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The President's Message

After writing the past ten President's messages, it seems strange to sit down and realize that you have only one more to write. You go over in your mind all the events of the past year that the Midwest has been involved with, both on the National and on the Local level. We've been involved in controversy concerning the move of the National Headquarters, but yet our point was well taken and certain changes were made by the National to keep its members better informed. We have succeeded in having a fine candidate, Mike Bavier, nominated for the National Associations Board of Directors. I feel that events such as these show that we are a strong and interested association.

Our own Association functions have been well attended and managed, starting with our monthly meetings, the Fall Dinner Dance and our Annual Turf Clinic. Each year, it seems interest and participation has grown and this can only lead to a better "Association".

In closing, I would like to thank every member on the Board of Directors for their dedication in doing a fine job this past year. It is Men like these that make the Midwest function well. Finally, I want to thank you, the Membership, for supporting myself and the Board this past year. Without Members' support, an Association cannot work. So, in this respect, a very special "Thank You".

Denis Straus,
President



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