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Enclosed find money order for ten dollars (\$10.00), same being membership dues for 1931 in the National Association of Greenkeepers of America.

While I was unable to attend the Show and Conference at Columbus, I feel the officers of the National association and all men who are instrumental in conducting the Convention and Golf Show deserve a comment of appreciation on their efforts to help their fellow-greenkeepers. May the good work continue.

For sometime I have wondered why the Question and Answer column in the *National Greenkeeper* was doomed to death in its infancy. Surely there are any number of greenkeepers who have been losing sleep the past two dry summers turning over and over in their minds some problems of course management which have added a few gray hairs to their heads.

If we could have all the questions that exist in the minds of our members published and answered in the *National Greenkeeper*, I am sure it would be of great benefit to many, and furthermore it would fulfill your hopes of having the magazine so large as to badly cripple the financial status of the Editor.

A letter from Mr. Power, Editor of the *National Greenkeeper*, asked for a number of questions which I sent to the office of the magazine some time ago. These were forwarded to Professor Lawrence S. Dickinson, Amherst, Massachusetts, for publication. Although they have been solved quite satisfactorily for me through our course at Michigan State College, I shall submit same upon receipt of answers from Professor Dickinson. Should any conflicting solutions arise I will let it be known. I think we will all welcome constructive criticism and from it grow bigger and better than ever.

GUSTAVE HANSEN, Greenkeeper,
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