Armour's plan probably never will be adopted generally, but from this commentator's point of view it would be a grand thing for the rank and file of the world's golfing army—and it certainly would be an advantage for the fellow who can hit his woods and irons as they should be hit.

At any rate it provides a very interesting feature for a club tournament where the members are looking for a novelty event on the program.

**Chinch Bug Control More Trouble for Courses**

Many courses this year have suffered damage from chinch bugs. Especially the Philadelphia district has been troubled by this pest. Chinch bugs do not often affect greens, probably because greens are kept constantly moist, but O. J. Noer reports having inspected cases of serious injuries to nurseries and even to trees. The chinch bug is a sucking insect. Its operations cause the grass to become flabby, then wither and turn brown.

So far the following two treatments appear to be effective:

Rotenone (3.4%) has been successful at 10 pounds per 1,000 sq.ft. The material is broadcast over the surface and watered in. About four days are required to effect maximum kill. There is a feeling that it might be well to use only 5 pounds per 1,000 sq.ft. at first application and repeat the application a week later if first application does not effect a clean-up.

The other method consists of hydrated lime and nicotine. These are used at 10 pounds hydrated lime and 1 qt. nicotine (Black Leaf 40) per 2,000 sq.ft. The two materials are dissolved in 100 gals. water and the area sprayed or drenched with the solution.

**Business Recovery Item: Jack Fulton, Jr., Gets Married**

Jack Fulton, Jr., for 7 years a team-mate in the Golfdom-Golfing outfit, was married August 23 to Miss Katherine M. Kenny at the University of Chicago chapel. Jack and Kay have been golf playmates for some time and now that they are knotted have begun to play house in the cottage colony at Olympia Fields.

These nuptials register the triumph of love over what the golf business has been for the last two years.

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