

June

8 — Lofts Field Day in Wilmington, Ohio. Contact David Goodwin at 800-328-1127.

10 — Lofts Field Day in Beltsville, Md. Contact John Patton at 800-732-3322.

July

4-8 — World Scientific Congress of Golf in St. Andrews, Scotland. Contact World Scientific Congress of Golf in the UK at 0334-75560.

24-26 — Texas Turfgrass Seminar in Arlington. Contact 806-354-8447.

31-Aug. 2 — Georgia GCSA Summer Conference at Callaway Gardens Resort. Contact Karen White at 706-769-4076.

August

16 — Wisconsin Turfgrass Field Day in Madison. Contact Dr. Frank Rossi at 608-262-1490.

24 — Turf Talk '94 in Chandler, Ariz. Contact Garden West at 602-233-2966.

September

20-22 — Virginia Tech Turf and Landscape Field Days in Blacksburg, Va. Contact J.R. Hall III at 703-231-9736

October

29-Nov. 2 — Georgia GCSA Annual Meeting in Savannah. Contact Karen White at 706-769-4076.

November

6-9 — 15th Annual International Irrigation Exposition and Technical Conference in Atlanta. Contact 703-573-3551.

11-12 — Golf Course Expo in Orlando, Fla. Industry trade show and conference for superintendents, managers, owners and developers of public-access golf courses. Contact the Golf Course News Conference Group at 207-846-0600.

18-20 — National Golf Foundation Golf Summit '94 in Phoenix. Contact 407-744-6006.

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times have less impact on our society than the stories behind the less-weighty headlines. Along this vein, any coverage of the Black Pages was buried in the back of your daily newspaper a month or so ago.

If the May issue's revelation on Potty Parity isn't enough to cause a hot breeze of premonition, the Black Pages may lurk around the corner in your future.

First remember, it was not long ago that the Shoal Creek mud was slung. The private country club in Birmingham, Ala., had no African-American members. African-Americans, whites — the whole world, for that matter — damned the club from here to Sunday for its discrimination.

Today, those same African-Americans are stepping into the old shoes of Those Dreaded Discriminators. The Black Pages is their answer to the Yellow Pages of your friendly telephone company. While the Yellow Pages list all businesses, the Black Pages list only those owned by African-Americans.

Is this discrimination against white, yellow and red people? What if you are a (ugh-h) "mixed breed"?

Would Dr. Martin Luther King have joined Shoal Creek? I don't know. But I feel he would be very upset by the Black Pages. He wanted all people to transcend physical superficialities. This sort of thing only puts up more walls of division.

And if we don't need it in golf, we certainly don't need it in society in general. Indeed, the American Declaration of Inde-

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