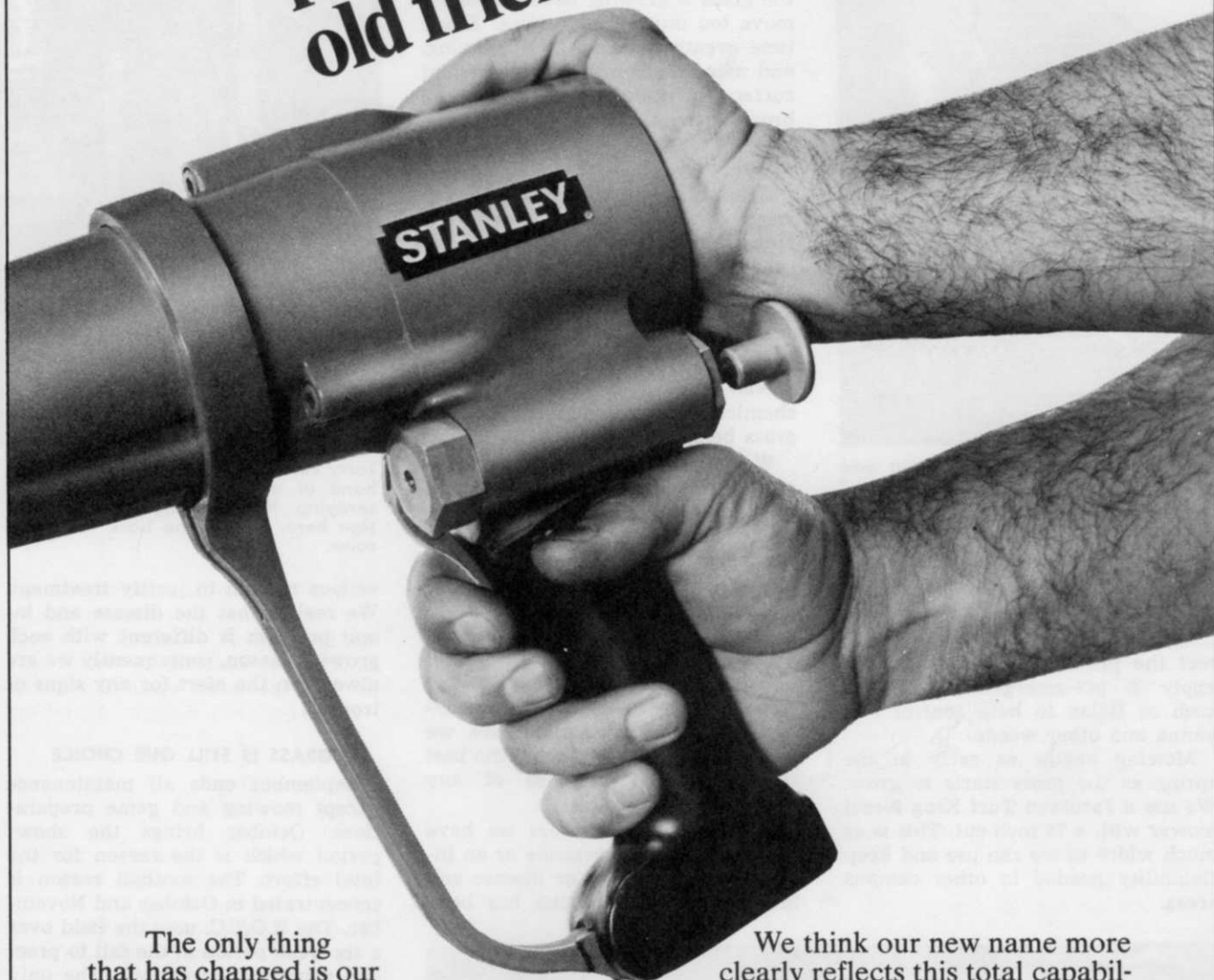


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Painted designs are worked out and scaled on the drawing board. Here, I use a tape measure to make an accurate field check. Mistakes show up quickly.

FORWARD PASS (from page 13)

rect the pH if needed. We usually apply a pre-emergence herbicide such as Balan to help control *Poa annua* and other weeds.

Mowing begins as early in the spring as the grass starts to grow. We use a Jacobsen Turf King 3-reel mower with a 76 inch cut. This is as much width as we can use and keep flexibility needed in other campus areas.



Practice on the field by the majorettes and the band is restricted. We want to limit the damage that a foot can do when it continues to step into the same spot. These girls find the Bermudagrass much to their liking, however.

Cutting height in the spring is kept at $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch to encourage spreading of the turf. By keeping a smooth even surface, we avoid the scalping that can result from low mowing.

