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Look at the population statistics and you'll be impressed with the tremendous importance of Junior Golf. On the cover is shown a junior class typical of the many hundreds that foresighted pros conduct. This one is at Watsonville (Calif.) GC, owned by pros Pat Markovich and Joie Rey. Note that more adept kids are helping teach the younger ones.

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SWINGING AROUND GOLF

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day of the 1954 tournaments . . . First prize for World championship will be \$50,000 . . . Next 59 same as this year; \$10,000 for second down to \$200 for last place . . . Tournament players OKed the division with \$40,000 between first and second money.

University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Dr. Irving B. McNulty, asst. pro, botany, has initiated a research program investigating herbicides in eradication of turf weeds . . . USGA Green Section to meet, Sept. 15, 5 p.m., at Oklahoma City G&CC during National Amateur . . . Total entry of 1,290 for this year's USGA Amateur, the 53d . . . 177 sectional qualifiers will be joined by 23 U. S. and British Walker Cup players and U. S. and Canadian amateur champions.

Bill Wotherspoon back on pro job at Southern Hills CC, Tulsa, Okla., and convalescing steadily after his session at Mayos . . . Big days at Chicago district fee courses honoring grand pros . . . Tom Walsh Day at Westgæ Valley and Harry Pezzullo Day at Mission Hills.

GOLFERS PARTY FLYING WITH TEAM to Ryder Cup Matches

HURRY — Get your reservation in without delay if you want to join the golf party flying to England September 25th for the Ryder Cup Matches. As of August 25th several seats were still available on the B.O.A.C. plane chartered for members of the U. S. team and others who want to make the trip. One way flight (going) cost is only \$250, no baggage limit, and includes bar and meals on plane. Tournament arranged for the party so bring your clubs. Joe Byrne Travel Agency is handling all arrangements. For complete information communicate with:

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