

## GREEN SECTION'S TRAVELING LIBRARY OF

**Greenkeepers' Books**

## OUTLINES WIDE FIELD OF STUDY

**A** HELPFUL and comprehensive bibliography concerning subjects of practical interest to the greenkeeper has been compiled by the U. S. G. A. Green Section. These books and circulars were on exhibit at the Green Section displays in the various golf shows this spring.

Kenneth Welton of the Green Section has supplied GOLFDOM with the following list of printed matter shown at the exhibit. The U. S. Department of Agriculture publications listed may be obtained free, unless otherwise indicated, from the department at Washington, D. C. Various state bulletins may be obtained upon application to the addresses given. The books on golf architecture and turf culture can be secured through GOLFDOM and we shall make every effort to learn the publishers and prices of any other books in the bibliography that our readers may desire.

**List of Books****ARCHITECTURE:**

- Golf Architecture—Mackenzie.
- Golf Architecture—Colt & Allison.
- Golf Architecture in America—Thomas.
- The Links—Robt. Hunter.

**BOTANICAL:**

- Gray's New Manual of Botany.

**DRAINAGE:**

- Practical Farm Drainage—Elliott.
- Textbook of Land Drainage—J. A. Jeffrey.

**ENTOMOLOGY:**

- School Entomology—Sanderson & Pears.
- Destructive and Useful Insects—Metcalf & Flint.

**FERTILIZATION:**

- Voorhees Fertilizers. Revised edition.
- Fertilizers and Crops—Van Slyke.
- The American Fertilizer Hand Book for 1928.
- Manures and Fertilizers—Wheeler.

**GRASSES:**

- Forage Plants—Piper.
- A Text Book of Grasses—Hitchcock.

**PHYSICS:**

- Physics of Agriculture—King.

**SOILS:**

- Soil Management—Firman E. Bear. Ed. 2.
- Soils—Hilgard.
- Soils—S. W. Fletcher.
- Soil Management—King.

**TURF CULTURE (Maintenance):**

- Turf for Golf Courses—Piper & Oakley.
- A. B. C. of Turf Culture—Noer.

**LANDSCAPE:**

- The Complete Garden, by Albert D. Taylor.

**List of Bulletins****BIRDS:**

- Bird Houses and How to Build Them—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 609.
- How to Attract Birds in Northeastern United States—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 621.
- Common Birds of Southeastern United States—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 755.
- How to Attract Birds in Northwestern United States—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 760.
- How to Attract Birds in Middle Atlantic States—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 844.
- How to Attract Birds in East Central States—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 912.
- Homes for Birds—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1456.

**CLEARING:**

- Boring Taprooted Stumps for Blasting—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 600.
- Clearing Land of Brush and Stumps—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1526.
- Clearing Land—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 974.

**DRAINAGE:**

- Tile Drainage—Michigan Agricultural College, East Lansing, Mich., Special Bulletin 56.
- Pump Drainage on the University of Wisconsin Marsh, Research Bulletin 50, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.
- Drain Wet Fields, Bulletin 365, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

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Farm Drainage, Bulletin 178, University of Oregon, Eugene, Ore.  
Tile Trenching Machinery, U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1131.

FERTILIZERS:

Fertilizers for Special Crops (1926), Bulletin 383, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Report on Inspection of Commercial Fertilizers (1928), Bulletin 296, Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, New Haven, Conn.

Fertilizers and Crops and Marsh Soils (1927), Bulletin 392, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Soils and Fertilizers, Bulletin 322, Ontario Dept. of Agriculture, Toronto, Ont., Canada.

Loss of Fertilizers by Leaching, Bulletin 132, University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla.

GRASSES:

Bermuda Grass—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 814.

Cultivated Grasses of Secondary Importance—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1433.

Imported Cultivated Grasses—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1254.

PESTS:

House Ants, Kinds and Methods of Control—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 740.

Earthworms as Pests and Otherwise—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1569.

The Japanese Beetle—Circular 419.

The Chinch Bug in Relation to St. Augustine Grass—U. S. Dept. Agr. Circular 51-C.

SOILS:

Grouping Soils on the Basis of Mechanical Analysis—Circular 419.

Quality and Value of Important Types of Peat Material—U. S. Dept. Agr. Bulletin 402; 10c.

TREES:

Trees for Roadside Planting—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1482.

Tree Surgery—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1178.

WATER SUPPLY:

Farm Plumbing—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1426.

Farmstead Water Supply—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 1448.

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## WEEDS:

Weeds of New Jersey (1924)—New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, New Brunswick, N. J.

Some Farm Weeds, How to Know and Control Them (1924), Circular 171, Extension Service, College of Agriculture, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Idaho Weeds (1926), Extension Bulletin 56, Extension Service, University of Idaho College of Agriculture, Moscow, Idaho.

Pennsylvania Weeds (1927), General Bulletin 448, Pennsylvania Dept. Agr., Harrisburg, Pa.

Weeds—How to Control Them—U. S. Dept. Agr. Farmers' Bulletin 660.

## A Plea For the Care of Young Trees

By H. Hunsucker

MUCH has been written about the care of old trees and they certainly merit all the care and attention prescribed. But what about young trees? Each spring, thousands of them are planted, with the very best of intentions, and through lack of care from 40 per cent to 90 per cent die during the first summer. Of course they can be replaced the following fall or spring, but one year's growth is lost thereby, together with the probability of losing a large per cent of the replacements.

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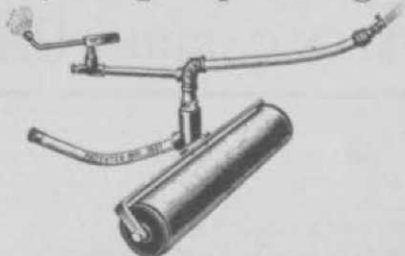
In the first place, trees should be selected from a nursery of good standing. They struggle enough under normal conditions without the handicap of a dwarfed root system and poor handling at the nursery. The order should specify straight trees of the size desired.

It is very important when the trees arrive to have them "healed in" at once. The term "healed in" means to cover the roots with moist soil, until they can be planted in their permanent location. The tree should be planted at about the same depth as at the nursery. More trees are planted too deep than too shallow. It is common knowledge that filling around old trees will cause them to die. Planting young trees too deep is a frequent cause of death the second year after planting.

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