SPREADING IT THIN

Warren Bidwell, Supt. Olympia Fields Country Club, recently seeded 60 leased acres adjacent to his course to Kentucky 31 Fescue. Warren says this will be a parking lot for the forthcoming PGA tournament at his club.

Walter Pieper, Supt. Flossmoor Country Club, is grandpa for the third time. Lorin Elizabeth Pieper was born April 6 to Piep's son Dale. Dale works for his father on the grounds.

Art Benson, Jr., Supt. at Naperville Country Club, planted several trees on his course. "They add character to the course," was Art's statement when asked how they were coming.

During the windstorm the end of March, two trees were blown over at Hinsdale Golf Course where Bill Schwantz is Supt.

Vern Hinneberg, Shady Lawn Golf Course, Beecher, said the last three quick gusts of wind during that storm were too much for an old storage shed on his course. He saw it standing one moment and a few minutes later it wasn't.

There is talk about a new golf course Superintendent's Association in the Northwest corner of Illinois. Good luck boys!

Charlie Schultz, Ruth Lake Country Club, Hinsdale, has all the pipes in the ground for his watering system.

The recent snowstorm caught us all a bit unprepared, but it seems the turf is turning up a bit greener since the snow.

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