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man, as above. This will permit a check to be made on the mis-use of privileges or non-use of the passes after securing them.

4-A supply of these numbered passes will be distributed (subject to agreement to cooperate) to other USO Clubs, Service Men's Centers, and to special service officers in Camps, etc., and other officers as arranged.

5-Each person in charge of issuing passes must telephone the Travelers' Aid Desk, USO Club, Franklin 2976, before issuing each pass, because each golf club has specified the number of players to be accommodated each day. These quotas must not be exceeded. A list of the places and names of those who are authorized to issue passes will be provided each golf club manager.

6-Privileges will be extended to both Commissioned officers and other ranks,

unless otherwise stated.

7-Passes may be issued one week in advance, except for those officers and men stationed in the Chicago Loop district, who will be allowed to make a 24-hour advance reservation.

8-Playing equipment is available at the Chicago USO Club, 131 S. Wabash Avenue. If use warrants it, some of this equipment will be placed at other places where passes are to be issued.

9-The above plan may be revised according to the number of passes which are issued from certain places for specific golf clubs. Thus, if justified, some of the assignment sheets for North Shore golf clubs might be kept at North Shore USO Clubs in order to eliminate long-distance telephoning. Such a revision would be made only with the approval of the CDGA Committee.

The record sheet at Central USO office, on which pass data is kept consists of a sheet for each participating club.

Jack Burke Dies-Jack Burke, nationally known professional whose golfing achievements include the 1941 PGA Seniors' title, second place in the 1920 National Open (tied with Vardon, Diegel and Hutchison) and several wins of the Minnesota state open during the six years (1919-24) he was professional at Town & Country Club, St. Paul, died suddenly Feb. 2 in Houston, Tex.

At the time of his death, Burke was professional at the River Oaks CC of Houston, a post he held since 1924. is survived by his wife, three daughters

and four sons.