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runs high and officials of these clubs are loud in their praise of bowling as a means of welding the members closer to the club and its activities.

Similar bowling schedules are followed by clubs in New York, Cleveland, St. Louis and Buffalo. In the latter city, the women golfers have the Buffalo Woman Golfers’ Bowling league and recently completed their nineteenth tourney. Each club has one or more teams in the competition.

PRO BILT CO. NOW MAKING CLUBS IN EAST

Locust Valley, L. I., N. Y.—Pro-Bilt Co., with postal address Box 425, Locust Valley, has taken over equipment of the Schavolite Golf Co., and will make clubs for pro sale only.

At the head of the Pro-Bilt Co. are Bob Kilpatrick, formerly with Spalding and Schavolite, Jack Ross, veteran pro, who continues as pro at The Creek club, and Fred Chase, formerly in charge of repair and shipping departments at Schavolite.

The boys have started with a good line of clubs and ought to do all right. They know their business and they have a host of pro friends.

BALTEx NEW TOUGH COVER ON TOMMY ARMOUR 50c BALL

Elyria, O.—Worthington Ball Co. has put a new patented tough cover called Baltex on the Tommy Armour 50 cent balls. The Baltex cover is claimed to have increased resiliency and longer wear, along with pronounced toughness.

MAC SMITH CLUBS ADDED TO NEW CATALOG

Nashville, Tenn.—With A. C. Link joining N. C. Lyon and Mac Smith in the executive staff of Link-Lyon, Inc., several new clubs Mac has designed have been put into production.

A new catalog showing these new woods and irons has been issued and will be sent to any pro on request. Link-Lyon, Inc. has a strict pro-only sales policy.

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Primos, Penn. — Pennsylvania Lawn Mower Works, in a recent advertisement in these pages, mentioned the malleable
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Iron construction of its DeLuxe 36-inch fairway mower, but failed to point out directly that its 30-inch model is of similar material.

The Pennsylvania people claim that malleable iron makes these mowers unbreakable, a valuable sales point, and accordingly ask that greensmen understand that the feature applies to both DeLuxe fairway mowers.

**ST. MUNGO HAS NEW 50 CENT FLOATER BALL**

Newark, N. J.—A new St. Mungo ball, The Floater, is being made by the St. Mungo Sales Corp., 121 Sylvan Ave. The ball retails at 50 cents. It floats and is built especially for the light hitter.

**KIERNAN AND ROBERTS PROMOTED AS SPALDING EASTERN OFFICIALS**

New York City—A. G. Spalding & Bros. announce another advance for Matt Kiernan, formerly head of Spalding’s eastern wholesale golf department. Matt now is responsible for all Spalding wholesale sales in the east.

Walter Roberts, Matt’s assistant in the golf dept., has been made eastern golf manager.

Pros who know Matt and Walter all will rejoice at the promotion of these two brother toilers in the cause.

**GREENKEEPERS’ EXHIBIT SHOWS TREND TO PNEUMATIC TIRES**

Just as farmers in the past few years have been swinging more and more to pneumatic tires for their tractors and farm implements, so have greenkeepers seen the advantages of this new development.

Country clubs have become an important market for manufacturers of rubber tires, according to sales officials of The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.

Difference in equipment, as compared with a year ago, was especially noticeable at a recent meeting of The Cleveland Dis-

Goodyear tires on McCormick-Deering tractor.
whereas only a year ago scarcely any of the equipment would have been mounted on rubber tires.

There are many advantages in pneumatic tires over steel wheels, the Goodyear men declare, and the fact that the majority of new tractors and power mowers being sold to golf courses are pneumatic-equipped seems to bear out their contention. Many of the steel-wheeled units already in service are being changed over to pneumatics.

One of the outstanding advantages of pneumatics for golf course use is the fact they are easier on the turf, particularly if the ground happens to be soft. Rubber tires don't damage trees or sidewalks, and make possible use of the units over a wider area. Farmers are impressed with the fact they can do more work in the same length of time, and this is a factor that is also important on golf course equipment. Less power is required for operation, resulting in a fuel and oil saving. The equipment undergoes less wear and tear and therefore has longer life, due to the cushioning effect of the pneumatics.

Equipment on which pneumatic tires are finding ready use includes tractors, mowers, utility wagons, compost spreaders, wheelbarrows and green mower carts, used to carry mowers from green to green.

HENRY, HOYT AND HAY JOIN MAC SMITH SALES STAFF

Nashville, Tenn.—Link-Lyons, Inc., makers of MacDonald Smith golf clubs announce appointments of Pete Henry, widely known golf salesman, as eastern sales mgr. Bill Hay will represent Link-Lyon,

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If you happen to be around 1790 Broadway, New York and call in on Eddie Conlin, ringmaster of U.S. Rubber golf ball sales—and if you see Ed frowning and surrounded by stacks of books, pamphlets and papers—you have caught him in the throes of christening preliminaries on a golf ball.

Explains The Conlin:

“A good name on a golf ball is an important factor in its sale. Good names are hard to get and dozens of our advertising, selling and manufacturing staff have to puzzle themselves for months until finally some fellow has a heaven-sent hunch or a laboriously thought-out idea that we all finally can agree on as something worth using.

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they've already been used and registered in the United States patent office by another manufacturer. Once in a while some unfortunate operator will pick a name that looks great and get balls marked up only to be seriously out of luck when it is discovered that someone else had used the name previously.

"The golfer and the pro have no conception of the thought and research the ball maker has to devote to getting a good name for the ball he has spent a lot of money to develop. The name will have thousands of dollars spent on it in advertising before it registers strong and habitually with the buyers and will bring enough business to give the maker a chance to get in the black.

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"To show you what this christening job amounts to, see what we had to do before we christened our new Spun Latex U. S. Royal with the name that certainly has been just as sweet.

"We carefully went through—name by name—lists of all the yachts in this country, the race horses, the different brands of cigars, the Pullman Cars, the Scottish Clans, and the names of streets of several different cities—like Providence, Rhode Island, where U. S. balls are made. About the only book we did not try was the dictionary. This is no small job—and if you do not believe that, try it yourself.

"Finally, our thinking came around to what the ball was made of and how it was made. The raw material was Latex, which is the milk or sap that is taken from the cultivated rubber trees grown on the plantations owned by the United States Rubber Co. This material—Latex—is spun into thread, as a spider spins its web—the thread that is used in making our new ball. This gave us the name Spun Latex, and through our advertising the name Spun Latex has registered to such an extent that today the golfers are asking for the spun Latex ball rather than for the U. S. Royal made of spun latex.

"No, sir, the job of getting a new name for a new golf ball is not an easy job. If you think it is, give me one that is short, easy to pronounce and remember, and one that has not been used before. Do this, and I will gladly cross your palm with silver—that is, if we decide to use it."

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