THE HANDY HAULER is designed for several light transport needs. This inexpensive 3/4 ton trailer, from International Racing Designs, is available in three options in either ready-to-weld kit form or factory-built; 5-by-8 foot flat bed, utility trailer with sides and tailgate, or complete with reinforced bows and nylon vinyl roof yielding five feet of head room.

McDOWELL MANUFACTURING COMPANY has published an eight-page illustrated brochure presenting its EPOXI-LOKT couplings and fittings, in IPS and PIP sizes, for PVC pipe. Photographs, descriptions, outside diameters, weights and part numbers are given for the all-steel couplings and fittings coated with 10 to 12 mils of corrosion-resistant epoxy. Specific products include outlet couplings, turf irrigation couplings and fittings, expansion couplings and repair sleeves, hydrants, elbows, tees and crosses.

THE LAWN EQUIPMENT DIVISION of Hesston Corporation now offers its Front Runner GMT in three horsepower sizes — 16, 18 and 19.8 hp — and with a variety of up-front hydraulically-controlled attachments to make groundskeeping easy the year around. Front-wheel hydrostatic drive and four wide-track high-flotation tires provide superior traction and stability. Other features are articulated steering and self-contained vacuum pickup. Quick-change attachments include mower heads, snow thrower, rotary broom, rear-mounted plow, disc, cultivator and aerator.

NODE-A-BODE is a golf course irrigation shelter that, if necessary, doubles as a tee bench that seats up to 12 golfers. The 8½-foot unit, available from F.G.F. Corporation in a choice of colors for both the roof and body, is constructed of Tough fiberglass. The Node-A-Bode is equipped with a weather-proof door which has a three-point key-lock latch, stainless steel continuous hinge and full weatherstripping.

DIADEM FS-60, Vandermolen Corporation’s newest “super spreader,” the firm says, uses less time than required with conventional 3-point hitch spreaders. The FS-60 holds up to 1,500 pounds of fertilizer and is capable of a 100-foot swath width. It features low height for fast loading and rugged construction with sealed gearbox drive. The spreader’s finish, a special anti-corrosive epoxy lamination, provides protection from rust and corrosion and allows simple hosing down with water when cleaning.

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fairway edges. Hand manicured mounds on the green side of these old-fashioned traps attest to a method of construction seldom evident today. Scooping and piling, although a relatively simple procedure, was done by hand or by horsepower using a chain rigged pan scoop if the bunker had any depth or large proportions. Lakewood proudly exemplifies the expert handwork of the artisans of course construction in the twenties.

The economic feasibility of putting a man to work building such a bunker in today’s labor market automatically eliminates any further consideration of this type installation for the courses now being built. All the more reason for courses with such nostalgic elements to retain them. They become historic finally and may serve as models of what a good fairway bunker should be: natural in shape and size with just the right amount of difficulty built in.

One of the most unique bunker features at this very old layout helps turn the par-three, 200-yard 15th hole into the toughest test on the course. Between the small green and the Metedeconk River that flows across the fairway, the club’s initials are etched into the lush turf in the form of a series of flat traps. Not only is this bunker arrangement unique to Lakewood, it is no doubt unique to the entire country. Incidentally, this hole is number one in the handicap ratings.

To overcome the dullness of flat fairways where Lakewood is wide open, huge mounds topped with trees separate them. Here again, Lakewood reaches into the past in retaining an element unlikely to be found at many courses and certainly not being built into today’s layouts. When original construction was underway, rocks removed from burgeoning fairways were simply piled high and covered with earth. Looking like some ancient Indian burial mounds, these hillocks have grown thick with trees and brush through the years. In addition to evoking a nostalgic feeling, they provide a serious challenge requiring accuracy while helping delineate the fairways.

In many respects, playing a round at Lakewood is like stepping back in time. Retaining its antique and unique features doesn’t seem to have seriously affected the club’s income. In fact, it might be said that the feeling of nostalgia Lakewood transmits to modern golfers may well be one of the major reasons they keep coming back. Perhaps all the charms of yesteryear’s golf have a subconscious appeal to today’s golfers. This would appear to be true at the Lakewood CC.

Styles of architecture have changed through the years, of course, but the elements that enhanced golf courses in the genteel days of gutta percha and plus fours are still evident in many layouts.

Unique qualities built into old courses were frequently brought about through necessity rather than design. Design evolved as a result of construction methods and became standard practice in course installation. Magnificent old bunkers bucked by huge terraced earthen works were simply created by scooping out the earth and piling it nearby. Thus expedient decisions resulted in a style of course design that has been held to be the model for more than 70 years.

Without machinery of the size and strength we know today, removal of rocks in early construction was a horrendous problem. A ready solution was found whenever a hillside or slope was available. The rocks were levered into position and tumbled down the hill to find their own resting places in nearby woods or midway between fairways. Level courses were cleared by dragging the rocks on horse-drawn skids to a convenient out-of-the-way place as we have seen in the mounds at Lakewood.

Antique and unique features abound in the world of golf, some in single elements such as the old-fashioned trestle crossing a ravine at Richmond County on Staten Island, New York City’s only remaining private club. Others in entire courses evoke a nostalgic feeling while providing visual delights and playing conditions of the past.

None is perhaps more unusual than the cemetery surrounded by the Passaic County GC in Preakness Valley Park, Totowa, N.J. Dating back to America’s revolutionary beginnings, a small tree-sheltered hilltop was a family burial plot long before the game of golf came to our shores. Not very many courses can boast of a cemetery within their grounds. Certainly none with a tombstone dated 1774! That’s 113 years before the Foxburg GC in Pennsylvania was organized as the first of its kind in this country.
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1. □ 9 holes □ 18 holes □ 27 holes □ 36 + holes
2. □ under 100 □ 101-200 □ 201-350 □ 351-500 □ 501 + over

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Craig M. Tanner has been named manager of market planning for the Irrigation Division of The Toro Company. In this job he will be responsible for identifying new product and new market opportunities, for market research, market planning and for developing all segments of the irrigation market: golf course, commercial, residential and government. Tanner was formerly director of market planning for the turf products group of Toro’s Outdoor Power Equipment Division. He holds the BA degree from Lehigh University and the MBA degree from the Amos Tuck School of Business Administration at Dartmouth College.

Donald A. Yeskoo has been promoted to manager of advertising and public relations for the Diamond Shamrock Chemical Company. In the post he will be responsible for all phases of the firm’s market communications programs. Yeskoo was formerly division advertising and public relations manager for three of the company’s divisions.

Gene F. Cleath has been named market research manager of OMC-Lincoln, a division of Outboard Marine Corporation. OMC-Lincoln is marketing headquarters for Lawn-Boy outdoor power equipment, Pioneer chain saws, Cushman vehicles and Ryan turf care equipment. Cleath, previously employed by Blue Cross Association in Chicago, is a member of the American Marketing Association and holds the B. S. degree in economics from the University of Minnesota.

Henry A. Talbert, Jr. has been appointed national coordinator of the National Tennis Development Program begun earlier this year by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association. The program is aimed at recreational players of all ages in suburban and inner-city areas. Community programs, schools, and parks are to be emphasized. Talbert has been with the National Urban League in New York City, is a graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles and holds the M.A. degree from California State University at Los Angeles.
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