

News of the industry

Ragan is paid tribute

The members of Greenbriar Hills Country Club, St. Louis, Missouri paid tribute to their superintendent, Walter C. Ragan and his wife, Mae for the 33 years he has been at Greenbriar. For 26 of those years he has been the superintendent.

The membership recognized him as a man unselfish of his time and talents in the caring of the greens. They acknowledged his 70 hour weeks during the summers and his time and devotion to the club.

Insect control booklet

A new booklet, covering various phases of insect control, has been published by Curtis Dyna-Products Corporation and is offered without charge.

It outlines the problems inherent in insect infestation, and reviews the factors which must be considered in control techniques. Various ways of eradication are covered, and the brochure suggests some insecticide formulations and methods of distribution.



Above, the first five graduates of Michigan State University's 18-month turfgrass management technical program. The graduates received special training under a program offered through MSU's Institute of Agricultural Technology and the Department of Crop Science.

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