TEE MAKER POINTS TO CUT IN SHORT HOLE COSTS

Cleveland, O.—Edward Goldberg, president of the company making Rite Hite tees, advocates an idea that he says will substantially reduce the cost of short hole tee maintenance where, under the usual procedure, the expense and time loss of replacing divots is considerable.

Goldberg advocates the use of signs at short hole tees to the effect that the green committee will appreciate use of tees at these holes to save the tee and make the shots better. He has made extensive investigation among the sharpshooting pros and amateurs and states that the most successful method they use for playing a short hole shot that will stick is by teeing the ball and "cutting the legs" out from under it instead of pinching it out with a divot that requires a wheelbarrow for replacement.

REDDY TEES IN XMAS PACKAGES

New York City.—Nieblo Mfg. Co., makers of the Reddy tee, announce that the new Reddy tee Christmas box now is available. The box contains 72 Reddy tees and retails for $1.00. It is sold to the pros at an attractive discount so they in turn may sell it to their members as a Christmas present to be given to a number of people in each member's group of acquaintance or to his employees.

Bill Lowell, Jr., V. P. of Nieblo, at 38 E. 23d St., will be glad to send complete details to interested pros.

Jacksonville, Fla.—“One Hundred Reasons Why Colloidal Phosfood” is the title of a booklet on the fertilizer being sold by the Phosphate Sales Co., 601 Hildebrandt Bldg. A wide range of claims is made for the material in this new booklet which will be sent free on request.

SIMPLY SOME OF THE COMPOST

By O. V. Anderson,
Pro-Greenkeeper, Mesaba C. C.

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Anyway, the greenkeeper has nice short hours (for sleep).

MEXICO Golf association will hold its fourth amateur men and women's championships, October 31 to November 3 inclusive on the courses of Mexico City C. C. and Chapultepec G. C. Entry fee is $5. Dr. Horace G. Whittlesey, Calle Gante, No. 11, Mexico, D. F. is secretary of the association.

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Beers, Golf Editor, Dies in Plane Crash

Wm. Henry Beers, editor of Golf Illustrated, was among the victims in the crash of the T. A. T. plane “City of San Francisco.” Beers was en route to the national amateur, planning to cut short his time in covering the event by air travel, in which he had a lively interest. He was an able editor and publisher and an altogether fine gentleman. His loss is lamented by hundreds of golfers who knew him well and by his fellow scribes.

Butchart-Nicholls Pro Events Popular

Believing that much good could be done if golf professionals in different sections of the country could get together oftener, the Butchart-Nicholls Co. arranged for this season a series of sectional professional tournaments. A total of ten tournaments were planned to cover the entire country. The tournaments were so located that any pro need be away from his home course for only a day in order to participate. Thirty-six holes of golf, medal play, were played for ten cash prizes. The tournaments were arranged by the local Professional Golfers’ Association, and were played under U. S. Golf Association rules.

The tournaments have been enthusiastically participated in by the pros in each district.

Results of the contests to press date have been as follows:

Northern California.

Held May 17 at Presidio G. C.
1. Frank Minch.
2. Harold Sampson.
3. Earl Nagel.

Central and Western New York.

Held June 3 at Drumlins G. and C. C.
1. Harry Cooper.
2. James MacGregor.
3. George Christ.

Michigan.

Held July 1 at Orchard Lake C. C.
1. Charles Hilgendorf.
2. Al. Watrous.
3. Emerick Kocsis.

Philadelphia and Washington District.

Held July 15 at Philadelphia Cricket Club.
1. Al Heron.
2. George Smith.
3. Dan Boardman.

Texas.

Held July 15 at River Oaks C. C.
1. John J. Burke.
2. Hugh Carpenter.
3. George Aulbach.

Ohio.
Held August 12 at Springfield C. C.
1. Clem Wiechman.
2. Denny Shute.

Pittsburgh.
Held August 19 at Westmoreland C. C.
1. Fred Baroni.
2. P. O. Hart.
3. E. Loeffler.

