GLAD HAND. Jerry Bibbey, left, welcomes new member, Dick Hoffman of Minnesota Valley, assistant to Larry Mueller.

DUTCH UNCLE. No, the subject was Dutch Elm Disease with Mark Stennes making a point to appreciative audience.

Although the winter weather made weekend travel difficult, 40 plus members learned much and enjoyed immensely the Mini-Seminar at the Arboretum on Monday, March 5. We would like to thank all of the participants in that afternoon session, Dr. Ward Stienstra, Dr. Harvey Meredith, Dr. Francis Devos and Mark Stennes for enlightening us with their interesting talks. A special thank you to Dr. Devos for all of his help in coordinating the arrangements that made the Arboretum a perfect setting.

At the monthly business meeting that followed the seminar, Dick Hoffman, the assistant superintendent at the Minnesota Valley C.C. was elected into membership of M.G.C.S.A. as a Class BII Member. Also the following members were awarded classification changes: Boots Fuller to Class A, Dan Evavold to Class F, Kerry Glader to Class A, Mark Smith to Class A, Scott Ainsworth to Class A, Denny Owens to Class B and Fred Taylor to Class D.