

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

MAY

Walker Cup Matches, St. George's Course, Sandwich. British Amateur, St. Andrews, Scotland. 15-16 26 JUNE

- 16 British Open, Holyoke, England.
- 18-21 St. Albans' Amateur Championship, St. Albans' Golf Club, St. Albans, L. I. Ardsley Junior Championship, Ardsley-on-Hudson
- 23-25 Ardsley Junior Club, New York. 23-28 Ohio State Amateur Championship, Toledo Country
- Club, Toledo, O.
- 24-25 Invitation Open Tournament for Shawnee Shield, Shawnee C. C., Shawnee-on-Delaware. JULY

- 8-11 California Junior Championship, Del Monte, Calif.
 10-11 Northern California Women's Golf Association Invita-tional Tournament, Del Monte, Calif.
 10-12 Oran Introductor C. C. Minescolia M
- 10-12 National Open, Interlachen C. C., Minneapolis, Minn.
 17-19 Fairview Open Championship, Fairview Country Club, Elmsford, N. Y.
- 31 Invitation Tournament for Buckwood Trophy, Shawnee C. C., Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.
- AUGUST
- Midsummer Tournament, Del Monte, Calif. 1-3
- 5-11 National Public Links Championship, Municipal Golf Course, Jacksonville, Fla.

SEPTEMBER

22-27 National Amateur Championship, Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Philadelphia, Pa.

30-October 1 Arcola Senior Championship, Arcola Country Club, Arcola, N. J.

OCTOBER

13-18 Women's National Championship, Los Angeles Country Club, Los Angeles, Calif.

One Man Can't Run It

Fellow Greenkeepers:

It was during the year 1926 that the National Association of Greenkeepers was born. When in the embryo stage great care was given in outlining the aims and objects of our organization and deliberations on the destiny of the association were long and I believe wise.

It was then decided that no one individual would ever control the organization, because some time some individual might use the office for mercenary purposes. It is not the intention of the organization to take the voice of the membership out of the association. Justice, benevolence, and education is the foundation of the N. A. G. A. and one man is not big enough to give all of these.

The workings of our organization when the Convention is not in session, is left entirely in the hands of the Executive committee. All matters of importance must be presented to this committee, and further, to prevent any radical move, any member who has a grievance must first present it before a special committee which must present its findings to the executive board.

There are seven special committees consisting of seven members, each selected and appointed by the President. Each committee is a necessary part of the organization. The duty of the President is to receive instructions and see that they are faithfully performed.

By John MacGregor,

First Vice President, The National Association of Greenkeepers of America.

Golf Business Is Good

We have heard a lot about hard times, poor business, etc., since the little party in Wall street last fall. But the golf business is good if purchases of equipment may be considered a fair barometer.

W. L. Austin, sales manager of the Ideal Power Lawn Mower Company has written us an interesting letter on this subject from which we quote as follows:

"First and most important is the fact that 1929 was the best year our company ever enjoyed and for the first three months of that year, January, February and March, the business was exceedingly satisfactory due to a certain extent that last year we had some very early warm weather, in fact, in some sections even in the north they were actually mowing the latter part of March last year.

"We had our doubts about this year being able to equal last year's sales record, but so far we have not only equaled last year's record but exceeded it to a very gratifying extent. The actual increase for the first three months of 1930 on the sale of our line of grass cutting equipment, including power mowers, fairway mowers, and putting green mowers, is 28%. The biggest percentage of this increase has been due to the extra good business that we have enjoyed so far this year from sale of fairway mowers and put-

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ting green mowers to golf clubs, as well as the Ideal Triplex power mower to large park systems, golf courses, etc.

"As a matter of fact our golf business has never been so satisfactory as it is this year. Not only have we stepped up sales of fairway mowers but the putting green mower that we first introduced last year is having a splendid sale this spring and we have also had a very fine business on the new Bulldog rough units that we just put on the market for the first time in 1930."

Dickinson Praises Association

Massachusetts Agricultural College Amherst, March 22, 1930

Col. John Morley, President

National Association of Greenkeepers of America 2248 Selma Avenue

Youngstown, Ohio Dear Col. Morley:

I accept the honorary membership to the National Association of Greenkeepers, and deeply appreciate the sentiment expressed in your cordial letter which accompanied the certificate of membership. I feel much pleased and highly honored.

Please accept my felicitations to you and your Association for the unselfish efforts to raise the profession of greenkeeping to a standard commensurate with the requirements for service to the club and success for the greenkeeper.

With my very best wishes, I am,

Cordially yours, Lawrence S. Dickinson Assistant Professor of Horticulture



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