During the latter part of July we change the cutting height to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches for the balance of the season. This is a little high for Bermuda but it encourages the turf to thicken, resulting in a softer more pliable playing surface.

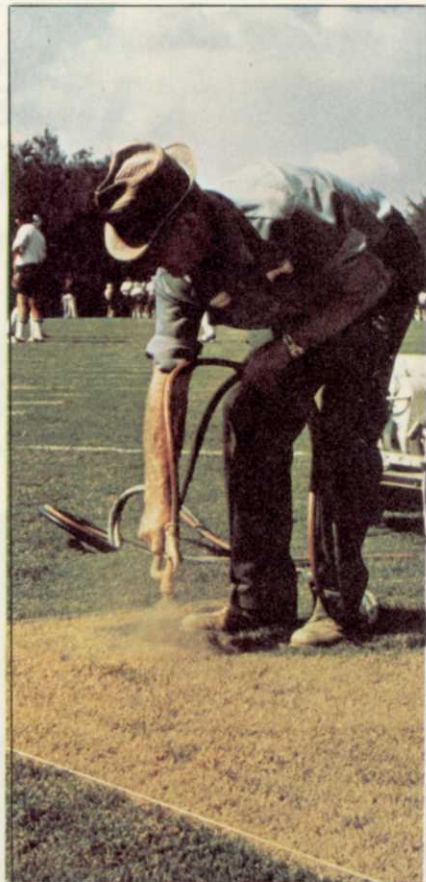
Mowing is scheduled at the rate the grass is growing so as not to remove too much leaf surface. Every time weather delays the mowing, and more than onethird of the leaf surface is removed, we see some brown areas. Even though the brown areas recover rapidly, we try to avoid the problem.

Grass is not as competitive as the weedy plants and that is why we spray at least three times during the growing season to control such pests as crabgrass, crowfoot, knotweed, and chickweed. We usually mix Trimec and MSMA to get the best control of broad-leaved and narrow-leaved weeds in Bermuda. The chemical selected depends on the grass being treated.

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Terry Turner, my assistant, has the fine hand of an artist when it comes to spraying. He's working on a goal design here. Turf in the back is natural color.

serious enough to justify treatment. We realize that the disease and insect problem is different with each growing season, consequently we are always on the alert for any signs of trouble.

GRASS IS STILL OUR CHOICE

September ends all maintenance except mowing and game preparations. October brings the show-period which is the reason for the total effort. The football season is concentrated in October and November. The R.O.T.C. uses the field over a six week period in the fall to practice marching formations. The only other use allowed on the field is band practice one time before each game.

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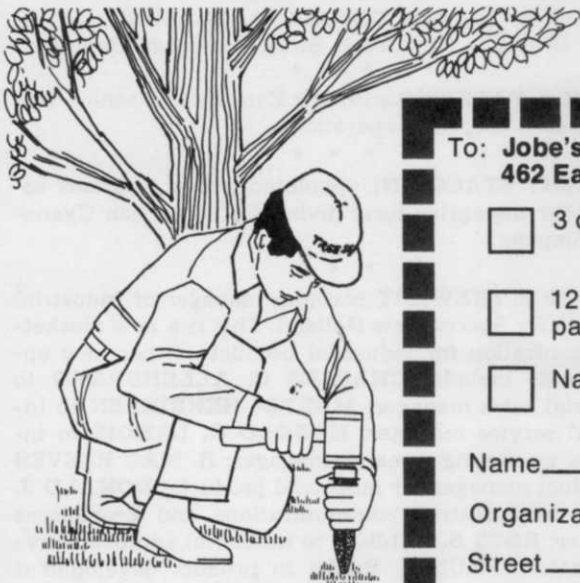
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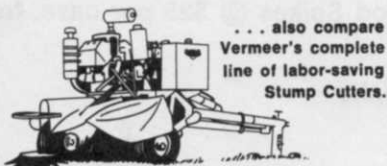
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BERNARD STONEHOUSE, named manager of contractor marketing services for Toro Irrigation Division. In other company moves **JOHN S. MACLAUGHLIN** joins the company as an irrigation specialist, and **SARA L. ROMSPERT** has been named supervisor for order processing and customer relations.

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WARREN G. "SKIP" PURDY III, promoted to vice president and general manager of Foamspray Chemical, Inc. **NEAL HARVILLE** becomes general manager of the company's new division, Nu-Ag West. His wife is the marketing director. **DARRELL KENNEMER** appointed sales representative.

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FRANK J. PRATT becomes regional sales manager for the Outdoor Power Equipment Division of FMC Corporation. He will be working with distributors in New York, Mass., R.I., Conn., Pa., New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, Va. and Washington D. C.

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WILLIAM A. MILLSON joins Outdoor Power Equipment Division of FMC Corp. as regional manager for Tenn., Ky., North and South Carolina, and Va.

