Jack Kessling moves from the Indiana Lake CC to the Eldorado CC in Franklin, Ind. . . . Lowell Wilson has signed as pro at Oceana GC in Oceans, W.Va. . . . New Par-3 in Augusta, Ga., claimed to have short holes comparable to the finest par threes on regulation courses, plans league play similar to bowling matches . . . Longmeadow, Mass., has granted special zoning permit for a new course development . . . Aqua Marine Motel in Avon Lake, O., plans 18-hole course to be built this summer.

Roy Holland of the National Golf Foundation has completed a study of the proposed Alton, Ill., course . . . Construction contract for $68,581 has been let by Beaver Hills CC in Cedar Falls, Ia. . . . Edward Packard is the architect for the Iowa course . . . Groundbreaking ceremonies for pool construction at Valparaiso (Ind.) GC went ahead in spite of late winter blizzard . . . Snow shovels were used instead of the traditional ground spade.

Hamden, Conn., is seeking to purchase an estate property for course development . . . Recent outcry in Clifton, Md., as result of remodeling procedures on a local clubhouse . . . It is said that contractors obscured and effaced plasterwork deemed architecturally and historically valuable . . . Pro George Corcoran has signed his seventh three-year contract at the Greensboro (S.C.) CC . . . Merion GC in Ardmore, Pa., is putting up a six-foot high chain-link fence along two miles of its 250-acre property at a cost of $35,000.

Chuck Schafer is the new pro at Stratmoor Hills in Colorado Springs, Colo. . . . The Stratmoor 18 is a public course at the foot of the Rockies with de luxe clubhouse, lounge and bar facilities and terrific scenic views . . . Ken Johnson has signed as pro-manager at the Miami View GC in Cincinnati and will oversee the clubhouse expansion program . . . The Miami View project will enlarge clubhouse facilities to over three times their original size . . . Target date for completion is the 4th of July . . . Corry, N.Y., is hoping to meet the recommended start-
ing date, June 1, for construction of muny designed by Edmund Ault, architect from Silver Springs, Md.

A motion-picture-and-computer indoor golf set-up, The Golf-O-Tron, opened in early April at Pennsauken, N.J. ... East Islip, N.Y., is embroiled in zoning controversy in attempts to build a new 18 ... William F. Gordon, course architect, supervised ground breaking ceremonies for Delhi, N.Y., muny ... A $10,000 pro-am tourney has been scheduled at Concord CC in Concordville, Pa., to follow the Whitemarsh Open ... Proceeds from the Concord match will go to JOB, Inc., a non-profit employment agency for the handicapped.

Alex McGugah moves from the Merion GC in Ardmore, Pa., to open the new Andorra CC in Roxborough, Pa., as head pro ... Jack Moore replaces McGugah at Merion ... Chuck Kuiber returns to Burden Lake G&CC near Troy, N.Y., for his second season as head pro ... Baltimore County, Md., has approved a modest clubhouse for a public course nearing completion at Texas, Md. ... Political row by the Baltimore County board responsible for the new course and clubhouse included usual discussion of "Golf — Luxury or Necessity?"

Carlson Farms CC, five miles north of Greensboro, N.C., has removed the barnyard animals that charmed the youngest members of the club’s families and converted the two barns to more traditional club uses ... Brookfield, Conn., has zoned the site of its new $4,500,000 course, clubhouse, etc., for recreational use rather than commercial to avoid possible intrusion of honky-tonk atmosphere.

Nick Petrillo, new pro at the Bellport (N.Y.) GC, has scored five aces in 27 years of golf ... Don Stephani, Bellport high school golf star, will serve as Petrillo’s assistant ... Land transfer to the Beaver Brook Land Co. has cleared the way for construction of 18-hole course at Clinton, Pa. ... Bob Evans moves from Brandywine CC in Niles, Mich., to the head pro spot at Copeland Hills GC in Columbina, O. ... Pinellas County, in northern Fla., will have new course at Tierra Verde ready for 1965 play ... Frank Murray designed and will oversee construction of the Tierra Verde project.

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Merrywood CC, a 27-hole course at Smithtown, N.Y., has established a minimum fine of $25 for golfers who fail to repair divots or who drag golf carts on greens and tees.

The Waldemar Open at Tam O'Shanter CC in Brookville, N.Y., will have auxiliary events at several Westchester and Long Island clubs . . . Proceeds from the Walde- mar tourney and tie-in competitions will go to the Waldemar Medical Research Fund . . . Geoffrey Cornish, course architect, will re-design the Westwood CC course in Vienna, Va . . . Ernie Derst has signed with the Shennecossett CC in New London, Conn., as head pro.

Cherokee Country Club in Jacksonville, Tex., began construction on Friday the 13th, in March, with Pro John Lively, Jr., and Architect Carl Gregory among the ground breaking officials . . . Town'n CC of Strongsville, O., was sold at a sheriff's auction for $590,000 to a local savings and loan firm . . . The appraised value of the Strongsville club was $877,300, but the purchaser had granted a 1960 mortgage of $690,000, and delinquent taxes are $265,000 . . . Changeover of ownership is not expected to affect usual business procedures, according to Town'n CC manager, Jim Cottrell.

New Canaan, Conn., has approved zoning changes to clear the way for Brae Loch CC construction . . . Daytona GC, a 9-hole layout, opens this spring in Hennepin County, Minn. . . . Improvement program of $12,000 has been approved for the Lake City (S.C.) CC to put clubhouse in top recreational shape . . . Lake City has a 9-hole course and swimming pool . . . Improvements will include recreation room with table tennis and other indoor sport facilities plus enlarged pro shop and lounge.

