SPEEDY MFG. CO., 710 S. 5th AVE., SIOUX FALLS, S. DAK., has had an enthusiastic reception for its Speedy Power-Vac Rakeland, a vacuum leaf and twig rake that operates, tractor-hauled and -powered, up to 3 miles an hour. The device has a rotating rake which loosens the leaves and small twigs gently from the ground, then a powerful vacuum sucks the leaves and twigs into a hammer-mill which pulverizes them into a powder. The fan now blows the powdered material onto the ground where it makes splendid humus and does not interfere with play. The Rakeland is made to fit all tractors.

FRANK JOHNSTON GOLF CLUB CO., 5310 N.E. SANDY BLVD., PORTLAND 13, ORE., has a new aluminum putter that is getting a lot of play and shop business from pros. During the PGA at Portland pros ordered hundreds of the putters and reorders from these sales already are being received by Frank and his associates, Ted Longworth, Waverly pro, and Eddie Hogan, Riverside pro. Frank, Ted and Eddie expect to add more clubs to their line soon.

HAYES WITH H&B
—Bob Hayes has joined Hillerich & Bradsby Co. to handle the Louisville Power-Bilt clubs in New York state, Pennsylvania, Virginia and W. Va. Bob returned from the Navy after 3 years service as a warrant officer. Before he went into the Navy he was a pro at Mayfield (Ky.) G&CC. He also has been pro-mgr., South Shore CC, Lake Wawasee, Ind. Prior to getting into pro golf he was with the Evansville (Ind.) Courier Press for 3 years. He is a graduate of Male high school, Louisville, Ky., and attended the Naval Academy preparatory school, Norfolk, Va. He is a PGA member.

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FRIEND MFG. CO., GASPORT, N. Y., sales mgr. C. H. LaFever says the company doesn’t expect to introduce any new type of sprayers for golf course work next year but does see some improvement in shipping situation on present models. Uncertain supply of raw materials and parts is giving Friend, as well as most other manufacturers, plenty of headaches.

WHIRLWIND LAWN MOWER CORP., 730 W. VIRGINIA ST., MILWAUKEE 4, WIS., now has a “junior” model that has been approved by greenkeepers as very satisfactory for mowing of clubhouse lawns, tees, etc. The scythe cutting action of the Whirlwind, plus the suction lift and grass, weed and twig mulching action has given the machine a big field in golf. The new Junior hand-propelled model has a lightweight 3 HP motor, has a 20 in. cut forward or backward, and 1 in. to 3½ in. height of cut.

JAMES CUNNINGHAM, SON & CO., ROCHESTER 8, N.Y., has a sturdy and compact knife-bar mower that is especially well balanced for easy and exact operation under shrubs, fences and around trees and in other close quarters. It has 2 heights of cut and a 36 in. cut. Motor is 1½ HP, 4 cycle. The Cunningham mower weighs 174 lbs.

NEW LIGHT ENGINE—A new light-weight compact gasoline engine has been developed by Power Products Corp., Grafton, Wis. The one HP engine, 8½” x 11” x 14½” in size, weighing only 16 lbs. was designed for manufacturers who have been seeking light-weight for portable and self-propelled equipment, such as mowers. The result is a machine having the maneuverability of a hand mower. Emphasis has been placed on compactness, so that the engine will take up a minimum of space. Other features include smoothness at all speeds, easy starting, (at all temperatures), minimum noise and vibration and good operation at any tilt up to 45 degrees. The engine is of a 2 cycle air cooled design. Aluminum castings and stampings are used throughout, except for piston rings, cylinder sleeve, crankshaft, bearings etc.
Principals of the new company are R. T. Lueloff, Pres., and Robert G. Krueger, VP, both of whom have had extensive experience in the gasoline engine field.

F. G. TURF AERIFIER — West Point Lawn Products, West Point, Pa., is making a new type turf aerifier called the F.G. It has hollow steel spoons bent at 30 degree angle and mounted on discs. The spoons enter the ground without tearing up sod and remove plugs of soil which are tossed on the surface. Depth of cultivation is easily regulated. Maximum depth is 5 in. The reel is 3 ft. wide and covers 6 ft. in each forward revolution; thus in an area of 18 sq. ft. 108 plugs of soil are removed. The device also is adjustable for scarifying soil for seeding. The F.G. Aerifier has been highly endorsed by greenkeepers for its performance in lime, organic matter and fertilizer application.

