

People, Places, Products

Brian D. Pierson (Contractors) has been awarded contracts for the construction of a nine-hole course at Charterhouse Public School and nine holes at Moors Valley Country Park for Wimborne council. The company is actively involved in negotiations for a further six golf courses.

Parkers have been appointed distributors for Surrey, London and south of the Thames for Suzuki two-stroke and four-stroke general-purpose industrial engines - from 3.5hp upwards - portable generators and water pumps.

Further information from T Parker & Sons (Turf Management) Worcester Park, Surrey KT4 7NF. Tel: 01-377 7791.

The Royal & Ancient Golf Club aims to establish a golf museum at St Andrews. To be known as The British Golf Museum, it will be housed in a separate building to the clubhouse and open to the public.

The club already possesses many items of golfing memorabilia, which will be made available to the museum but, when it is felt the project has reached an appropriate stage, the R & A will also be pleased to hear from anyone who has any objects of interest, such as clubs, golf balls, books, films, trophies and paintings.

A museum panel has been formed under the chairmanship of Sir Alistair Denny, who has received advice from the curators of the lawn tennis museum at Wimbledon and the cricket museum at Lord's.

Lolode Trailers, the lightweight division of King Trailers, recently fulfilled an order for 22 five-tonne capacity, on-site tipping trailers for the Volta Region African Development Project.

The pto operated tippers, designed for use with agricultural tractor units, feature 2ft steel dropsides and



Out of Market Harborough and into Africa, tippers from Lolode Trailers.

are fitted with a single axle. They were despatched in kit form.

Further details on the trailers

can be obtained from King Trailers, Riverside, Market Harborough, Leicestershire LE16 7PX. Tel: 0858 67361.

St Andrews could have a new championship golf course, together with a hotel and leisure complex, if planning permission is granted for a £5m development scheme. The site for the Craigie Hill project is 107 hectares a few miles north-west of St Andrews at Leuchars.

The 100 bedroom hotel will include restaurants, bars, clubrooms and a swimming pool. The adjoining sports complex is intended to provide outdoor tennis courts and indoor facilities, including squash, curling, tennis, fitness rooms and saunas. Should outline planning permission be granted, outside funding will be sought for the golf course, which may be floated as a public company.



Artist's impression of the new development at Craigie.