FHA insured loan of $190,000 for the Skenandoa Club in Clinton, N.Y., gives financial backing to another golf course in upstate N.Y. . . . Skenandoa facilities will include 18, two tennis courts, pool and clubhouse . . . The Clinton club has been in existence some 75 years and the new facilities will be ready by the spring of 1965 . . . Wee-Ma-Tuk Hills CC in Havana, Ill., has okayed plans for swim-
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**Williamstown, Mass., post from retiring Dick Baxter . . . Pro Ed Bosse succeeds John Morris at the Colonie in Albany, N.Y. . . . Dick Osborn, pro at the Pinehaven G&CC in Guilderland, N.Y., moves to the supt. spot at the Colonie club . . . Norwalk, N.Y., has signed Alfred Tull, course architect to design a muny . . . Edmund Ault, architect, has finished the Northampton Valley course in Richmond, Pa. . . . The Northampton greens, which average 7500 sq. ft., are among the largest in the country . . . Johnny Carson is the pro at Northampton . . . Lake Minnewaska in Newburgh, N.Y., opens six holes and plans expansion to nine.**

A new 18-hole golf course and marksman ship range is planned for Dallas, Tex. . . . Brothers Pat and Dick LaConte recently opened their Tam-A-Rac CC in Cleveland, O. . . . Play at New York city courses in 1963 topped 847,000 rounds . . . Pat Chambers has left his longtime post as manager of the Siwanoy CC in Bronxville, N.Y. . . . Houston, Tex., plans to turn a former city dump into a muny course . . . USGA secretary, Phil Strubing, speaking at the Massachusetts Golf Association spring seminar, pointed out that the Rules of Golf are designed to eliminate the luck factor in play . . . The USGA philosophy is that good shots should be fairly rewarded and bad shots fairly penalized.

**Jay Woodworth has been appointed pro at the Furnace Brook GC in Wollaston, Mass. . . . Pro Mickie Gallagher, Jr., at the Catawba CC in Hickory, N.C., has seen seven miles of pipe laid to give the course a complete tee-through-green watering system . . . Joe and Chuck Rustici have been given the go-ahead by the Stonington, Conn., zoning board for 18-hole layout . . . Dington Par-3 in Fall River, Mass., opened in mid-April . . . Pro Roland Robertson hopes to have new nine at his Darlington (S.C.) CC open for play in June.**

**Additional nine are being added to Conewango Forks GC in Randolph, N.Y. . . . Charlie Beverage, new pro at the Century CC in White Plains, N.Y., brings Al Senior, his former aide at Dorado in Puerto Rico, along as assistant . . . John**
Belluardo has resigned his post at Rock Spring CC in West Orange, N.J., to devote full time to his successful golf school in East Paterson, N.J. . . . Former Light-weight Champion, Lew Jenkins, supplements his Army pension by doing construction work and as a "groundkeeper" at the Concord, Calif., muny . . . Lew gave out this information during an interview following the arrest of a thief in NYC who was using Lew's name.

Clarendon CC in Manning, S.C., recently opened its course and clubhouse, built with a U.S. Farm and Home Agency insured loan . . . McIntyre Cabin Green course in Kittanning, Pa., will have nine in play by July and its backer, Dick McIntyre, is looking ahead to second nine and lights for night play . . . Archie Grimsditch, formerly associate golf pro at Longmeadow (Mass.) CC, succeeds Eddie Kornasky as head pro at Cohasse CC in Southbridge, Mass. . . . Kornasky moves to the head pro spot at Dedham (Mass.) Country and Polo Club.

Grass Valley (Calif.) CC opened new 18-hole layout in mid-April . . . Jim Summers is the Grass Valley pro and Chuck Weatherton is the spt . . . Beaverhead CC is new 9-hole course and clubhouse at Dillion, Mont. . . . Construction of clubhouse at the new Deer Run GC in Brillon, Wis., should be completed when the 9-hole course opens May 15 . . . Five-hundred-thousand dollar clubhouse is being built at the Golden Hills Turf and CC in Ocala, Fla.

Jimmy Battin moves from the assistant spot at Harrison Lakes CC in Columbus, to assume full responsibilities as head pro at the Hendricks County GC . . . Pismo Beach, Calif., is considering muny . . . Steve Ferentz has received the go-ahead from the zoning board of Pittsford, N.Y., to develop a 9-hole course . . . Rancho San Joaquin in Orange County, Calif., began construction in early April and hopes to open on Labor Day, 1964 . . . William Bell, Jr., designed the 18-hole Rancho San Joaquin course.

Planners of the Los Verdes GC in Los Angeles, Calif., estimate course cost at $200,000 . . . The Tioga Recreation association in Owego, N.Y., is progressing
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Course feasibility study is underway in Manteca, Calif... Lake Andes, S.D., is planning $40,000 course to be completed by early 1965... The Oaks CC in Tulsa, Okla., has enlarged its grill room and added a massive fireplace built from weathered bricks originally used in a turn-of-the-century school house... The city of Tucson, Ariz., is hoping to purchase the El Rio CC as its second muny for a reported $500,000... New clubhouse is slated for the Western Avenue GC in Gardena, Calif... La Costa CC in Whispering Palms, near San Diego, Calif., plans $600,000 clubhouse and cabana to augment course and luxury homesites... Truckee, Calif., recently sold its Ponderosa CC to private investors... Nine holes are planned at Moravia, N.Y., with future expansion to 18 as part of long-range recreation development... A second 18-hole layout is being discussed for the Lake Hefner area of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Culpeper (Va.) CC to open its new addition to the clubhouse late this spring... A 9-hole course was recently opened at Pacoima, Calif... Perry (Ia.) CC has just completed $60,000 worth of improvements and plans additional expansion and remodeling during 1964... Lancaster (Pa.) CC has voted to spend $475,000 for clubhouse addition, acquisition of 40 acres and new pro shop... Maplewood CC in Muncie, Ind., opens this spring with Steve Boller as head pro.