MULTIKLUBS AUXILIARY SET — Two new adjustable golf clubs, an iron and a wood Multiklub, are now being manufactured by the Knight Co., Detroit, Mich. These two clubs provide the equivalent of a complete set of irons and woods. The iron club can be adjusted for 8 different lies from 1 through 8, and when the stain-

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less steel head is inverted it provides an excellent putter. The mechanism is so designed that the adjustable head cannot slip or twist once the steel-to-steel locking device has been set. The "wood" club has a head made of durable molded plastic, capable of standing up under the hardest usage. The face of this club can be adjusted for wood lies number 1, 2, 3 and 4 by means of a small dial on the top of the head. An additional feature of both Multiklubs is the telescoping steel shaft which allows the clubs to be collapsed to a length of 15 inches for carrying in a suitcase or briefcase. Shafts are of tempered steel and have the same whip and strength as orthodox shafts. They cannot collapse while in play, but can be easily telescoped for carrying. A special canvas carrying case which holds both clubs and 6 balls is available with the two-club set. The new adjustable Multiklubs are scientifically balanced and precision-made and come in all standard weights and lengths as a convenient and practical auxiliary set.

GEORGE A. DAVIS, INC., 5440 NORTHWEST HIGHWAY, CHICAGO 30, ILL., course equipment and supply dealers, has plans for building an extension to its warehouse as soon as building materials are available. Davis has in stock plenty of grass seed, and a large tonnage of fertilizer and chemicals, and expects to be able to show latest maintenance machinery in all sizes and models, although demand is such that the Davis organization hasn't been able to keep stock in the warehouse for much longer than a few ticks of the clock. Considerable new greens and tee equipment will be cataloged by Davis for 1947.

PETER HENDERSON & CO., 35 CORTLANDT ST., NEW YORK 7, N. Y., expects to have a number of new items for golf course maintenance in 1947 but at present new items are limited. One of the new products is Japidemic a milky disease spore dust which contains not less than 100 million spores per gram of the bacterium Bacillus popilliae which causes the milky disease of Japanese beetle grubs. The spores of this tiny organism remain alive in the soil for a long time to kill enormous numbers of Jap beetle grubs. Henderson will furnish further information concerning Japidemic on request.

KENNETH SMITH, BOX 41, KANSAS CITY 10, MO., intends to continue to add to the line in 1947 whatever will help the pro. In fact, his whole set-up, Ken says, is just for that reason. "Most of the companies had kicked the pro shop accessory end of the business around, and we were no exception. We just didn't want to be bothered, but when the war came on and pros needed supplies as never before, they learned they were cut off completely from most lines. So we went into it knowing what would happen." Ken further re-
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NEW PLASTIC PUTTER—Merilite Products Co., 942 S. Water St., Milwaukee 4, Wis., is making deliveries on the Gallett Greenmaster, a radically new type of putter. Designed by Francis Gallett, veteran pro and clubmaker, the putter has a head of unusually tough, resilient plastic, in which is imbedded a scientifically balanced counterweight. The head is resistant to nicking and scarring, and impervious to moisture. It is completely streamlined, with no exposed weights or screws. The grip is Edgefold leather type. The makers say that the Greenmaster is designed and constructed to facilitate accurate, smooth and firm stroking. It comes in black or cherry colored head. Pro distribution exclusively. Retail price $12.50 with usual discounts. Each putter has a unique green pennant display tag attached to the shaft, giving the main sales features and helping to sell it from pro shop display. The company is developing a set of woods of the same plastic, to be ready for delivery at the start of the 1947 season. The wood models, also designed by Francis Gallett, have been given extensive tests by numerous pros. Consensus is that in feel, sound and ball action the Merilite plastic head is a highly satisfactory substitute for the persimmon head, and in addition is impervious to dampness.
"Galloping Golf" Is New Dice Game

Wilson Sporting Goods Co's Galloping Golf is played with 5 different colored dice which are rolled simultaneously once per hole. The red dice shows you the result of your "drive"—the white, blue and yellow dice give you your "second, third and fourth shots" respectively, and appropriately the green gives you how many "putts" you took. If your "drive and second shots" are good you eliminate the "third and fourth approach shots." But the cubes have an uncanny knack of "landing you in a trap or water hole" and don't hesitate to remind you that you've "dubbed a shot or deserve a penalty." Par on each hole is 4. Lowest possible score per hole is 2 (drive on green and one putt), the highest possible score is 9. Galloping Golf is adaptable to twosomes, foursomes, syndicates, and to either match or medal play with competitive interest the same as regular golf. It comes in an attractive two-color carton and includes 5 catalin dice with rounded edges and deeply embossed printing, collapsible sturdy simulated leather cup, score pad for 600 games (or you can keep score on your own club's score card) and playing rules.

