

Chicago's golf show, held in the Lytton Building, drew 26,000 people to herald spring with a buying itch for new equipment.

trouble there would be no need for green-keepers.

Ask the question of a member of the Southern California Greenkeepers' Association and he would tell you that the prime requisite to cure all soil evils and to answer all turf questions is the establishment of a turf experimental station in his district. Which is something for which this lively organization has been appealing. praying, begging, and shouting for several years. Located as they are in the center of year-round golf interest, the member greenkeepers find themselves beset on all sides with peculiar and intricate problems of maintenance and no scientific facilities to aid in their solution. The group has appealed to the state for aid through the medium of the California Citrus Experimental Station, but this is whistling in the dark since budgets and appropriations have been cut to the core.

Still the question of how to renovate the soil of western golf courses in satisfactory manner remains unanswered and as far as this writer is concerned it will remain unanswered for some time. We have no desire to bring down on our head just yet the wrath of any greenkeeper who has tried any method we might suggest and found it sadly wanting.

## Heart of America Amateur to Be Played May 16-18

HEART OF America golf tournament will be played on May 16-17-18 at four Kansas City courses and is expected to draw golfers from Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Oklahoma. There will be a pro-amateur event held the first day at Oakwood G. C., with suitable prizes for the successful teams.

In addition to the regular amateur championship, a special flight is being prepared for inter-collegiate competition and teams from nearby colleges are being invited to enter. The inter-collegiate bracket will be a 36-hole event, the first 18 holes at Oakwood G. C. and finals at Woodhill G. C.

Finals of the amateur championship will be played May 18 at Meadow Lake and Old Mission Golf clubs.

## VULCAN'S NEW LINES SHOWN IN FOLDER

Portsmouth, O.—Vulcan Golf Co. shows its five new lines for men and its four new lines for women in an attractive folder giving illustrations and complete details of the clubs.

Price range, design and construction of the clubs makes the Vulcan deal for 1933 one that ought to do a good volume of business in pro shops.