#### MORNING PROGRAM

9:00 A.M.
Farm Crops Field Lab, Beaumont Rd.

Grass plots on stops 1 to 7 were planted in the summer of 1962.

# STOP 1

# Jim Beard

- Bentgrass Variety Evaluations 14 varieties in 10' x 16' plots under putting green management. North 1/2 of each plot receives 4# of N per 1,000 sq. ft. per year and south 1/2 receives 7# of N per 1,000 sq. ft. per year. Note presence of "yellow tufts," cause not known. It is observed most frequently in newly established bentgrasses and usually diminishes with time. A serious <u>Fusarium roseum</u> infection can be observed on the variety Nimisilla. Currently there is no known control. Evansville was noted to be very susceptible to snow mold, <u>Typhula</u>, in the spring of 1963.
- Bentgrass Strains 30 experimental strains evaluated for use on putting green turf. Note performance of roughstalk bluegrass, red fescue, highland, and velvet bentgrass.

#### STOP 2

## John Knierim

Bentgrass Nematode Studies - Determination of the species and relative populations of parasitic nematodes occurring under six nematocide treatments on washington creeping bentgrass and merion bluegrass.

### STOP 3

### Milt Erdmann

- Turfgrass Mixtures 18 entries in 5' x 9' plots. Emphasis is on higher quality mixtures of bluegrass and red fescue. Note poor stands in plots containing ryegrass.
- Bluegrass Variety Evaluations 18 varieties in 5' x 9' plots. Varying degrees of Helminthosporium infection are present on all entries except merion and roughstalk. Note the severe thinning and Helminthosporium crown injury in Common, Delta, and Park.