GCSAA NEWS IN BRIEF

- * The two seminars, Pest Control Management V and Management V, that were held in Chicago on Nov. 22 & 23, were well attended. Reports from attendees indicate that information derived from the seminars was very good. GCSAA would like to thank member Pete Leuzinger for helping in the arrangements for the seminars.
- Promotion of the fast approaching GCSAA International Turfgrass Conference and Show in Atlanta is still going on through various golf publications. Southern Golf; Florida Golf Week; Recreation; Sports & Leisure; Weeds, Trees & Turf and Grounds Maintenance,to name a few, have recently run our Conference and Show ad.
- * And, for the first time, Golf Digest and Golf World magazines have run GCSAA's Conference and Show ad in their January and December 3 issues, respectively. All ads appeared at no expense to GCSAA and were positioned prominently in each of these magazines.

The MAGCS Golf Committee is in need of people to serve on their committee for the 1983 golf season. Anyone wishing to serve, please call **Joe Williamson** at (219) 322-3660 or (219) 836-8900.

Anyone who does not have a handicap through their home club, please let me know so I may obtain one through the CDGA at no cost to our members. I would like to start the first golf event of the year with a handicap for everyone. Contact Joe Williamson at (219) 836-8900.

Gentlemen:

Allow me to offer my most sincere congratulations to you on taking this very positive step of incorporating the Fellowship Prayer Breakfast. I recently read of your efforts and accomplishments in the December issue of the **Bull Sheet.**

I have enjoyed participating in each of our prayer breakfasts since Anaheim and think that the formation of this group comes at a most important time. Not since the establishment of our organization at Sylvania in 1926 has the Association faced such times of tribulation. I sincerely pray that the Lord will guide our member colleagues in overcoming apathy and involving them in the determination of the future course and direction of GCSAA as well as their profession. Our Association very much needs guidance from above.

From the **Bull Sheet** column I couldn't determine if individual memberships were available. However, I am enclosing a check for the small amount of twenty-five dollars as a contribution to the fund.

I might also add that I was very pleased to see that the leadership of the group included Palmer Maples. I'm hoping that Palmer will do the invocation for the Thursday night banquet in Atlanta.

I'm looking forward to seeing each of you in Atlanta and, hopefully, the ranks of the prayer breakfast will grow to include a great many more of our colleagues.

Until we meet in Atlanta, may the peace of our Lord be with you!

James G. Prusa, CGCS Director of Education

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Because of the benefits derived from attending Turf Conferences, my club officials insist that I go to Atlanta, GA. I sincerely hope that other clubs are doing the same for their grounds superintendent.

