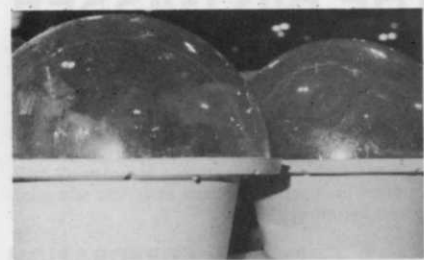
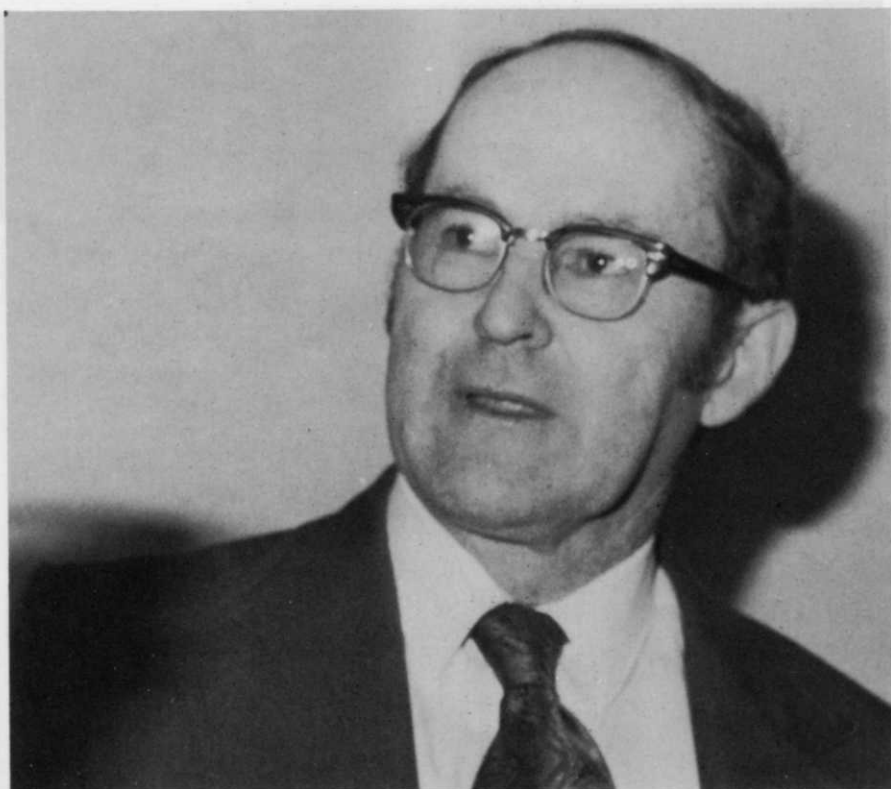




The inside of Toro's maintenance work wagon.



L. R. Nelson Corp.'s irrigation demonstration bubble.



Malpass Chosen President Of GCSAA in Minneapolis

Richard W. Malpass, superintendent at Riverside Golf and Country Club, Portland, Oregon, moved up to become president of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America at the association's 47th Annual Turfgrass Conference and Show last month in Minneapolis. Malpass, whose home town will host next year's show, succeeded Palmer Maples, Jr., superintendent at The Standard Club, Atlanta.

Final attendance at the show was 3,142, compared to 3,544 the previous year at the show in New Orleans. But this year, about 700 distributors were allowed to attend the show under a special ruling, so comparative figures would have to show the total attendance at 2,442 compared to last year's attendance. Last month's show had 1,039 superintendents in attendance, compared to 1,384 superintendents in 1975 and 1,250 in 1974. It was the least amount of superintendents since 1971. There were 148 exhibits, com-

pared to 150 last year.

At the annual membership meeting, a resolution to raise annual dues to \$90 from \$65 was passed with little discussion. Also passed was a bylaw providing for a national director to succeed himself. A major resolution that did not pass was one that would have barred local officers from being elected if they were not a member of the national association.

Distinguished service awards were present to Leo J. Feser, Tom Mascaro and Dr. Joseph Duich in opening ceremonies. Bringing the total number of recipients for this award to only 25 for the association's 50-year history, each of the three men were nominated for exemplary activity and contributions to the GCSAA and the profession. Feser's son David accepted the award for his father, who is bedridden in Arizona. George Plimpton, noted author, was keynote speaker at opening ceremonies.

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Dr. William Daniel, speaker, Purdue University.



Ed Anderson, Kohler Co.



Dr. Fred Grau and his wife on tour of the exhibit area.

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Ben Krueger (left) and Lou Haines. Krueger is superintendent at Vail Golf Club, Vail, Colo., President Ford's vacation choice; Haines is superintendent at Denver Country Club, and a national director of the GCSAA.

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Christine Haske, daughter of Thomas Haske, superintendent at Westwood Country Club, Vienna, Va., sitting on a Jacobsen "Cruiser II".

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Noted author George Plimpton, keynote speaker at opening ceremonies in Minneapolis.

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Doris Watson, Hercules, Inc., and J. Robert Stiffler, at the Hercules exhibit.



Outgoing GCSAA president Palmer Maples and executive director Conrad Scheetz at the press and speaker's luncheon early in the conference.



Thomas Mascaro, Safe-T-Lawn, Miami, and James Moncrief of the United States Golf Association Green Section. Mascaro received a distinguished service award from the GCSAA.



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WARREN'S TURF N

Ben Warren (left) and Maurice Rosener of Warren's Turf Nursery at their exhibit.



It was the last GCSAA show for Mallinckrodt's Stan Frederiksen (right) making a point to customers at his exhibit.



LEWISystems/Container Development exhibit.