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## U. S., Canadian Matches to be Held in Ft. Worth

The fifth annual international PGA team matches between the U. S. and Canada will be held at the Colonial CC, Fort Worth, Tex. on May 7 and 8.

International Golf Assn. annually sponsors the competition in cooperation with the PGA of the United States and PGA of Canada as a part of the IGA's program to develop international goodwill through golf.

This will be the second International PGA Team event to be held in the United States. Last year it was played in La Jolla, Calif. Three previous matches were held in Canada.

Each team will consist of six players and an alternate. The U.S. team is selected by the PGA, which will invite winners on the winter tour. The Canadian team is to be selected by the Canadian PGA.

The teams will play three four-ball 18-hole matches the first day and six singles 18-hole matches the second day, with three points at stake in each match. The winning team will receive the international team matches trophy donated by John Jay Hop-

kins, chairman of IGA. In the match last year at the La Jolla CC, the U. S. won 17 to 10, to protect an unblemished record in this series.

## New England GCSA Officers

Michael J. O'Grady was recently elected to head the GCSA of New England for the coming year. Other officers are: Manuel Francis, Albert Allen and N. J. (Tony) Sperandio, vps; William Ash, secy; Arthur Cody, treas.; Ray Brigham, educational committee chmn; Joseph Butler, golf committee chmn; George Rommell and John Kielty, auditors; and 3-year trustee, Daniel Silva.

## Canadian Turf Conference

The seventh annual turfgrass conference, sponsored by Green Section of the Royal Canadian Golf Assn., will be held Mar. 19-20 at the Ontario Agriculture College, Guelph, Ont.

Prominent speakers who will address the conference include Prof. H. B. Musser, Dr. James Tyson, E. I. Wood, Dr. James Watson, Jr., Dr. O. J. Noer, Dr. J. S. Shoemaker and Prof. R. Goodwin-Wilson.