A new residential subdivision southwest of Champaign, Ill., will be built around an 18-hole course... First nine at Champaign will be open next summer... Present 9-hole course at the Hamilton CC in Saugatuck, Mich., will be expanded to 18 as part of $2.5 million expansion program... Saugatuck, long an artist colony, is becoming one of the most popular Lake Michigan resorts...
Hoosick Falls CC in Troy, N.Y., will undergo extensive improvements during the coming season. Pro Larry Stewart at Westwood GC in Newton, la., starts the 1964 season with an enlarged, re-modeled pro shop. Mountain resort project under way near Hiawassee, Ga., will include 18-hole course.

Eighteen hole course is slated for Grand Prairie, Tex. Luray, Va., has raised $36,000 to develop a course. Monroe (Mich.) G&CC has begun drilling for a water supply that is hoped to produce 250 gallons per minute. Dundee, Ill., town council has opened the bidding for course construction. The 9-hole Raritan Arsenal golf course was saved from ruin through neglect by recent federal approval of a plan by Middlesex County (N.J.) to seed and maintain the course. The arsenal is being “phased out” and the land will be eventually used for a two-year county college. For the present the existing course will ease crowded golf conditions in Northern Jersey.

Pro Ron Demao has signed for 1964 at the Richmond, Ind., muny. A group in Harker Heights, Tex., is studying the possibilities of course and country club. Indianapolis, Ind., zoning board has approved plans for new 18-hole course. Local businessmen in Belleville, Ill., are checking sites for possible 18-hole course.

Tom, Fred and Robert Page have purchased land adjacent to their present course for a second 18-hole layout in Stow, Mass. Gloucester (Va.) CC course and clubhouse are undergoing extensive remodeling to meet increased golfing requirements in the Middle Peninsula area. A new daily fee course, the Mid-

land Far CC, opened south of the Wis.-Ill. line near Lake Michigan on May 1.

Northampton (N.J.) CC will open 18-hole course July 1 as first step in the $1.5 million development begun last winter. Architect Geoffrey Cornish has approved a site for a new course at Cowanesque, Pa., and the Farm-Home administration has given tentative approval for federal aid in development. Phil Strubing, secretary of the USGA, pointed out the financial benefits that amateurs leave to pros. The amateur rules against expenses for travel and employment by golf equipment manufacturers reserves many extra dollars for PGA members, according to Strubing. Chaska, Minn., has annexed 3,508 acres including the new Hazeltine National GC.

Walt Hall, prominent Mass. golfer and instructor and former pro at the Hyannis Port CC, has filed proposals for a motel and 18-hole Par-3 course in Hyannis, Mass. The new Key West (Fla.) CC is deciding between two possible sites for its clubhouse. Phil Wisnewski, a 1962 graduate of the Stockbridge Turf School, is the new supt. at Memorial G&CC in Turners Falls, Mass.

The shores of Lake Shawnee near Topeka, Kans., may be the site of a new 9-hole course if county officials agree. The Irving, Tex., News-Texan has editorially opposed the sale of the Irving CC to real estate developers for home sites. The newspaper points out that the community needs golf facilities to maintain a “balanced personality” and suggests municipal development of a course on the Irving CC property. Berne, Ind., will open new nine with a National Golf Day.
Pro-Manager Mickey Powell of the Otter Creek GC in Columbus, Ind., held season-starter sessions covering the club, its facilities, fees and rules in a just-completed clubhouse. Charles Petrino, former pro at the Brooklawn CC, takes over head pro job at the Hellandale CC in Trumbull, Conn. The Spa Golf course at Saratoga Springs, N.Y., opened in mid-April with pro Tom Creavy in charge of both the 18-hole layout and the new 9-hole course. Phil Wogan, course architect from Beverly, Mass., is overseeing construction at Val Halla CC in Cumberland, Me. The Farmers Home administration has approved a $40,000 loan for course in Murray, Ga. Muhlenberg County, Ky., is seeking $22,500 to build a 9-hole course.

Final plans for the Minneapolis, Minn., improvement of the Columbia GC have been approved to the tune of $500,000. Brownson CC in Shelton, Conn., has begun construction of new clubhouse facilities and expects to have the job done by June 10. Expansion of clubhouse at Conestoga CC in York, Pa., to be completed in early May. New clubhouse is going up at the Harlettsville (Tex.) CC. Oakhurst CC and Worthington Hills CC, both in the Columbus, O., area, are set to open their first and second seasons respectively. John Buchanan is the pro at Oakhurst and Paul Schurtz is at Worthington. Birmingham, Mich., may name its new muny after the community's original name, Piety Hill.

Complex resort facilities including course, motel and restaurants are under construction in Tracy, Calif. The old Grand Forks (Minn.) CC has been purchased and re-named the River Bend CC. The Minn. course is set to re-open June 1. An 18-hole course is planned for the Los Angeles, Calif., Antelope Valley section. New clubhouse at the Caroline County (Md.) CC planned for late-April or early-May opening. Alex Ternyei, former Bergen County, N.J., pro turned course architect, expects to open new Pines CC in Emerson, N.J., June 15.

