

mixture as possible, then watering same. As a rule, good results were shown within three days.

Not much Dollar Patch showed up until September. For this, Calo-Clor was used with good results. We did not have as much crabgrass in the greens as there was last summer, but the fairways were almost all crab grass during the summer. Now blue grass is showing up fine. Crab grass was taken out of the greens by hand.

Vermol Worm Remover is used when worms are troublesome.

A green is being rebuilt now and we expect to plant it in Metropolitan next week.

### No Brown Patch at Winnetka

By JOHN M. COUTRE, Greenkeeper  
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**T**HIS was the most successful season I have had in the control of brown patch.

In all our nineteen greens there has not been a single spot of brown patch. I have tried various ways of controlling the disease and my only and most successful method is to soak my greens good once a week, preferably at night, and on the following day I give the greens a shot of Semesan. I was not bothered with any other diseases at all.

My greens were very clean this season. I did not have any crab grass or chickweed. I had a little clover in several greens but controlled it with very little trouble. After several applications of sulphate of ammonia the clover has disappeared greatly.

I was not troubled with worms at all this season. I believe the cleanliness of our greens was due greatly to our applications of arsenate of lead. When we reconstruct a green we apply arsenate of lead under the sod.

I have reconstructed our sixteenth green which contains approximately eight thousand square feet. I have raised the green from ground level to a height of six feet in the back and one foot in the front. For fill I used all the clay I had on hand; on top of this I put pit sand, and the last eighteen inches I used the best black soil I could get. After the sod was lifted we moved it from the nursery to the green and laid it in seven and one-half

hours. I think that was very fast time. The green was finished Wednesday and was used for play on Saturday. In all the green was out of play for only eighteen days.

### Thanks to Mr. Leach

By ARTHUR STEPHEN, Greenkeeper  
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**J**UST some of my experiences since I went to this club eighteen months ago. When I went there I had everything in my greens except what was supposed to be in them. I had patches of chickweed about four feet square and all the crab grass I think there was in this part of the country, weeds and worms by the bushels, under drainage troubles, and all the rest.

This year they are much improved; no brown patch and very little crab grass. Just a few weeds (nothing to speak about), and no worms. This is the fifth of October and I have a beautiful color in my greens thanks to charcoal.

And for all the rest of my troubles that I had a year ago such as worms, crab grass,

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