



News Notes for Early Winter 1984

James F. Moore becomes new Mid-Continent Regional Director

James F. Moore, who joined the Green Section staff last August, became the Mid-Continent Regional Director in October, 1984, when **Dr. Douglas T. Hawes** left. Dr. Hawes served in this capacity since 1978.

Jim Moore is a graduate of Texas A&M University. He has 12 years of golf course experience, the last seven as golf course superintendent at Ridgewood, C. C., Waco, Texas. He served as president of the Texas Turfgrass Association, in 1984, and is a Class A Member of the GCSAA. Jim has also served six and a half years with the U.S. Air Force as a systems electronics specialist. He has received a number of honors both in civilian and military careers. Kay is his wife, and they have two children.

The Green Section Mid-Continent Regional office has now moved from Dallas to 300 Sharron Drive, Waco, Texas 76710. The new phone number is (817) 776-0765. We are very fortunate and pleased to have Jim Moore as a member of the Green Section staff.

James M. Latham, Jr., rejoins the Green Section

In a bi-lateral move, **James M. Latham, Jr.**, rejoins the USGA Green Section staff after an absence of 24 years and becomes the North-Central Regional Director on December 1, 1984.

Jim Latham was a member of the Green Section staff from 1956 to 1960. He then moved to the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, where he followed O.J. Noer and Charles G. Wilson as Manager of Marketing and Agronomy. He received his Bachelor and Master of Science degrees from Texas A&M University. Jim has consulted extensively in turfgrass management and has written in many popular and scientific journals. He is a member of the American Society of Agronomy, the GCSAA, and numerous other professional organizations.

The Green Section is pleased to have Jim Latham return to the staff.

Stanley J. Zontek becomes Mid-Atlantic Regional Director

After four years as Director of the North-Central Region, **Stanley J. Zontek** now moves to the Mid-Atlantic Region in the same capacity. He joins **Patrick M. O'Brien**, Mid-Atlantic Agronomist, in serving clubs in Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio, and Kentucky.

Stan Zontek is a graduate of Penn State University. He was born and raised in West Virginia, where his father was a superintendent/professional. Stan served earlier as Director of the Green Section's Northeastern Region, and, he has been a member of the staff for 14 years. His broad experience, particularly with the cool and warm season grasses in the transition zone, brings an exceptional talent to the Mid-Atlantic Region.



*James M. Latham, Jr., and
Stanley J. Zontek.*

James F. Moore



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