SPIKE AID GETS PRO O.K.—Chadkin Sales, Inc., 7922 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles 36, Calif., recently has been made sales agents for Spike Aid, made by R. R. McKenzie Co., Pasadena, Calif. The Spike Aid is a rustproof plate that goes between the spike and sole of golf shoes. It prevents the spike from tilting, gouging or breaking through the sole. Many thousands of them have been sold from counter displays in west coast pro shops and distribution now is expanding to a national scale.

BEAN SPRAYERS RETURN — John Bean Mfg. Co., Lansing, Mich. and San Jose, Calif., will have as its 1947 line a wide selection of high pressure sprayers including some models that were not made during the war. The line includes models for tractor hauling, lighter pick-up sprayers that can be loaded into trailers or pulled by hand.

Reid Joins Nelson and Rain-Bird


Since 1930, Reid has designed and installed city water works and sprinkling systems of all kinds for golf courses, farms, parks, cemeteries, throughout the west. He is also interested in industrial pumping projects involving water and power costs.

After spending years digging his quota of divots, Reid has retired from the game to spend his time putting fairways in the best possible shape for players less addicted to divoting. He would like to see all golf courses equipped with water systems to assure spring turf through the hottest and driest of summer months. Rain-Bird Sprinklers and Nelson quick coupling valves have been particularly successful on the heavy, year round, sprinkling jobs of the Southwest and Pacific Coast areas.

MELFLEX EXPANDS—Melflex Products Co., 410 S. Broadway, Akron, O., makers of tee mats extensively used at golf courses and practice ranges, and of mats and runners used in clubhouses, has moved into its new and larger factory. In its new plant the 16-year-old company will triple its production capacity of golf goods and industrial safety material, by the first quarter of 1947.

REQUIRE MEMBER REGISTRATION —

A practice that grew extensively this year is that of clubs requiring members to register themselves and guests as they come into the clubhouse. Protection against gate crashers and unauthorized visitors during a season of many new members was one reason for insisting the regulation be met. Other reasons included having presence of members and guests known in case of important telephone messages, lining up caddies, getting advance information on number of dinner guests and checking on occupancy of swimming pool.

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JACKMAN SPORTSWEAR CO., INC., recently purchased a brick building, 50 x 125 with full basement, at 6334 Roosevelt Road, Oak Park, Ill., to which the company will move, about Jan. 1, 1947, from its original quarters in the Lytton Bldg., Chicago. Ren Smith, Jackman pres., says the company is increasing its line for 1947 and expects to be able to carry larger stocks so it can furnish quicker service. The new location has plenty of parking space handy so Chicago district pros can pick up merchandise and load in their cars much quicker than was possible in a Loop location. Convenience of mail and express shipping facilities also are expected to help Jackman give pros at any point quicker service.

Wilson Sporting Goods Co. salesmen are being supplied with a sales portfolio measuring 18 in. by 24 in. which enables the salesman to present graphically the complete Wilson line to the pro trade. Illustrations are in true color and complete details of each item are given. The portfolio also contains data on Wilson's extensive distributing operations, its enlarged facilities which now include more than a million sq. ft. of manufacturing and warehousing space, its advisory staff of sports experts, its movie sports library and its powerful advertising and sales promotion campaigns.

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Balanced Golf Bag, North & Noble Sts., Chicago, 22, Ill., has sold 100,000 of its standard model balanced golf bags this year; most of them through pro shops. The lightweight, well-made canvas bag with the stick in it to keep the bag balanced provided a popular offset to the caddie shortage as well as serving many others who winced at caddie fees. As soon as manufacturing facilities are available the company will introduce another lightweight balanced bag, having a hood, more pocket space and made of more costly material.

Again in production are the Murdock outdoor drinking fountains, hydrants and other Murdock outdoor water service devices made by the Murdock Mfg. & Supply Co., Cincinnati. Murdock fountains probably are used at more golf courses than any other type of drinking water device and long have been favored as event prizes with the name of the winners being placed on a plate attached to the fountains. The new Murdock line is described in the company’s catalog L.

Steven C. Parks, gen. sales mgr., G. B. Lewis Co., Watertown, Wis., says that even with the material situation easing in 1947 his company doubts it will be able to come near to filling the demand for Lewis ball washers. Parks urges that greenkeepers now check over their ball washers and immediately order replacement parts.

Toro Mfg. Corp., Minneapolis, 6, Minn., now has a new machine shop, a new warehouse and a new office building. Despite all the headaches of material shortages plaguing a course equipment manufacturer this year Toro has been able to build and ship $1,400,000 worth of mowing machinery. Orders now on the books run into the millions but are being filled at increasing speed, says Ken Goit, Toro pres.