Construction of second nine at Clio (Mich.) GC has passed the tree removal stage. Lawrence Welk, famed for his Champagne music and celebrity golf, joined in ground-breaking ceremonies for the second nine at the Salton City (Tex.) golf course. Nickolas Berklich, Jr., a pro now selling golf equipment, and Harold Whittinton, pro at Crosse Ile (Mich.) G&CC, are thinking of developing a course at Ypsilanti, Mich. Planned investment at Ypsilanti is $200,000 with 25-year, $1-a-year lease deal. The Michigan community would also receive 40 per cent of the greens fees after maintenance and equipment costs are deducted. Alfred Tull, course architect, has been hired to draw preliminary plans for new course at Norwalk, Conn. The U.S. Corps of Engineers has gone over plans for new course at North Concho Lake near San Angelo, Tex.

The Brigantin CC near Atlantic City, N.J., will see its clubhouse and 11 of the 18 holes sold to satisfy a first mortgage foreclosure decree of $87,900. A group of area residents hope to buy the Brigantin property and operate the course. Indian Bluff course near Moline, Ill., has added 20 acres to its land. Janesville, Wis., will add clubhouse to its muny nine. City officials outlawed outdoor recreational facilities under artificial illumination after sunset over objections of the Florham Park (N.J.) CC. It will be

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decided in court whether Florham Park’s
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The proposed construction of a $400,-
000 municipal country club in Fridley,
Minn., has received the support of the
town’s planning commission and its parks
and playgrounds subcommittee . . . East
Brunswick County, N.J., has approved
purchase of 112 acres for course develop-
ment . . . Still to be acquired are 100 acres
for the proposed 350-acre project.

George Fazio, well-known Pa. course
developer, is seeking a zoning okay for a
new course in Paoli, Pa. . . . York County,
Pa., plans to open two new courses on
Memorial Day — 9-holes in Yocumtown
and 18 near Stewartstown . . . Sixty acres
have been purchased by the town of
Stockton, Ill., and local support is being
sought for course development . . .
Corunna Hills course and clubhouse have
opened ahead of schedule in Owesso,
Mich. . . . Bloomington, Minn., has the
land but starting date for new course has
not been set.

Rockford, Ill., sees a need for at least
four more 18-hole courses by 1985 and is
beginning long-range land purchase plans
to meet this need . . . Nine-hole island
layout in Haverhill, Mass., has lain idle
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the Jewish Community of Haverhill, to
abandon the site . . . According to Sports-
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TV Revenue To Be Added To Tourney Prizes

All revenue which the PGA receives from the sale of television rights to PGA co-sponsored tournaments in 1964 will be added to the tournament purses.

The plan for the distribution of television revenue was announced early in April by Warren Cantrell, president of the PGA, and Jay Hebert, chairman of the PGA tournament committee. At the same time they revealed that mutually satisfactory television agreements have been worked out with a number of sponsors of tournaments on the PGA's 1964 schedule.

Under the formula worked out by the tournament committee for 1964, the PGA's share of television proceeds for each tournament this year will be divided equally among the players who complete the entire 72 holes of that tournament.

Money divided in this manner will become a part of the total purse for the tournament and will be considered by the PGA as "official money".

The plan will increase the purses for all tournaments which are televised under its provisions and will benefit the sponsors of those tournaments, the players, the PGA and tournament golf generally, according to PGA officials.

As for 1965, the PGA will continue to study various methods of using the association's share of television revenues for the greatest benefit of the players.

The Knights of Columbus council in South Bend, Ind., plans new clubhouse with course and swimming pool nearby . . . Saranac Lake (N.Y.) GC plans $70,000 to $90,000 expenditure to expand to 18 . . . Members of the Willow Knolls CC have purchased the $400,000 property from the private developers . . . Ron Schneck is the pro at the new Olmsted Air Force Base course in Middletown, N.Y.

Hobart (Okla.) CC has had plans for new 9-hole course drawn by Architect
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Bob Dunning . . . Watertown (S.D.) CC will have its $150,000 remodeling and expansion project completed and should be well on its way toward filling new membership goal early this summer . . . Topeka, Kans., is seeking federal funds for proposed course on the site of former county convalescent home.

Bill Kaiser, who left a club pro job to become Hillerich and Bradsby's pro sales manager, is recovering after surgery in Methodist hospital, Louisville . . . The widely known veteran, John C. Watson, who's been at South Bend (Ind.) CC for many years, is coming along in good condition after a serious operation . . . Johnny, long a valuable factor in PGA sectional and national circles and in the PGA Seniors, has been laid up since the Seniors at Palm Beach Garden . . . The old pros said at their 1963 banquet that without Johnny finishing the party by singing "God Bless America," the affair didn't seem official.

We shanked one of our notes in this column when we wrote in March that Tony Marlowe was switching from Woodmont CC, Rockville, Md., to the pro spot at Bel-Aire CC, Armonk, N. Y. . . . It's Marlowe's assistant, Tony Morosco, who went to Bel-Aire . . . Morosco continues doing the swell job that's made them happy at Woodmont . . . Morosco, with the fine training he's had from Marlowe and with his own talents, ought to do well for his club now that he's a head pro.

Fred Corcoran, tournament director, International Golf Association, flew to Hawaii for a long week-end of further planning of the Canada Cup and International trophy worldwide pro tournament, Dec. 3-6 . . . It's beginning to look as though this event will spark a tremendous tourist and homefolks golf boom in the 50th state . . . The IGA tournament in Japan in 1957 is credited by sports and tourist authorities with already having accounted for the equivalent of more than $150,000,000 spending for golf in Japan.

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A woman has to put up with a lot of things when it comes to listening to tales of her husband’s golfing exploits. But this lady had her revenge. Irv Manske, a member of the Norwood Hill CC in St. Louis, scored a hole-in-one on the club’s 155-yard No. 8. A few days later he was playing golf with his wife and gave her all the intricate details as to how he did it. She suffered in silence for a few minutes, then drew out a driver and — you guessed it — drove to the edge of the green and saw her ball roll into the hole. “Is that how you mean?” she asked tersely.

