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MACGREGOR MOVES IN CHICAGO— June 30 MacGregor Golf has housewarming at its large new quarters, 1013-21 Rand McNally Bldg., 536 S. Clark, cor. Harrison. Telephone number, WABash 0517 is retained. Harry Adams and Danny Parrilli and their team were hosts to a throng of Chicago district pros and out-of-towners. Buffet lunch was served. The new location is easy to get to and parking space is handy.

ABE MITCHELL DIES—Abe Mitchell, 60, died June 11 at his home in St. Albans, Eng. Mitchell, although a fine player, never won a national open championship. He played in 5 Ryder cup matches. In 1921, 1922 and 1923 he played exhibition matches in the U. S. and because of his fine personality and skill won high esteem of American golfers.

MANAGERS PLAN 1948 MEET—Club Managers Assn. of America has named Radisson and Nicollet hotels, Minneapolis, as headquarters for the annual convention which will be held March 14-17, 1948. The newly organized Upper Midwest chapter of the association which will be host plans an unique convention highlighted by demonstration events at several of the top clubs in the Twin Cities. Among one of the features will be a smorgasbord at the Minikahda club, an establishment world-famed for its cuisine. CMMA

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officials are checking over discussions at this year's convention to follow up with assignments for addresses that in some instances will represent a year's research and study.

GOORIN SPORTSWEAR GROWS—Alfred and Theodore Goorin, Pittsburgh sportswear distributors, have formed a West Coast corporation under the name of Goorin Brothers, Inc. The new firm will be located in Building No. 3, Apparel City, San Francisco, Calif. The company will



Left, Al Goorin, and right, brother Ted, who've expanded their sportswear business for pros.

manufacture, display and warehouse complete stocks of Goorin sportswear and sports headwear, for quick service to the entire West Coast and Northwestern territory. For the new company, Keizer and Associates will be in charge of sales on the Coast north of Fresno and Joe Blaney will cover the southern California territory.



GOLF TOURS BOOKED FOR

YANK CLUB MEMBERS Rutherford Overseas Travel, a Rockefeller Plaza, New York, organization which has made a specialty of arranging sports trips to Europe, Africa, Mexico and the Bahamas now is conducting 14 days golfing trips to championship courses of Scotland.

This year's trips across and back are by air but D'Arcy Rutherford, head of the outfit, says that 1948 trips by boat are being arranged.

Courses on the itinerary are Old Troon, Western Gailles, Prestwick, Gleneagles King's and Queen's courses, St. Andrews Old Course, Carnoustie, Gullane Nos. 1 and 2 courses, Muirfield and North Berwick.

All hotel, transportation, restaurant and golf arrangements are made by the Rutherford organization. Cost of the 14-day trip is \$1350 and includes all charges and tips other than costs of drinks, and tips above the 15 per cent which the traveler may want to pay.

Trips this year are scheduled to leave La Guardia field, New York, every 2 weeks beginning June 28 until Oct. 4th.

Accommodations are reserved at Gleneagles, Caledonian hotel at Edinburgh and Central hotel at Glasgow.

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OFFICIAL GOLF GUIDE—Wm. D. Richardson, golf writer of the N. Y. Times, is editor of the "Official" Golf Guide for 1947 published by A. S. Barnes & Co., New York. Price is 50 cents. The book contains extensive records for 1946 covering pro, amateur and women's fields on national, state and district basis. Past records of American, Canadian and international competitions are included in the guide. Richardson has packed the 256-page book with information needed in answering queries of golfers and golf writers. It's a book every pro should have in his shop. O. W. BENTLEY, VETERAN DEALER, DIES —O. W. Bentley, 67, one of the best known golf equipment and supply dealers, died June 22 at Seattle. Bentley started in the equipment and supply business in 1925 at Syracuse, N. Y., as a Toro representative. Several years prior to the war he established his Bentley-Milorganite Co., in Seattle where his knowledge of golf and other turf requirements and his helpful, fine personality soon made him a prominent factor in the golf business of the northwest. He had been suffering from a malignant disease about a year prior to his death but had kept in action until a few weeks ago. Bentley was the valued friend of hundreds in the turf maintenance field and his passing is deeply mourned.

D.B.A. PRODUCTS CO., DEERFIELD, ILL., report lively interest of golf supply dealers in their newly developed D.B.A. Liquid Lustre Golf Ball Wash. The new product is the development of John Pacchietti whose ball and alley cleaners and polishes have become preferred maintenance items in the bowling world. The popularity of the new D.B.A. ball wash among pros and greenkeepers has been spurred by the enthusiasm of the players at courses where the product has been on test performance the past few months. In a letter to the makers, Alex Pirie, former PGA pres., says, "The new D.B.A. liquid golf ball cleaner is the . most effective product of its kind I have ever seen in use. It not only cleans golf balls most thoroughly, but it also restores the original lustre to an amazing degree and has no offensive odor under any weather conditions.

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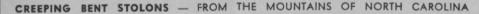


CUNNINGHAM TRACTOR SERVES AS BULLDOZER—The Cunningham Garden Tractor, in the hands of ingenious maintenance men, is doing double duty these days. Several have reported that their tractors, with its 30-inch snow plow attachment, make an excellent tool for light grading, filling work, etc. It is particularly useful in spreading trap sand, road and parking gravel and light contouring. Its power, easy handling and ability to work in close quarters have proved highly advantageous in golf course maintenance and snow removal.

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