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## V-C 13 NEMACIDE — NEW CHEMICAL CONTROL FOR TURF NEMATODES

A new chemical for the control of nematodes on turf and ornamental shrubs has been announced by Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corp., Richmond, Va. An organic phosphorous compound, the new product will be marketed under the trade name V-C 13 Nemacide.

Nematodes are tiny, thread-like worms that attack plant roots and stunt or ruin growth. Fertilizer, water and good care are wasted when destructive nematodes abound in the soil and wrech and ruin grass roots. Damage shows up as spotty, tufted, yellow, stunted grass with short, sparse roots.

V-C describes the new product as an insoluble liquid which is applied as an emulsion and remains in the soil. It is the first nemacide of its type on the commercial market. The company reports that the



rate of application of V-C 13 Nemacide is such that nematode control has been obtained without damage to growing plants.

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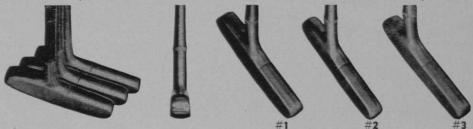
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In the past, the control of nematodes has been effected generally by fumigation of the soil with toxic chemicals.

The active ingredient of the new product is 0.2, 4-Dichlorophenyl 0, 0-Diethyl Phosphorothioate. It was first synthesized by Doctors William P. Boyer and J. Roger Mangham in the Richmond research laboratories of Virginia-Carolina, while extending investigation into this field of compounds originally investigated by Dr. Gerhard Schrader of Leverkusen, Germany. Its effectiveness as a nemacide was discovered by Dr. J. R. Christie and V. G. Perry of the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Dept. Ag., under screening programs for possible solutions to the nemacide threat.

Extensive laboratory and field tests conducted on golf courses and various ornamentals in the past four years have proven the effectiveness of the new chemical in controlling the pests, according to V-C scientists. It may be used on established grass, and at half strength on new,

young seedlings. V-C 13 Nemacide has a powerful, long-lasting residual effect and continues to control nematodes as long as it remains in the soil. Easy to use, it may be sprayed or sprinkled on turf with any standard spray equipment; then soaked into the soil with additional watering.

V-C 13 Nemacide is offered in two convenient sizes: 10 pounds in a one-gallon jug, and 50 pounds in a five-gallon drum. Descriptive literature and prices may be obtained by writing: Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corp., 401 East Main Street, Richmond 8, Va.

#### NEW CATALOG ON STAR LOCKERS

Star Steel Equipment Company, Inc., 117-20 Fourteenth Road, College Point 56, New York, has announced that their new catalog is available upon request illustrating the company's line of steel lockers and basket shelving.



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