Jobs in Oklahoma and Kansas before becoming pro at Longmeadow (Mass.) CC 15 years ago, was honored at the 18th annual Tee Party of amateur and pro golfers and golf writers . . . The dinner was held April 15 at Wayside Inn, Springfield, Mass., and was attended by about 300 . . . Ole and his wife, Mable, were presented with a console stereo, a color television set, a watch and additional gifts, by Longmeadow members and other friends . . . The Tee Party begins the golf year in and around Springfield . . . Henry Bontempo, pro at Franconia municipal course, Art House, Mac Sennett, Jerry Gianferante, John Raimondi, Al Macintosh, Frank Kringle, John Strycharz, Fran Monte, Jimmy Nichols, Bud Czelusniak, Edwin Parker, Spalding president, Edwin Lyman, Longmeadow president, and others prominent in pro and amateur golf in the area’s private and public courses, put on a grand party for the Clarks . . . One of Ole’s members, Charles Young, was a highly amusing mc . . . Herb Graffis told what Clark and other pro veterans of his class have done to make golf the popular entertainment and big business it is today.

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and operating capacities of golf courses in Northwestern Illinois met recently and discussed formation of the Northwestern Illinois GCSA . . . Earl Weber of Dixon, Ill., was named head of the organizing group and C. L. (Woody) Woodcliff, manager, Edgewood GC, RR3, Polo, Ill., was elected acting secretary-treasurer . . . The group is considering affiliation with a larger regional association and with the national GCSA . . . Next meeting will be at Oakville CC, Mt. Carroll, Ill., with Manager Bob Hartman as host.

This year's Masters was the best of all of them in attendance . . . The 2,800 daily admission tickets put on sale Saturday and Sunday mornings were sold before 1 p.m. and gates were closed except to holders of season tickets and others who bought tickets in advance . . . No telling what the net profit was but the purse was a record $129,800, an increase of $17,300 over last year . . . First prize was the same in 1963 . . . Palmer collected $20,000 for his 276, two more strokes than Ben Hogan in 1954 . . . That's approximately $72.42 a shot.

Arnie's six stroke lead over Jack Nicklaus and Dave Marr was second biggest margin in the Masters since 1955 when Doc Middlecoff, with 279, was seven strokes ahead of Hogan . . . That was the year Middlecoff had 65 in the second round, with 31 on the first nine . . . Hogan's performance was interesting this year . . . He barely made the cut with 148 . . . He was 11 strokes behind Palmer at that point . . . He'd had 10 more putts than Palmer . . . Hogan finished in a tie with Finsterwald, Lema and Souchak at 287 for ninth place.

Hogan is still a remarkable golfer . . . His putting is getting a bit better, although still a long way from what it used to be . . . He believes that possibly the improvement may be a result of better circulation . . . Since the car crash that nearly killed him, Hogan has had poor circulation . . . Now when he gets up in the morning he exercises by shaking himself — fingers, wrists, arms, shoulders, body, hips, knees, legs — everything.

If Labron Harris, Jr., 1962 National
Show director, Ben Orloff, Bob Toski, onetime star playing professional, and Harry Pezzullo, president of the Illinois PGA, get the annual Chicago golf show rolling. It was held in McCormick Place, Apr. 3-5, and in spite of uncooperative weather, 40,000 people turned out for three-day event. Besides Toski, Jack Fleck, Bob Brue, Chandler Harper, Bob Harris, Greta Leone and others put on exhibitions or manned the teaching nets.

Amateur champion, and Dick Sikes, winner of National Public Links in 1961 and 1962 and National Collegiate in 1963, had been eligible for pro prize money in the Masters each would have won $825... Harris finished with 297 for 43rd place and Dick Sikes with 299 in a tie for 46th... Harris, 23, son of veteran professional at Lakeside GC, Stillwater, Okla. and coach of the Oklahoma State golf squad, is working for a master's degree at Oklahoma State... Sikes, 24, captured the U of Arkansas golf team... Both have applied to the PGA for tourney pro certification.

Even the fellows who didn't make the cut and who played in the Masters got $750... Eleven non-competing, invited pros got $500 each... Augusta National gave the PGA $5000 for the PGA educational and benevolent funds and gave the USGA $2000 for the green section program.

As usual, Fred McLeod and Jock Hutchison were the first pair playing... And kept well ahead of the pair following them... Veterans of the Masters said the greens and fairways never were in better condition than Supt. John Graves had them for this year's tournament... Rain that finished with a day-
long downpour on Wednesday rapidly drained off . . . Augusta National course has one of the best designed drainage systems of golf courses . . . In designing the course the architect, Dr. Alistair MacKenzie, and Bob Jones kept surface drainage in mind and Wendell Miller, the Ohio State university soils expert who became a specialist in drainage, installed a great system during Augusta National’s construction . . . Subsurface drainage problems were discovered later by Marion Luke, when he was supt., Bob Jones and Cliff Roberts, and were solved . . . Rain on the pre-tourney days made umbrella business big in pro Gene Stout’s indoor and outdoor shops . . . Gene and his staff do a selling job that’s well worth studying by pros whose clubs are going to have big tournaments.

Only disappointment at the Masters this year for millions was that Bob Jones was too exhausted to come out for the televised presentation ceremony . . . He’d been out in a golf car going around the course getting a closeup of the marvelous tournament he and Cliff Roberts had created, and seeing some of the multitude of friends he’s made over the years . . . The strain was just too much for a fellow in his condition . . . What a man, that Jones . . . They’ve still got his Year of the Four Big Ones to beat.

