cago Golf Club; second vice-president, L. M. Evans, Tam O'Shanter Golf Club; third vice-president, William J. Sansom, Toronto Golf Club; fourth vice-president, George Davis, Big Springs Golf Club; fifth vice-president, Robert J. Hayes, Pelham Country Club; secretary, John Quaill, Highland Country Club, 426 Highland Avenue, West View, Pittsburgh, Pa.; treasurer, Fred A. Burkhardt, Westwood Country Club. The only changes in the 1931 officers are: Second vice-president, William J. Sansom; third vice-president, Robert J. Hayes; fifth vice-president, John Anderson, Crestmont Country Club.

## Greenkeepers' Association of Westchester County By William Conroy

Our association, which consists of greenkeepers and foremen who have served under a competent greenkeeper for three or more years, was organized November 16, 1925. Its membership is now 24. The district it covers is the golfing district of Westchester County, N. Y. It meets the first Monday of each month. In the summer the meetings are held outdoors on different golf courses. A round of golf is first played, which is followed by an inspection of the course. Dinner is then served at the club house, and afterwards a lecture is delivered pertaining to the maintenance of golf courses. The lecture is given by one of the members selected by the director of lectures, on any subject he wishes to choose.

The officers for 1930 were as follows: President, William A. Grover, Gedney Farm Golf Club; first vice-president, Sidney Black, Broadmoor Country Club; second vice-president, Joseph Schaub, Bonnie Briar Country Club; treasurer, William Sterling, Dutchess Golf and Country Club; secretary, Thomas Hayes, Westchester Hills Golf Club; director of lectures, Hugh McGill, Oak Ridge Golf Club. For 1931 the following officers have been elected: President, Hugh McGill, Oak Ridge Golf Club; first vice-president, Joseph Schaub, Bonnie Briar Country Club; second vice-president, Joseph Butler, Siwanoy Country Club; director of lectures, Thomas Winton; financial secretary, William Conroy, Oak Ridge Golf Club, Tuckahoe, N. Y.

## Greenkeepers' Association of Minnesota By Erich W. Pahl

Our association was organized in April, 1928, out of a realization of the necessity for a permanent organization in Minnesota and parts of neighboring states. The purpose of our organization is to study the various problems concerning the greenkeeping of today and to help one another with our local problems. We often give advisory service when requested by others outside of our organization. We have two classes of members. The regular members are greenkeepers and assistant greenkeepers who have had at least 3 years of experience in actual work on golf courses in the United States or Canada; the junior members are those engaged in greenkeeping who do not qualify as regular members. Junior members have no voice in business meetings, but otherwise participate in the privileges of the association. The dues are \$3 a year for both regular and junior members. The association was organized with 17 charter members, and now has 26 regular members.

48 Vol. 11, No. 2

Our annual meeting is held the first Thursday in April, and regular meetings are held the first Thursday of each month. At the time of the National Open Tournament in July we held a meeting in cooperation with the United States Golf Association Green Section on the demonstration turf garden maintained at Interlachen by means of contributions from various local clubs in the district. In the evening our association held a meeting at the Nicollet Hotel, Minneapolis. Preceding the afternoon meeting Mr. Erickson gave a luncheon for greenkeepers at the Minikahda Club. Special meetings are called from time to time as particular problems develop on any course.

We are planning to increase the membership during the coming year, and to make several trips during the summer that will cover as many golf courses as possible in Minnesota and adjoining states. Some of our playing members have held very interesting golf matches at our meetings, and at our annual meeting in April, 1931, following the dinner, the question of holding a tournament will be discussed.

The officers of the association for 1930 were the following: President, Charles Erickson, Minikahda Club; vice-president, Leo J. Feser, Woodhill Country Club; treasurer, Victor E. Larson, Minneapolis Golf Club; secretary, Erich W. Pahl, Interlachen Country Club, Hopkins.

The officers for 1931 will be elected at our annual meeting in April.

## New Jersey State Golf Association Green Section By Robert F. Arnott

The green section of the New Jersey State Golf Association was organized in March, 1928, for the purpose of cooperating with the United States Golf Association Green Section and the Metropolitan Golf Association Green Section in the study of turf, and to make the results available to greenkeepers and green committees of golf clubs. The green section is a part of the New Jersey State Golf Association and is primarily devoted to the interests of its member clubs, although representatives from other clubs are welcome to its meetings, information and service.

A demonstration turf garden at the Upper Montclair Country Club and an experimental turf garden at the New Jersey State Agricultural Experiment Station at New Brunswick have been established in cooperation with the United States Golf Association Green Section.

Meetings are held twice a year to bring greenkeepers and members of green committees together. One of these meetings is held in the spring, either May or June, and the other is held in September or October. The place of meeting is either the Upper Montclair Country Club or the State Experiment Station at New Brunswick, where the results obtained in the demonstration or experimental turf gardens are discussed in the afternoon. A dinner meeting is held in the evening either at the club house or at a hotel in New Brunswick, where two or three speakers take up problems of interest to greenkeepers, and the meeting is then open for questions and discussion.

The territory covered by our work embraces the northern part of the State of New Jersey, and we have a number of visitors at the meetings from New York State and other mcre distant places, while