

dentially, was originally a sizable play-house which was once the prized childhood possession of the daughter of one of the lumber company's executives.

Les LaBumbard, greenkeeper for 10 years, was busy with helpers last summer putting fairways, greens and tees in good shape. A water system, operated by a Fairbanks-Morse pump, keeps the course adequately irrigated.

American's course is located amidst the pines and hardwoods along the scenic shores of Big Bay de Noc, about a mile northeast of the town, along County Road 495. Although laid out mostly on level ground, it is quite a scenic and sporty course. Glimpses of the waters of Big Bay de Noc are afforded golfers through openings in the woods along the shores.

Par for the 2,836 yds. is 36.

In addition to the golf course, American is rehabilitating the entire town of Nahma. The one hundred homes are being repaired and repainted white with harmonious trim. The Nahma Hotel also has undergone extensive exterior and interior improvements. Rustic lodges on the sandy beaches have been enlarged and modernized, so that each has two well furnished bedrooms, living room with an artistic fireplace, kitchen and bathroom.

Ultimately, American will establish a branch factory in Nahma for the manufacture of its large line of park, picnic, playground, swimming pool and dressing room equipment. Its objective: To make Nahma a model community, where the people will enjoy good working conditions and play at golf, hunting, fishing and other outdoor pastimes in the great American Playground that surrounds the town.

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DBA Products Co. has introduced a new Asphalt CLEAR TILE COATING, which they say has remarkable protective qualities. This clear coating is easily applied and dries in four hours, sealing the pores of the tile against dirt and grease penetration, leaving a high lustre. Maintenance consists of sweeping and then mopping lightly with cold water. Additional waxes and polishes, say the manufacturer, are not needed with this permanent type coating. Full information and prices from DBA Products, 749 Deerfield Rd., Deerfield, Ill.

NEW FOLDER ILLUSTRATES AND DESCRIBES METHODS OF ERECTING GOLF NETS

R. J. Ederer Co., 540 Orleans St., Chicago 10, Ill., manufacturers of golf and sports nets, have just issued a folder which shows and tells four easy methods for erecting Ederer golf practice nets. The methods pic-

tured and detailed are—Rope Construction, Wood Frame, Collapsible Iron Frame and Iron Pipe Frame. Materials for erecting Ederer golf nets are obtainable locally. The folder is mailed free, upon request.

ROSEMAN HOST AT ANNUAL DEMONSTRATION PARTY

Roseman Tractor Equipment Co. held its annual get-together for course superintendents, architects, owners and park superintendents May 4th at Chesterfield CC, Glenview, Ill. Over 350 guests saw demonstrations featuring their latest models of fairway and rough mowers along with the new Ford tractors and related equipment.

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Gard weatherproof spray, made by Gard Industries, 733 Green Bay Rd., Wilmette, Ill., is extending its golf club market. The material already is being used by many locker-room men and sold at pro shops for waterproofing golf shoes and garments without injuring surface of leather or cloth, and without sealing pores of material against "breathing."

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Frank Hiatt appointed national sales manager of Spaldings according to George Dawson, VP in charge of sales. Hiatt will continue to have his office at Spalding's 161 Sixth Ave., NYC address.



Louis "Larry" Spence added to the golf professional sales staff of Spaldings in an announcement by Amos Williams, Spalding Phila. dist. mgr. Larry will service territory formerly covered by Andy Studwell which includes Central Pa. and West Va. His residence is at Hatboro, Pa.

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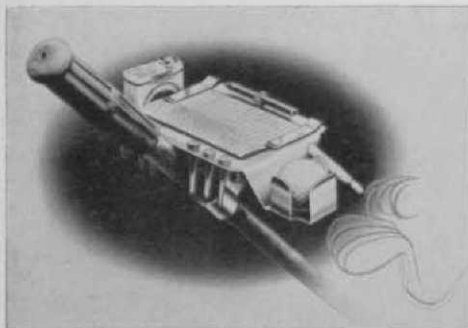
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Klomprens obtained his doctor's degree in June from Michigan State College and also completed his undergraduate work there with a B. S. Degree in Botany granted to him in 1949.

In August, 1942, he entered the Army and was honorably discharged in October 1945.

He has been a graduate assistant in the Department of Botany under Dr. John R. Vaughn at Michigan State College and did outstanding work there in research on helminthosporium disease.

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A new and improved Model L Sprinkler, that will cover as small as 15 ft. or as large as 80 ft., is introduced by the Double Rotary Sprinkler Co., Kansas City, Mo. The new model's performance is based on its ingeniously simple gear mechanism, designed to give many years of trouble-free service.

The new Model L has been in operation on a field test for more than two years, according to Mrs. L. M. Holland, Mgr., of the Double Rotary Sprinkler Co. These in-use tests proved that it is exceptionally trouble-free, she said, and that it gives almost as much water coverage as the double spout style.

Another feature of the new model is a new aluminum alloy base.

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The Turbo Jet power leaf mill recently introduced to the market simplifies the problem of maintaining large landscaped grounds by gathering and pulverizing fallen leaves, blowing the fine chaff back into the lawn as a mulch and leaving grounds neat and leaf-free. According to the manufacturer, the unit will also clean leaves out of ivy beds, from around curbs, copings and fences, shrubs, and other similarly difficult-to-reach locations.

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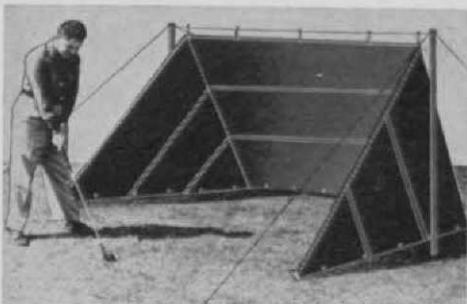
PROS COLLABORATE ON SWINGROOV TRAINER

Swingroov Co., Dumont 7, N. J. has a new practice device on which Johnny Farrell, Larry Brancato and Bud Geoghagen collaborated. The device is one that allows the golfer to swing freely when his swing is correct but which impedes an incorrect swing. There is an instruction book by Farrell in each Swingroov package.

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venient installation at a handy spot in the golfer's yard or in warm-up space by a tee.

It is a surprisingly substantial outfit, and weatherproofed. Price is moderate. Sales have been rapid since its recent introduction and it seems to be a very good item for pro shop selling.

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at semi-public courses owned by CDFGA members.

J. B. Hood, editor, People's Journal, 7 Bank st., Dundee, Scot., sends attractive colored map of Carnoustie course where this year's British Open will be played . . . Hood says if any members of clubs where Dundee or Carnoustie fellows are pros are coming over this summer he'd