Marthon, N.Y., recreation area directors have hired Wester White of Ithaca to draw preliminary sketches of proposed course . . . Construction plans for 9-hole course east of Buchanan, Mich., have been made . . . Three 18-hole courses are the prime attraction of luxury Carriage Square Homes in North Dallas, Tex. . . . Old Westbury (N.Y.) G&CC plans clubhouse expansion . . . Mike Macaluso has signed a five-year contract as pro for the new 18-hole layout in Ancil Hoffman Park in Carmichael, Calif.

Direct line telephone from the ninth tee to clubhouse at the new Glen Haven G&CC in Milpitas, Calif., should facilitate refreshment orders for golfers on their way in . . . City officials in Costa Mesa, Calif., have approved plans for $500,000 course on former Orange County fairground property . . . Lenox (Ia.) is
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New London (Conn.) CC expects to open expanded clubhouse with new pro shop in July.

Jack Pritchard of the Park CC in Williamsville, N.Y., in his 57th season as a golf pro . . .
The past 20 years have been spent at the Park CC preceded by 20 years at nearby Wanakah in Hamburg, N.Y. . . .
East Islip, N.Y., zoning board turned down, unanimously and without comment, a re-zoning request necessary for construction of 9-hole public course . . .
A large lounge area is being added to the Brookwood GC clubhouse in Arden, N.C. . . .
Plans for course construction on the Hunterdon-Somerset county line, in Pennsylvania have been presented to local residents.

Jack Schneiderman has been signed as pro at the Lakewood CC in Natick, Mass. . . .
Passaic County (N.J.) GC estimates that 100,000 golfers played the 36-hole layout during 1963 . . .
Jerry DeRosa is the Passaic pro . . .
Paul Segerlund is the new golf pro at Valley View GC in Akron, O. . . .
Art Jones, pro at the CC of York, Pa., has announced that Harold Kline will be his new assistant . . .
Conestoga CC near Lancaster, Pa., opened new clubhouse facilities on May 1 . . .
Eugene Comely has been named supt. at the Firestone CC in Akron, O. . . .
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New 18 in Beaver Island State Park, N.Y., is scheduled to open in August . . .

Par-3 pitch and putt lighted course estimated to cost $100,000 is under construction near Harrisburg, Pa. . . . Two-million dollar resort project near New Philadelphia, O., will include 18-hole course . . . Additional nine holes will be added to the Eastern Shore Yacht and CC in Melfa, Va., by course contractor, Russell Roberts . . . Several holes are already in play, several more were seeded last month and the new clubhouse is set to open June 15 at Chace Lake GC south of Vestavia Hills, Ala.

City officials have taken to the air to survey proposed site of 18-hole course in Livonia, Mich. . . . Val Carlson, architect, will handle expansion plans for the Harry B. Brownson CC in Ansonia, Conn. . . . Court approval for $90,000 contract to develop course near Louisville, Ky., permitted construction to begin last month . . . Target date is sometime next spring . . . The new Marlette (Mich.) G&CC 9-hole course opened this spring . . . Azusa (Calif.) Greens Public GC began construction during soggy March weather.

Warden, Wash., has received a tentative commitment for an insured loan of $210,000 from the Farmers Home Administration for course construction . . . Gowanda (N.Y.) CC will expand to 18 holes with estimated budget of $70,000 . . . Vassar (Mich.) G&CC has accepted bids for new course, practice green and pro shop construction . . . Pro Jim Summers, Supt. Chuck Weatherton, and Manager Dale Sexton are the starting team at the Alta Sierra CC in Nevada City, Calif., which opened in early April . . . New 18 opened near Van Dyne, Wis.

North Tonawanda, N.Y., is considering purchase of 300 acres for education, recreation and course complex . . . Pro Howard Burttssel has purchased the Tejas GC in Stephenville, Tex. . . . Bruce McCelland and Walt Smith have purchased and opened the Caro (Mich.) GC . . . Part of proposed "Disneyland-type" family recreation center in Haverhill.
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Mass., will include Par-3 ... Rutgers University's new public course in Perth Amboy, N.J., is now in play ... Washington, D.C. area will have five new courses this year - 18 at Reston, Va.; Northwest Branch in Montgomery County; two 9-hole layouts in Prince Georges County; and a private 18-hole course in Anne Arundel County ... Public course near Iola, Wis., will be a 9-hole layout ... Monmouth, Ill., is attempting to sell $125,000 worth of bonds for course development.

Rock Creek public course in the Washington, D.C., area will open the season with a new clubhouse ... Nine Jersey shore courses have reopened with considerable improvements to please tourist on the popular Atlantic seaboard ... Ogdensburg, N.Y., is considering sale of property to the State Parks commission for public operation ... Yankee baseball stars Mickey Mantle, Ralph Terry and Jim Bouton are part of an investment syndicate planning to build a course in Mendham, N.Y. ... Jack Lisella has bought the Evergreens GC near Allentown, Pa. ... Doylestown (N.J.) CC has purchased 50 acres for expansion to 18.

Bloomfield Meadows CC is pushing for total of 302 members before beginning constrution of 9-hole course, pool, tennis courts and clubhouse ... Aero Plantation near Charlotte, N.C., is a new golf-and-real-estate development with luxury homes including private airplane ports ... Expansion of Riverside muny in Portland, Me., is being held up by objections of regular golfers who disapprove of pro-
posed plans... Motel facilities at Bedford, Pa., will include a course... Wasn't too long ago that motels with swimming pools were unusual... First step plans for $15-million resort development in Waynesboro, Tenn., have been approved.