Illinois.
Held September 16 at Evanston C. C.
1. By Chamberlain.
2. Al Espinosa, Jock Hutchison.
3. W. Hutchison.

Start Now to Get Equipment Re-conditioned

THERE seems to be some kind of a
curse on agricultural equipment and
its cousin, golf course equipment,
judging by the amount of abuse to which
this class of machinery is exposed. If the
preventable rust and depreciation were
eliminated from the farmer's equipment
there would be the red figures that stimu-
late a good part of the loud clamor for
farm relief, according to the observation
of the unleashed farm boy who writes
these lines. If the same factors were kept
out of the golf course picture the annual
maintenance costs in many clubs would
show a decided reduction.

But we have to deal with facts instead
of conditions in the millennium, hence this
timely admonition to let down the curtain
on the season properly by getting equip-
ment overhauled so it will start out the
next year in the best possible condition.
One of the first things that should be done
is for the club that hasn't a dry shelter in
which its equipment could be placed every
night to immediately plan the financing
and construction of such an equipment
shed. The cost of an adequate layout isn't
much, a few dollars pro-rated expense to
the members will handle the job.

But regardless of the facilities for pro-
tecting equipment and its excellent design
and strength, the high speed of motor
operation, the trying operating conditions
of golf course machinery and labor that
goes wrong despite the most conscientious
supervision of competent greenkeepers,
make it necessary to give equipment a
thorough overhauling at the end of each
active season. Repairing, replacement of
parts, lubricating and painting all should

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casual figures on what it costs their club
NOT to care for equipment will see that
this policy of putting the equipment back
into shape after a season’s wear and tear
will make things a whole lot easier for
their striving greenkeepers and for their
budgets.

Some of the work may be done in the
club’s own shop if the men and facilities
are properly qualified, but a whole lot of
it is best done by the service stations of
the various manufacturers, and to a cer-
tain extent by mower and automotive re-
pair shops of recognized merit.

One of the leading manufacturers in the
golf equipment field advises sending equip-
ment to the nearest shop of the manufac-
turer, and gives the following three rea-
sons for his advice:

“(1) By sending the work to the fac-
tory, the work can be done up to factory
standards and the only difference in ex-
 pense between handling it that way and
sending it to local repair men is in the
amount of the freight.

“(2) Unless the models are too old and
therefore badly out of date, recent im-
provements can be put on while the ma-
 chines are at the factory.

“(3) The work is done by the manufac-
turers who know more about their par-
ticular product than any outside repair
man.

Don’t “Stall” on Repairs

The club that delays in attending to its
repairs is in danger of being “out of luck”
for the last minute rush prior to the sea-
on’s opening is a strain on everybody.

Manufacturers regard the repair busi-
 ness as a good selling tool and as some-
thing that helps them to keep the good
men of their forces employed during the
slack season. For this reason the re-con-
ditioning business is handled at a price
that provides an attractive inducement for
golf club co-operation.

On the cost and time phases of the re-
pair business, so far as the manufacturer
is concerned, one of the well known men
in the equipment field tells us:

“It is becoming more customary as the
years go by for clubs to send their mowers
in for overhauling during the winter
months.

“Although there is not a great deal of
money in running a repair shop, at the
same time it helps to hold the overhead
down during the dull season, and I think
all of the factories feel as we do, that it
is desirable work to have.

“After the first of February, however,
repair work is somewhat of a nuisance,
because the spring rush sets in and it is
necessary for the factory to stay as much
on production as possible, and as repair
work is always special order stuff, it dis-
rupts the regular routine for that reason.

“We would like to see all repair work
sent in here not later than the first of
November if at all possible to have it in
here at that time. That would give us
the months of November and December
to work on it, and we would have it back
in the hands of the clubs in ample time for
the opening of the spring season. As it
stands now, we get a little work in No-
 vember, more work in December, a lot of
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