

Robert W. Miller

tary; and Tobias Grether, Cal-Turf, Inc., Camarillo, Calif., J. E. Ousley, Sr., Ousley Sod Company, Pompano Beach, Fla., and Wiley Miner, Princeton Turf Farms, Inc., Cranbury, N. J. were elected as additional members of the 7-man board.

Following the formal organization July 11, the Association staged a national field day with demonstrations by practically all major producers of sod harvesting equipment on the following day. The field day was held at the Emerald Valley Turf Nurseries farm during the morning. with Robert Daymon serving as host, and at the Halmich Sod Nursery with Bill Johnson as host for the afternoon session. Both Daymon and Johnson serve as presidents of their respective farms. Wayne County, Mich., County Extension Agent Donald D. Juchartz helped the group by previously arranging with producers to have their equipment on hand.

Hammond, who has worked closely with the group since prior to its inception, is handling queries and receiving memberships. He can be reached at 71 E. State St., Columbus, O.

Use Care In Chemical Storage

Pesticides need to be stored in a separate building and marked accordingly. That's the thinking of John Lofgren, University of Minnesota entomologist. When such a building is not available, Lofgren suggests a securely locked area away from other storage.





Eliot C. Roberts

Major Turfgrass Event At Cleveland, Dec. 11-13

Cleveland, O., will be the site of one of the major turfgrass conferences and shows to be staged in 1967. The Ohio Turfgrass Foundation is hosting the event which will be headquartered at the Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel, Dec. 11-13.

More than 80 manufacturers. formulators and distributors have purchased booth space. They are exhibiting all types of equipment and supplies. Scheduled for showing are spray equipment, mowers, fairway equipment, blowers, irrigation equipment, fertilizers, seeds, chemicals, sod and aerification equipment. Harry Murray, Jr., Warren's Turf Nursery, and president of the host group, reports that all equipment along with the program will be headguartered at the Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel.

On the program are industry and research personnel from throughout the nation. Handling assignments on irrigation and plant-water relationships will be Dr. James B. Beard, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich., Dr. James R. Watson, Toro Manufacturing Corporation, Minneapolis, Minn., Robert Rupar, Rainy Sprinkler Sales, Peoria, Ill., and Walter J. Wilkie, March Irrigation Co., Muskegon, Mich.

A general turfgrass session including data on rhizome formation in bluegrass, cutting labor costs in turf management, reducing care of ornamentals, and training for turfgrass students will be handled by Dr. Lowell



W. H. Daniel

James B. Beard

Moser, agronomist at the Ohio State University, Columbus, O., Tom Mascaro, president of the Pennsylvania Turfgrass Foundation and Westpoint Products Corp., Westpoint, Pa., and Fred K. Buscher, Ohio Extension Service, Medina, O.

Soil fertility and turfgrass fertilization sessions of the program will feature Bill Lyons, Lyons Den Golf Course, Canal Fulton, O., Dr. Eliot C. Roberts, University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla., and Dr. Donald J. Hoff, agronomist, O.S.U., Columbus, O.

Turfgrass pest assignments will be handled by Dr. Houston B. Couch, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., Dr. Edward W. Stroube, O.S.U. weed control specialist, Columbus, O., and Dr. William H. Daniel, Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

Dr. Robert Miller, executivesecretary of the host group, reports that plenty of hotel space is available in Cleveland and at the headquarters hotel. However, he does urge out-of-state guests to make arrangements directly with the Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel, Public Square, Cleveland, O., if they plan to stay at headquarters. Upwards of 1000 persons are expected to attend.

