a plaque with the appropriate inscription conveying the feelings of the Association towards Bob for his many contributions towards the game of golf.

Notes: I wonder what was going through Bill Nigh's head when he saw one of his greens mowers at the bottom of the #18 canyon at Pasatiempo Golf Course, Santa Cruz.

New Employees - H. V. Carter Company - Steve Taylor

Occidental Chemical Company - Dennis Allen

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GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENT WANTED by City of Tulare who has recently purchased an 18 hole golf course and intends to operate it as a municipal course. Three years experience including experience in a supervisory capacity. Entry Salary \$1,084. All qualified applicants will be required to submit an official City of Tulare application. Application request to be directed to Personnel Office, 411 East Kern Avenue, Tulare, CA 93274 (209) 688-2001, Ext. 219 by FEBRUARY 6, 1976 Applicants required to appear for an oral interview. A background investigation may be conducted prior to employment.

Questions should be directed to Bill Wagenhalls, Director of Parks & Recreation, (209) 688-2001

CONTRA COSTA COUNTRY CLUB, Pleasant Hill is seeking an experienced, mature superintendent. CONTACT Green Chairman, Mr. Kraemer, 801 Golf Club Road, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523 (414) 798-7135 Salary Open.

Stan Burgess reports 1972 Jacobsen 22" Greens mower Model #62208, Serial #9909 was stolen from Claremont Country Club, Oakland, Notify local authorities and then Stan Burgess if found.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS - Jim Bantrup, Manteca Golf Club

Let's have a record attendance in April for the annual election of officers meeting. Now is the time to seriously think of Class A & B member names to present to the committee for the election slate.

There are many good names with good ideas for consideration to run our Association and promote our profession.

I can say personally I thoroughly enjoyed serving on the Board for several years and look forward to every monthly meeting.

Why not plan attending every meeting with a member in your area--your green chairman will be all for it. Bring him also as he will understand

our job a lot better. Competent people can plan ahead several weeks in advance to miss a day at the course.

Please submit names to Jim Bantrup, Nominating Committee Chairman, G. S. Sandhu, Orinda Country Club, Bob Livesey, Plaza Golf Course, Visalia, or Dick Viergever, City of Sunnyvale.

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FLYING TO GCSA OF AMERICA CONFERENCE & SHOW, Minneapolis, Minnesota Northwest Airline and Western Airlines Service direct out of San Francisco Regular fare is \$252.00 on both airlines.

Western Airlines is the only carrier that offers group fare and a night coach. Group fare must have a minimum of 25 people and confirm reservations two weeks prior to departure. This flight would leave San Francisco at 10:00 A.M. on Sunday, February 8. Cost would be \$202.00.

Night coach cost would be the same as group fare \$202.00 but the individual would deal with the carrier himself.

Contact Bob Livesey, 624 So. View St., Visalia, CA 93277, or Phone (209) 733-0983 on or before the 23rd of January.

THE 47th GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA INTERNATIONAL TURFGRASS CONFERENCE AND SHOW will be held at the auditorium and Convention Hall, Minneapolis, Minnesota on February 8-13. The theme is "A Spirit of Progress".

Presenting 70 speakers throughout the week topics discussed this year will be Business Management, Cart Path and Maintenance, Course Preparation Disease, Insect and Weed Identification, Landscape, Golf Course Building, etc. The exhibits will be open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Keynote speaker will be Jim Gillie, Phillips Petroleum Co., whose topic is "I'm Agin the Aginner". He inspires his audience to solve problems through pointing out the positive aspect of free enterprise system. Monday evening will greet all registrants to an ice show spectacular. Highlights of Thursday evening banquet will be Edie Adams and her husband, jazz trumpeter Pete Candoli.

Advance registration deadline is February 2, 1976. Contact The Golf Course Superintendents Association of America, 1617 St. Andrews Drive, Lawrence, Kansas 66044

The "Spirit" which golf course superintendents possess today will pave the way for even greater "Progress" tomorrow through improved education and exchange of information.