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Shortly before Elmer Border left Olympic Club, San Francisco to go to the new Los Posas CC as supt. he had 3 limbs sawed off a cypress to the left of the 8th green on Olympic's Lakeside course . . . out of these branches came 105 golf balls . . . Park Brook motel, Cleveland, O., to build 18-hole par 2 course on 25 acres.

George Rolfs in New Orleans Item suggested that next New Orleans Open be started on Sunday and finished with 36 holes on Monday . . . Suggests keeping Tuesday and Wednesday open in case of postponement . . . Rolfs says such a schedule would be more popular with spectators than a Thursday-Friday start . . . Two rounds on Monday would make contestants moan . . . Robert Trent Jones in New Orleans getting construction started on Timberlane CC 18 . . . Expects it to be in play next summer.

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Ord August of 3,248 players . . . Laurel, Inc., soon to start building first 9 of its eventual 18 . . . Deercrest CC 9-hole offered to Greenwich, Conn., for $1,250,000 as municipal course . . . Deercrest is on 160 acre tract, large part of which is in Stamford, Conn. . . . Club lost its liquor license because Conn. State Liquor Control Commission found Deercrest CC, Inc. "unsuitable." . . . Club is owned by persons who were publicized in Senate commission investigation of labor racket.

Stanley Zontek from pro-supt. job at White Oak CC, Oak Hill, W. Va., to Manor CC (Washington DC) dist.) as supt., succeeding Ernest Parsley, Manor supt. for 27 years, who retired Oct. 1 on pension from the club . . . Albuquerque, N. M., city commission approves $400,000 for city's first muny course . . . Bob Baldock is architect . . . course is 18 holes and also has 9-hole, par 3 course.

Course to be built at Marlton, N. J., as feature of new community development . . . Reed City, Mich., Chamber of Commerce considering building course . . . Front 9 of Cheyenne (Wyo.) muny course now has grass greens . . . Second 9's grass greens put in play Sept., 1957.
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R. Albert Anderson, architect-builder, started construction of Lehigh Acres (Fla.) CC Estates. The 7,000 yd. course is about 20 miles east of Ft. Myers. Fifth annual Gardena Valley-Western Avenue $5,000 Open to be played in L.A., Nov. 12-16. New England pro-supt. tournament to be played at Brae Burn CC, West Newton, Oct. 27. At a recent New England GCSA meeting, M. Brown and L. Brown shot 77's, proving that supt's. are capable of more than just greenkeeping.

James E. Shields has been elected executive secy. of Metropolitan Golf Assoc. to succeed Edward S. Knapp, who retired about a year ago to move to Arizona. Shields, former pres. of Winged Foot, heads the Westchester Seniors Golf Assoc. and is on the USGA Seniors Committee. Decatur (Ala.) CC completing new 18 to replace present 9. Members donated time and equipment, enabling club to handle the project for about $25,000. Bill Curtis, pro-supt., supervised the job.

Montgomery County (Silver Spring) Md. council, which voted last spring to buy 500 acres in the Wheaton area, hopes to get residents' backing in building two 18-hole courses. More than 210,000 rounds were played on...
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All or part of six courses designed by Geo-

ffrey S. Cornish were opened in the Northeast
this summer. They include: Crestview CC,
Asgam, Mass.; Clinton (Mass.) CC; Vestal
Hills, Binghamton, N. Y.; Stow (Mass.) CC;
Grove GC, Northampton, Mass., and Shak-
er Farms CC, Westfield, Mass. . . . Presque
Isle, (Me.) CC recently opened its 9-hole
construction of clubhouse planned
next spring. . . . Brunswick (Me.) Naval
Air Base to open 9-hole layout next May while
new courses are in planning stage in Augusta
and at Colby College in Waterville.

Nine greens already completed at Whip-
Poor-Will CC, near Nashua, N. H., with full 18
holes to be ready next April. . . . Other 1959
spring openings are planned for CC of Ithaca,
N. Y. (18 holes in May). . . . Highby Hills, Utica
(9 in May). . . . second 9 of Orange Hills
(Conn.) GC, a muni layout . . . 9 holes at
Wampatuck CC, Canton, Mass., in May.
Coventry Center, R. I., 9-holes of semi-private
course in June . . . Silvermine GC, a short,
semi-private 18 in Norwalk, Conn., late spring.

William F. Mitchell, course architect of North
Sutton, N. H., has just completed designing and
building the Ft. Preval GC, Gaspe, Can., for
the province of Quebec. . . . He also has designed
an 18-hole course for the Air Force at Lime-
stone, Me. . . . Mitchell also is re-designing the
Grossinger resort course, and is designing 18 for
George Page in Greenwich, R. I. . . . Mitchell
Bros., of which Sam Mitchell is mgr., is now
building a new 9 for Crown Point CC, Spring-
field, Vt. and supplying velvet bent turf from
its farms for the greens at the Glastonbury
(Conn.) CC which will open in 1959. . . . Turf
for the greens at Ft. Preval project, incidentally,
was shipped 825 miles from the Mitchell farms.

