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National Industrial Conference Board recently completed a study in which it was found that a six-day, 48-hour week represents the best standard for efficient war production. Manpower shortages in wartime made labor efficiency and productivity matter of major concern. The Conference Board reported that analyses made by the Federal Bureau of Labor Statistics indicated that the six-day, 48-hour week was most productive for wartime, but the schedule might not prove equally as productive in peacetime. The study also found that when workers had no control of the speed of the work, output increased in the seven-day week, but so did spoilage, sickness and absenteeism.

## N. Y.-Conn. Group Sponsors First Turf School

The N. Y.-Conn. Turf Improvement Association in conjunction with the N. Y. State College of Agriculture and Extension Service, sponsored the first Turf School in this area. The two day session in October, arranged by the association's education committee of Ed. P. Brady, N. Y. City Parks; Alex L. Edgar, St. Andrews; Joseph Flynn, Metropolis; Frank Malara, Knollwood; Doug L. Rankin, Westchester CC, and A. R. Twombly, was attended by more than 230 turf people from N. Y. and surrounding states.

The program that was developed included such notables as Drs. O. J. Noer, John F. Cornman and J. A. Adams. Drs. P. P. Pirone and John C. Schread discussed the



O. J. Noer, Milwaukee Sewerage Commission, addressing the N. Y. - Conn. Turf School using colored slides to illustrate his talk.

disease and insect problems. Mr. Gene C. Nutter, Chan W. Baker and W. R. Craig together with Rev. B. L. Massee filled out the panel of excellent speakers whose topics covered everything from crab grass to Labor-Management problems.

On display were numerous species of turf weeds, turf insects and several of the newer strains of turf grasses. The school met with such interest and enthusiasm that another is planned for in 1951.

