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THE PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Has Spring arrived? As I write this in early April, there is a blizzard and four inches of snow on the ground. Mother Nature has called again in a manner that could be of help to some and an awful hindrance to others. This time of the year the annual hassle by golfers has to be digested by the golf course superintendent. Take it in stride, fellows, and I am sure we will have a successful start.

At this writing there is no further information on any of the results of the hearing on Bill #347, on the banning of Phenoxy Herbicides. If we are fortunate enough maybe, just maybe, this bill will die in its present state.

I am very grateful to Mr. Bill Eckert and his environmental committee on the way the presentation was made in opposition of this bill.

The WGCSA Special Meeting in March went over very well. More meetings of this type will be coming up in the future. The overwhelming response indicates favorably. There were so many things to be discussed and talked about that chances are the meeting could have gone well into the night.

Thank you Mr. Dennis Willms for bringing forth the first of these meetings.

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