

Feed your fairways and greens instead of re-seeding them

Follow a regular program of fertilization that will make your turf vigorous, healthy and attractive.

Starved grass is unsightly. Seed that is broadcast upon poor land is largely wasted. There is one way to make the fairways and greens of a golf course durable and beautiful . . . make the soil fertile enough to push the natural spread of grass and support a healthy turf. You can do this by following a proper program of fertilization.

For Greens

Apply Armour's Special Turf Fertilizer to your greens this spring. Broadcast 20 pounds per 1000 square feet before growth starts. Additional applications with your top dressing at the rate of 10 pounds to the 1000 square feet should be made during the growing season as needed.

For Fairways

Give fairways 500 pounds to the acre of Armour's Special Turf Fertilizer in early spring before growth starts. And again in late summer or early fall, apply 200 pounds or more to the acre to stimulate root growth and strengthen the turf before freezing weather arrives.

Late Applications

Late applications insure a supply of available nitrate nitrogen in the soil in early spring when it is too cold to produce its own nitrates, thus it materially increases the number of blades of grass, aids its spreading and gains from two to three weeks heavy growth.

Repeat this feeding program each year. You will develop a permanent turf that will go a long way toward eliminating weeds. You will have a permanent investment which will lessen the cost of future maintenance. Write for free booklet, "Solving The Turf Problem."

Twenty-one conveniently located plants insure prompt deliveries.



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that you are going to the National Greenkeepers' Convention and ask him for a certificate (not a receipt), so that you can obtain reduced rates when you are ready to return home.

When you arrive at the Deshler-Wallick go at once and register for your room. Tell the clerk that you are attending the Greenkeepers' Convention and inform him what price room you desire and if you want a friend to room with you also inform the clerk.

When you go to the Auditorium to view the Golf Show you will find a Registration desk, with Harry Burkhardt, Chairman in charge. Present to him your name and leave your half-fare certificate received from the railroad. You will be presented with a Badge. At another table you will find the secretary with John Quail in charge. At this desk if you so desire you can pay your 1931 dues, get application blanks and be sure to notify them if you desire a ticket for the Banquet.

We have arranged another desk exclusively for the Ladies and it will be in charge of Mrs. Varn Hagen and Miss Helen Webster. It is very important that all ladies who are our guests register so that Joseph Williamson, Chairman of the Entertainment committee can arrange and know how many ladies to prepare for.

I wish to reaffirm that I know of no greenkeeper who is not entitled to a vacation after the busy playing season is over or before the starting of another and there are few golf club officials who will not assist in every way to make it possible for their greenkeepers to spend a week at Columbus. If for financial or other reasons you feel that the trip is out of the question just give your Chairman this magazine to read and leave it to him. Without doubt he will find a way for you to be with us.

A Message to the Ladies

To the Wives of the National Greenkeepers, I would say, "Be sure and come to Columbus, February 3-6."

A program has been arranged by the Ladies' committee at Columbus and we are looking forward to one good time, so don't let anything keep you from being there with us.

To those who have not already signed up, arrangements are being made to meet you at the desk at the Golf Show.

MRS. J. VARN HAGEN, *President.*
MRS. H. E. SHAVE, *Vice President.*