GREEN CLIPS

CLIP 1: NEW REPRESENTATIVE. Brian Lein has joined Turfcare Products March 29, 1982 in a newly created position of Field Sales and Service Representative. Brian, formerly of Brackett's Crossing in Lakeville, is skilled in all areas of turf maintenance and will certainly be a great asset to our association. Turfcare Products is a major supplier of maintenance equipment to the turf care industry.

CLIP 2: NECROLOGY. We are saddened to report, belatedly, that Frank B. Anderson passed away on September 25, 1981. He joined M.G.C.S.A. in 1928 and was a superintendent at Anoka Greenhaven G.C. and Golden Valley Country Club. A donation has been made in his memory to the M.G.C.S.A. Research Fund.

<u>CLIP 3</u>: LEAK DETECTION DYE. The Toro Company has announced the availability of a new liquid hydraulic oil dye, Toro P/N-44-2500. The dye was developed for use in the dydraulic systems on Toro's turf maintenance equipment. The dye is mixed with a unit's hydraulic oil and gives it a red color. This allows for easy detection of hydraulic oil leaks so they can be repaired before damaging a green or turf area. Toro has approved the use of the new hydraulic oil dye for use on all of their turf maintenance equipment and has stated that the dye has been endorsed by Toro's hydraulic component suppliers as being totally soluble and in no way affects the warranties of their components. While the new dye will aid in the detection of hydraulic oil leaks, Toro stresses that the dye is not a substitute for good preventative maintenance programs.

CLIP 4: LUCAS NAMED GCSAA HISTORIAN. Melvin B. Lucas, Jr., CGCS, superintendent of Piping Rock Club, Locust Valley, Long Island, N.Y., has been named Honorary Historian of the Golf Course Superintendents' Association of America, GCSAA President James A. Wyllie, CGCS, announced. The appointment was made during the GCSAA Executive Committee's Post-Conference meeting in New Orleans. A member of the Golf Collectors' Society, Lucas maintains an extensive collection of historical golf books, antique maintenance equipment and more than 250 clubs dating back to the origins of the game. The appointment recognizes Lucas' efforts in establishing an accurate record of GCSAA and the golf course superintendent's profession as well as his contributions to the history of the game of golf.