The Grand Bahama Hotel and CC will be the host for the Southern Seniors Tournament, May 21-24... Henry Culp will serve as pro-manager of the 9-hole Rainbow Lake course in Geneva, Ind.... Culp has designed and constructed this course as well as White Rock near Mooresville, Ind., and an addition to the Parlor City CC in Bluffton, Ind.... Roaring Gap (N.C.) is the site of the Southern Seniors GA spring tourney, June 4-7... Gordon Anderson moves from the Park Rapids (Minn.) CC to the pro spot at Madison (S.D.) CC.

Scotch Hills CC in Scotch Plains, N.J., has signed John Capello as pro... Capello has spent the past 12 years at the Plainfield (N.J.) CC and the previous 18 at Hyannisport (Mass.) CC... While at Hyannisport, Capello instructed several members of the Kennedy family including the late president and the current U.S. attorney general... The Capello family is well known to eastern golfers... John's dad was the supt. at the Essex CC in Manchester, Mass., for 50 years and Everett, one of John's brothers, now holds the spot... Another brother, Joe, has been the pro at Aronimink CC in Newton Square, Pa., for 35 years.

The town of Rye, N.Y., is considering the purchase of the million-dollar Rye Wood CC for muny operation... The action was given impetus when Westchester County announced plans to purchase the course... Rye residents fear over-crowding of streets and the harbor if the county acquires the course since all county residents would be eligible to use the club.

Dale Dempsey has been signed as pro at the new Rock Creek G&CC in Portland, Ore... Dempsey's golf activities in the Northwest have included the pro spot at McNary GC in Salem, Ore., civic activities, a weekly golf column in local papers and frequent publication in national golfing magazines and trade publications...
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View GC in Miamitown, O., and will set
up shop in a new clubhouse . . . Ernie
Gerandi moves from the pro spot at
Putnam (Conn.) CC to become head pro
at Shennocsett CC in Groton, Conn. . . .
Arrowhead CC in Mebane, N.C., will open
July 1 with Shake Harris as pro . . .
Arrowhead joins the seven-year old Sham-
rock Park GC to total two public courses
in Alamance County, N.C. . . . Alamance
CC is the only private course in the county
. . . Harris is now pro at the 9-hole Dog-
wood GC in Mebane which will be closed
when Arrowhead opens.

Preliminary planning is underway for
new 18-hole muny in San Angelo, Tex.,
on Lake Nasworthy . . . Jack Peck is the
pro at Oak Hills CC in Loraine, O. . . .
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which the new city provisions will affect the clubs' operations is still up-in-the-air . . . There is a possibility that the Rochester clubs will lose their re-memberships in the RDGA . . . The city's resolution, though, is so ambiguously worded that it was difficult for reporters to assay the possible consequences of the action.

Land contracts have been signed for 952 acres for homesite and course development in southeast Cobb County, Ga. . . . Reported price for the land is $1,500 per acre, a total of $1.4 million . . . Lighted nine is planned for North Muskegon, Mich. . . . Gardner, Mass., needs state approval to expand muni to 18 . . . Muny nine to be built in Hammond, Ind. . . . Stockton, Ill., is selling shares at $100 per, for course devolpment . . . Manager Ken Emerson, Jr., moves from Honolulu to the Minneapolis (Minn.) GC . . . Also, new to the Minneapolis GC this season is Mickey Bessingnano, assistant to pro Gunnard Johnson.

Harold Hartman, golf coach at San Angelo, Tex., Central High School, has begun work on 9-hole, Par-3 layout . . . Conflict between Jamestown (N.Y.) Community College and plans for muny course were aired early in April . . . Seems that the recent $100,000 investment in golf may be scrapped to accommodate expansion plans of the college plant . . . Windcrest GC in San Antonio, Tex., is set to open in June . . . Seguin (Tex.) CG, a quarter-million dollar project, is expected to draw members from much of southwest Texas . . . The new Bays Mountain CG in Seymour, Tenn., hopes to open first nine in June.

Politicos in Evansville, Ind., have objected to second nine for muny there . . . They want to keep proposed site, a wooded area, in natural state . . . The Biddeford and Saco (Me.) CC opened in early March with eight of nine holes play-able . . . Some 50 golfers turned out for early play . . . Lamesa, Tex., petitions for 9-hole muny have received local editorial support.

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Oklahoma tournament... Geo. A. Hoffman, course architect, has designed a 9-hole course for the Windcrest sub-division in San Antonio, Tex... Bond issue in the offing to include $125,000 for muny in Harlingen, Tex... Weeguhic Park course in Newark, N.J., is set for expansion to 18 just as soon as $300,000 is appropriated... Construction has begun on Quail Hollow G&CC just north of Tampa, Fla... City council of Rochester, N.Y., has received proposal from county manager to prohibit use of park facilities by private clubs with exclusive memberships... Three Rochester courses are directly affected, including 62-year old Genesse GC.

