

SWINGING AROUND GOLF

NEWS OF THE GOLF WORLD IN BRIEF



By HERB GRAFFIS

City of Albuquerque, N. M., golf committee to start advertising munny course . . . It is self-sustaining but board believes advertising will increase play . . . Albuquerque constructing black-topped car trails on its munny course . . . Preston Childers, now supt. of Paradise Hills CC, Albuquerque, that's being built to plans of Robert (Red) Lawrence . . . Jim Norman is supt. of Cliffside CC, Hartford, Conn., 18-hole private club recently opened.

U. C. Ferguson, Jr., pro, and Bill Gober, supt., Oklahoma City's Lincoln Park courses, in charge of big remodeling job on the courses and installation of fairway watering systems . . . New clubhouse to be built . . . Interesting plan of financing and operation by Lincoln Park Golf Assn. thru revenue bonds issued under provisions of Oklahoma's municipal trust act provides the improvements without cost to taxpayers.

Melvin Putt is treas. of Booneville (Miss.) CC, now being organized . . . Reuben A. Aldeen, pres. Rockford (Ill.) Park district, says city should consider building its 4th public course, this one for the "forgotten white collar class which cannot afford to belong to a private club but would be willing to pay an annual fee of

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Vernon Hills CC, 18-hole club west of Halfday, Ill., is first new private club built in Lake County, Ill., since 1929, says Quinn Hogan, chmn. of club's board . . . Wes Hilton appointed golf supt. at Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., by gen. mgr., Truman Wright . . . For past 10 years he has been foreman of Greenbrier's three courses . . . Hilton and Luther B. Way, Jr., are building new Greenbrier and Lakeside courses.

Real estate development company offers Hassayampa CC, Prescott, Ariz., ground for second 9 . . . Joe Herschel, who has coached Forest Hills L. I., N. Y. high school golf team for 20 years, tells his ideas about golf programs in high schools in his talk at annual golf clinic of Health Education Teachers Association of New York . . . Bert Ferguson, eng. mgr., station WDIA, Memphis, considering building course about five miles east of Memphis airport.

Scott Alexander, sports editor, Columbus (Ind.) Republican, commenting on a creek straightening plan that may put city's

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overcrowded golf course out of operation, says, "even non-golfers should be interested in the situation from a beautification standpoint . . . Beauty is still an important aspect to consider in city planning," Alexander adds . . . "But not as important as a profitable job for contractors or road builders."

Miami, Fla., apparently staging a comeback as an important city in golf . . . Le Jeune, 9-hole municipal course located near International airport, to open this winter . . . La Gorce at Miami Beach will have a new look for the winter players . . . Walter Hall, pro at Hyannis Port (Mass.) CC says presidential aspirant, John F. Kennedy, "could be the best golfer that ever lived in the White House." . . . Hall says Kennedy rushes out, plays about 5 holes, then has to go to work . . . Says Kennedy drives 225 to 240 yds. . . Kennedy's father played very good golf until an accident a couple of years ago put him out of play . . . His mother plays often at Hyannis Port . . . The Democratic candidate bought his clubs at Hall's pro shop . . . VP Nixon is a pretty fair golfer, too, after about three years at the game . . . In the 90s now and then.

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Golfdom's issues are read for many months after the date of publication, as advertisers well know . . . Amusing proof of this durability of Golfdom continues to come in because of an illustration on page 98 of June Golfdom . . . On that page heads of MacGregor Tourney wood and iron club were left-handed in the

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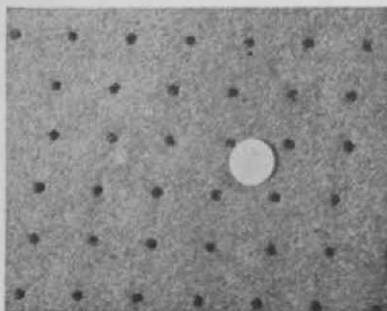
illustration . . . Readers wrote promptly asking if the left-hand showing was intentional . . . In July we continued to get letters on this subject and in August we got still more . . . Trademarks on the clubs were OK for left-handed implements.

