

brought up the subject as to how severe the burning should be and the number of applications and etc. Bill Mellon of the Lancaster (Pa.) CC asked me if any of the turf was worth saving. I admitted it was pretty hopeless. Bill said, "Make a complete kill of all vegetation; you will get a far better seed bed and use much less seed." We followed his advice and with the turf completely destroyed we prepared a seed bed by aerifying three times. That enabled us to secure a perfect stand of mixed bent sown at the rate of 50 lbs. per acre. The ground was so pulverized that all seed germinated where

it fell and 50 pounds gave us perfect coverage. The saving in seed more than covered the cost of fertilizing that followed later in the fall.

This is just one of the many helpful hints that I have picked up at our local meetings.

Alex G. McKay, veteran pro-gkpr. of Chattanooga (Tenn.) G&CC visiting Scotland this fall. Mac's earned his trip with hard work the past three years converting Bermuda greens on several Tennessee courses to bent greens that have stood up.

## Minimum Equipment List for Average 18-Hole Course

### FAIRWAYS & ROUGHS

3 Tractors	1 7-Gang Fairway Mower	1 Rough Mower
1 Fertilizer Dist.	1 3-Gang Aerifier	1 Leaf Machine
1 Boom Power Sprayer	1 3-Gang Fairway Roller	1 Seeder

### TEES & GREENS

5 Power Greens Mowers	3 Power Tee Mowers	1 Power Sickle Mower
3 Hand Greens Mowers	3 Hand Tee Mowers	3 Hand Mound Mowers
1 Power Sprayer	1 Proportioner	1 Power Aerifier
1 Fertilizer Spreader	1 Hand Seeder	1 Loam Spreader
1 Hand Sweeper	1 Hand Spiker (Aerifier)	

### SERVICE SHOP

1 Power Mower Grinder	1 Hand Sickle Grinder	1 Flat Knife Grinder
1 Paint Sprayer	1 Air Compressor	1 Welder Outfit
1 Lathe	1 Arbor Press	1 Drill Press
1 Forge	1 Machine Washer	1 Pipe Threader
1 Band Saw	1 Power (Tree) Saw	

### HAND TOOLS FOR THE REPAIR OF

Electrical Equipment	Water Systems	Plumbing
Refrigeration	Plaster	Cement
Roadways	Drains	Sewers
Roofs	Paint	

### MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Scales	Seeders	Funnels	Gas Cans
Animal Traps	Soil Testers	Soil Samplers	Spikers
Sod Cutters	Sod Edgers	Sod Lifters	Pluggers
Rakes	Shovels	Spades	Forks
Snaths	Snath Blades	Snath Stones	Axes
Adzes	Crowbars	Hose Tools	Wrenches
Hoists	Tree Tools	Jacks	Ladders
Pullers	Dusters	Pumps	Pruners
Burners	Grass Whips	Etc.	Etc.

### RECAP OF ITEMS AT TODAY'S

#### PRICES

Fairways & Roughs	\$12,350.00
Tees & Greens	5,945.00
Service Shop	4,600.00
Hand Tools	1,155.00
Misc. Items	3,485.00
General Use Items	7,555.00

\$35,090.00

### GENERAL USE ITEMS

2 Trucks	1 Jeep
1 Rotovator	1 Soil Screen
1 Sod Cutter	1 Cement Mixer

(List given in talk of Orville Clapper before one of Prof. L. S. Dickinson's classes at University of Mass. Prices were as of Jan., 1951.)