

## Recent Golf Elections

**A**BOUT 75% of U. S. Golf clubs have annual elections from November 1 to March 1. Most amateur and pro association elections also are held in this period.

Among recent elections is that of Lowell (Larry) Rutherford to the presidency of the Chicago District GA, succeeding Thomas G. McMahon. Rutherford has been a CDGA official for several years and an energetic and successful promoter of CDGA tournaments. Maurie Luxford, nationally known for his expert tournament promotion activities, has been elected president of the Southern California GA. W. Allen White of Lloyd's golf course has been elected president of the Oregon Public Links assn. Dr. Charles J. Robinson of Wheatley Hills was elected president of the Long Island GA.

Ben Lord was reelected to his fifth term as president of the Northeastern N. Y. PGA. Michigan PGA re-elected Frank Sprogell president. Emil Beck of Port

Huron was elected to the Michigan pro directorate, succeeding Jimmy Demaret.

Some long runs of golf club office-holding were continued as testimony to successful administrations. Winfield C. Bower was elected president of the Echo Lake (N. J.) CC for his 15th term. C. G. Brownell was elected Echo Lake secretary for his 22nd year.

Philadelphia PGA elected Marty Lyons, pres.; Ted Bickle, 1st v.p.; A. B. Thorne, 2 v.p.; Jimmy D'Angelo, sec., and Walter Brickley, treas.

Gordon Brydson, who's also a hockey star, was re-elected pres., Canadian PGA.

E. H. Taylor Hay, mgr., Union League club, Chicago, was elected pres., Chicago District Club Mgrs. assn. at its annual meeting. J. B. Wilder and Frank Murray were elected vice presidents and George F. Ehrhardt mgr., Skokie CC, was re-elected sec.-treas. The organization raised its dues to \$10 a year and sent each member in service a \$25 war bond as a Christmas gift.

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