

# NEWS

International with his intensive knowledge of turf care.

Further details are available from Mr. C.M. Bakhurst, Managing Director V.E.B. International Ltd., Stags End House, Gaddesden Row, Hemel Hempstead, Herts.

## V.E.B. INTERNATIONAL LTD.

V.E.B. International Limited, who recently completed the construction of a 27 hole golf complex in the south of France at St. Cyprien, have been awarded a three year Maintenance Contract to look after the new course. The turf consultant during this period will be Donald Harradine, the well known international golf course architect, who works closely in association with the V.E.B. Group outside the U.K., and the Head Greenkeeper that has been appointed is Mr. Leslie Beetham, previously Golf Manager at the Corfu Golf and Country Club.

Mr. Beetham is a highly experienced greenkeeper, having previously been Head Greenkeeper at the West Bradford Golf Club, the Fixby Golf Club and Royal Lytham & St. Annes Golf Club. During his career he has been responsible for course preparation for the British Open championship, and many other major golf course events, and he strengthens the overseas team of V.E.B.

Mr. Leslie Beetham



## ANNUAL TOURNAMENT

It was agreed at a recent meeting of the Executive Committee that the handicap limit for the Annual Tournament be 18 maximum. This does not preclude higher handicap golfers from entering but they must play off 18.