Citizen writes columnist, "Cincinnatus," in Covington (Ky.) Post-Times Star saying he hears that in Dayton and Akron golfers older than 65 are allowed to play free on many courses and asks if Cincinnati senior citizens can't get same deal at their municipal courses.

Rev. C. A. Ditmar heads Cheyney, Wash., group campaigning for many course . . . Mrs. Ethel Duplantier and others to build Highland East Golf and Racquets Club, Baton Rouge, La. . . . Ralph Plummer designing 18-hole municipal course for Arlington, Tex. . . . Huron, O., to have 18-hole course by June, 1961, according to Richard Palmer, pres. Golf, Inc., Vermillion, O. . . . Golf, Inc., completing construction of course at Vermillion.

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Succasunna (N. J.) GC sold by Herbert Fatum to Market Associates, thru Frank H. Taylor & Son, East Orange realtors . . . Will Ketner, Roaring Springs, Pa., heads group planning to build Cove CC . . . Colonial CC, Lynnfield, Mass., to build second 9, says owner George Page . . . S. M. Martin and others form River Bends CC, Shelbyville, Tenn. . . Dick Troxell active in group to build first 9 of Longbow CC, between Longmont and Boulder, Colo.

Albert A. Levin, Gates Mills, O., developer, plans to build course . . . Charles R. Ewen, Deerfield Beach, Fla., and friends who also belong to Manor CC, Norbeck, Md., to build Southern Manor

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Paul Ludolph, San Francisco, starts building 9-hole course on 200 acre subdivision 9 miles east of San Andreas, Calif. . . . Open first 9 of Rozella Ford community course at Warsaw, Ind. . . . Don Dustin is supt. . . . Wm Craig is mgr. . . . Pres. Julien Roddenberry, jr., says 9-hole Cairo (Ga.) CC will open in Sept. . . . Leon A. Katz, who developed Brentwood (N. Y.) CC proposes to add second 9 to Somers (N. Y.) CC and convert it into a private club.

Elms GC, Pulaski, N. Y., bought by Robt. Tully and Frank Pizzuto, local school teachers, from John T. Howard and wife, Hagerstown, Md. . . . Reno Fechtner heads group planning to rebuild Silver Lake CC, Laona, Wis. . . . Silver Lake was abandoned some years ago . . . Edward T. Dwyer Corp., Weymouth, Mass., plans to build 9-hole course at Norwell, Mass., to plans of Samuel S. Mitchell, Canton.

Tuscon, Ariz., sells bond issue, part of which will finance another 18 at Randolph

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Maurice Newell opens his 9-hole Whitefish Lake course near Pierson, Mich. . . . Garden City CC, feature of retirement-age community being built in the Harquahala Valley, 60 miles west of Phoenix, under construction . . . Gillon B. Cooper, Phoenix real estate dealer is pres. of Garden City . . . A dozen more "retirement age communities" have been announced during the past few months and each one makes its golf course a strong selling point.

Hal Thomas, Valley Station, Ky., contractor is pres. Sun Valley CC which has begun construction of 9-hole course . . . Bob Kirchdorfer will manage the club . . . Ste. Genevieve (Mo.) CC opens its new
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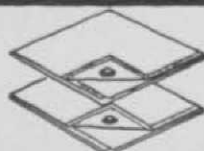
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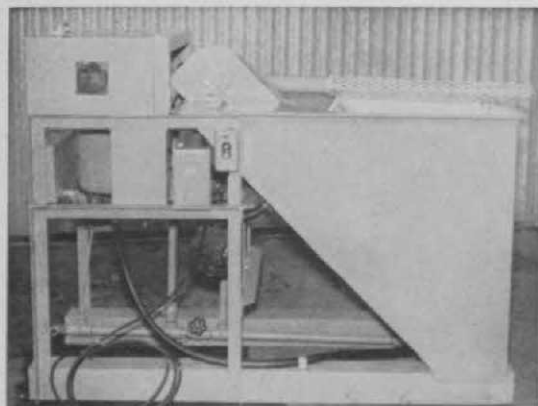
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9-hole grass green course . . . Bobby Jones course, Sarasota, Fla., will have 80,000 rounds this year, pro Pat Hall and mgr. Harry W. Schaeffer forecast . . . Sarasota city commissioners considering adding 9 to the Jones 18 and modernizing clubhouse and present 18 . . . Course hasn't fairway watering and gets heavy wear.

