# **College** Corner

## **Mechanic Students Wanted**

#### by John R. Piersol Director of Turf Management & Landscaping Lake City Community College

In an effort to better meet the tremendous demand for properly trained turf equipment technicians, Lake City Community College is expanding the one year, college credit, certificate program in Turf Equipment Management. The school has accepted only 15 students in past years, but the goal for Fall '94 is 32 students. As of May 19, 1994, 20 students have been accepted.

Won't you please help? If anyone knows a person who is mechanically inclined and who is looking for a stable, lucrative career, have him call John R. Piersol at Lake City Community College, Lake City, Florida, (904) 752-1822, Ext. 1225 for details about the Turf Equipment Management (T.E.M.) program.

Lake City had only seven graduates from T.E.M. this Spring, and those graduates received over fifty job offers. Two of the seven students took positions starting in the \$28,000-\$30,000 range. Not bad for one year of training!

### Penn State Now Accepting Applications - Turfgrass Management Technical Program Press Release

UNIVERSITY PARK, PA — Applications are now being accepted for Penn State's Two-Year Turfgrass Management Technical Program for the class beginning in October of 1995. There is an application fee of \$35.00 and the deadline for applications is December 31, 1994. Applications can be obtained by calling (814) 865-8301 or by writing to: Turfgrass Management Technical Program, The Pennsylvania State University, 306 Ag. Administration Building, University Park, PA 16802-2601.

### Penn State Competes Against Michigan State for Cutter Cup

UNIVERSITY PARK, PA — The second Cutter Cup Challenge was played last fall with Michigan State University Turf Club hosting Penn State Turf Club at Point O'Woods Golf Club in Benton Harbor, Michigan. Steve Glossinger, Point O'Woods Superintendent, had the course in excellent shape for the event.

Penn State was represented by Steve Jasimovich, Chris Modeer, Rick Pagett, and Ken Watts. Michigan State was represented by Ed Richardson, Jeff Skinner, Igancio Soto and Roger White. The match play event was tied 2 and 2, and Penn State retained the Cutter Cup for the second year. The 1994 Cutter Cup Challenge will be played in October at Laurel Valley in Ligonier, Pennsylvania and will be hosted by Mark Hollick.



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