

## SPREADING IT THIN

Al Bertucci's son is now home from the University of Illinois. He plans to return to Illinois for his final semester and his degrees in Education and Math.

Walter Piepers wife is recovering from whiplash suffered in an auto accident some two years ago.

Amos Lapp is now the proud grand father of One granddaughter and eight grandsons.

Harold Fredricksen of the Evergreen Country Club, plays second base with a local soft ball league and recently made two outs of a tripple play.

They have started to clean up the mess left by the burning of the Club House at the Itasca Country Club. The place was completely destroyed. It looks as though business is running almost as usual with a building nearby converted to a Clubhouse.

The Lake under construction at Westmoorland involves the removal of quite a hill of sand, the cut is almost verticle and cliff swallows make new homes in holes drilled into the sand cliff almost as soon as the new surface is exposed. It is fascinating to watch them work. Don Strand says they may make new homes 4 times a day.

The Mole was so flattered with the headlines in the last issue he went into the burrow and hardly got out. He didn't know anybody cared.

Peter Bild's son Ronny, plans to specialize in turf at the University of Illinois. He has completed his first year.

## FROM PURDUE

Turf managers in the Midwest area will be able to purchase a limited amount of Evansville creeping bentgrass this fall. Foundation stolons have been provided to nurseries growing under certification as follows.

Warrens Turf Nursery of Illinois  
Godwins of Michigan  
Chester Hybrids of Indiana  
Modern Turfgrass Nurseries, Kentucky  
Links Nursery of Missouri

This dark green, fine leaved, dense turf should do well at medium management, close cut. Its wear

resistance exceeds other bentgrasses. It is somewhat slower in starting in the spring. Its competition in **Poa annua** should be outstanding according to Dr. W. H. Daniel.

## FROM THE ILLINOIS TURFGRASS FOUNDATION

University of Illinois

For your information —

The Illinois Turfgrass Field Day is scheduled to be held in Urbana on September 16, 1963.

Also, the Illinois Turfgrass Conference will be held in Urbana on December 5-6, 1963.

Both these dates should be put on your calendar as worth while educational programs.

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