# HAHN-HI-SPOTS

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HAHN - WEST POINT ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

Hahn, Inc. is concerned about the problems of its distributors. To span the communications gap and provide its distributors with better service, high quality and sales aids to meet competition, Hahn has always had distributor advisory council meetings and receives many ideas from its distributors through these meetings.

The first Hahn - West Point Council Meeting was held recently here. Those attending this council meeting are from left to right, back row. John Tenos, Tenos Brothers, Inc.; A.F. Casey, Casey Enterprises, Inc.; Clarke Fenimore, Ky-Inna Turf Supply; Jack Hahn; Walt Dickinson; and Harry Ranft, Turf Tool Rental. Front row. Ray Christopherson, Northern Turf Supply; Dewey Zurowestes, Link's Nursery, Inc.; Charles Allen III, Allens Seed Store, Inc.; and Ralph Kuhn, Kuhn-Neuschafer, Inc.

The primary topic of discussion was the new Hahn Tournament Triplex Turf Management System. The Tournament Triplex was introduced to the market in January, 1971. Plans for the 1972 season were formulated during this meeting.

# **NEW EMPLOYEES**



Mae Chinn

Pictured above is Miss Mae Chinn, private secretary to Jack Hahn. Mae is a graduate of the University of Evansville with a BS degree in business management science and psychology. She is replacing Ginny Whittinghill, who resigned effective July 30 to obtain a psychology degree at I.S.U.E. Please join us in welcoming Mae to Hahn, Inc.

## NEW HI-BOY AND GO-BOY

Prototypes for the new Hi-Boy and new Go-Boy with Ford water-cooled engine were on test for a period of two weeks with custom operators in Iowa and Minnesota. Both units performed beyond our expectations and were accepted by the custom operators in that area. Not only were we able to do engineering testing, but it looks as if we have generated considerable sales enthusiasm with our distributors and potential buyers.



Ken Hahn

Ken Hahn, not to be confused with our Kenneth "Jack" Hahn, has joined Hahn, Inc. as Manager - Production and Inventory Control.

Ken attended Memorial High School and the University of Evansville, and was an employee of Bucyrus Erie for twenty years. He and his wife, Dorothy, have three children -- Robby (22), Sherry (19), and Randy (14).

### Employee News

Bernie Hacker, Purchasing, reports his daughter, Carol Jane (19), recently graduated from Deaconess Hospital as a licensed Radiology Technician. Carol Jane won an award for the most outstanding performance while a student at Deaconess. She is now employed at Burnham Hospital, in Champaign, Illinois.

Tom Mascaro, Director of Product & Market Development - Commercial Products, had a heart attack in May. We are happy to report that Tom is on the road to recovery at his home in West Point, Pennsylvania.



Charles Eichele

Hahn Salutes Its Employees....by Bob Schmitt

This month, Hahn, Inc. salutes <u>Charles</u> <u>Eichele</u>, a 19-year veteran at Hahn. Charlie joined Hahn in 1952 as a lathe operator and presently is Model Shop Supervisor.

Charlie and his wife, Frances, will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on September 4. They have two girls, Sharon (22) and Rebecca (18), and two boys, Mark (15) and Steve (12). Charlie's hobby is camping.

### Vacations

Charlie Jenkins reports his 18 yr. old daughter, Roxann, is visiting his daughter, Kathy, who resides in Ansbach, Germany. Roxann plans short tours into Holland and Switzerland.

Jan Gregory made plans to take her two sons, ickie and Tony, to Beach Bend Park during vacation, but ended up in the hospital instead. Looks like Jan is going to have her tonsils removed soon.

Irma Singleton had an enjoyable vacation at home. Two of her sons in the service were able to come home...Ed, who is stationed at Ft. Carson, Colorado; and Don, Jr., who is stationed at Ft. Dix, New Jersey.

Dave Schmitt and his father went to Reel Foot Lake, Tennessee. They brought back 150 blue gils. They also went snake hunting and caught six diamond backed water snakes for the zoo. Dave, incidentally, is President of Evansville's Zoological Society.

Dorothy Detroy had a surprise vacation to New Orleans. She and her husband, Bob, started for Beach Bend Park and ended up in New Orleans! She said they really had a wonderful time.

<u>ob Schmitt</u> and his wife, Judy, went to Crossville, Tennessee in the Cumberland Mountains and to Beach Bend Park, Bowling Green, Ky. Joe Merritt reports he stayed home. Peace and quiet, did some painting and cleaned out the garage -- now he can get the car in.

Richard Wahl stayed home the first week to get ready for a camping trip. Stayed home the second week too -- rained out.

Gerald Kuester said they spend three days at Beach Bend Park.

Rose Roehm visited her daughter, Suzie, in West Palm Beach, Fla. "Sun, sea, sand, shopping, sewing, and sipping!"

Bernie Goad did not plan to spend a month in Deaconess Hospital.

Marion Haley worked around home....a little more each day.

Bill Bridge visited in Elkhart, Indiana. Went swimming, diving and water skiing. He tried to keep up with the kids...then babied a sprained ankle. Got a shirt, tie and shoes on in time for work on Monday.

<u>Aaron Hunt</u> spent his vacation having surgery on a finger. Improving nicely as of this writing.

TIC TIME.....by Rosie Roehm, R.N.

Those cute little brown "leggy things" called tics are making their presence known at this particular time of the year. We have all seen them and we must be concerned if we get bitten.

Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever sounds like a disease for people far away from Indiana, doesn't it? But let's not kid ourselves.... there are cases reported every year and to be acquainted with the symptoms could possible help someone get ahead of the disease, if he or she happened to get bitten by the "cute little brown leggy thing".

Incubation period, or the time in which symptoms can develop after a tic bite, is three to ten days.

Symptoms are as follows: Person will have chills and fever, headache, muscle and joint pain and glands in the neck, underarm and groin will become enlarged and tender. Also a skin rash will appear, starting on the legs and arms. Then is the time to see your doctor.

Circle the date of the tic bite on your calendar. Then, if symptoms of illness occur in the person, you can know how to inform your doctor accurately.

In the meantime, if you are out-of-doors for any length of time, check your entire body for these little animals...especially check small children and your pets. Pay particular attention to the scalp. This is a preventive measure, and so easy to do.

### Hahn Hi-Spots News

News items which have previously been turned in monthly to Ginny Whittinghill will now be given to <a href="Pam Simon">Personnel</a>.

### 1972 VACATION POLICY

It was generally agreed that vacation shut-down the first two weeks of July was not the best time since the sales departments were still quite busy.

PLANT AND OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FROM AUGUST 18 UNTIL SEPTEMBER 5, 1972.

### HI-BOY ACCIDENT

Ken Bradfield reported an unusual incident involving our prototype Hi-Boy being tested in Iowa. The custom operator started spraying and advised a sow was loose in the field. She was lying lengthwise in the row and when the left rear wheel ran over her, the Hi-Boy upset. The operator wasn't injured, but had a narrow escape when the sow attacked him.

Employee News......by Danny Crawford

Jim Greenwell and family, which consists of Jim, his wife, Audrey, and son, Barry, spent their vacation in Arizona and Colorado.

The 4th of July weekend was spent at a friend's cabin in the Greenborn Mountains, southwest of Pueblo, Colorado. From there they went to Mesa Verda where they toured Indian cliff dwellings 800 years old. They travelled to the Grand Canyon next.

The Greenwells camped out the entire trip and it rained at least once at each camp site. In fact, before Jim got to Mesa Verda, there had been 30 straight days of forest fires; however, the day they arrived, it raine all day. Despite the rain, everybody enjoyed the trip very much.