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PLAYING FOR THE TITLE

For the frist time in American history two enthusiastic golfers are competing for the presidency of the United States. Adlai Stevenson and Dwight Eisenhower both are better-than-average businessmen golfers. They'll go around in the low 90s and once in a while, when lucky, will get into the 80s. Neither of them gets much time to play. Ike delights in playing the Augusta (Ga.) National course where he's a member, when he can get time off in the spring. He got in training for campaigning playing around Denver. Steve is an intermitten week-end golfer at Springfield, Ill., or at Chicago when his duties as Illinois' governor gave him a chance. He also plays at Pinehurst, where his sister lives, when he has had a rare chance for a vacation.

## So. Calif. Turf Conference at UCLA, October 6, 7

Dates for the 1952 Southern California Conference on Turf Culture on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California have been set for Oct. 6 and 7, according to Vernon T. Stoutemyer, professor of floriculture and ornamental horticulture at the University.

The annual event is presented by University of California Extension and the U.C.L.A. College of Agriculture, in cooperation with the USGA Green Section.

Conference sessions will be held at the Riviera CC, west of the campus on Sunset Blvd. The conference will open with a 9:30-11:30 a.m. inspection of the University of California turf plots at 300 Veteran Ave. in West Los Angeles, and registration from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. at the Riviera Country Club.

Some of the well known speakers scheduled to address sessions are Robert W. Hodgson, Dean of the U.C.L.A. College of Agri., who recently returned from a year's residence in Egypt; John J. McElroy, dir. of programs, Agri. Ext. Service, University of California, Berkeley; Kenneth Smoyer, dir., Agri. Ext., Los Angeles County; William H. Daniel, agronomist in turf research and Extension, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana; Charles G. Wilson, reg. dir., USGA Green Section, Davis, Calif.; O. J. Noer, agronomist, Milwaukee Sewerage Comm., and Boysie E. Day, assistant plant physiologist, division of plant physiology, Citrus Exp. Station, University of California, Riverside.

A similar conference will be presented at the Northern California Turf Conference in Berkeley, California, October 9. Information may be obtained from Mr. John J. McElroy, Agricultural Extension, College of Agriculture, University of California, Berkeley 4.

## Mississippi Open Assn. Headed by Cochran

Mississippi Open Golf Assn., recently organized to promote closer relations between amateurs and pros in the state, promote all golf activities, give junior golf a big boost, to handle amateur-pro events, schedule monthly tournaments and stage state cup matches between professional and amateur teams.

Amateur membership annual fee is \$5.