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the lonely country clubs are overlooked and, therefore, fail to receive the fair consideration which these systems deserve.

Auxiliary or remote station systems are within the reach of every country club,

regardless of size or budget.

Approved watchman service is another method to assure fire protection and accomplish insurance premium reductions, provided the possibility of human error and human frailty is overcome by approved time recording apparatus. To gain credit, watchman service must extend to all parts of the clubhouse or other buildings with recording stations properly installed and approved by the rating bureau.

Finally, insurance premium credit is afforded for adequate and properly located first-aid fire extinguishers. In order to maintain the credit on manual extinguishers, it is necessary to have the unit recharged annually and hydrostatically tested every three to five years.

There are many ways for a country club to reduce its fire insurance premium burden. Local fire prevention officers, insurance company fire protection representatives, and local rating bureaus will gladly make the necessary recommendations. Unfortunately, too many country clubs are content to take their chances with hostile fire. With the annual fire record what it is, the gamble is foolhearty.

Has your country club had a fire protection review recently?

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