Ernie Fortner, Austin, Tex., who was pro at Hillcrest CC in Mt. Clemens, Mich., for two years and at Saulte Ste. Marie CC for seven years, spent July and August travelling through the Midwest and East drumming up enthusiasm for Jimmy Demaret's "Golf to Music" lessons . . . Demaret's instruction course is presented in five records with appropriate background music to help the student acquire the proper tempo . . . The records are being distributed through Golf, Inc., PO Box 5181, Austin . . . Fortner, a pro for 15 years and winter circuit performer for the last 10, has an eye out for a club job opening.

Hardscrabble Tournament, to be played at Hardscrabble CC, Ft. Smith, Ark., Oct. 12-16, is going to match play this year

with 32 man Championship and additional flights of 16 each . . . Among these will be a Junior-Senior flight for those in 40-49 age group and a Senior flight.

Southern California Open, 54-hole, \$5,000 event, to be played Nov. 30-Dec. 2 at Indian Wells CC, Palm Springs . . . On following two days there will be a \$2,500 pro-member tourney . . . Arvida Corp. has announced plans to build 18-hole course and a number of luxury home sites as first phase of its multi-million \$ development program in Longboat Key, Fla. . . Four or five places where a fellow can swing a club in Okinawa . . . There are three 9-hole courses, an 18 and a driving range there with sand greens at some locations . . . One course has eight sand and one grass green . . . Santa Clara (Calif.) county supervisors okay municipal 18 to be built to George Santana's plans .

The 28th hole-in-one contest conducted by the San Francisco Examiner attracted 7,300 entrants, three of whom scored aces on a 176-yd. hole at Lincoln Park GC . . . Prizes amounted to \$28,000 . . . Golf-writer Phil Norman ran the event which was started by the late Harry Hayward . . . Riviera Marin in San Rafael has a new



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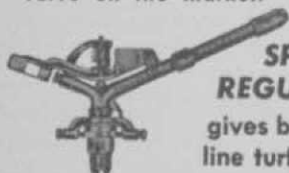
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name — Peacock Gap GC — and a new mgr., Ronnie Hess, formerly of Monterey Peninsula GC. In its first four months the new munny course in Palm Springs showed a profit after paying out \$40,000 in operating expenses and \$20,000 in amortizing bonds . . . Tacoma, Wash., city officials apparently aren't going to purchase either of Roy Canedy's two public courses which probably will go to the realtors . . . Gardena (Calif.) Golf Rancho, a golf center with 9-hole Par 3 designed by Harry Rainville, opened in mid-August.

Bermuda GA will sponsor 14 invitation tournaments in 1960-61, with best known of these, the Goodwill, being played Dec. 6-8 . . . Full details can be obtained from BGA, Box 433, Hamilton . . . On Golf Day at the Hogan-Sabayrac sales meeting held in August in Ft. Worth, Ben Hogan must have come away with the impression that he had been up against the kind of competition a fellow would ordinarily run into in the Open . . . Hogan shot a 64 to tie the Shady Oaks record . . . But Close behind him were Bobby Moser with a 66, Morgan Barofsky with a 68, Owen Chapman with a 70 and John Hainje, who had a 71 . . . All of these fellows are weekend golfers, or at least that's what they tell Hogan and Ernie Sabayrac, for whom they work.

Nearly 600 Philadelphia boys recently completed a caddie training course made possible through the combined efforts of the City Welfare & Recreation dept., Fairmount Park commission and the supt. of schools . . . Boys took three 2-hour lessons and pros, at courses where they were held, demonstrated various things a caddie has to know . . . Gary Renn, city golf

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mgr. was in charge of the training . . . Green Hill GC, gift to city of Wilmington, Del., by Mr. and Mrs. William du Pont, Jr., opened in July . . . Willie Pumbo, formerly of Kennett Square, Pa., is pro-mgr. . . . Golf course that will go in at Potomac Electric Power Co., Rec. center in Dranesville, Va., was designed by Edmund Ault.

