**PEOPLE IN THE NEWS**

ProTurf Div. of O. M. Scott & Sons has announced appointment of two new technical representatives. They are: Thomas E. Hemphill, who will work with superintendents in northwest Florida; and Phillip D. Holcombe, who will provide similar service to the southeast section of the state. P. Russell Owings has been named to the newly created position of vice president of sales for L. R. Nelson Corp., Peoria, Ill. Bob Rickey has been named secretary of the Golf Writers Assn. of America. Otto Meyn has left Lawrence Park Golf Course as head pro in Erie, Pa. Terry Hogan has been named head pro at Town and Country Club in St. Paul, Minn. Dave Findlay, pro at Canyon Creek Country Club, San Antonio, has again headed the South Texas Section PGA. The section's pro of the year award went to Henry Homberg, pro at Stodd Park Municipal Course, Beaumont. Sam Snead and The Greenbrier have parted company, and Sam is now at The Homestead in Hot Springs, Va. Jack Bell is the new director of golf at The Greenbrier, moving from La Jolla Country Club, Calif. Bobby D. McGee has been elected president of the Georgia Golf Course Supts. Assn. He is with Atlanta Athletic Club, Duluth, Ga. Steve Wilcoxen has been named superintendent of the year by the Georgia chapter. He is at Cherokee Town and Country Club, Roswell, Ga. Mike Bavier has been named president of the Midwest Assn. of Golf Course Superintendents. Dale Pieper has been named superintendent at Cherry Hills Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill. Mike Nastasi has been elected president of the Allegheny Mountain Chapter of the GCSAA. Michael Wilk has been elected president of the Central Pennsylvania GCSAA. Arthur V. Scmitt has been named general manager of the Manchester Country Club, Bedford, N.H. Ronald S. Leonard is the new general manager of Meadowbrook Country Club, Richmond, Va. Mack Raymond has been named club manager at Shaker Ridge Country Club, Loudonville, N.Y. Pelican Chapter of the CMAA has elected Edward A. Richards of New Orleans Country Club as president. Joseph C. Brem of Paradise Valley Country has been elected president of the Arizona CMAA Chapter. Scott W. Rahn is the new vice president of marketing for Rawlings Sporting Goods. James R. VandeSande has been named vice president of manufacturing for Faultless Sports. Bob Martin is the new head pro at Clarksdale Country Club, Mississippi. Jacobsen Mfg. Co., Racine, Wis., has named Ken Weil to the newly created position of service development manager. Jim Picard of Burning Tree Country Club in Mt. Clemens, Mich., has been named head pro at Lochmoor Club in Grosse Point, Mich. Rod Thompson is the new head pro at Burning Tree. Thomas H. Koehler, North Hills Country Club, Pa., has been elected president of the Philadelphia CMAA Chapter. John R. Lippke has been named club manager at the Country Club of New Canaan, Conn. Jack Selph has been named manager at Oak Cliff Country Club, Dallas. Greater Cincinnati Golf Course Superintendents Assn. member John S. McCoy was named man of the year at the Ohio Turf Foundation dinner. Bob Olson of San Antonio has purchased the Ray Cook Golf Putters Co. Cary Rivers has moved from Ocean Reef Club in the Florida Keys to promotion manager of the Key Largo Club.