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Donald A. Ross, Superintendent, Country Club of Lansing, Lansing, Michigan, reports: "Du Pont 'Uramite' has been the basic source of nitrogen for our greens fertilization program for the last 5 years. It has provided good uniform growth and color throughout the growing season. I also appreciate the clean and dustless texture of the product which provides ease of application and uniform results."

Gerald J. Elmer, Superintendent, Blue Hills Country Club, Kansas City, Missouri, says: "I use 'NuGreen' on my bent greens every 2 to 3 weeks during hot weather to maintain good uniform color and to keep the greens growing. 'NuGreen' also has given the fairways a really good start where Bermuda was planted last year. For disease control, I use 'Tersan' 75 as my basic spray. I've found it most economical and effective against brown patch."

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- For long-term feeding of tees, fairways and greens, spread Du Pont "Uramite" ureaform fertilizer. This 38% slow-release source of nitrogen resists leaching—feeds turf slowly and steadily without burning. It's clean, odorless and pleasant to use.

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Institutional Ad Gives
Philly Clubs A Boost

JOSEPH W. DRAGONETTI

Golf and country clubs in the Greater Philadelphia area received much favorable publicity from a rather unique source as part of the buildup for the 1962 PGA at Aronimink GC.

It came in the form of a full page ad in the Philadelphia Inquirer July 16, sponsored by the Girard Trust Corn Exchange Bank, one of the East's largest banking institutions. The bank inserted the institutional-type ad as part of its "Take Pride in Philadelphia" series. It was conceived by Robert Wilson, a vice president of the bank.

The black and white ad was dominated by a scenic view of Aronimink, with the clubhouse in the background. Inserted across the scene was the headline: "Golf-Land, U.S.A." On the right-hand side was listed the names of most of the country and golf clubs in the area.

The copy stated:
"Greater Philadelphia is the golf capital of the nation this week with the 1962 tournament of the Professional Golfers' Association at Aronimink."

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"It is estimated there are 80,000 players on our fairways every month. Many memorable events in golf history have taken place on our courses.

"Girard welcomes the professionals playing in the PGA tournament this week and the thousands here to watch them compete. We congratulate Aronimink Golf Club and all of the members of the Golf Association of Philadelphia. The reputation they are building for Greater Philadelphia as a sports center is just one more reason for pride in our community."

The bank presented an enlargement of the illustration used in the ad to Aronimink for display in its clubhouse.

CMAA Schedules Six Building, Property Management Courses

The 1962 CMAA workshops in building and property management are scheduled for the following locations:

Aug. 13-17—Cornell U., Ithaca, N. Y.
Aug. 20-22—U. of Houston (Tex.)

Aug. 22-24—Cosmos Club, Washington, D. C.
Sept. 10-12—Michigan State U., East Lansing
Oct. 1-3—Univ. of British Columbia, Vancouver
Oct. 22-24—Mountain Shadows Hotel, Phoenix

Applications for enrollment should be mailed to CMAA, 1028 Connecticut ave., N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

Golf Writers’ Competition

Deadline for the sixth MacGregor golf writing competition is Sept. 26. All masterpieces submitted should be sent to Carol McCue, Chicago Dist. Golf Assn., 241 LaSalle Hotel, Chicago 2, before that date. The competition is open to all GWAA members employed by daily newspapers or press services. Each GWAA member may submit three entries in each of the two prize divisions — News and Feature. Prizes in each division range from $250 to $100.
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August, 1962
Sullivan Makes Penetrating Observations on Par

In a recent piece in the Newark (N. J.) News, Des Sullivan, a golf writer, questioned whether the designation of par for a hole means very much. Winds, rain, the time of the year and similar factors often make a mockery of it.

Among other courses, he cited Essex Fells CC in N. J. in illustrating his point. During the summer, the parched condition of the fairways there enable an average player to reach the par 4s in two shots, Sullivan observed. But in the spring when the turf is sodden and a west wind blows into his face, the average swinger may find that par is suddenly increased by as much as three or four strokes on these holes.

Des didn’t suggest it, but maybe there should be a “spring” and “summer” par specified for golf courses.

Scorecard Assistance

In the same article, Sullivan also told how he posed a question that baffled Joseph C. Dey, Jr., executive sec. of the USGA and keeper of the golf rules.

"Does the USGA, in its tournaments, okay the use of markers alongside fairways indicating that a player is 150 yards from the green?" Sullivan asked Dey.

"Not ordinarily, Dey replied. "If a course were to use stakes, the USGA would remove them. If a valued evergreen were the marker, the USGA wouldn’t insist on its removal. But the idea is that the player should not have outside assistance in determining how far he is from the hole."

Sullivan’s rejoinder was: “Why, then, do you meticulously measure the distance from a certain part of a tee to the middle of a green on a short hole and print it on a card to the very definite advantage of a competitor?”

Replied Dey: “You know, I never thought of that!”

Kids are going strong for the autographed cards that Doug Sanders hands out. The cards enable him to care for more youngsters than he could by autographing what they shove at him. The Sanders autographed cards are 3½ in. high and 2¾ wide. They may be bringing into golf a picture card hobby of other sports that has caught on with kids.
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Swinging Around Golf
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tells Richmond County CC it will have to sell its Staten Island, N.Y. site to New York City or risk murderous taxes and condemnation ... Says city needs another public course and could save money by paying $2.5 million for the club rather than building new one ... Offers club five years for moving to new location.

Indian Valley CC, Telford, Pa., to build new clubhouse ... Historic clubhouse of Oakley CC, Belmont, Mass., gutted by $100,000 fire ... Original building was erected in 1785 ... Dick Walton retiring as supt. Happy Valley, Lynn, Mass., muny course ... He and Larry “Silver” Gannon, Happy Valley pro, have been at the course since it was opened in 1931.

Sewickley Heights GC in suburban Pittsburgh, Pa., building new clubhouse ... Alcester (S.D.) GC moving from leased site it has occupied for 36 years to new nine which members are building themselves ... Gift of 240 acre Atwood estate to Rockford (Ill.) County probably will mean building of a Par 3 course ... For-