



Buffalo Show Announced

Fred A. Burkhardt, chairman of the show committee of the N. A. G. A., visited Buffalo recently in company with President John Morley and completed arrangements for the Second Annual National Greenkeepers' Show, to be held in the big ballroom and foyer of the new Hotel Statler, February 13-16, 1929. The total floor space available is about 11,000 square feet which is three times as much space as the committee had at Detroit last February. This extra space will permit the exhibition of complete fairway mowing units and sprayers, in fact every article of golf course equipment used in construction and maintenance work.

The Show room is immediately off the main lobby of the hotel and because of its size and accessibility is splendidly adapted for a Golf Show. Mr. Burkhardt states that the committee will not increase the price of space over last year and promises exhibitors the same efficient management as at Detroit. In addition to the chairman, the show committee of the N. A. G. A. consists of John MacGregor, Chicago; John Morley, Youngstown; Emil Loeffler, Pittsburgh; Al. Schardt, Buffalo; David L. Rees, New York, and Lewis M. Evans, Philadelphia. For further information address Fred A. Burkhardt, 405 Caxton Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

Watch Your Step, Greenkeepers!

I have been a Green committee chairman for several years and am greatly interested in the educational movement which you greenkeepers have undertaken.

Naturally in my travels about the country I meet and talk with many golfers and am keenly alert to their attitude regarding your association.

Frankly speaking there are unmistakable signs of wolves in sheep's clothing who are surreptitiously endeavoring by suggestion and innuendo to split asunder the National Association of Greenkeepers of America.

Every slight difference of opinion is dwelt upon and magnified; the precepts of the organization are picked to pieces; the moral fibre of one of the greatest movements for the good of golf the world has ever seen is being undermined.

Needless to say the motives of the meddlers are selfish. Their work is so subtle—it is almost impossible to put your finger on them. They appear in the guise of friends, but they are giving false advice.

Whether you believe it or not greenkeepers, you are in danger. Many an ambush is being prepared for you.

United you will stand; divided—God help you.

For your own sake forget your petty differences. Stop bickering about inconsequential things and stand together for the big objective you have begun and have faith in each other.

On this program you will win, and the great army of golfers who pay the bills will back you to the limit.

A GOLFER WHO BELIEVES IN YOU

Philadelphia Superintendents Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the Philadelphia Association of Golf Course Superintendents was held at the new Huntingdon Valley Country Club, on Monday, July 9, 1928. The day was very hot and sultry and golf for those of our members who indulge, was not a pleasure, but real work.

This course is in its second year and is in very good shape, considering some of the disadvantages of its layout. Mr. James Comito should be commended for his excellent supervision of this difficult course.

During the course of the afternoon the Pennsylvania Lawn Mower Co. gave demonstration of their fairway and green mower, under the direction of Mr. Harold Braun. Also, the Townsend Co. presented their new putting green mower of ten blades.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p. m. with President Evans presiding. Mr. Evans, who is incidentally treasurer of the National Greenkeepers Association, discussed their proposed meeting at Buffalo, also the exhibition of golf course equipment in connection with it.

Doctor Beale, a member of the Green committee of the entertaining club next asked for constructive criticism of his course. Mr. Keable, the club manager, took us on a personally conducted tour of their spacious club house, which is very elaborately and completely furnished in all departments.

It was voted to hold the Annual Picnic on Monday, August 20, 1928, at Forest Park, Chalfont, Pa., providing proper arrangements would be made with the owners of the park.

It was moved and seconded, that the expenses of the picnic be absorbed by our Treasury.

Meeting adjourned about 9:00 p. m.

(Signed) E. T. Young, Secretary.