



DAVE MOOTE and RAY GERBER

**DAVE MOOTE  
PRESIDENT OF THE GOLF COURSE  
SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION  
OF AMERICA**

Dave Moote, our National President paid us a surprise visit at our last meeting. He came in to give us some enlightening news concerning the National and its policy. He stated that he was happy to see our recent growth in membership and that we should be happy to be the largest local in the Country. (This includes all classes of membership.)

**TWO MORE SONS BORN TO  
SUPERINTENDENTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mauer of the Kankakee Elks Country Club are the proud parents of a son born Tuesday, April 14, 1964. Mother and child are doing fine. This makes two sons for them.

Paul and Donna Voykin have finally accomplished what they began to believe was impossible. Donna recently gave birth to their first son. They have four daughters also. This was a very proud moment for them. The boy was named Daniel.

Paul has other good news to be happy about also. On May 1st he will be taking his exams for citizenship of the United States. This plus the birth of his son should just about make him the happiest man in town.

**EQUIPMENT STOLEN AT TWO CLUBS**

Benny Kronn, Superintendent of the Twin Orchards Country Club and Charlie Rack, Superintendent of the Riverwoods Country Club have notified us that they have both lost equipment from their equipment sheds at their clubs. The following is a list of equipment that was taken from the shed at Twin Orchards: Electric Hedge Shears, Battery Charger, Jacobsen 21" Greens mower, Chevrolet Truck Generator, and a 36" Hedge Trimmers.

If anyone approaches you with this equipment please contact Benny Kronn.

Science is a first-rate piece of furniture for a man's upper chamber if he has common sense on the ground floor.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes

**DUCKS, ALIVE OR WOOD**

One Sunday a few weeks ago, Gerald Dearie, Superintendent of Medinah Country Club, was taking his family for a ride through the grounds at Medinah when they approached the lake and noticed a flock of large Canadian Geese swimming on the water. Gerald's son also noticed some smaller ducks and exclaimed, "Look Daddy, There are some baby ducks." Gerald noticed them and said, "No, those aren't baby ducks. They are Wood ducks." With that, the boy turned and said, "No no Daddy, I just saw one turn his head."

Illinois Turfgrass Foundation announces its dates for the Fall Field Day and the Winter Turf Conference. The Fall Field Day of the Illinois Turfgrass Foundation will be held on September 18, 1964 and the Winter Turf Conference will be held on December 3-4, 1964. Keep these dates in mind.

In the presence of modern science those who do not know cannot long survive.

—Ofis W. Caldwell

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