

square feet that we keep for protection and water it twice a week. We also cut twice a week and we get diseases in it.

We had the State Open here August 18-19 and the boys pronounced our greens fine. They are the Metropolitan creeping bent.

Marietta Speaks

By HENRY KESSELRING, *Greenkeeper*
Washington Country Club, Marietta, Ohio

I AM a stranger in the field of greenkeeping. I took over the Washington Country Club course, August 15, 1930. It was in bad shape—the greens were covered with brown patch, but they came out in fine shape this spring. We have had some brown patch this season, but it did no harm.

The webworm has worked pretty hard on our greens and fairways, but I have been able to keep them under control thus far. I used two and one-half pounds of arsenate of lead mixed with sand to one thousand feet of green. In four to six weeks I would repeat the same treatment and had good results.

For brown patch I use Calo-Clor and have very good results with it. I used Milorganite in March and April and have used no other fertilizer since. I don't think fertilizers should be used in mid-summer. I also think greens can be kept too wet.

Michigan Greenkeepers Meet

By HERBERT E. SHAVE, *Greenkeeper*
Oakland Hills Country Club, Birmingham, Michigan

AL SHERWOOD, Birmingham, won the grand prize in the golf tournament staged at the Lansing Country Club, September 14, Lansing, Mich., by state greenkeepers. Sherwood shot an 84 and was awarded a permanent trophy and one year's possession of a silver loving cup given by the Ideal Power Lawn Mower Company.

Other prize winners were: Runner-up, Herbert E. Shave, Oakland Hills C. C.; first prize champion of Detroit and Border Cities Greenkeepers' Association, Leo Wedyke, Glen Oaks C. C., Farmington; runner-up, John Collin, Westchester C. C., 91, Ypsilanti; first prize, Western Michigan Greenkeepers' Association, Floyd Hammond, Ella Sharp Municipal Golf Club, Jackson; presented by John Bean Mfg. Co., Lansing; runner-up, Vet Dustin, Cascade C. C., Grand Rapids; first prize,

non-member greenkeeper, T. R. Roselli, Western Golf Club, Redford; high score prize, won by William Dailey, Red Cedar, presented by Sallan's.

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This tournament was held in connection with a joint meeting of the Detroit and Border Cities Greenkeepers' Association and the Western Michigan Greenkeepers' Association. Eighty-five greenkeepers sat down to luncheon in the club and sixty-five teed off to battle for a number of prizes donated by the manufacturers of golf



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course equipment, etc. Professor Millar, Department of Soils, Michigan Agricultural College, was present and gave the boys a short talk which was received with much applause.

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We are going to make this get-together an annual affair as we think it is a good thing to get the boys better acquainted and talk over some of their problems. We believe it would be a good thing for other states to meet together. We pick a place to meet somewhere in the center of the state so as to equalize travelling distances. Everyone was very enthusiastic and all were in favor of meeting next year.

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