## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The purpose of the Nominating Committee is to present a slate of nominees consisting of one or more nominees for president and two or more nominees for each other office to be filled.

The following members of GCSA of Northern California have been appointed to the nominating committee Richard Viergever, Allan Mooser, Thomas Thatcher. Richard Viergever will chair the committee.

Paul Juberg is working as the Assistant Superintendent at Auburn Valley Golf Club, 8800 Auburn Valley Road, Auburn.

Word has just been received that William J. Yount, San Jose Country Club, San Jose passed away September 3, 1978. Our sympathy is extended to Mrs. Yount.

James G. Prusa, Pasatiempo Golf Course, Santa Cruz passed his Class B examination. Congratulations Jim.

More information will be forthcoming on TARP area meetings. Mark the date for your locality and plan to attend.

April 12 - Monterey Peninsula CC June 19 - Sunnyside CC

May 1 - Baywood Golf & CC June 20 - Del Rio Golf & CC
May 3 - Riverview Golf & CC July 6 - Peninsula Golf & CC

May 15 - El Macero Golf & CC July 10 - Marin CC

June 5 - Orinda CC

MAINTENANCE IS YOUR MOST IMPORTANT PRODUCT - Jack D. Baker, H.V.Carter Co

Maintenance covers a wide area of your operations as a Golf Course Superintendent. Ovbiously the maintenance of equipment is vitally important so as to eliminate problem areas during the season of heaviest traffic on your course. Many repairs can be eliminated in a preventative-maintenance program. Most equipment manufacturers regularly conduct service-training seminars treating with possible service conditions. If you are not presently taking advantage of these programs we would urge that you hasten to do so.

Repair parts prices are increasing in costs every year and if you can eliminate replacements by adopting preventative-maintenance practices this situation can be most effective. It has been mentioned here before,