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MICHAEL R. BAVIER, CGCS, ELECTED 1981 PRESIDENT IN GCSAA ANNUAL MEETING IN ANAHEIM

Anaheim, Calif.—Michael R. Bavier, CGCS, Superintendent of Inverness Golf Club, Palatine, Ill., was elected President of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America in the group's annual membership meeting.

Also elected were James A. Wyllie, Bayview Country Club, Thornhill, Ontario, Canada, Vice President; Eugene D. Baston, CGCS, Birmingham (Ala.) Country Club, Director; and Riley Lee Stottern, CGCS, Jeremy Ranch Country Club, Salt Lake City, Utah. The election was in conjunction with GCSAA's 52nd International Turfgrass Conference and Show in the Anaheim Convention Center.

Bavier, who served as GCSAA Vice President in 1980, has been a GCSAA member for 15 years. He also served as a Director of GCSAA for four years. He has been superintendent of the Inverness Golf Club since 1969, and previously was superintendent of Calumet Country Club, Homewood, Ill., from 1965 to 1969.

Wyllie, formerly GCSAA Secretary-Treasurer, has served as a Director of the Association for three years. A GCSAA member for 20 years, he has been superintendent of Bayview Country Club for the past year. He previously served as superintendent of Lambton Golf and Country Club, Toronto, from 1967 to 1979.

Baston, a GCSAA member for 14 years, has been superintendent of the Birmingham course for the past eight years. Prior to that, he was superintendent of Bay Hill Club and Lodge, Orlando, Fla., for two years and Savannah (Ga.) Inn and Country Club for five years.

Stottern, a GCSAA member for 13 years, has been superintendent of the Jeremy Ranch course for nearly one year. Prior to that, he was superintendent of the Desert Inn Country Club, Las Vegas, for two years, and Oakridge Country Club, Salt Lake City, for 12 years.

The new officers join Directors Paul Boizelle, CGCS, Fiddlers Elbow Country Club, Far Hills, NJ; Edward Dembnicki, Arcadian Shores Golf Course, Myrtle Beach, SC; Robert W. Osterman, CGCS, Connecticut Golf Club, Easton, CT; and James W. Timmerman, CGCS, Orchard Lake (Mich.) Country Club. Outgoing President Melvin B. Lucas Jr., CGCS, Piping Rock Club, Long Island, NY, also will serve on the association's Board of Directors for an additional year.

The associations annual conference and show, which included the membership meeting and election drew a record attendance of more than 8,000 for its five-day run in the Anaheim Convention Center. GCSAA, with a total membership of almost 5,000, is headquartered in Lawrence, KS.

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In Kohn, a town of monks and bones,
And pavements fanged with murderous stones,
And rags, and hags, and hideous wenches,
I counted two-and-seventy stenches,
All well-defined, and separate stinks!
Ye nymphs that reign o'er sewers and sinks,
The river Rhine, it is well known,
Don't wash your city of Cologne;
But tell me nymphs, what power divine
Shall henceforth wash the river Rhine?