Chairman Burkhardt Says--

“A Bigger and Better Show”

"Contracts already in hand indicate a bigger and better Show at Louisville in February than we had last year at Buffalo," says Fred A. Burkhardt of Cleveland, chairman of the National Association Show Committee. "We still have a month to go, and yet more space has been contracted for than the total at Buffalo proving conclusively that the Greenkeepers' Show is growing in popularity and produces real business for the exhibitors.

A unique feature is planned for the Show this year at Louisville. The Show committee has set aside two spaces in the center of the floor and will conduct a competition in the construction of putting greens between the greenkeepers of the East and the greenkeepers of the West. Joe Valentine, famous greenkeeper of the Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia, will be captain of the eastern team, while Charles Erickson of the Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, whose course is famous throughout the world will be captain of the Western team.

Each team will construct a putting green out of molding sand furnished by the committee for that purpose. These greens will be contoured and bunkered exactly to scale for any length hole which the constructors may elect. Each team must furnish a drawing of its green at least three feet square showing the scale on which the green is built and indicating the drainage and other features of construction.

A committee of judges will be chosen consisting of entirely disinterested architects and golf professionals who will decide which team has built the better green and this team will receive a prize of $100.00 in cash.

Only greenkeepers will be allowed to take part in the competition and each captain must file the names of his team members with the committee at the time the work is started.

The following partial list of exhibitors show the wide extent and variety of this year's exhibition. Most of the manufacturers have new products to display among them being a new power putting green mower by Toro and an automatic sprinkling system by the Sherman Manufacturing Co. In the list is included practically everything used on golf courses, public parks and private estates.

Partial List of Exhibitors, Louisville, Show

Toro Manufacturing Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
International Harvester Co., Chicago, Ill.
Roseman Tractor Mower Co., Evanston, Ill.
Pennsylvania Lawn Mower Works, Philadelphia
Jacobsen Manufacturing Co., Racine, Wis.
Pelican Works, Niles, Mich.
Thompson Manufacturing Co., Los Angeles, Calif.
National Mower Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
O. M. Scott & Sons Co., Marysville, Ohio
Grasselli Chemical Co., Cleveland
Standard Mfg. Co., Cedar Falls, Iowa
American Seed Co., Detroit, Mich.
J. Oliver Johnson, Inc., Chicago, Ill.
Ohio Humus Products Co., London, Ohio
Milwaukee Sewerage Commission, Milwaukee, Wis.
Henry H. Doty, Chicago, Ill.
Atkins & Durbrow, New York City
Hyper-Humus Co., Newark, N. J.
Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corp., Richmond, Va.
George A. Davis, Chicago, Ill.
Koppers Products, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Cooper Mfg. Co., Marshalltown, Iowa
Friend Mfg. Co., Gasport, N. Y.
Hal Billig, Inc., Chicago, Ill.
I. L. Radwaner Seed Co., New York City
Fraser Publishing Company, Montreal, Quebec
Lyman Carrier, Inc., Granger, Ind.