Weed Society of America to Attract 800
Specialists at St. Louis Meeting, Feb. 8-11

“The Control of Weeds and Woody Plants in Rights-of-Way and Other Industrial Sites,” is one of 12 subjects covered in papers which will be read before the Weed Society of America Annual Meeting in St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 8-11, at the Sheraton-Jefferson Hotel.

Society President Dr. G. F. Warren of Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., predicts some 800 research and education specialists will attend the four-day meeting, representing chemical companies, public service organizations, public health and regulatory agencies, equipment manufacturers, and others.

A discussion of weed control efforts will take on broader connotation when Dr. A. S. Crafts addresses the annual meeting. His subject: “A View of How People Around the World Are Working to Combat Weeds,” is based on personal experience and observation while he studied weed research and control practices during an 18-month worldwide junket.

Dr. W. R. Furtick, of Oregon State University, Corvallis, says that papers and reports will be presented on every phase of weed control, including weed control in agronomic and horticultural crops, pastures and rangelands, and forests.

Weed control in turf and regulatory aspects of weed control are also on the agenda. Not to be overlooked and equally as important to applicators is the comparatively new field of aquatic weed control. Other speakers will cover chemical and mechanical weed control equipment, and the ecological, physiological and edaphic aspects of weed control.

Soil Society Prints Glossary

A 22-page glossary of soil science terms, reprinted from the May-June issue of the Soil Science Society of America Proceedings, is available to WTT readers. Containing about 850 definitions commonly used in many soil science endeavors, it was prepared by the SSSA Committee on Terminology, and is a revision of its popular 1962 edition.

The glossary is priced at 25 cents per single copy. In lots of 10 or more, cost is 20 cents per copy. Orders may be placed with the SSSA central office, 677 South Segoe Rd., Madison, Wis. 53711.

Southern Turfgrass Conference
At Memphis, Feb. 28-March 1

“Better Methods for Better Turf,” will be the dominating theme as golf course superintendents, and turfmen meet to form the Southern Turfgrass Conference at the Peabody Hotel, Feb. 28 to March 1, in Memphis, Tenn.

Keynoter for what is anticipated to be the largest registration of turfmen ever to attend this conference will be Dr. William Daniel of Purdue University. Also scheduled to speak before this assembly are Dr. O. J. Noer, Dr. Lloyd Callahan, S. A. Frederiksen, James Homes, James Latham, Dr. Coleman Ward, and W. R. Thompson, Jr.

Also included will be a show-room displaying equipment and materials of import to the greensman, and others of the turfgrass industry.

Smith-Douglass Introduces
“Golf Green” Turf Products

A new “Golf Green” line of turf products is now available from Smith-Douglass Div. of the Borden Chemical Co., according to J. R. Stiffler, manager of turf and garden products.

Turf foods in the group are named Golf Green Turf Food, Golf Green Weed and Feed, and Golf Green Crabgrass and Insect Control, and will be sold by Smith-Douglass -Nutro dealers throughout the country.

Golf Green Turf Food is said to be a high-analysis, lightweight turf nutrient with three types of nitrogen to promote good growth.