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On October 3 a fine turnout was present at Woodmont Country Club for our annual outing. Thirty-nine golfers competed for prizes in the annual golf tournament. The winners were as follows:

J. Burt, Low Net, Trophy
R. Martino, Low Gross, Trophy
G. Cornell, Head Covers
E. Watson, Sweater
W. Glenn, Shirt
B. Whetsell, Shirt
J. Milan, Shirt

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Gumm. He congratulated our host on the fine condition of the golf course, and thanked the club for the wonderful dinner and the other courtesies extended to our association. Bob Shields introduced the officials and other personnel associated with Woodmont Country Club. They were:

Mr. Froidberg, Greens Chairman
Mr. Irvin Kanter, Assistant Greens Chairman
Jacques Aimi, Manager
Tony Marle, Professional
George Wyatt, Assistant to Bob.

Mr. Froidberg in a short talk welcomed our group to Woodmont. He had some very nice things to say about our Superintendent's Association, as well as their own superintendent, Robert Shields.

In addition to the golf prizes, numbers were drawn and twenty-one superintendents received gifts donated by the following companies:

American Agricultural Chemical Co.
G. L. Cornell Co.
Baltimore Toro Co.
National Capital Toro Co.
W. A. Cleary Co.
F. W. Bolgiano Co.
Pinecrest Golf Center Inc.
The Upjohn Co.
The Kapco Co.

Swift & Co.
J. J. Hurley
John Milan
Scarlett & Co.

The prizes were awarded to the following members:

S. Zontek	T. Doerer
A. Watson	R. Scott, Jr.
E. Watson	J. Thomas
R. Elder	L. Parsons
S. Betterly	T. Lumsden
E. Stanley	R. Hines
G. Wingo	W. Shrieber
C. Lindsay	A. Cammarota
R. Shields	M. Burkholder
S. Morris	J. Burt
J. Reid	

Stan Zontek, Mike Burkholder, Paul Schlosser, Harry Allanson, and Robert Adams did a fine job on this annual affair.

Our speaker for the evening, Dr. Kern Krietlow, Pathologist for the U. S. D. A., showed slides to illustrate his talk on diseases of lawn grass.

A constructive suggestion period was held with Bob Shields answering some questions from the members on the maintenance of his U-3 Bermuda.

Next Meeting: Our next meeting will be at the G. L. Cornell Co. for George's annual oyster and steak feed on November 7th at 6:00. This affair needs no plugging, so if there is anyone in our association whom you haven't seen for the past year, come to this meeting. He's sure to be there! For the benefit of new members, the meeting will be at the G. L. Cornell Co. on Miller Ave. in downtown Bethesda.

Election of Officers: Mr. Robert Shields, Nominations Chairman, has announced their selection of officers for 1962. They are as follows:

George C. Gumm, President
Stanley Zontek, Vice-President
Angelo Cammarota, Secretary-Treasurer

Elections will be held at the December meeting at Brook Manor Country Club on December 5th.

On September 12th fifty-two members and four guests were present at the September meeting at Argyle Country Club. Our President, George Gumm, introduced our hosts, Percy LeDuc and Bob Martino. Officials from the club present were Mr. Johnson, Vice-President, and Tom Yann, Manager. The following guests were present:

Paul Bond, National Capital Toro
Tom Cartwell, Baltimore Toro Co.
Jack Oullo, Lakewood Country Club
Mr. Bellizzi, Pro at Laurel Pines Country Club.

Golf prizes were awarded to the following golfers:

B. Whetsell
R. Stedman
C. Nason
G. Cornell
C. Lynch
R. Martino

Our speaker for the evening was Robert B. Wassell from the U. S. Weather Bureau at Friendship Airport in Baltimore, Maryland. He showed us a very timely movie on hurricanes. Before his talk he asked for questions so that he might find out what our interests were in relation to weather.

Employment Opportunity: We have been asked to help locate a golf course superintendent for the following opening:

The Irondequoit Country Club, Rochester, New York, is seeking a top-notch, qualified superintendent and will expect to pay accordingly. This is an eighteen-hole course with watered fairways. Those interested should contact:

Mr. Theodore H. Solomon
Attorney at Law
612-613 Wilder Building
Rochester 4, New York.

Before applying for this position, please check with the area Chapter Association Secretary for a review of conditions and salary levels in order to familiarize yourself with local problems, conditions, salary scale, etc.