

6. Grey Birch - Grows quickly. Suggested for undergrowth for more permanent trees. Plant a group of trees including grey birch and about the time the gray birch begins to weaken, oaks, etc., will come in.
7. Sugar Maple - A good tree. Plant only where soil is free of stone to a depth of four feet.
8. Sour Gum - Excellent for wet ground. Leaves turn red early in late summer. Move only in spring.
9. Ghinko - A good tree. No insect or disease problems. Takes fifteen or twenty years to form a good sized tree.
10. Evergreens - Excellent, no leaf problem. Are beautiful trees. White Pine, Austrian Pine, and Japanese Black Pine are toughest and most picturesque evergreen trees. Caution: If Hemlock trees are used, they should be planted only in well drained soils and should be protected from wind over the first winter.

In the Hospital: We have just received word that our good friend, Carroll Hitchcock, is in Sinai Hospital in Baltimore. I am sure he would appreciate hearing from his fellow members. His address is:

Sinai Hospital, Room 350
Green Spring and Belvidere Avenues
Baltimore, Maryland.

Field Days at Beltsville: Dr. Juska of the U.S.D.A. has announced that the field days will be held on Tuesday, August 1, 1961. It will be a one day affair.

National News: The Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Ward Cornwell, is now inviting nominations for National Directors to be voted on at the 1962 meeting in Miami. The terms of the following officers and directors will expire December 31, 1961:

President:	L. E. Lambert
Vice-President:	Sherwood A. Moore
Directors:	L. W. (Sonny) DuBose
	Walter F. Wagner
	Roy W. Nelson

Let's check the Mid-Atlantic Chapter for a candidate. The National suggests the following guide when considering a nominee:

1. Class A or B membership in G. C. S. A. A.
2. Leadership in chapter affairs
3. Strong loyalty for G. C. S. A. A.
4. Ability to think clearly and aggressively
5. Diplomacy and tact
6. Good stature and professional bearing

Deadline for nominations: October 1, 1961