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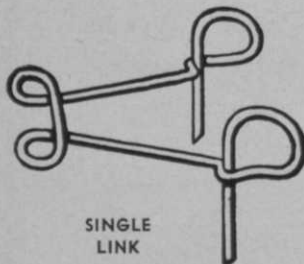
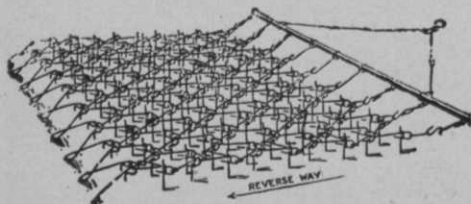
A memorial to Charles Erickson, for 42 years greenkeeper of the Minikahda club, Minneapolis, Minn., presented to the club by the Minnesota Greenkeepers' Assn., and erected near Minikahda's second tee, was dedicated Sept. 21.

Emil Picha, MGA pres., presented the memorial. It was accepted for the club by Henry C. Mackall. Present were members of the association, Erickson's daughters and his son, members of the club, Fred Grau of the Green section, and O. J. Noer. Addresses paid tribute to the pioneering contributions of Erickson to greenkeeping, to his grand personality and his outstanding service to his club.

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Leo Feser was chmn., Memorial committee. Art Anderson and Joe Rush unveiled the memorial. Dick Ryshavy and Ludwig Nelson prepared the stone and set the plaque. The stone, part of the first flour mill erected in Minneapolis, had been secured by Erickson for use as a historic item for the course.

USGA Awards 1947 Events— To Resume Walker Play

In 1947 the U.S. National Open will be played at St. Louis (Mo.) CC June 12-14, the National Amateur will be played at the Pebble Beach Course of the Del Monte (Calif.) G&CC, Sept. 8 thru 13, and the National Public Links championship will be played on Meadowbrook course, Minneapolis, Minn., July 21-26.

The Walker Cup international amateur matches will be played at St. Andrews, Scotland, Friday and Saturday, May 16 and 17, by arrangement made by the USGA and R&A in resuming the event. The U.S. team for the matches probably will be announced at the USGA annual meeting in January, 1947. The Walker cup matches have not been played since 1938 when the British team won its first victory of the 10 matches. The 1940 matches were set for



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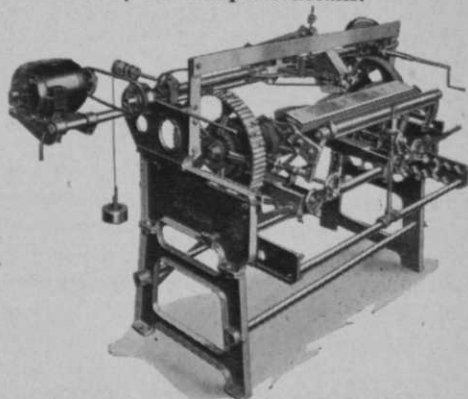
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