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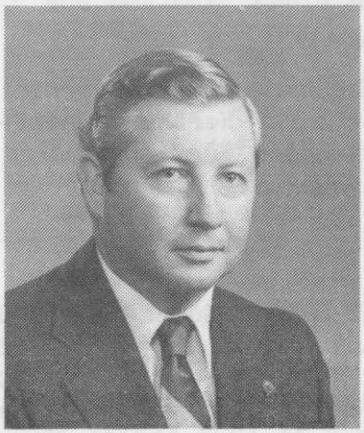

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Robert H. Ford, CGCS has been active in golf course operations for 16 years. His job experience has been at Oak Knoll Golf Course, Battle Creek Golf Course, Illahe Country Club, McNary Golf Course, all in Oregon. Pomona National Golf Course, South Hills Country Club, Almaden Golf & CC, Los Altos Golf & CC, all in California. He has an AA degree in Turfgrass Management from Mt. San Antonio College. He is an active member of Local, State and National Superintendent Associations.

Los Altos Golf & Country Club has been a private club since its inception in 1923. The course originally was very spread out but had to be reduced to 9 holes during World War II for monetary reasons. After the war it was enlarged back to 18 holes, but without a driving range. During the last 13 years, Los Altos CC has undergone a rebuilding program under the guidance of Robert Muir Graves Recently the clubhouse, tennis and golf pro shops and pool facilities have been renovated and upgraded.

meetings

May	17 & 18	- GCSAA Seminar - Rancho Canada Golf Club, Carmel
May	20 & 21	- California GCSA - Annual State Meeting - Rancho Canada
June	14	- San Leandro Golf Course, Tony Lema Course
July	11	- Superintendent/Professional Tournament, Silverado CC, Napa
August		- Tilden Park Golf Course, Berkeley
September		
October		- Mira Vista, El Cerrito
November		- Bishop Golf Course, Bishop
December	7	- Rancho Canada Golf Club, Carmel

***Thank you John Grant, San Mateo GC for the use of your facility for
***our February meeting, and a special thanks to Bill Bengeyfield for
***taking time out of his schedule to be our speaker.