Young Elected President by Club Managers

Clem Young, Manager of the Cleveland (Ohio) Athletic Club, was elected president of the CMAA at the organization's annual conference, Jan. 21-26, in the Hilton Hawaiian Village, Honolulu, Hawaii. He succeeds John G. Outland, manager of the Dallas (Texas) Country Club.

Also elected were Charles E. Smith, general manager of the Chevy Chase (Md.) Club, vice president, and William Hodges, general manager of Paradise Valley (Ariz.) CC, secretary-treasurer.

CMAA is an international organization of 2,300 professional managers of bona fide country and town clubs. It was organized 37 years ago to encourage the education and advancement of its members.

More than 800 managers and their wives attended the annual conference. Hawaii's Governor, John A. Burns, Rev. Abraham Akaka, of Kawaiahaoo Church, and Adm. Harry D. Felt, CINCPAC, opened the conference by welcoming CMAA members who had traveled from all parts of the world to participate in the educational program.

Tax Clinic Featured

Tax problems, important to an industry that pays over $75,000,000 annually in federal excise taxes alone, were thoroughly aired in a two-hour tax clinic, moderated by Michael Waris, Washington partner of Baker, McKenzie and Hightower, and CMAA'S legal counsel.

Seminars were the most popular features. Arthur Irdell of Harris, Kerr, Foster & Co., told how new I.R.S. tax regulations affected clubs in 1963. Joseph Sullivan, labor relations consultant from San Francisco, conducted an overall investigation and review of labor-management policies affecting clubs. Henry Barbour, director of the hotel school at Michigan State University, encouraged quality evaluation of club equipment purchases and discussed what to look for in terms of decor, durability and cleanliness.

Club Modernization

Vladimir Ossipoff, Honolulu designer and architect, conducted a panel discussion on club modernization in which an architect and two club managers participated. Joseph Coyte, Heeia Lodge, and Theodore White, director of mess management training, U.S.N., staged a two-hour demonstration on how to prepare and season the foods native to Japan, China, Philippines, India, Hawaii and Tahiti.

New directors of CMAA are Horace Duncan, Cherry Hills (Colo.) CC, Orlo L. Farlow, manager of the CPO Club, Pearl Harbor, and Charles E. Havnes, manager of the Detroit (Mich.) CC. Continuing on the board are James C. Diamond, Ridge-wood CC, Danbury, Conn., Joseph J. Donoghue, Losantiville CC, Cincinnati, L. J. Griffis, Vestavia CC, Birmingham, Ala., Charles M. Knisley, West Shore CC, Camp Hill, Pa., Everett L. Woxberg, Evanston CC, Skokie, Ill., and John G. Outland, Dallas CC.

The social side of the conference was planned by managers of the Paradise of the Pacific chapter of CMAA and directed by general chairman, Orlo Farlow. Each luncheon, dinner and special event saluted a particular group of people from which our 50th State has drawn its traditions and customs.

Ryder Cup Matches in June

Starting in 1967, the PGA will break a 30-year tradition and schedule the Ryder Cup matches for June, shortly after the USGA Open Championship. Since 1935 all matches played in the US have been held in the fall. The 1967 Ryder Cup American and British team members will automatically become eligible for the USGA Open.