Firing Is Under Way In Dawson Ringer Tournament

Play in the Peter Dawson 1942 National Ringer Golf Tournament got under way July 1 in nearly 300 of the nation's leading golf clubs, with approximately 90,000 golfers participating. Last year the Glen Oaks Club, Farmington, Mich., with a score of 42, nosed out the Overlook CC, of Lancaster, Pa., thereby winning the 300 ounce Dawson Trophy.

128 holes-in-one were made during the two months of play last year, which confirmed the estimated odds of the Broadway price maker, Jack Doyle, of 20,000 to 1. At the termination of play last year, it was figured that over 200,000,000 golf shots were fired during the two months of tournament competition.

Bob Jones tried out the new Spalding War-Flite reprocessed ball during the Hale America tourney at Ridgemoor. He wanted to find out what sort of ammunition the war-time golfer is going to get. After the round he expressed himself as satisfied that the average golfer would notice little, if any, difference. Looking over the new War-Flites are Jones, left, and L. E. Coleman, Spalding vice-pres.

In order to keep the War-Flites flying, Spalding urges all golfers to turn in all the old balls that they can find. They can get War Savings Stamps in exchange for them.

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