

1931 Convention Plans

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The National Association of Greenkeepers of America

IN COMPANY of Mr. Fred A. Burkhardt, chairman of the Show committee, Mr. Robert E. Power, Editor of the National Greenkeeper and Mr. H. L. Richey, we visited the city of Columbus, Ohio, for the purpose of securing a suitable hotel and auditorium for our next Golf Show, Conference and Convention. Immediately upon our arrival we were met by Mr. Joseph Williamson and Mr. George Sargent and later by Mr. George Trautman, Director, Division of Conventions and Publicity of the Chamber of Commerce.

In due time we were escorted to view two of the leading auditoriums and held consultations with the managers of the two leading hotels. Owing to the fact that there were several items that require further consideration we are not in a position at this time to state the name of the hotel which will be our headquarters or which auditorium will house the Golf Show. But in all probability we expect to be able to

name them in the next issue of the National Greenkeeper.

During our short stay in Columbus both of the leading hotels were very kind and generous to us. The management of the Deshler-Wallock served us with an excellent breakfast and provided us with a suite of rooms which are the headquarters of Colonel Charles Lindbergh upon his visits to Columbus.

On Saturday evening the management of the Neil House entertained us with an excellent dinner at which were present several greenkeepers and golf club officials from the Columbus district. I took this occasion to thank the Columbus men for their devotion and hospitality and announced the following committee on Entertainment to serve for next year's Convention:

Chairman, Joseph Williamson, Scioto Country Club

Charles Lorms, Columbus Country Club

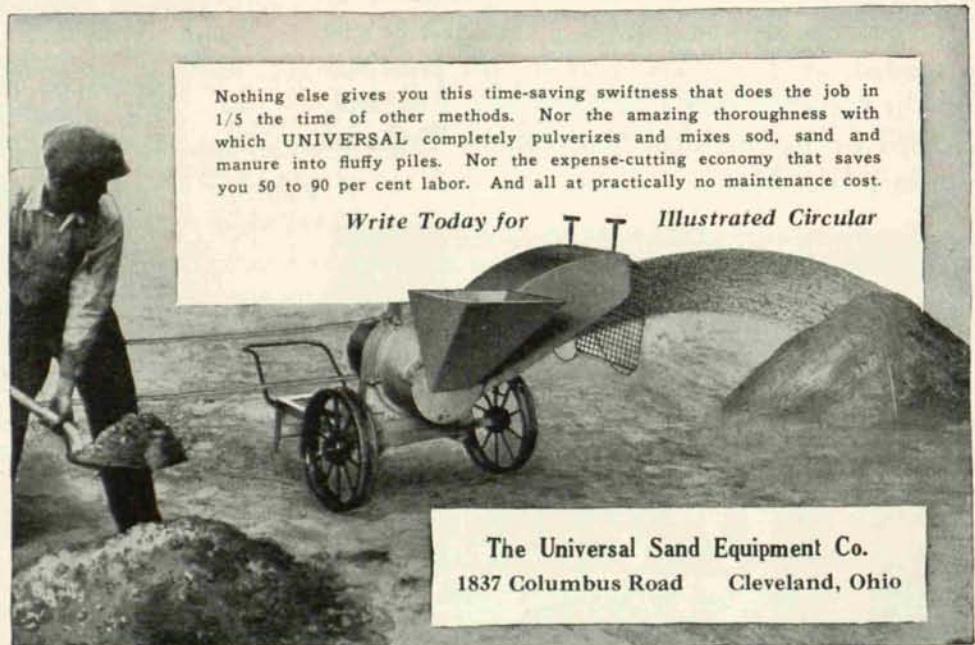
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