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TIMOTHY P. SCHMITT named to the newly created post of financial analyst for the Outdoor Power Equipment Division of FMC Corporation.

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DR. DONALD B. PFLEIDERER, becomes sales manager for the professional division of The Bishop Company, a subsidiary of Lebanon Chemical Corporation. He was formerly director of technical services for Agri-co's Turf and Garden Products Div.

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EDWARD J. CAMPBELL assumes position of senior vice president — agricultural equipment division, J. I. Case Co. He succeeds **DONALD C. BLASIUS** who resigned to join a New York Stock Exchange Company.

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FRANK J. PALERMO succeeds Campbell as senior vice president — corporate operations.

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ROBERT STACCHINI appointed public relations assistant for the agricultural division of American Cyanamid Company.

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DAVID E. STEWART becomes manager of industrial products for Sperry New Holland. This is a new marketing organization for industrial products. Other new appointments include: **CHARLES C. ALLENBRAND** to industrial sales manager; **MARTIN HENRIKSEN** to industrial service manager; **HAROLD G. LANDIS** to industrial marketing research manager; **R. MAC REEVES** to product manager for industrial products; **DONALD J. SHAW** to industrial communications and promotions manager; **ROSS B. WILSON** to industrial administrative coordinator; **PAUL E. ROBB** to product development specialist; **HAROLD K. McCAMPBELL** to service analyst.

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Ohio State University Short Course, 45th annual, for arborists, turf management specialists, landscape contractors, garden center operators and nurserymen, Sheraton Columbus Hotel, Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 27-31.

Associated Landscape Contractors of America, 12th annual meeting, Hilton Palacio Del Rio, San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 28- Feb. 1.

Lawn and Utility Turf Management, Three-Day Turf Course, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N.J., Jan. 28-30.

Penn State Turfgrass Conference, Keller Conference Center, Campus, University Park, Pa., Jan. 28-Feb. 1.

Winter Seminar for Commercial Arborists, Illinois Commercial Arborists Association and the extension service, University of Illinois, Sheraton O'Hare, Rosemont, Ill., Jan. 29.

Virginia Turfgrass Conference, Sheraton Motor Inn, Fredricksburg, Va., Jan. 29-30.

Northern California Turfgrass & Environmental Landscape Exposition, 10th annual, San Mateo County Fairgrounds, San Mateo, Calif., Jan. 30-31.

Golf and Fine Turf, Three-Day Turf Course, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N.J., Jan. 30-Feb. 1.

Penn-Del Chapter, International Shade Tree Conference, annual meeting, Marriott Motor Inn, Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 31-Feb. 1.

Nebraska Aviation Trades Association, agricultural seminar, Norfolk, Nebr., Feb. 5-8.

Midwestern Chapter, International Shade Tree Conference, annual meeting, Stouffer's River Front Inn, St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 5-7.

American Sod Producers Association, winter conference, Ramade Bourbon Orleans, New Orleans, La., Feb. 7-8.

Golf Course Superintendents Association of America, 45th International Turfgrass Conference and Show, Anaheim Convention Center, Anaheim, Calif., Feb. 10-15.

