MEET YOUR ASSOCIATE MEMBERS!

RUSS ROSE has been an active Associate Member of M.G.C.S.A. for over twenty years. Instead of climbing the ladder to success, Russ' working career started from the top and came down. Originally, Russ was in the advertising business where he tried to sell the moon. During the war, Russ was a meteorologist and lowered himself to cloud level. Then came a stint with the Weyerhaeuser Co. where he worked at tree top height and finally, he reached the grass roots of occupational journey when he joined the staff of the Ryan Co. He stayed with the Ryan Co. for twenty years and traveled the country far and wide on their behalf. Presently, Russ is with the Turfco Manufacturing Co., a business that deals in developing specialized equipment for all turf managers. The originating and designing of turf equipment is also Russ' hobby which is why he enjoys his present position immensely.

STAN KINKEAD may be a relatively new member of M.G.C.S.A. but the company he represents, National Mower, has been supplying first class equipment to the golf course superintendents of Minnesota for over sixty years. Stan's grandfather who is now ninety-four years old founded this St. Paul based, family owned business some sixty-one years ago. Today, Stan says there are now three generations of his family active within the business. Stan worked for the company while going through college at St. Thomas and now has continued his employment for the six years since graduation. Stan and his wife, Kathy, have two little girls, Katie, two and one-half years old and Anna, eight months. Whenever time permits, Stan likes to enjoy sailing on the many lakes in the Twin Cities area.