Terrace CC, to be built in a Buffalo, N. Y. suburb, will limit memberships to single adults . . . Greensboro, N. C. Negro group buys 125 acres east of city where it will build 9-hole course, pool, tennis courts and clubhouse . . . Several mass membership clubs, developed by the same management, are either under construction or being promoted in Rockville, Md., Pittsburgh, Boston, Baltimore and Providence . . . Usually include 18-hole course, Par 3, three swimming pools and spacious clubhouse . . . Chattahoochee CC, Gainesville, Ga., opened first 9 recently and will have second 9 ready next spring . . . Sam Snead Golf, a \$250,000 project, opened near Marietta, Ga., in July . . . It has regulation 18, Par 3, 36-hole miniature and double deck range . . . It will be supplemented by an 80-unit motel which will probably be built this fall.

C. V. Lynch, pres. of Pinecrest Golf Center in Alexandria, Va., reports that June play at Par 3 there was up 43 per cent over same month in 1959 . . . An additional 9 on his standard course is being put into play this month . . . Second 9 of Loring AFB in Limestone, Me., to open next



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year . . . Meadow Hill GC in Farmingdale, Me., to be ready this month . . . Brunswick (Me.) GC acquires 75 acres for second 9 . . . Club was organized in the 1890s . . . First lighted Par 3 in Portland, Me., area was opened in mid-July . . . It's located at Scarborough . . . Colonial GC in Lynfield, Mass. starts construction on second 9



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which was designed by Bill Mitchell . . . Framingham CC opened its back 9 about two months ago . . . Seatic Valley CC, near Springfield, Cherry Hills in the Danvers-Salem area and Saddle Hills in the Boston dist. are in the planning stage.

The Odessa (Tex.) Pro-Am, which started as a \$5,000 event in 1949, has become a \$15,000 affair . . . Twenty-one touring pros played in it this year with Don January and Amateur Dick Jennings of Lubbock taking first place with a combined 258 . . . The second Pioneer Pass tournament, which will be played over two courses and plenty of terrain, Oct. 7-9, may be the most unusual golf event in the world . . . It starts with 9 holes at Hi-Desert G&CC in Yucca Valley, Calif. . . . Then the golfers go to Pioneertown and play through to big Bear Valley, a distance of 28 miles . . . Following this they play 9 holes at Moonridge G&CC . . . Last year a 342 won the tournament.

A total of 125 teams played in the Women's Metropolitan GA interclub team matches this summer with Apawamis winning the title . . . Ray A. Keen, Kansas State U agronomist and secy. of the Central Plains Turf Fdn., points out that turf management is the fastest growing field in all agriculture because so many of the million acres that annually are removed for urbanization go into turfgrass . . . Eliot Roberts and Mal Shurtleff of Iowa State U have been keeping members of the Iowa GCSA up to date this summer with "Short Talks" at monthly meetings . . . They range over the entire field of turf management . . . Pinehurst (N. C.) CC opens



Chick Harbert (3rd from left), well known home and playing pro, has been named executive director of golf for General Development Corp., huge community development firm which has construction underway or planned at several cities on both coasts of Florida. Harbert is shown with E. J., Frank E. and Robert F. Mackle, officers and dirs. of General Development. He has been put in charge of the newly completed course at Ft. Charlotte and is working with Architect Mark Mahannah in the building of another layout near Ft. Pierce.

for the season on Sept. 16th . . . It continues to operate until mid-May . . . Club Managers AA will hold its 1961 annual meeting at the Denver-Hilton, Jan. 25-28 . . . There are 51 chapters in the CMAA, with Santa Barbara, Calif., being the latest addition . . . One of the lures of managing a club was revealed recently by this news item: George Rohm of Columbus (O.) CC got his third perfect score in identifying a series of wines by taste.

