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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

JOHN NYLUND

It's hard to believe that it is already aeration time. Where has the season gone? This summer has provided its share of concern for many superintendents. July was a month many superintendents would just as soon forget. It had just about every stress element a month could offer.

This summer has emphasized the need for a professional superintendent who can recognize problems and cope with the pressures of operating a golf course facility.

It has not been an easy year and I hope club officials will recognize the superintendent in some way and give him a special pat on the back.

This is the time of the year when job openings generally begin to appear. The policy of the M.G.C.S.A. is that the information for a head superintendent opening be submitted to the president who then checks out the facts with the club before an employment notice is sent out to the general membership. You have already received some notices by a special mailing. In the case of other employment openings, assistant superintendents, mechanics, etc., these openings are not covered by special mailings. We suggest a small advertisement in HOLE NOTES to fill this need.

The September scramble is filling up fast at Minikahda so get your entry in right away. It promises to be a really great day.

Our thanks to Dick Toupal and his North Oaks staff for providing a great day for our individual tournament last month. The winners will be introduced at the scramble tournament. Thanks to all who participated and made it a great day.