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### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### Massachusetts Turf Conference

March 6, 7, 8

Chicopee, Massachusetts

Note: George Thompson, Columbia C.C., will participate in a panel discussing tri-calcium arsenate.

#### National Grounds Management

#### Ladies Night Dinner and Dance

March 16

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## AVAILABLE IN EARLY MAY - TWO-YEAR TURF GRADUATES

Dr. Hawes of the Institute of Applied Agriculture, University of Maryland, reports he has twelve turf students who will graduate in early May. Six of these are currently seeking employment as assistants or technicians. These students range in age from 19 to 24 years. Their turf experience ranges from six summers plus part-time winter work to one summer season on a golf course.

Dr. Hawes also has three of 19 freshmen students who desire summer jobs in the Maryland-Virginia area. These students will be working on their placement reports.

Twenty of the 48 turf graduates from the Institute are now superintendents, fifteen in Maryland, two in Virginia, one in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and New Jersey. Fourteen others are assistant superintendents, mostly in Maryland, but also one in Ohio, North Carolina and New Jersey.

Incoming students have been mostly from Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania. He has also had one from North Dakota and California. New York, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Delaware have also been represented in freshman classes.

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The gypsy moth damage to trees in the northeastern states continues to be extensive. According to a recently published USDA report, 1,773,846 acres of woodland were defoliated in nine states last summer. Pennsylvania, the hardest hit, is apparently suffering from the mobile nature of the pest, as it moves from an area of less favored food to areas where hardwood trees, its favorite food, are abundant. The Poconos region of Pennsylvania was especially hard hit, with almost 70% of the trees completely stripped. The acreages attacked by the moth in the 9 state region were: Penn., 856,710; Conn., 333-215; N.J., 254,865; N.Y., 248-441; Mass., 43,970; R.I., 35,935; Maine, 490; Vt., 200; and N.H., 30.



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