Two items which made their appearance in the line of C. B. Dolge Co., Westport, Conn., this year registered so strongly with users they’re going to be among Dolge’s main features in 1947. The E.W.T. weed killer, Dolge’s preparation with a 2, 4-D base, performed especially well in effectiveness and economy. The other new item, Permax, contains 5% DDT plus a quick knockdown toxicant. It may be used as a space spray to kill flies and mosquitoes at the rate of one cupful to 8,000 cu. ft., or it may be brushed or sprayed onto walls for continuous insect-killing action.

Spalding says 101 of the 149 contestants in this year’s National Amateur used Spalding golf balls.

ANSUL CHEMICAL CO., MARINETTE, WIS., has a new Ansul-Dugas dry chemical fire extinguisher for which it claims simplified and fast operation, quick and easy on-the-spot rechage, greater heat-shielding protection for the operator, expert extinguishing by inexperienced operators and greater capacity without increased weight.
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Skinner Irrigation Co., Troy, O., reports it has enjoyed the best year and the largest volume in its history. Expanded facilities have enabled the company to adequately care for all orders accepted, even though compelled to allocate distribution on numerous items. A considerable number of the better known golf clubs in the country have installed large units of Skinner fairway, green and tee irrigation this year.

Only minor changes in equipment have been made since the war ended. The new developments of the years just previous to the war provided numerous exclusive benefits which have enhanced still further the position of the Skinner system in this field.

There is a very great interest in golf course irrigation at this time, even though many clubs have faced the serious shortage of pipe.

Skinner adds: "Prices have not been advanced since 1942, even though some raw materials have doubled in cost. Future developments in deliveries and prices will depend upon the availability and cost of raw materials, but another record breaking year seems to be in prospect."
A. G. SPALDING & BROS. INC. has declared, in addition to its regular semi-annual dividend of 40 cents on its common stock, an extra dividend of 70 cents on common. The company's directors have voted to call by lot $82,800 of its 50-year 5% debentures, due Nov. 1, 1989. The bonds will be called Dec. at par value.

TALK-A-PHONE CO., 1512 S. PULASKI RD., CHICAGO 23, ILL., has a new low-priced type of intercommunicating equipment that looks very good for golf clubhouse, pro shop, greenkeeper office and caddiemaster use. The company will be glad to send bulletins on this KR-4010 system.

AMERICAN - LA FRANCE - FOAMITE CORP., ELMIRA, N.Y., has a new airfoam generating nozzle that either creates a fire-smothering foam through mixing of water, air and Foamite Airfoam liquid within the nozzle, or can be operated as a clear water nozzle by removing the pick-up tube from the Airfoam liquid.

MADEWELL MOTOR, INC., 3125 E. 7th ST., OAKLAND 1, CALIF., is maker and distributor of the Bag-Shag, a patented automatic golf ball retriever invented by Ian MacDonald, well known pro who formerly was at Modesta, Calif. Ian made the device before the war and got big sales of them although he made no special effort to work the proposition into big business. It consists of a cast aluminum tube 21 in. long and 2 in. in diameter. The bottom of the tube is equipped with patented prongs so that the ball, once shagged, cannot escape. As each successive ball is shagged, the previous ones are forced up the tube and into a sturdy, bright colored canvas bag which encircles the top part of the tube. This bag holds 70 or more balls easily and is zipper closed. An aluminum handle fits the hand snugly. The balls are released from the bag by simply unzipping it. Bag-Shag practically doubles practice time, because the ball is shagged and bagged with a single hand motion, the player standing at ease and upright. There is no stooping or bending and scooping up of balls. Bag-Shag will also act as a "lure" to golfers to practice more because it makes a pleasure of something that was formerly a chore. And a golfer owning a Bag-Shag will certainly be a hero in the eyes of his caddie. It is handsome and while light as a feather, it is very rugged and durable and can take plenty of hard use.

Dunlop will make no change in the Maxfli, 1 Dot, 2 Dot and 3 Dot balls for pro shop sales in 1947, says Vinnie Richards, asst. to the president of the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Corp. A cheaper ball may be put into the Dunlop line after the first of the year but the name and price of the proposed new secondary ball haven't been set. Richards continues to play pro tournament tennis along with his amateur golf and reports that tennis and golf pros at country clubs forecast a great increase in the already big demand for Dunlop tennis balls at country clubs.

BALL NAME MARKER IS NEW —United Metal Products Corp., 19251 W. Davison, Detroit 23, Mich., makes a new ball marker for pro shop sale. A firm, even rolling pressure makes a clean impression of the player's full name in the cover. Enough letters are supplied to spell any name of 15 characters or less. A liberal supply of ink is contained in the unit, with a handy applicator. The marker is compact and handy. It weighs 3½ oz. Many pros are giving it a strong push in their bids for members' Christmas gift business.

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