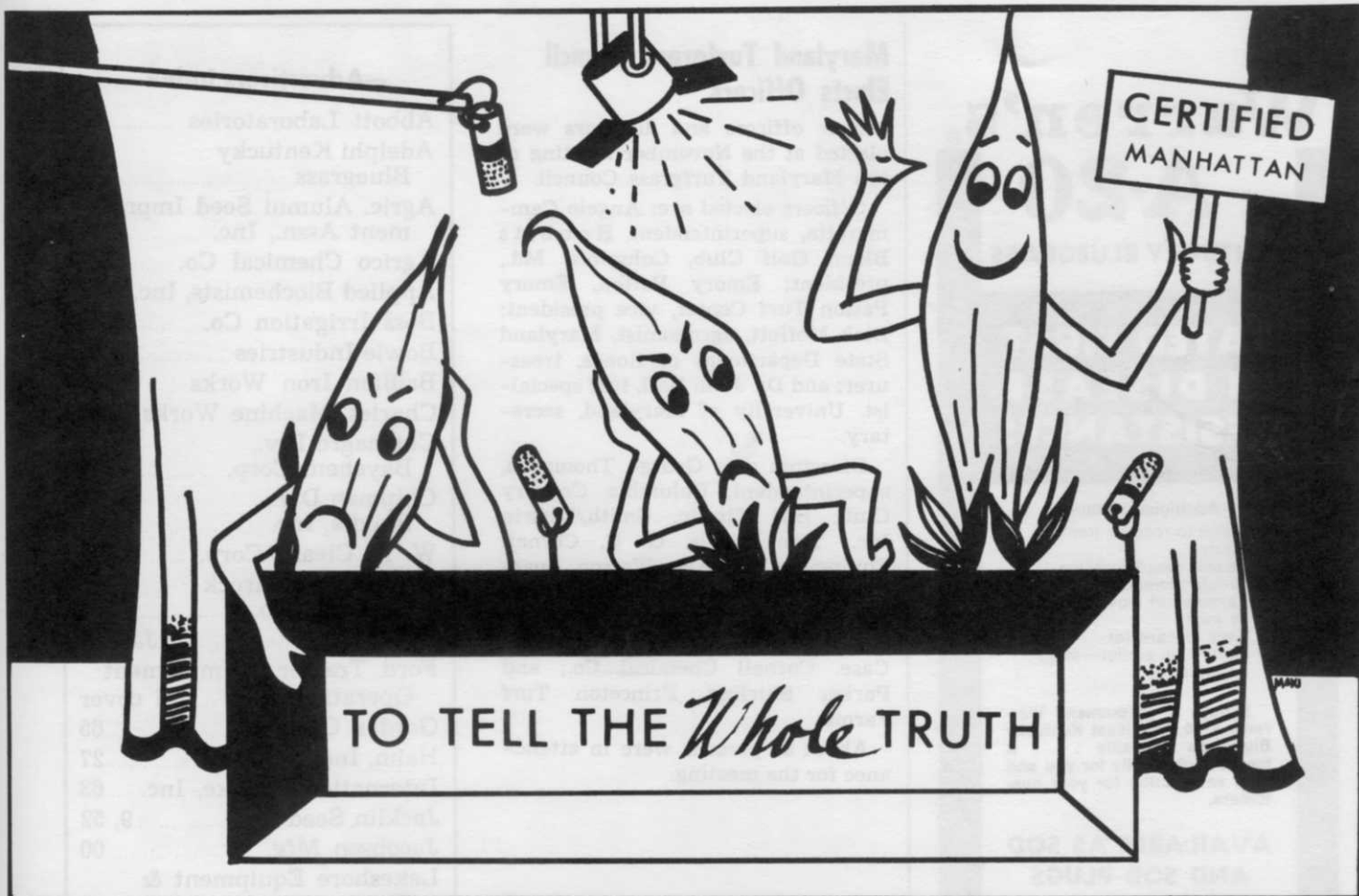
American Society of Consulting Arborists, 8th annual, International Inn, Tampa, Fla., Feb. 14-16.

National Arborist Association, 36th annual meeting, International Inn, Tampa, Fla., Feb. 14-16.

Wisconsin Arborist Association, annual convention, Wausau, Wisc., Feb. 20-21. Contact Jerry Koch, city forester, Courthouse, Wausau, Wisc. for details.

Shade Tree Disease and Insect Short Course, 17th annual, Iowa State University, Ames, Ia., Feb. 20-22. Contact Dr. A. H. Epstein, dept. of botany and plant path., Ia. State Univ. for details.

Park, Recreation and Environment Design, National Symposium, Carleton House, Orlando, Fla., Feb. 25-28.



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Directors are: George Thompson, superintendent, Columbia Country Club; Bill Kirwin, Smith/Kirwin Inc.; Tom Harris, G. C. Cornell Equipment Co.; Alex Watson, Sparrows Point Country Club; Frank Stephens, agronomist, Operators Heat Lawn Maintenance Firm; Cliff Case, Cornell Chemical Co.; and Parker Shirling, Princeton Turf Farms.

About 50 persons were in attendance for the meeting.

Club Car Of Augusta Ga. Acquired By John-Manville

Club Car, Inc. of Augusta, Ga. has been purchased by John-Manville Corporation for an undisclosed amount of cash, according to a joint announcement.

Club Car, Inc. engages in the manufacture and marketing of electric golf cars and resort vehicles.

Annual sales by Club Car, Inc. during the past twelve months were in excess of \$2 million. Primary markets include golf courses and resorts.

William P. Stevens, Jr., President of Club Car, Inc., and other officers and employees will remain with J-M as part of the company's agriturf business.

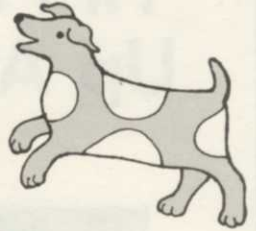
Seventy-five personnel are presently employed by Club Car, Inc. in Augusta.

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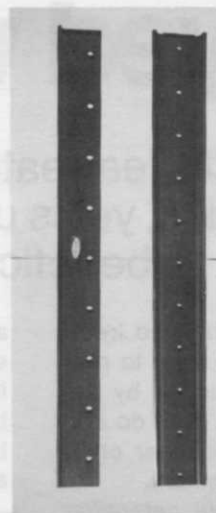
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