



based on 2.4D selective hormone weed-killer, and controls most shallow rooted and broad leaved weeds. One gallon treats 6,400 sq. yds. for 31s. 6d.

Berk will be showing their complete range of mercury based Moss Control Compounds. Mercurised Turf Sand, for application in spring and summer, kills moss and weeds and stimulates grass growth, especially over bare patches. Moss Killer contains no grass stimulant, but gives an immediate control of moss. It is therefore the ideal autumn treatment, although it may be applied at any time of year. Moss Eradicant controls the following crop of moss without destroying the present growth, thus leaving no bare patches. Berk also supply Lawn Sand which is not a mercurised preparation, but which does inhibit moss and broad leaved weeds and is an efficient fertiliser and conditioner.

“Thrive”—recently acquired by Berk—is an organic based all-purpose fertiliser for use throughout the growing season. It is in pellet form, and therefore clean to handle and easy to apply. It is available in bags of 14 lb., 28 lb., and 56 lb.

Berk Chlordane Wormkiller, is available in either liquid or granular form. It kills worms, leather jackets, ants and chafer grubs underground, and so no sweeping up is required. It should be applied in the warm showery weather of autumn and spring when worms are most active. The granular version is

particularly suited to areas where the sward is very thick, such as on golf and bowling greens. It has been noted in some instances with a thick sward that the grains tend to lie on or near the soil, whereas the liquid droplets may remain on the blades of grass and the chlordane evaporate before having a chance to be effective.

Tricoflex is a plastic hose of unusual strength. It is really flexible, resistant to scuffing and abrasion, and tested to a maximum working pressure of 100 lbs./sq. in. The strength is derived from its triple construction: a knitted synthetic fibre reinforcing jacket lying between inner and outer plastic layers. Three bores are available—15 mm., 20 mm., and 25 mm. (approx. $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 1").

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PERISCOPE FOR GOLF COURSE

A Periscope has been installed on the dog-legged eighth hole at Hillsborough Golf Club, Sheffield, so that golfers can avoid hitting one another with their drives. A rise in the ground obscures vision from the tee.

Now golfers can look through the 3 ft. long periscope mounted on a 5 ft. pole.

Mr J. Shanks, professional at this club for nearly 35 years, said: “It’s the first permanent periscope I have seen on a course. There should be no need to shout ‘fore’ in future”.