Bert Gee, in charge of the oldest municipal golf course in Canada, that of Edmonton, Alberta, has come to the Pacific Coast for his winter's visit, thus making local greenkeepers with work beginning to pile up green with jealousy. Course superintendents in the East have no cause to envy their contemporaries out here.

Paradoxically enough, now that the rain has come in California, greensmen have to work harder than ever to keep the color in the greens because the grass insists upon hibernating unless treated. Chemical fertilizers are in order on many courses because play is at its height and must not be stopped by heavy topdressing.

Canadian News
By J. H. EVANS, Golf Editor, Toronto Globe

A larger delegation than in former years will attend the February convention of the National Greenkeepers' association in Columbus, Ohio, to represent the Ontario Greenkeepers' association, President W. J. Sansom announced at the January meeting.

Those superintendents and greenkeepers who are certain of attending the convention are Mr. Sansom, Toronto Golf club; Howard Lloyd, Rosedale Golf club; Frank Hamm, Royal York club; William Austin, Humber Valley club, William Kirby, Lambton Golf and Country Club; James McCullough, of the Scarboro Golf and Country Club and a representative from the Toronto Ladies' Golf and Tennis club.

In addition to the seven greenkeepers who have made arrangements through their clubs to attend the convention, others are expected to join the party when it leaves on February 2. Mr. Sansom explained that club directorates were now considering the advisability of allowing their greenkeepers to take advantage of the opportunities provided by the National Greenkeepers' Association to study the problems with which they are confronted during the playing season.

Officers of the Ontario Greenkeepers' association are pleased with the attitude taken by the clubs toward the association's annual convention. It has taken some years to convince club secretaries and other officials that greenkeepers can and do derive a great deal of valuable information from the annual gathering, and it is with some satisfaction, indeed that the Ontario association has accepted the changing attitude of the larger clubs of the Province.

Mr. Sansom believes there might have been a much larger representation of Ontario greenkeepers at the convention but for the fact that several greenkeepers failed to make the necessary arrangements with their clubs before winter and are now confronted with the fact directorates are being changed which makes it more

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