Robert M. Shultz, recreation supt. of Bridge-
port, Conn., has compiled directory of many
courses in New England and N. Y. Metropoli-
tan area as of Jan., 1958 . . . It's a very thor-
ough compilation showing season attendance,
costs of operating, receipts and fees . . . Jaycees
of Milford, Dela. pushing for 9-hole community
course . . . New lighted Par 3, range and mini-
ture going into acreage remaining from Wash-
ington's Anacostia GC which bowed to the high-
way builders . . . S. G. Leoffler Co. is behind
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Army-Navy GC, Arlington, Va., recently pur-
chased 18-hole Fairfax (Va.) CC for reported
$1 million . . . Deal involves 235 acres and
gives Army-Navy total of 45 holes . . . Lebanon,
Pa. VA Hospital all set to start building 18-hole
course for patients and employees . . . Muni-
cipal courses in Waterbury, Hartford and Meri-
den, Conn. very aggressively pushed Junior play
this summer . . . Special fees and a lot of free
lesson time brought kids out to the courses.

Stanley Park GC, New Britain, Conn. many
course to add 9 in '59 and bring total to 27
holes . . . Waterbury, Conn., to start construction on new 18-hole municipal this fall . . . Project, financed by city bonds, to cost $400,000 . . . William F. and David W. Gordon, Doylestown, Pa., architects, designed the course . . . New $200,000 clubhouse opened at New Haven (Conn.) municipal in mid-September . . . Greenwich, Conn., is planning 18-hole many course upon recommendation of citizens' group.

At end of August, regulars on LPGA circuit were about as closely bunched in money column as you could get them . . . Fay Crocker, Louise Suggs, Bev Handson and Marlene B. Hagge all had won between $10,375 and $10,050 . . . Ten gals had won over $6,000 . . . R. T. White, who is known as "the squire of Asheville (N.C.) CC," was recently added to the list of those who have shot their age . . . He had a 38-37-75, according to Art Clark, pro.

Washington, D.C.'s Junior golf league, which two years ago was comprised of four teams, had twelve competing this summer . . . Bethesda won 1958 championship, defeating Kenwood CC in finals . . . Kids' scores were exceptionally good with some shooting in mid 70s . . . One of the features of Mid Atlantic GCSC meetings is the "Constructive Suggestion Report" that occupies time on each program.

Kentuckiana CGSA conducting "Name the Bulletin" contest among members for its new publication, Vol. 1, No. 1 of which was recently mailed to supt . . . According to the Bull Sheet, Midwest GCSC monthly, ice was found on a water hose at Chicago's Exmoor CC early in the morning of Aug. 25th . . . And that's no bull . . . Atlantic City CC, Northfield, N. J., names its new lounge in honor of John J. McDermott, first native born pro to win the USGA Open . . . John's portrait hangs in the lounge and the golf medal he was awarded for winning the 1911 Open also is on display . . . McDermott was pro at Atlantic City at that time.

According to New England GCSC Newsletter this year will be remembered as the worst for disease . . . Salesmen say more fungicides and chemicals were sold in July of 1958 than in any month of any year they can remember . . . 15-year old Ben Wootten, who plays at Blue Hill (Me.) CC scored two aces within three days this summer . . . On Aug. 19 he got a 160 yd. hole-in-one and repeated on the 22nd on a 100 yd. hole.

Leonard Gross, in amusing article in New York Times Magazine in August, pointed out that pride keeps most golfers honest in reporting their scores to club handicap committees . . . At least 95 per cent of golfers work for lower handicaps, he said . . . Gross also stated that handicaps are a matter of class distinction . . . The low handicap player has a Cadillac complex while the poor hacker has that feeling that supposedly comes from driving a Ford . . . William C. Stickman, retired colonel, has aced all four of the Par 3 holes at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex . . . Bob Moss, a school teacher connected with the Army in Japan, recently shot a record 62 for the 6,400-yd. Camp Zama course, near Tokyo.
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Carl Brown former teaching pro at Willow CC, Santa Ana, Calif., died in August after being ill for three months... Harry Pezzullo, Mission Hills CC, Northbrook, Ill., renominated "pro of the year" by Illinois section of the PGA... He's pres. of the organization... 350 Evans scholars, alumni and Western Golf Assn. officials attended 7th outing, sponsored by WGA, in Sept. at Medinah CC, near Chicago.

Second 9 of Crystalaire CC, Pearblossom, Calif., one of new desert courses, opened recently... Third 9 at Los Coyotes CC, Buena Park, Calif., completes 27-hole championship course which cost total of $400,000... William F. Bell designed both projects... Ellinor Village, 650 unit resort motel, scores what it says is a "Florida first" by offering free golf privileges to guests at Ellinor Village CC.

Westwood CC, Houston, has added second 9 to design of Ralph Plummer... Construction of $800,000 clubhouse and pro shop at Westwood to begin this fall... Rut Coffey leaving Moundsville (W. Va.) CC to take pro job at new Ocean City (Md.) Yacht & CC... Ocean City is 6,700 yds. and built to plans of Bill and Dave Gordon... A new set of tee markers was recently donated to Richmond (Calif.) GC by a person who left the markers alongside the pro shop but didn't give his name.

Par 3 operators in eight Southern Calif. cities organize S.C. Short Course Golf Assn. to stimulate interest and play on their layouts... George McAllister, Studio City is pres... Other officers: Bernie Marzone, vp; Lewis Jano,