## What USERS SAY about ROYER COMPOST MIXERS

- . . saving us the labor of four men, or about \$800 a year.
- . . . and has cut our cost of preparing compost more than 75%.
- . . . our Royer's sixth year and still operating like new.
- ... with our Royer, we now use all this raw material and this has meant considerable saving.
- . . even when we feed it old sod or damp lumpy dirt, the Royer turns out excellent compost.



ROYERS make compost so much quicker and better that users invariably effect savings from 70% to 90% in compost preparation.

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## GOLFDOM

a mowing machine, and then clippings carefuly raked off. A crop of seed soon develops. When the seeds have reached maturity in sufficient quantity and the weather is favorable, the crop is cut with an ordinary mowing machine fitted with a special attachment for gathering the cut material into small bunches. Ordinarily the attachment consists of a series of small iron rods, projecting about 18 inches to the rear of the mower bar, free at the back end, comparable to the tines of a many tined pitchfork or to a set of grate bars. A baffle-board at the back is so arranged that it can be lifted with a foot lever. The man driving the mowing machine lets the cut grass accumulate on these grate bars until there is enough to make a small pile, and then raises the baffle-board with his foot lever, and the resistance of the stubble against the cut grass holds it while the mowing machine moves out leaving the cut material lying on the sod. The baffle-board is then allowed to fall back to place so as to gather the next bunch. The driver never stops for dumping. When the seed has dried sufficiently, the hay is either stacked for a convenient threshing time, or else threshed directly and the drying of the seed subsequently completed with care. A second crop of seed is harvested in the late fall. Sometimes three crops may be harvested in a year.

As new shoots are coming out continuously, the seed harvest always includes some immature seed; but most of this immature seed can be eliminated in the recleaning. Most of the seed is recleaned after it comes from the thresher.

JOHN VAN KLEEK, prominent golf architect and authority, of the New York City Park dept., has compiled figures on the play of season-permit players that will be of considerable interest to other muny course officials and to the golf business in general.

He found that 51% of the permit players played less than 20 rounds a year and that 17% played 44% of total rounds played during the year; the 17% averaging 59 rounds apiece.

Sawtelle Addition.—Robert Monroe Sawtelle arrived in the Charles Sawtelle family, March 3. Master Robert Monroe weighed in at 8½ pounds. His daddy is well-known in the eastern sector of the maintenance equipment field as one of the Arthur D. Peterson, Inc., staff.