that as much of the chemical is being bound to the thatch and not reaching the area where it is needed.

The thatch may be why many superintendents say they are not getting the control they should with their insecticides.

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FRIDAY'S ACTIVITIES AT ASILOMAR by David Griffiths, Pacific Grove Muni G.C.

Although Friday was a short one, as with every other day a lot was accomplished.

Mr. Geoffrey Cornish and Mr. Robert Graves did a super job. They presented the architects side of golf course design and construction and how the superintendent and architect should work together whenever possible. They both gave very good coverage in analyzing the design problems.

In reviewing the last 5 years Bill Davis spoke of each year and how different each session was and I realized how much I had gained out of attending all of them.

Then came the question what's next??? It started as a 5 year program and this was it, do we continue, I hope so, we need all the knowledge possible to do our jobs well.

Those of you who feel we should continue with the Institutes, let your feelings be known to your Board of Directors, so they can present something to the N.C.G.A..and Bill Davis.

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David Griffiths reports he has been told to stop watering the course by the City Council. They feel in the circumstances someone should lead the way. A District meeting of Mayors is being held hopefully to resend the order for at least the greens and tees. What was the verdict, Dave?

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The annual meeting of the Golf Course Superintendents Associations of California (Hi-Lo, San Diego, Southern, Central, Northern, Sierra-Nevada) will be held Sunday and Monday, May 22 and 23, 1977 It will consist of educational meeting, banquet and golf. Be sure and mark the date and plan to attend to find out what the rest of the California superintendents are doing. Location will be the San Luis Obispo Country Club, San Luis Obispo with Al Glaze, Golf Course Superintendent as host. More later.