## CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS, cont.

March 7, 8, 9th

Midwest Regional Turf Foundation Conference at Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. Make your reservations early - last year there were over 300 persons attending this popular mid-west conference.

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The Association without a

purpose is like a ship with-

out a rudder.

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## Dear Mr. Johnson:

The Chicago Convention Bureau cordially invites the Greenkeeping Superintendents to meet in the City of Chicago in February of 1951 with a feeling of sincere confidence that here you will enjoy greater cooperation and better facilities than anywhere else.

For years more conventions with a heavier collective attendance have been held in Chicago than in any other community. There is only one reason - there are no weak spots in the Chicago convention picture. In Chicago you will be the guest of a City that appreciates what conventions mean to its own prosperity and takes every means to reciprocate.

Chicago, transportation hub of the nation, is the one large city that more of your members can reach at lower average cost than any place else. It can offer more large exposition halls with more first class floor space than any other city. And in hotel accommodations - conveniently located, priced to fit any pocketbook, and numerous to fill any demand - it is second to none. Large or small, the organization meeting in Chicago is certain of satisfaction. Above all, we feel you will like Chicago. In the wholesome opportunity for all forms of entertainment and recreation, in the friendly courtesy you may expect from its citizens and public servants, in the desire to help make your meeting an event that will merit favorable publicity everywhere you will quickly recognize just why Chicago is known as "Host City of the Nation".

In requesting an early reply, may we assure you that, in whatever cooperation it can extend, The Chicago Convention Bureau is yours to command.

> Sincerely yours, THE CHICAGO CONVENTION BUREAU, (Signed) W. Fred Puffer, Assistant to the President

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Dear Mr. Johnson:

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I learned with much interest that the Greenkeeping Superintendents Association is considering the selection of a site for its 1951 meeting place, and I would like to extend to you and your associates a cordial invitation to hold this convention in our city.

Chicago's transportation advantages and its abundant facilities for the entertainment of visitors have rendered it justly famous as the world's convention host. I am sure that your group can look forward to a very warm welcome and to a very enjoyable and successful meeting should you decide to meet here in February of 1951.

Sincerely,

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR CITY OF CHICAGO

(Signed) Martin H. Kennelly, Mayor.

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