

Editor

MIDWEST BREEZES

Congratulations to Grandpa and Grandma Jack and Lila Hanson from Crystal Lake C.C. Joshua Patrick Martin a grandson, 9 lbs. 2 oz. made this possible on July 14.

Our M.A.G.C.S. meeting held at Kemper Lakes G.C. on July 16 was attended by 92 members, 87 of these played golf on a beautiful new golf course. Killian and Nugent Architects can be very proud of this wonderful course. The editor did not play golf, but I want to thank Richard Nugent, architect for the grand tour he gave me hole for hole. This indeed was something I had not expected when I arrived. I am amazed what can be done with a tract of farmland. The name lakes sure fits this club. Water and sand traps appear to be of no shortage. And speaking of sand traps I hope that none of our Midwest members that played golf are not guilty of walking out of a sand trap and leaving without smoothing their foot prints. Any golfer who is guilty of this cares very little about those who are playing behind him or her.

Our many thanks goes to III. Lawn Equipment Co. and Art Clesen & Co. for the beer and open bar at Kemper Lakes meeting.

Our speaker at the evening dinner was **Ted Albrecht** offense guard for the Bears football team. If he plays football as good as he can talk the team should be a winner this year.

John Coghill, owner of Silver Lake C.C. who spends the winter months in Florida, visited with his many friends at Kemper. Walter Hoyt, one of our older M.A.G.C.S. members formally supt. at Timber Trails G.C. also joined us at this meeting.

Gwen K. Stahnke, a past employee at Medinah C.C. and now with Dr. Jim Beard in Texas also made her appearance and we sure were glad to have an opportunity to visit with them.

TO: RAY GERBER, EDITOR BULLSHEET

The members of Idlewild Country Club Saturday, June 9th honored their devoted golf course superintendent, Peter N. Voykin for twenty years of outstanding performance and service. The gala event had the entire membership present at the banquet for a man they feel is one "of the best supts. in the country". The club flew Peter's mother from Saskatoon, Saskatchewan and his brother Andrew from Tampa, to join brothers Rodney and Paul at the dinner for Peter. Many telegrams were received from Peter's good friends as well as telegrams from GCSAA, the Canadian Assoc., Greater Chicago Managers Assoc., the Illinois PGA, Golf Foundation, the Midwest Golf Course Supts. Assoc., and Chicago District Golf Association.



This picture shows 15,000,000 gallons of treated water every day being wated by going down the river. This treatment plant is located at the North Shore Sanitary District on the north side of Chicago near Highland Park, IL. When completed it is anticipated it will be treating 35,000,000 gallons of effluent water a day. The results are that this water can safely be used for irrigation. Part of the cost is being financed by the Chicago District Golf Association. I am sure we all feel that this is a worthy project due to a shortage of water we may have to face within the distant future. It is anticipated the 35,000,000 gals. a day will be ample to irrigate several golf courses in the North Shore area.

The University of Illinois will be watching this project very closely and will have some turf grass plots near the treatment plant. The plots will receive this treated water to determine how it will react on different strains of turfgrass.



This picture will introduce to you those people who will see that this project is properly executed.

Gene Lukasik, chief chemist N.S.S.D., John P. Kottcam Jr., engineer and designer, Joseph Styx, plant supt., Dr. Al Turgeon, University of Illinois, Jean Haley, assistant horticulturist, University of Illinois, Bob Williams, supt. Bob O'Link G.C., Wolfgang Mueller, supt. Onwentsia C. and Son.