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"THE EXPRESSWAY"

Thanks, to all persons who have contributed to this column — Dick Trevarthan of Prestwick C. C., (August, 1967 Midwest Association Meeting Host) reports that their new Clubhouse addition has been completed and the entire area landscaped . . . Dick will install 500 feet of new cart paths in the near future — Congratulations to Amos Lapp of St. Andrews. Amos got married April 27 — Arrowhead Golf and C. C. will start construction of a new 9 holes this fall . . . Dave Gill, their architect will design a complete automatic irrigation system — Don't forget the next Midwest Meeting . . . June 5 at Edgewood Valley C. C., Harold Fredrickson, host — Roy Nelson, Midwest Secretary still has a few Association Blazer emblems . . . (No charge) . . . The Emblem, designed by Peter Voykin of Idlewood C. C. was chosen from 17 different models during an "Emblem Contest" in 1961 — Thanks to Mrs. Irene Burton who requested that all superintendent photos appearing in future "Bullsheets" be identified . . . very good idea — Ron Bilt, son of Peter is now sales representative for the Velsicol Company, covering the Carolinas . . . Ron is a graduate of the University of Illinois where he majored in Marketing and Ornamental Horticulture — Tom Burrows, Jerry Dinelli and Ken Wesenberg traveled to Lincoln Green Golf Club, Springfield, Ill. a few days ago to see Superintendent Tom Guetschow's Hydraulic irrigation system — Cliff Van Pouche, pro at Woodrige C. C. for 12 years is now Manager — Suzy Fredrickson's 1966 Fall Turf Clinic talk "Honey,

Your Supper Is In The Oven" has been reprinted by the Miami Valley Superintendents Association (Ohio) newsletter, "Divots" — the previously announced July, 1967 Midwest Association Meeting at Beverly C. C. has been cancelled due to the "Western Open", watch for the announcement for the new meeting place — Gabe Rossett, retired from Skokie C. C. in October, 1966 after 12 years . . . Gabe is currently a part time construction and maintenance consultant at Hill Crest C. C. (former Long Grove C. C.) Long Grove, Ill. — Paul Voykin, of Briarwood C. C. is installing electric drinking fountains on the course . . . anyone wishing current information on electric fountains, contact Paul . . . Paul will give a "Drinking Fountain" presentation at our Fall Turf Clinic — President Dudley Smith announced at the May Association meeting, the opening position for superintendent at the Ruth Lake Golf Club, Hinsdale, Ill. — Thanks to the "Illinois Bell Telephone Company," and Miss Joan Carey, our guest speaker at Elmhurst C. C. meeting in May . . . Miss Carye's presentation "Winning Friends By Telephone" certainly will benefit all who attended the meeting — Superintendent Bob Winter of the Winnetka Golf Club will possibly install a green, tee and fairway irrigation system this Fall . . . Bob reconstructed one green and two tees last fall which are now open for play — Ed Stewart of River Forest Country Club reconstructed his #13 green last fall and stolonized with C-15 . . . will re-open the green around June 1 — Roy Nelson of Ravisloe Country Club has rebuilt his #18 green trap . . . Roy said that over a 30 year period the trap had been edged up to a few inches from the green . . . a new well was installed, 12 inch at 550 GPM, this is their second well and they now have 1000 GPM for irrigation . . . Roy will also enlarge and terrace the #11 tee — Dennis Straus at Rolling Green Country Club reconstructed two greens last fall (Koelper Company as contractor), the greens were stolonized with C-15 . . . and has also installed Toro Hydraulic irrigation on their 1st green, tee and fairway . . . Dennis invites anyone interested to stop by and take a look — Pat Ryan, owner of the Greenshire Golf Club, a 9 hole par 3 has recently constructed a practice putting green . . . the entire 9 holes has automatic irrigation — Tom Gilman at Riverside Country Club reconstructed two tees and one green last fall and should be open around June 1 . . . Tom also enlarged one lake and dredged out another as part of a drainage program — Norm Kramer, GCSAA Director, says the National Executive Directors and Headquarters are really pushing for more public recognition for the Superintendent . . . read his article in the April "Golf Superintendent" — Walter Pieper, 37 year veteran at Flossmoor Country Club is enlarging and renovating their #15 tee . . . constructing a new rain shelter at the 16th tee and a new rest room at the 13th tee . . . Dale, Walter's son, has been the assistant at Flossmoor for eight years . . . During the January, 1967 severe snow storm, Walter's staff was snowbound in the clubhouse for three days — The tornado which hit a few weeks ago touched down along the Glencoe Golf Club boundary and ran about a mile, severely damaging and uprooting 200 large trees, then hopped over Green Bay Road and on to Adolph Bertucci's Lake Shore Country Club and there took down 15 large trees.

Ed Braunsky, superintendent-manager of Hickory Hills Golf Club is certainly thankful, he lives only two blocks from the Oak Lawn tornado destruction path.



(left to right) Ray Gerber, Al Johnson, Chas. Schultz and Wes Updegraff.



(left) Al Staudt and Gordon Hard



(left to right) Walter Hoyt, Bill Smith, Joe Grenko, and Art Benson Sr.



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