mid-Continent to attend. For further information contact Vern Hansen, (701) 235-8234.

CLIP 4: Jim Lindblad, Chairman of the Scholarship and Research Committee, reports that personal contributions have been received from Dick DeSplinter, Dale Hendrickson and a very generous check from Austin Country Club's superintendent, Leif Erickson. Thank you very much, gentlemen, for your concern and we only wish there were some way we could get more involved in this important program that now more than ever needs our support.

CLIP 5: MEETING DATE CHANGED. The August meeting of the M.G.C.S.A. to be held at the Forest Hills Golf Club has been changed to August 16, 1976.

CARDIAC HILL. Superintendent Lightfoot points out the steep fairway on the 520 yard 5th Hole on the Cloquet C.C. where the word Cardiac is an understatement.

SHORT BUT DEADLY. A view from green to tee of the 133 yard, Par 3, 4th Hole at Cloquet which plays over a deep ravine that comes up to the right edge of the green.