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## President's Message

Another Mid-Atlantic turfgrass conference is now history. The 44th annual meeting was a complete success. My special thanks to Bill Emerson who did an outstanding job as educational chairman. Also thanks to Dr. John Hall for his help and to the rest of Bill's committee.

A conference by golf course superintendents for golf course superintendents, has always been our goal and certainly this year has again proved its merit. As average turf conferences are becoming more and more general. I think ours should become increasingly more specific. Instead of appealing to all segments of turfgrass industry, we as professionals should continue our aims of educating and instructing ourselves in our specialized field. The turfgrass councils are the place for the well rounded program and we should continue to support their efforts in aiding the rest of the industries.

Thanks again to our program committee and to our outstanding speakers for an exceptional program.

Lee Dieter  
President

## MARCH MEETING

The March meeting of the Mid-Atlantic will be held at Manor Country Club on March 13, 1973. Our host will be Craig Spottswood, Mid-Atlantic newsletter editor. George Cleaver, a director of the GCSAA, will speak to us on some of the programs of the National GCSAA.

Golf — anytime, weather permitting  
Social Hour 6:00 p.m.  
Dinner 7:00 p.m.

Directions to club — Beltway (495) to Georgia Avenue exit. Take Georgia Avenue north thru Wheaton to the first traffic light past Leisure World (approximately five miles). Turn left at this light which is Norbeck Road (Route 28) and go for about one mile to Carrollton Rd. Turn left to the club.



Installation of 1973 Officers, left to right: Dick Silvar, Bill Emerson, Angelo Cammarota, Alex Watson, Sam Kessel, George Thompson, Lee Dieter, George Cleaver, Paul Barefoot, Dave Fairbank and Dennis McCammon.

## Addition To The February Newsletter

Dave Fairbank, Army Navy C.C., was omitted from the Board of Directors, as listed in the last newsletter. He was elected as secretary-treasurer of the Mid-Atlantic. For the past two years Dave has been serving as golf chairman for our association.

## Bob Martino Has Won Again

Once again the Mid-Atlantic is proud of Bob Martino. Bob has won the annual GCSAA Golf Tournament held at the Port Royal Inn and Golf Club at Hilton Head Island, South Carolina. This was the fourth annual tournament, and the third time that Bob has won!! Congratulations, and keep up the good work!