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North British Rubber will put chief pressure behind its new “SS” ball next season. The ball will sell for $1.00 and is said to be very durable in spite of thin cover and high tension windings.

Collector Wants Back Numbers of Magazines for Library

ONE OF THE most complete golf libraries in the world is owned by R. Otto Probst whose address is 334 N. Hill St., South Bend, Indiana. Mr. Probst has almost a thousand different books devoted to golf in all its phases and is also collecting complete files of golf magazines from all over the world.

Any readers of GOLFDOM who own back numbers of golf periodicals, particularly issues more than five years old, are invited to get in touch with Mr. Probst who will willingly pay a fair price for desirable items.

GEORGE A. DAVIS, INC., IS TORO CHICAGO DISTRIBUTOR

Chicago, Ill.—George A. Davis, Inc., 5440 Northwest Highway, has been appointed Chicago District distributor for the Toro Mfg. Co. of Minneapolis, makers of fairway and greens mowers, tractors and other course maintenance machinery.

Complete stocks of Toro equipment and parts have been put in by Davis. Servicing of the equipment will be in charge of Marius Brazeau.

HORTON-BRISTOL SALES CORP.
PUSHING THREE LINES

Bristol, Conn. — Horton-Bristol Sales Corp. now is handling the sales of Bristol steel shafted golf clubs, Tufhorse bags and Colonel balls. The basis of the new organization is most of the personnel formerly with the St. Mungo Sales Corp.

The country is to be covered from six division offices in strategic location and by men working the outlying districts.

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The organization is especially intimate
with the pro field and its requirements.
It has done a good job this year in putting
two new products—the Bristol clubs
and the Tufhorse Golfpax bag—on the
market in a substantial way.

Chicago, Ill.—Annual sales meeting of
Albert Pick Co., Inc., club, hotel and
restaurant equipment company was held
the week of Sept. 18. Pick representatives,
in close touch with club field, reported
prospects of much clubhouse equipment
and furnishing rehabilitation, partially due
to deferred work of last few years and
partially to repeal of prohibition.

WORTHINGTON MOVES CHICAGO
BRANCH OFFICES
Chicago, Ill. — Chicago office of the
Worthington Mower Co. has moved to 1400
Fulton street, at Ogden avenue. Tele-
phone number remains Haymarket 8480.
L. A. Ferguson, in charge of the Chicago
office and midwestern sales for Worthing-
ton, points out that the new location is a
most centrally located spot for golf club
service to the north, south and west sec-
tions of the Chicago territory.

ISSUE BOOKLET ON INSTALLING
ARCHERY GOLF.
Hazelcrest, Ill.—Rounseville-Rohm, man-
ufacturers of bows and arrows, have avail-
able for interested club officials a new
booklet describing in detail the game of
archery golf, with full instructions for in-
stalling the game. The booklet, “Archery
Golf Bulletin,” is free upon request.

LARRY MILLER HEADS BURKE
NEW YORK STAFF
New York City.—Larry Miller now is in
charge of the Burke Golf Co.’s New York
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J. B. HURLOCK PROMOTED TO WORTHINGTON PRESIDENCY
Stroudsburg, Pa.—J. B. Hurlock, who has been in charge of Worthington Mower Co. branch offices at Philadelphia, Cleveland and Chicago, has been elected president of the Worthington Mower Co.

C. C. Worthington, whose inventions founded and have developed the business, has been made chairman of the board. Other elections at the annual meeting of the corporation were as follows:

MAKES SPECIAL RUGS FOR GOLF CLUBS
Amsterdam, N. Y.—Amsterdam Textiles, well known maker of first grade rugs and carpeting, developed a rug material especially for golf club use. F. V. W. Blood, an Amsterdam executive, has served as a golf club official for a number of years and it was in accordance with his observations and experience that the Sof-tred golf club rugs and runners have been made.

The material is new, the weave new and the texture new; all being such as to resist the abuse of spiked shoes, dirt, mud, water and practice swings with irons. For 5 years before Blood put the Sof-tred on the market it was given harsh tests and now, after two years’ actual service at a number of clubs has demonstrated its complete satisfaction.

Sof-treds are woven of long-staple cotton in bright, fast colors. They are washable and reversible. These rugs and runners lie flat and have rip-proof edges. Another important feature for golf-club service is

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that these rugs are anti-skid. For locker-room, dining-room, sleeping quarters and pro-shops, the Sof-treds make a strong bid for a place in the budget.

Complete details of the Sof-tred rugs and runners will be sent on request by Amsterdam Textiles or the George E. Mal-lison Importing Co., selling agents, 296 Fifth Ave., New York City.

