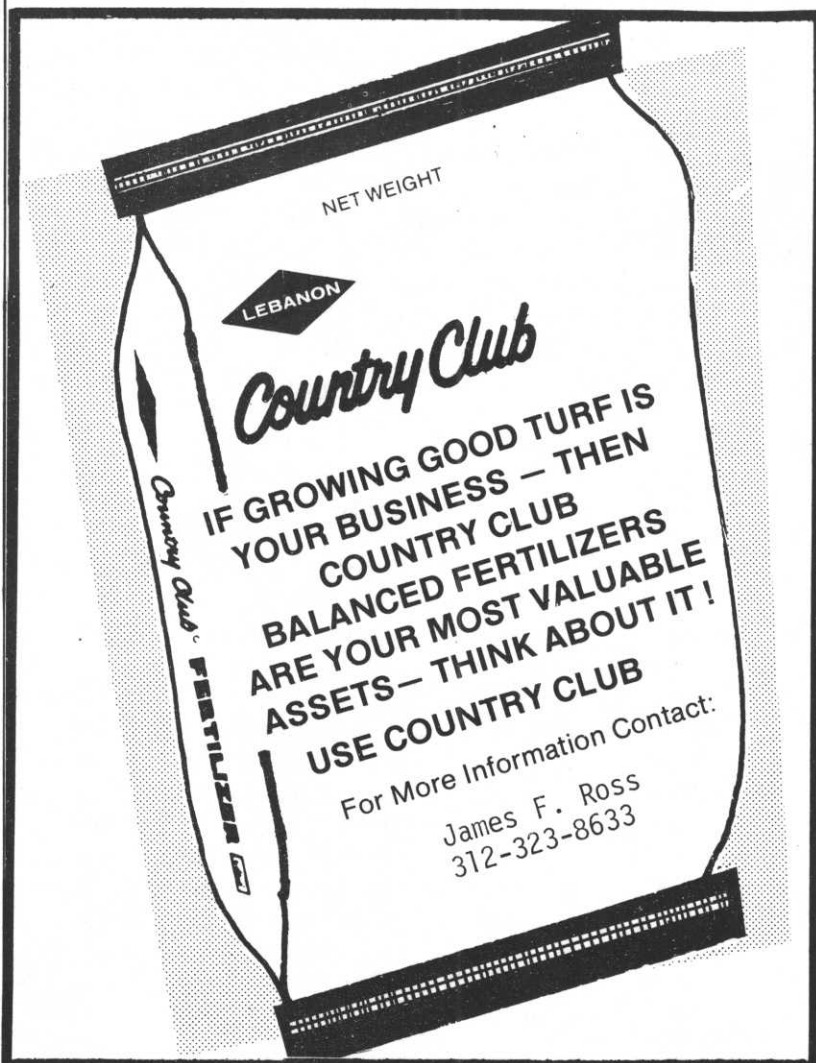


FULL HOUSE AT LONG LAKE

Nobody's sure of the reason the November meetings are so well attended. Is it 1) The busy season is over? 2) The complimentary cocktail hour hosted by Long Lake Ford? 3) The great food at the Hanson House? 4) All of the above? At any rate there were well over 80 in attendance. With the cocktail hour scheduled after the meeting, the result was a very, very short Business Meeting! About the only thing of significance was the acceptance of six Class C turf students from Anoka Tech into membership. Our unreliable camera failed in the pinch which means the picture of the group did not turn out. If we had a picture you would see Roger Bzdok, Marty Matson, Eric Farrar, Anita Halvorson, Cary Femrite and Keith Stachowski. Welcome! We hope your membership is most educational. Our thanks to Budd and Jerry Shaughnessy and their whole crew for the display and the libations. President Ostler announced with much sadness the death of Allen Ista, the superintendent at the Northfield Golf Club. Allen was a long time member and experienced the remodeling of the Northfield Country Club from 9-Holes to 18-Holes just about four years ago.

The Arrangements Committee reported that the January meeting will be held on January 14, 1980 at Izaty's Lodge on Lake Mille Lacs. This was a most popular meeting last year and I'm told the fish are just waiting for the Superintendents to come and catch them this year. For non-fishermen, the meal itself is worth the trip.



DISPLAY. Don Lindblad looks over Long Lake Ford products in Hanson House parking lot.



COMMITTEE MEETING. Some great decisions being contemplated. Recognize anyone?