

Vintage Photo of “Greenskeepers” At 1958 MGCSA Conference At the Curtis Hotel in Minneapolis



This vintage MGCSA photo was submitted by Life Member Ray Hall. Ray is the one in the middle of the photo without a suitcoat. “This 1958 shot was taken at the old Curtis Hotel in Minneapolis where the MGCSA used to hold its fall and winter conference. We were called greens-

keepers then,” said Ray.

1958 was the same year Ray, on a bet, won \$50 for growing grass on a tennis ball in 36 hours. “I was then called the grassman by the editor of the Anoka Herald paper,” he said.