Charles City (Ia.) CC has preliminary sketches for new 18-hole course, clubhouse and pool... Eighteen-hole course and two swimming pools are in the 1964 improvement plans for Columbus, O... Meridan, Conn., seriously considering a muny to promote golf for Junior and adult residents... Beaver Hills CC in Cedar...
Falls, Ia., is accepting bids for 9-hole course and has budgeted $70,000 for project... Stockton, Ill., has voted to proceed with plans for a muny nine... Zoning restrictions have been cleared for construction of new course at Schenectady, N.Y. Brookfield, Conn., will see development of an 18-hole course as part of $4.5-million real estate project... Included in the Brookfield project is a $200,000 chalet-type clubhouse. **

**Authorized expenditure of $10,000 made by the Columbus, O., city council for course architect... Muny at Minneapolis, Minn., should be ready for Memorial Day play... Contracts have been signed with Kenneth Carlyle and Ardell Spaulding, pro at Mattoon (Ill.) G&CC, to build driving range and miniature near the Coles County Airport... San Clemente, Calif., has asked for vote for new muny and is studying ways of raising revenue for the course... Four-hundred members of Cypress Hills Men’s Club in South San Francisco, Calif., plan to form one of the largest active golfing clubs in Northern California... Walton, N. Y., golfers are planning to construct a course in the immediate future.**

**Short Hills CC in East Moline, Ill., plans to spend $180,000 for clubhouse remodeling... Finkbine golf course at the U of Iowa in Iowa City, Ia., is building a new clubhouse... The Twentynine Palms golf course in Calif. is involved in a “friendly suit” to prove validity of financial arrangements for construction... The lease-purchase arrangement being used at Twentynine Palms has been used for municipal buildings but never for course construction.**

**Osceola G&CC, near St. Cloud, Fla., has voted to increase course to 18 and build a new clubhouse... Three-dimensional display of the new Lamar (Colo.) P.B.O. Elks Lodge No. 1319 course dramatically shows the 9-hole, $250,000 layout now under construction... Bunker Hill course in Dubuque, Ia., expects to be overcrowded by 1967 and is pushing for additional municipal golf facilities... Prestwood CC in Hartsville, S.C., has named H. R. Booth manager and supt... Construction has begun at the new Beaver**

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Grundy Center, Ia., will build 9-hole course as result of efforts of a non-profit corporation . . . Mesa, Ariz., plans to convert driving range property into 9-hole muny . . . Fraze (Minn.) GC opened for limited play on the 1st of May . . . Shorecliffs North, a real estate project in San Clemente, Calif., plans to wind home sites around a to-be-built golf course . . . Bald Mountain CC near Rutherfordton, N.C., is ready for play . . . Talk of new CC for Ripon, Calif., is still in the earliest stages . . . Little Rock, Ark., plans to open $120,000 muny this month.

North Moor GC in Peoria, Ill., has approved further improvements which bring the current remodeling and construction expenditures to $83,000 . . . Townsend (Tenn.) G&CC is fast becoming a reality through efforts of local motel and hotel concerns . . . Glen-Aire GC in Sherman Oaks, Calif., plans to open this summer . . . Club-planned city is the promotional title used by real estate developers building Atlantis (N.J.) CC . . . The Atlantis course is already open for play.

The American Legion Post in Edwardsville, Ill., plans to open a public course this summer . . . Ski slopes surrounding a 27-hole course are planned in Northampton, O . . . Ponderosa Estate and GC is taking shape at Sanford, N.C . . . It's another of the sand and pines layouts being built on the Carolina coast . . . Bill Cornelius has been named pro at the Pharaohs CC in Corpus Christi, Tex. . . . Pharaohs, which opened in mid-April, was designed by Ralph Plummer.

Sixty acres have been cleared for the new Cape Haze 9-hole course near Sarasota, Fla . . . Crestline, O., will have new 18 and two-story clubhouse, called Valley View, open in June . . . Valley View part of civic program to keep youth in Crestline and to attract families and industry executives to the town . . . Otumwa (Ia.) muny has added the duties of manager to current pro Roger Peterson's job . . . Watertown (N.Y.) GC is attempting to lease park land to increase present nine to an 18-hole layout . . . Pro John Kessling and Dr. Joseph A. Miller plan $500,000 private club with 18 near Oakland, Ind. . . . Design is said to be a tough one, and clubhouse will have no dining or bar setup.

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GA has scheduled 20 matches at 16 area clubs during the coming months of 1964 . . . Pro Ken Burnette at Cedar Hill CC in Livingston, N.J., has signed Lesbia Lobo, Ladies PGA member, as an assistant . . . Middlebrook GC in Tuscaloosa, Ala., stands to lose five of its 46 acres to highway construction . . . New assistants in the Jersey district include George Wynn with Pro John Gustin at Echo Lake in Westfield and Chuck Genter with Bob Benning at Plainfield CC . . . Both the Jersey recruits are 23 . . . Wynn comes from Calif., and Center from Fla.

Supt. Ernie Stanley was honored at a dinner celebrating his 30 years at the Marine Corps Schools GC in Quantico, Va. . . . Looters took $2,360 in merchandise from Pro Tom Burn’s shop at Meadow Brook CC in Racine, Wis. . . . Dean Refram, touring pro from the Boca Raton (Fla.) CC, will defend his 1963 title in the fifth Lincolnshire Open at the Lincolnshire CC in Crete, Ill., July 13 . . . The Thunderbird Junior Golf Invitational at Thunderbird Hills GC in Huron, O., is set for July 13-15 . . . Don Baker, pro at Sycamore Hills GC in Fremont, O., and Howard May, pro at Thunderbird Hills, are co-directors of the Junior event.

Part of the Masters tie-in celebrations was a press party for Toney Penna, vice president in charge of golf for MacGregor . . . Toney was honored for his contributions to the game as pro and as a key figure in the equipment industry for the past 30 years . . . The ninth Chick Evans Amateur Golf tourney at White Pines GC in Bensenville, Ill., is set for July 28-31 . . . Proceeds will go for scholarships to members of the Chicago Boys Clubs.

Joe Finger, course architect in Houston, Tex., has the new Intercontinental GC in Houston scheduled to be completed in late fall . . . In the planning stage is a Finger-designed course for Texas City, Tex. . . . Joe also dropped a hint about a new course he is building in Dallas . . . Seems as if the backer, soured by the pressure-publicity that precedes many course openings, won’t permit promotions of his Dallas layout until it’s opened.