



MIDWEST BREEZES

The Chicago area has the reputation of having some of the best golf courses in the country. I am sure the maintenance is supervised by some of the better qualified men in the golf course maintenance field.

My point is, why is it so hard to get these qualified men to write interesting articles for the **Bull Sheet**. It is not necessary that they are long articles, just topics that would be of interest to the readers of the **Bull Sheet**. For example, something that happened at your club or one of your neighbors golf courses or that of a Supt's family experience. There are many things that have taken place that we would like to hear about. We have to rely on you to furnish us with the news of what has taken place. Timely news articles are always welcome. Do it now before you get too busy with the golfing season. The editor will decide the proper time for publication. Let us prove to the **Bull Sheet** readers that we in the Chicago area have some of the best golf course Superintendents who are willing to support the association's publication.

The March issue had four very good articles. How about letting the editor hear from you. The address is the same as it has been for the past forty-six years: 865 Hillside Ave., Glen Ellyn, IL 60137. Thank you. Our readers will appreciate your contributions.

The **Bull Sheet** is sorry that it did not have more information in the March issue in regards to the C.D.G.A. seminar held at Butterfield C.C. on March 25. The reason is, that is all the editor received.

The M.A.G.C.S. March 8th meeting held at Nordic Hills C.C. was enjoyed by 80 members and guests. Attendance was greater than expected, due to the winter-like snow and blizzard conditions. After a couple rounds at the bar and a wonderful dinner and listening to the educational program, provided by the University of Ill., the weather outdoors was of no interest. The knowledge that was being gathered indoors was what they were there for. We all thank the U. of I. for making this interesting meeting a most worthy one.

JAMES A WYLLIE IS GCSAA'S NEW PRESIDENT

James A. Wyllie, CGCS, superintendent of Bayview Country Club, Thornhill, Ontario, was elected President of GCSAA during the annual membership meeting in New Orleans.

Robert W. Osterman, CGCS, was elected to the position of Vice President. Bob is superintendent of the Connecticut Golf Club, Easton, Connecticut. James W. Timmerman, CGCS, Orchard Lake Country Club, Orchard Lake, Michigan, was appointed by Wyllie to serve as Secretary/Treasurer.

Two new directors were also elected during the membership meeting. John P. Hayden, CGCS, San Jose Country Club, Jacksonville, Florida, and Paul Boizelle, CGCS, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Illinois. By resolution of the Executive Committee, John will serve a three year term and Paul will serve a two year term. Richard Slivinski, CGCS was appointed by Wyllie to fill Bob Osterman's unexpired one year term. Slivinski is Director of Golf Courses for the city of Phoenix (Arizona).

Continuing their terms on the board as directors are Eugene D. Baston, CGCS, Country Club of Birmingham (Alabama), and Riley L. Stottern, CGCS, Jeremy Ranch Country Club in Salt Lake City. Mike Bavier, CGCS will remain on the board as Immediate Past President.

DAVE MASTROLEO RETIRES AS EDITOR OF "DIVOT NEWS"

Dave Mastroleo, long-time superintendent of the Hillcrest Country Club, Los Angeles, California, has retired as editor of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of Southern California's "Divot News". Dave founded the newsletter in 1961 and has been its sole editor since then.

Mike Heacock, superintendent at the Lakeside Golf Club of Hollywood, has assumed the editor's duties on an interim basis.

Dan Dinelli, son of **Joe Dinelli**, Supt. at North Shore C.C., is a turf student at Michigan State University and was elected Secretary & Treasurer. Congratulations, **Dan**.

GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENT WANTED

POSITION: Greens Superintendent
Park Hills Golf Course (36 holes)
Freeport, Illinois

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: B. S. Degree in Agronomy, Soil Science, Turf Management, or Equivalent. 3 years Experience as an Assistant or Golf Course Supt.

SALARY: \$15,000 — \$22,000; plus Housing and Park District Benefits

Resumes accepted until April 15, 1982. Send completed detailed resume to:

Steve Erin
Park District Director
Freeport Park District
Read Park
Freeport, Illinois 61032

The sympathy of the Midwest Assoc. of Golf Course Supts. is extended to the Miller family due to the death of Mrs. **Bob Miller** who passed away on March 9.