BUHRKE & DRAPER-MAYNARD JOIN FORCES

Chicago, Ill.—A sales and manufacturing alliance has been made by the R. H. Buhrke Co., club and bag makers of Chicago and the Draper-Maynard Co., Plymouth, N. H., makers of a full line of athletic goods. Sales forces have been consolidated and manufacturing schedules set so the new line-up is set to become a prominent factor in the field. Clarence Rickey, sales manager, of the R. H. Buhrke Co., is the man in the new combination most widely known to the golf field.

ED. WORTHINGTON HEADS NEW CROWN MOWER CO.

New York City. — E. H. Worthington, widely known in golf course equipment business as a manufacturer, is president and consulting engineer of the newly organized Crown Mower Co. Temporary offices of the company are at 168 East 74th street. Arrangements for a factory in the New York district now are being made.

In announcing his new lineup Ed. Worthington advises that the experience of his 17 years in the gang and power mower field are happily reflected in the new Crown equipment. A feature of the Crown unit for fairways and lawns is that it can be used on multiple gang frames of various makes. Units have 30-inch cutting swath. Patents are pending on a simple device for removing the fly knife and a single hand positive adjustment for assuring constant parallel and rigid bed-knife action. A reversible special alloy steel double edge bed-knife is used. Easy adjustment from ¼-in. to 6-in. is another design feature stressed in the Crown unit.

Light and sturdy construction and design that eliminates weaving of the side frames are additional points of the Crown unit to which Ed. Worthington calls attention. The machine is packed with a special lubricant and requires no oil or grease. It is guaranteed for one year.

Prices and complete information on the Crown unit are to be made public soon.

Chicago, Ill.—Largest power sprayer at a Chicago District golf course has been sold by Bolsa Supply Co. to North Shore G. C. The outfit is a Friend 20 gal, per minute machine.

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BALSHAG, NEW PRACTICE AID, LOOKS LIKE PRO SELLER

Modesto, Calif.—Shryer Mfg. Co. is making the Balshag, a device invented by Ian MacDonald. The device is a metal tube with fingers at the bottom for picking up practice balls. It is light weight, stands up and keeps the practice balls stored so the count can be made easily.

The convenience and utility of the device makes it look like it stands a good chance of displacing the practice ball bag with a lot of players. The Balshag sells for $2, with a good margin for pros, but the retail price will be all O. K. for a lot of the practicing golfers.
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Also, due to decreased demand and low prices during the last two years, acreage of fine turf production has been greatly decreased.

Furthermore, due to the financial condition of many clubs, they have curtailed their purchasing and many courses badly need reseeding.

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CHINCH BUG CONTROLLED BY CYANOGENS

New York City.—The chinch bug, heretofore confining its attack on St. Augustine grass in the south, has become very active in many of the northern states and has seriously damaged greens.

A great deal of the dead-looking turf on golf greens, which followed the high temperatures of this past summer, was attributed to scald. It was to be expected that grass would suffer during the summer, and the burning hid the activity of the insect pests and enabled them to multiply unhindered.

The American Cyanamid & Chemical Corp. recently cooperated with golf clubs to find an effective and economical method for exterminating chinch bugs. It was found that one pound of Cyanogas A-Dust dissolved in 50 gallons of water was immediately effective. The solution may be applied either by sprinkling cans or by a boom from a watering cart, or by power sprayers. Fifty gallons of the solution is sufficient to cover 1,000 sq. ft.

The turf, especially if it is heavily matted, should be opened up with a spike roller before the solution is applied. Immediately after the application, follow up with a hose and water the solution well into the soil. Sprinklers should then be set on the area for from three to six hours. All night would be better, as the water forces the Cyanogas down into the soil, preventing the burning of the grass. If Cyanogas can be applied during a steady rain, watering may be dispensed with. The Cyanogas solution should not be used on grass under two months old.

MILLER FAIRWAY WATERING ASKS INJUNCTION

New York City.—Showdown on engineer and club rights involved in fairway water system designs is to occur in New York courts when hearing is held on suit of Wendell Miller for injunction to restrain Arthur Peterson from applying fairway watering design principles Miller claims as his property.

Miller, pioneer in golf course irrigation engineering, claims his system is unique invention for golf course work and cites installations at approximately 30 clubs since 1929 when first job of this kind was put in at Albany (N. Y.) CC. Peterson also is well known to the golf business as a supply and equipment dealer.

Outcome of the case can have no effect on cost of plans for irrigation systems, GOLFDOM is informed. Eastern Association of Irrigation Contractors and Engineers has proposed a code provision placing a minimum charge of 5% on the costs of complete irrigation systems for golf courses, for plans and engineering.