

## WESTERN GOLF AND EVANS CADDIES' NEW HOME AT GOLF

Golf, Illinois, 17 miles north of Chicago's Loop, will soon become the address of the Evans Scholars Foundation and Western Golf Assn.

Plans for construction of a one-story brick structure of contemporary Georgian design were announced jointly by Carleton Blunt, chairman of the Evans Scholars Foundation trustees, and Vic Bowers, president of the Village of Golf. Ground-breaking will start immediately and completion is scheduled for March 1, 1955.

The building will be owned by the Evans Scholars Foundation. The Butz Foundation already has pledged a substantial portion of the building's cost in memory of Theodore C. Butz, former president of WGA and a trustee of Evans Scholars Foundation.

The new headquarters will be used by Golf as its Village hall.

Bertram A. Weber, Chicago, is the architect.

Golf, Ill., is the only community in the world named after one of the most popular and traditional of all sports. It borders on the Glen View Club, one of the oldest golf clubs in the Chicago area.

## Kid Progress Has Pro Awed

Grant Bennet, pro at Florence (S. C.) says scoring by boys 18 or younger during the 3d annual Florence Junior Invitation has him wondering when the kids are going to slow up. This year's scoring on the testing par 70 course showed greater improvement than in the second year of the event. Par was broken 11 times.

Grant isn't the only pro who is pleasantly surprised. In the first day's play, in the pro-junior event—only one pro, Avery Beck of Kinston, N. C., was under par with a 67. A couple of juniors had 68 and 69. The eventual winner, Bobby McCarty of Camden, S. C. had 71. He shot sub-par in match rounds.

Bennett's 8½-year-old son David shoots six holes of the Florence course in 34.

Bennett says he feels good when he occasionally scores par on his course and like many club pros is fairly content when he can ease up on work and beat the members. But the way the youngsters are coming along as sharpshooters they're getting to be tough competition while showing brilliant results of pro instruction.

## Kowalski Heads New Central N. Y. Supts.' Organization

Lee Kowalski, supt., Bellevue CC, Syracuse, N. Y. was elected president of the newly organized Central New York Golf Course Supts.' Assn. VP is Tom Bowen, supt., Yahnundasis GC, New Hartford, N. Y. Sec.-treas. is John P. Bowen, supt., Teugega CC, Rome, N. Y.

Other charter members are Larry Wanamaker, Twin Ponds CC, New York Mills, N. Y.; Tom Toepp, Syracuse (N. Y.) Yacht & CC; Art Davis, Drumlines GC, Syracuse, N. Y., Frank Tazzi, McConnellsville (N. Y.) GC and John Slinns, Valley View GC, Utica, N. Y.