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of swing, history of the game, and types of tournaments.

22. The basis for grading the student is

accomplished by skill tests. 23. In general, few schools require a golf

note book. Those that have such, usually require it of the physical education major student.

24. The golf reference books most often used by instructors of golf in institutions of higher learning are: Ernest Jones and Innis Brown, "Swinging Into Golf"; Helen Schleman, "Group Golf Instruction"; and Jennette Stein and Emma F. Waterman, "Golf for Beginning Players."

25. Most schools indicated there is a definite need for additional teaching material. The following points were suggested as phases to be stressed:

(a) Material written in terms of physical education major students and teachers rather than professional players.
(b) Material that is more specific,

not just analysis of skills.

(c) Books written by educators not

professional players.
(d) Books written on the teaching of golf in physical education, indoor and outdoors. Including the history of the game, equipment needed, cost, method of organization for large and small classes, references and practicing devices.

(e) Rules and nonessentials eliminated.

(f) Skill tests.

(g) Charts showing different strokes. (h) Motion pictures which are free of advertising and comedy.

(i) Visual education in slow motion analysis.

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A RMY EMERGENCY RELIEF received \$14,197.47 as its 85% share of profits from the \$15,000 Tam O'Shanter National Open and All-American Amateur golf tournaments July 20 to 27. The other 15%, or \$2,505.43, went to the PGA national benevolent fund. Total net profits were \$16,702.90 or 19.7% of income from all sources. The total income \$84,951.65, and expenses, \$68,248.75.

George S. May, Tam president, said an American record for attendance at golf events was established when 62,266 people attended the Tam tournaments. More than half of these attended the finals on Sunday when 32,159 people saw Byron Nelson and Clayton Heafner finish with 280 apiece for a first place tie in the Open. It is believed that this figure set a world record for attendance at a golf tournament on a single day.

Performance Studied by Greenkeepers

PHILADELPHIA golf club supts. are optimistic about the prospects of keeping putting-green grass diseases at a minimum for the duration. They came to this conclusion after examining 5 different greens on the Merion West Course Aug. 18th, sections of which had been treated with either mercury or a new fungicidal material that has possibilities of being a substitute for mercury. Both large and small brown patch (dollar spot) had been active on these greens some time during the season.

Eight different materials were tried. The plots treated with 4½ to 6 oz. of Thiosan or 10 lbs. of hydrated lime per 1,000 sq. ft., at 2-week intervals throughout the summer, showed turf with less amount of active disease. The Thiosan was broadcast with slightly moist sand and not watered for at least 24 hours, while the lime was broadcast without a carrier when the grass was dry, being poled off afterwards with a bamboo

pole.

The treatments to determine what might be used for mercury, which is no longer available, were outlined by Dr. C. C. Wernham, Research Pathologist of the Pennsylvania State College. The actual work was done by Ben Struble, a graduate student of the Pennsylvania State College, who was stationed at the Merion golf course the first week in June. Joe Valentine, superintendent of the Merion golf course, turned over 5 greens in order that information might be secured on substitute materials for mercury in 1943.

Dr. Wernham informed those who examined the plots that in normal times research information in one year would not be released. However, in order to give all greenkeepers the greatest assistance the data would be available. Every effort will be made to continue similar experiments in the Philadelphia sections next year.

The meeting was called by Charles K. Hallowell, Philadelphia Extension Representative, who was assisted by Dr. R. S. Kirby, Extension Pathologist. Dr. Kirby will carry the results obtained at Merion to other golf course superintendents in

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