fairways to the satisfaction of the club's Green committee.

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**A CORRECTION**

In the December issue of the NATIONAL GREENKEEPER on How We Maintained Our Golf Courses in 1929, you have my letter headed "Heavy Rolling Makes Healthy Turf."

When I wrote this letter I wanted to make it plain that heavy rolling does not make healthy turf as I found by using heavy mowers on one nine and light ones on the other nine.

I wish you would correct this in an early issue.

(Signed) Lawrence Huber, Greenkeeper
Elks Country Club
Worthington, Ohio

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Gives Quick Response on
PUTTING GREENS

Gentlemen:—We used Hyper-Humus during the present year to replace mushroom manure or compost in top-dressing (one-third Hyper-Humus, one-third topdressing and one-third sharp sand, by volume), and find that it gives very quick response when applied with fertilizer. It is much handier to use than compost and, if costs are considered, we believe it is much cheaper. We know that it contains a high percentage of useful bacteria which quickly convert such fertilizers as Urea, ammonium sulphate and cottonseed meal to the readily usable form.

Very truly yours,

W. W. Rhodes,
Green Committee, Wilmington Country Club, Wilmington, Delaware.

*Write for literature and approved methods of application to:
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