

MIDLAND

By F. Cashmore

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Hon. Secretary:
76 Four Oaks Common Road
Sutton Coldfield, Warwickshire.

OUR ANNUAL DINNER WILL BE held on the 14th December at the King's Head Hotel, Bearwood. A good concert party has been engaged to entertain us and we are looking forward to a very pleasant evening when we hope members will support us by bringing along their wives or girl friends. I shall be pleased to send tickets to members on request.

Christmas Greetings

We are nearing the end of another year so on behalf of the Midland Section, I should like to send Season's Greetings to our President and Mrs. Bretherton, and to all Members of our Association, wishing them a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

SOUTHERN

By W. Mason

Chairman:
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ON BEHALF OF THE SOUTHERN Section, may I extend to all members of the Association, and to our many friends in the trade, our best wishes for a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

December Lecture

This will take place at the Talbot Restaurant, London Wall, E.C., on Wednesday, 5th December, at 6-30 p.m., when Mr. Booth, a representative from Messrs. T. Parker will show a film of the installation of alkathene tubing at the Portrush Golf Club.

Mr. John Kirkpatrick

Our congratulations to Mr. John Kirkpatrick, who is assistant to his father at Dulwich & Sydenham Golf Club, on being chosen to play for the Surrey County. We in the Southern Section feel that this is a great honour both to us and to the B.G.G.A.

October Quiz

It is regretted that the Quiz which was to have been held in October had to be postponed owing to alterations being carried out at the Stirling Castle which made our room unavailable at that time.

New Members

We welcome to the Section the following new members: M. R. Cooke, West Lodge, West Road, St. George's Hill, Weybridge, Surrey and M. Mandeville, 47 Getersham Avenue, Byfleet, Weybridge, Surrey.

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INSTRUCTIONAL COURSES

The S.T.R.I. held two well attended Instruction Courses at Bingley this Autumn.

Each of them was attended by 27 students who enjoyed the lectures and practical demonstrations which pack the five days. Amongst those who attended from golf clubs were:—A. Black (Royal St. David's G.C.), H. A. Childs (Fulford (York) G.C.), P. Collinson (Torquay G.C.), J. B. Dalton (Dale and Dalton), H. A. D. Fry (Clyne G.C.), J. F. Greenwood (Muswell Hill G.C.), T. Harrison (Serlby Park G.C.), W. S. Hartley

(Hartsbourne Country Club), B. E. Heard (Folkestone G.C.), D. Herd (Longniddry G.C.), D. Horsman (Burnley G.C.), L. J. Hunt (Ilford G.C.), O. W. Jones (Royal St. David's G.C.), A. P. Marchant (Bush Hill Park G.C.), J. Martin (Pennard G.C.), G. Morley (Wheatley G.C.), J. Munro (Worcester Golf and Country Club), J. Ogilvy (Leven Links Joint Committee), E. A. Purdie (Maxtoke Park G.C.), F. Rankin (Cathcart Castle G.C.), D. Shade (Kingsknowe G.C.), A. T. Stephens (Moor Hall G.C.), D. Storey (West Bowling G.C.), M. Teare (Purley Downs G.C.), W. A. F. Thomson (Nairn G.C.), R. J. Trathen (West Cornwall G.C.), G. R. Willerton (Mickleover G.C.).

INDOOR GOLF RANGES

A converted public wash house at Heath Town, Wolverhampton, will soon be Staffordshire's first indoor golf centre.

Another golf school was opened on 21st November in the converted Odeon Cinema at Prestwich, near Manchester. Golfers drive at a 30 ft. x 50 ft. coloured screen depicting a golf fairway and balls are speedily returned by a miniature conveyor belt.

ANNUAL DRAW

With reference to my enquiry for the seller of the most tickets in the Annual Draw, I have now received a claim by a seller of 54 books. Can anyone improve on this?

C. H. Dix,

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer

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