Thomas O'Brien, new corporate vice president, ATO, for leisure product groups, including Rawlings Golf.





Milton E. Meyer, new president, National Club Association.

Jerry
Pendell,
promoted to
Director,
Communications Planning,
Jacobsen
Manufacturing.





Martin Kavanaugh, Cincinnati PGA chapter pro of the year, Hamilton Country Park District system.

John J. Cantu, new executive vice president, Toro Co.



People on the move

Tom Sursely is pro at Mill Creek CC. Alderwood Manor, Wash. . . . Jim Glenn is superintendent at Sunrise CC, Rancho Mirage, Cal. . . . club manager at Sugar Creek CC, Sugarland, Tex., is John Williams ... Kenwood G&CC, Bethesda, Md., has hired Wade King as its new club professional ... George Johnson is course superintendent at Huntington Hills CC, Spartanburg, S.C. . . . several staff changes, promotions and dealer announcements have recently been made by the Toro Co., Minneapolis. Charles T. Willey has been named director of sales. Turf Products. William F. Thole is the Irrigation division's new director of planning and controls at Toro's Riverside, Cal., plant, while A. D. DeGidio has been promoted to director of operations and Daniel E. Clawson has been appointed director of marketing. Dealer announcements made concern the Barteldes Co., Denver, as chief distributor of turf and irrigation products in that Rocky Mountain area. Tri State Toro, Davenport, la., has announced the addition of two to its staff - Hugh A. Stafford has been named vice president and Michael L. Hildebrand is now irrigation manager. In another public relations related announcement from Toro, Mrs. Aniela Goldthwaite, president of the Goldthwaite's of Texas, was named Mrs. Toro. The award is presented to one of Toro's 62 U.S. distributors for the best all-around performance in sales, marketing, management and business ethics ... FN Sports (U.S.A.) Inc., which manufactures the new Browning golf equipment, has appointed Jack Savage as national sales manager and executive vice president. Savage had been president of sales at ProGroup, Inc., Chattanooga, Tenn. . . . Bob Wimmer is now head golf professional at Aquia Harbour G&CC, Stafford, Va. . . . superintendent at Lake Tansi Village GC, Crossville, Tenn. is Dennis Christiansen ... Albert Sarfati has taken over as club manager at Oakland Hills CC, Birmingham, Mich. ... the Graymere Club, Columbia, Tenn., has appointed Jim Bradburn as its superintendent ... Augie Swarat has become club professional at Grey Rock CC, Fort Mill, S.C. ... Stanley Hrovatin is club manager at Lake Shore CC, Glencoe, III. ... Ron Aleks is club professional at Boca Raton (Fla.) CC . . . Emil Piluso has taken over as club manager at Useless Bay CC, Langley, Wash. . . . Murrieta Resort, Hot Springs, Ga., has named Joe

Karpiak as its club professional . . . Vin-

cent Maxwell is new club manager at Jefferson Lakeside CC, Richmond, Va. ... Rainbird Irrigation, Glendora, Cal., has recently made several announcements concerning appointments, promotions and new turf distributors. In the home office, turf market manager is now Bud Terry. Richard Halverstadt is eastern district manager in charge of the territory including Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana. Southern California district manager is Ed Shoemaker, while Ken Mills is southwest district manager, working out of the Dallas office. Bruce Smith has been named western district manager and Dick Kneip is upper midwest district manager. In another move, Larry Ethridge will work throughout the nation to establish a better liaison with golf course architects and irrigation contractors. In distributor arrangements, Irrigation Supply, Inc., Bakersfield, Cal., has the franchise in that area, while the Polson Co., Seattle, will handle sales in the state of Washington and parts of Idaho and Montana. Irrigation Sprinkler & Turf Co., Albuquerque, has the franchise in New Mexico with Western Industrial Supply, Amarillo, Tex., handling the Texas Panhandle market and Central States Turf Equipment & Supply Co., Des Moines, la., in charge in the western half of that state . . . new officers have been elected for the San Diego GCSA. Jim Bertoni, La Jolla (Cal.) CC is new president ... David Fleming, Singing Hills CC, El Cajon, is vice president and David Jones, San Diego CC, is secretary-treasurer . . . board members for the term include Jerry Palmer, Oceanside (Cal.) Muni GC . . . Ralph Mees, Sea "N" Air GC, North Island ... Edward Mena, Rancho Bernardo (Cal.) CC and Jose Canedo, Carlton Oaks (Cal.) CC . . . P. Barry Jones has appointed vice president of resort operations for the Princeville Corp., Hanalei, Hawaii. Jones will handle all facets of operation including the development's condominium rentals, clubhouse, food and beverage and 27hole golf facility . . . Gary Feldman is the club professional at Tates Creek GC, Lexington, Ky. . . . Joseph Domenic is club manager at Tropicana CC, Las Vegas . . . Jim Owen has taken over as head golf pro at Big Springs CC, Louisville ... Angel Ros is manager at Brownsville (Tex.) CC . . . Owner-pro at South Haven (Mich.) GC is Jeff Voss . . . Willow Knolls CC, Peoria, III., has club manager Raymond Johnson at its helm.