

## Memphis STA Conference Sees Record Attendance

Attendance records were shattered when 301 turfmen congregated for the recent Southern Turfgrass Conference at the Sheraton Peabody Hotel in Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 28-Mar. 1.

Discussions on the agenda ranged from maintenance and design of golf greens, to talks covering new chemicals.

Elected president for the association's 1966-67 term was Marcus Wilson, president of the Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club, Florence, Ala.

Other officers elected to head the association for the coming year include: vice-president, Norris Morgan, Greenwood Country Club, Greenwood, Miss.; secretary-treasurer, Reg Perry, Turfaid, Inc., Memphis, Tenn. New directors are: Bill Curtis, Decatur Country Club, Decatur, Ala.; Paul Lewis, Rebsamen Golf Course, Little Rock, Ark.; D. H. Baird, Fulton Country Club, Fulton, Ky.; Marvin Perry, Shreveport Country Club, Shreveport, La.; Tom Lundy, Greenville

Country Club, Greenville, Miss.; Bob Reed, Kennett Country Club, Kennett, Mo.; and Daniel "Kayo" Mullen, Poplar Meadows Country Club, Union City, Tenn.

Next year the association's conference will be Feb. 27-28 in Memphis, Tenn.

## Vandermolen Announces New "26" Sprayer-Duster Series

A new 26-cc. engine that develops two horsepower and delivers a blast of 350 cu. ft. of air per minute has been introduced by The Vandermolen Co.

New carburetion, expanded exhaust system, new plastic tanks, and other refinements have been incorporated into its new Model 26-M and 26-TT knapsack-type sprayer-duster. A new metal fan housing is also featured.

The Model 26-M is available with a 2½-gallon polyethylene tank, said to be corrosion free and stronger than former brass tanks.

Model 26-TT sprayer-mist

blower is a twin-tank model and has a capacity of 3½ gallons, liquid, or a dust capacity of 15 pounds. The unit weighs 27 pounds, has an effective range of up to 40 feet for applying dust, and a mist penetration of up to 30 feet, the company says. Replacement parts are available for immediate delivery.

Complete details on this new line of knapsack sprayer-dusters can be obtained by writing to The Vandermolen Co., 378 Mountain Ave., N. Caldwell, N.J. 07006.

## High Concentrate Spraying Movie Offered by Marlow

A motion picture on high concentrate spraying has just been completed by the ITT Marlow, Division of International Telephone and Telegraph Corp., and is available to readers.

Entitled "A Fact Of Life," the film compares, illustrates, and demonstrates the advantages and disadvantages of both high concentrate and conventional type spraying, according to Marlow. The production, in color and with sound, uses a grower's operation in Hancock, Md., as setting for the comparison.

Marlow makes the film available free of charge, except for return postage. Write to: "Econ-O-Mist," ITT Marlow, Box 200, Midland Park, N. J.

## Vapam Uses Told

Use of Vapam to combat spread of Dutch Elm Disease, to control roots in sewers, and to prepare tree replant sites is explained in information sheets recently released by Stauffer Chemical Co.

Fungi-spread through roots of elm trees growing close together is a chief factor in spread of Dutch Elm Disease, one sheet reports. Another describes root control problems in sewers. Both suggest methods of control using Stauffer's Vapam. The chemical can also be used to fumigate soil to remove nematodes and soil fungi prior to planting of young trees, according to the third news piece. Copies of the three publications are available from Stauffer Chemical Co., 380 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y. 10017.



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