Ed Barr, Beverly caddiemaster, issues safety helmet to a caddie assigned to practice range work.

Caddie Helmets Give Kids Protection on Range

Caddies at Beverly CC, Chicago, when they are assigned to shagging balls on the practice range are issued helmets of the type worn by baseball batters.

George Murphy, a Beverly member, had the idea that practice range caddies need more protection and his suggestion was welcomed by the club's caddiemaster, Ed Barr. Barr has seen caddies injured on practice assignments at various clubs and wanted to avoid such casualties at Beverly. The plastic helmet and liner doesn't give the complete protection the kids need but it is a considerable advance in safety in areas where many shots are swift and wild.

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