CMAA St. Louis Conference
Program Completed

Registration for the Club Managers Assoc. of America's annual conference, to be held in St. Louis, has been set for Feb. 12 with the business and educational sessions getting underway on the following day and lasting through the 16th.

Among the conference speakers will be Walter Slowinski, CMAA counsel, who will speak on legal aspects of the profession; Charles E. Smith, lecturer at the Cornell University short course, who will discuss automation; Harry J. Fawcett of Kansas City, speaking on the banquet menu; Ervin A. Pickel, Jr., who will talk about club publicity; and Robert E. Beck of Cornell, who will go into the matter of selecting and training personnel.

11-Course Dinner

On the 13th, the U. S. Brewers Fdn. will sponsor an 11-course German dinner and on the following day, 25-year members of the CMAA will be honored at a Valentine Day's brunch. Saturday has been designated as past president's day with the conference winding up that evening with a formal dinner dance sponsored by the Distillers' hospitality committee. The CMAA board meeting is scheduled for Sunday.

The St. Louis host chapter, working with CMAA officers in handling conference arrangements, has planned special entertainment programs for women on each day of the conference.

J. C. Maiden, Jones' Teacher,
Dies at Age of 76

James C. Maiden, one of the pros who came to U. S. from Carnoustie, Scotland, in the early 1900s, died at his home in Glen Cove, L. I. on Jan. 13. He was 76. Best known as Bobby Jones' instructor, Mr. Maiden distinguished himself as a player by winning the Ohio Open in 1906, the Eastern PGA in 1909 and the Long Island Open in 1924. Watts Gunn and Max Marston also were tutored by the veteran professional.

Mr. Maiden served at Inverness in Toledo and the East Lake Club in Atlanta. During World War I he played numerous Red Cross benefit matches on the East Coast. In addition to his widow, the former Elizabeth McGillivray, he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Natalie Vasiliiu, a son, J. Cameron, Jr., and two grandchildren.

USGA 1959 Competitions

May 15-16 Walker Cup Match, Muirfield, Scotland.
June 11-13 National Open, Winged Foot, Mamaroneck, N. Y.
July 13-18 Amateur Public Links, Denver, Colo.
Aug. 5-8 Junior Amateur, Stanford U. GC, Palo, Alto, Calif.
17-21 Girls' Junior (site to be selected).
24-29 Women's Amateur, Congressional CC, Washington, D. C.
Oct. 5-10 Senior Amateur, Memphis (Tenn.) CC.

Ord Group Plans Nationwide
Junior Golf Clubs

The Junior golf program, sponsored by civic minded golfers of Ord, Neb., and which was described in the October, 1957, issue of GOLFDOM (page 75) has gone nationwide. It is now known as the Ben Hogan Junior Golf Club of America. A. J. Auble, who played a big part in organizing the Ord group, has announced that membership cards are available to organizations in other cities that wish to form Hogan JCGA units. They will be furnished at printing and postage costs.

To belong to the Junior club, the applicant must agree to observe all rules and regulations at courses on which he plays, keep an honest and accurate record of his scores and practice good sportsmanship at all times.

Complete information can be obtained by writing Auble at the Shadelite Marquee Co., Inc., Ord, Neb.

Northern Calif. PGA Plans
Monthly Amateur Tourneys

In order to keep golf interest at the same high pitch it has enjoyed for the past several years, the Northern Calif. PGA section has planned a series of all-amateur tournaments to be played once a month at different courses in its territory. The competitions will be held only on courses that are in top condition, according to Bill Corbett, Pleasanton pro, who is secy. of the NCPGA. Persons entering the tourneys will pay $5.00, be divided into three classifications and gross and net prizes will be awarded. The first of these amateur sweeps was to have been held on Feb. 10.