

JOHN **OUAILL** SAYS:

CPRINGTIME seems to be here again. The northern boys are writing in and telling about getting busy on their courses and the southern boys tell us the tourist trade is moving north. If the bad weather keeps up in the north the tourists will be going south again.

Hugh Moore of Sea Island, Georgia, says they have a lot of rain down there and the big job is keeping down weeds.

Even though he is busy keeping down weeds, he is not too busy to send in some applications for new members. He says he is going to cover the south with applications 'Like the dew covers Dixie''.

Wouldn't it be great if every member took this same attitude and covered his own district in a like manner. Just think what could be accomplished.

Joe Mayo from way out west has also been busy and has put applications in the hands of all non-members on the Pacific coast. ocean air must have something to do with it as both of these boys are in charge of courses bordering on the oceans.

Have you a local organization in your district? If not, why not? Get a few of the boys together and organize. You will be surprised to find out how much good you can get out of a meeting of your own bunch.

If you have a local organization, won't you be kind enough to send in a list of the officers. We would be glad to know the officers and their addresses as we feel we can keep in closer touch with the greenkeepers that way. There are many things come up that will be particu-

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larly interesting to certain sections and we want to be sure to let you know about it.

If you need application blanks for new members, write to any of the officers or to L. M. Evans, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa., Joe Mayo, Pebble Beach, Calif., Hugh C. Moore, Box 53, St. Simon's Island, Ga., or to H. Hawkins, Port Credit, Ontario, Canada. Anyone of these will be glad to take care of vou.

Lew Evans, that little bundle of energy from Philadelphia, has his heart set on a thousand members by the next convention. None of us want to see Lew with a broken heart, so let's help him out and get some new ones.

Don't forget your dues. Your dues are due so do it while the doing's good. Send them to the Secretary and he will send you a nice new card and put your name on the good standing

BENT GRAJJ

Nine-tenths of the seed offered by seed dealers invariably is of foreign origin and often is not acclimated to the severe variable climatic conditions of our northern states. SHOULD AMERICANS PLAY THEIR GAMES ON "GERMAN, NEW ZEALAND OR CANADIAN" GRASS WHEN THEY CAN PURCHASE SEED, THAT PRODUCES THE SAME KIND OF TURF, FROM AMERICAN FARMERS WHO GROW IT?

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