
DIEGEL AND DANTE WRITE BOOK ON "9 BAD SHOTS"

Jim Dante, who's been pres., New Jersey PGA 5 times, and Leo Diegel, twice PGA national champion and 4 times Canadian Open winner, have written in collaboration with Len Elliott, sports editor, Newark (N.J.) Evening News, "The 9 Bad Shots of Golf—and what to do about them."


Jim and Leo, conceded by pros to be 2 of the best teachers of the game, have done a very effective job in this book. They maintain that there are only 9 bad shots in golf; slicing, hooking, topping, smothering, pulling, pushing, skying, slaflaffing and shanking. Diagnosis and correction of the causes of these 9 faults constitute the major part of the book. The rest of the book is devoted to the correct grip and stance, the swing, iron play, putting, play in rough and traps and on uneven lies.

Although this book is concerned mainly with "straightening out" the player who has chronic faults it is an excellent treatise for helping players who shoot from 85 up have a clear understanding of what they should do right—and why—as well as explaining the cause and cure of their troubles. It is a book that can be tied up closely with expert pro personal instruction as its sets forth what almost every other pro has shared with Diegel and Dante in the problems of getting pupils to understand the causes of their troubles so clearly they won't slump into hopeless confusion and discouragement.

MAC-GREGOR STAFF MEETS—Henry P. Cowen, pres. and G.M. of MacGregor Golf, Inc., and Hugo Goldsmith, president of Sport Products, Inc., conducted a winter conference of the MacGregor Golf Pro Advisory Technical Staff, at Miami Beach, Florida, March 5 and 6. The conference followed the International 4-Ball Golf Matches won by Ben Hogan and Jimmy Demaret of MacGregor's staff for the second consecutive