pital . . . He is survived by his wife and
his daughter, Mrs. Freda Schock . . . Alec
was a past pres. of Philadelphia section
PGA . . . He also was owner of Oak Park
GC, Prospectville, Pa. . . . He was a brother
of George Duncan, former British Open
champion . . . Alec was widely known
and beloved as one of the grandest fellows
who ever swung a club.

WITH SPALDING 50 YEARS—With
presentation of a Victory bond by Pres.
C. F. Robbins, A. G. Spalding & Bros. re-
cently honored the 50 year service to the
company of Richard H. Laughton, Asst.
Mgr., Spalding Chicopee, Mass., ware-
house. Laughton started as an errand
boy in Boston in 1896. Serving successively
as stock room clerk and retail sales repre-
sentative he advanced to catalog work and
stock control. After 30 years in Boston

Richard H. Laughton, left, receives 50 year
service award from Charles F. Robbins, pres.,
A. G. Spalding & Bros.

he moved to New York City where he
acted as stock control manager. Following
a term of 13 years in that city he went to
Chicopee to assume his present duties.
Awarding of a Victory bond to Laughton
is in accordance with a Spalding plan to
recognize employees who have served with
the firm for at least 25 years.

Baton Rouge (La.) CC to be reopened
with $150,000 course and clubhouse re-
building program authorized . . . Tommy
Galvin, out of navy, new pro at Pokegama
CC, Grand Rapids, Minn. . . . Paul Weiler,
ex air force gunner, new pro at Norfolk
(Neb.) CC . . . Wendell Wood, Eugene
(Ore.) CC pro, makes arrangement with
local high schools to conduct class lessons
Saturday mornings at the club . . . Bud
Mason, Greeley (Colo.) CC pro conducts
3 night golf clinics (2 for men and 1 for
women) at local college gym.

Arsenal GC, Rock Island, Ill. has a new
$3000 pro shop . . . Arsenal club now has
600 members, its all-time top . . . Bob