Australia, which played host to the IGA Championship and Canada Cup matches in 1959, will have the teams back in 1964 . . . The 1961 competitions will be held at Dorado Beach (P. R.) GC in 1961 but the 1962 and 1963 sites haven't been selected . . . Medalists at 50 sectional qualifying rounds for the USGA Junior Amateur shot scores ranging from 68 to 80 . . . At 38 locations the medalist shot 75 or lower . . . Most of these boys are only 16 or 17 or younger . . . Columbian Club of Dallas has decided to expand its course from 9 to 18 holes, according to Pro Bill Weber.

At least two outfits are planning nationwide golf tournament program advertising along lines of college football program chain . . . Pine Valley golf course, Meriden, Conn., owned by Leo and Albert DellaBianca, Bristol, Conn., has opened its first 9 . . . Passaic Valley (N. J.) Water Commission agrees to pay \$1,215,000 for 97-acre Wayne (N. J.) CC and three other tracts totaling 42 acres . . . Course will continue in operation until Nov. 1961 . . . Eventually will become a reservoir.

Begin building first 9 of Miami, Fla., Le Jeune Road municipal course . . . Green Hills CC, Ripley, W. Va., opens its 9-hole course . . . Paul Lemon is pro supt. . . Wm. J. Hardigree, for the past four years a Spalding pro golf salesman, selected by Cobb Recreation Authority to be pro at O. B. Keeler Memorial course, starting in Oct. . . . Wildwood CC in suburban Pitts-



Second Palm Springs Golf Classic, to be played Feb. 1-5, 1961, has been expanded to include Eldorado CC. Robert McCulloch (2nd from right) Eldorado pres., will join Ernie Dunlevie, Bermuda Dunes pres., Leonard K. Firestone, Jr., pres. of the Classic, and Lou Golan, Tamarisk pres., in promoting the event. The 90-hole tournament will be played over Bermuda Dunes, Eldorado, Indian Wells and Thunderbird with the final 18 scheduled for Tamarisk.

burgh, bought from University of Pittsburgh and will be operated as a private club . . . John Chereka is mgr.

Open 9-hole Canton (N.C.) GC built by H. J. Rogers, Sr., and his family . . . Spring Lake CC, York, S. C., opens its 9-hole course . . . Owned by J. C. Cloniger . . . Mack Briggs is pro . . . Open first 9 of Surf Golf & Beach

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A new clubhouse and pro shop building was presented to the Downey (Ill.) VA Hospital in behalf of readers of the Chicago Sun-Times. Mel Barker (r), mgr. of public affairs for the Newspaper Div. of Field Enterprises, Inc., publisher of the Sun-Times, and Dr. W. W. Bourke, hospital mgr., are shown at the dedication ceremony. Downey VA has a 9-hole course and range, built early this year on the hospital grounds by the Chicago District GA. Clubhouse and pro shop were financed by the Sun-Times from proceeds from the newspaper's Harvest Moon Festival and other events it sponsors.

Club, Ocean Drive Beach, S. C. . . . Ed Bullock is pro . . . Hall & Lindsay, Old Forge, N. Y., contractors, pushing construction of new Memorial course in Springfield, Mass. . . . Present Memorial course will be used as industrial site after new course is opened.

Rolling Hills CC, whose pres. is Jack Thompson of Cincinnati suburban Park Hills, to build 27-hole private club in Kenton County, Ky., area of metropolitan Cincinnati . . . Buck Blenkinship will be architect . . . South Fork CC, Amagansett, N. Y., opened . . . Designed by Edward Brady . . . Ernest Herman is supt . . . Putnam (Conn.) CC closed since 1955, reconditioned and opened by owners, Sidney Fisher and Albert E. Otto . . . Marty Best is pro.

St. Petersburg, Fla., Committee of 100 considering building course near St. Petersburg-Clearwater International airport as civic project of St. Petersburg, Clearwater and Tampa . . . Hillcrest G&CC being built by owner Angelo Palazini in town of Princeton, north of Schenectady, N.Y., will open first 9 in spring, 1961 . . . Vee Lawkins now pro at Sagamore GC, Bolton Landing, N. Y. . . . Riviera CC, near Huntington, W. Va., adding second 9 . . . Plum Hollow GC (Detroit dist.) expects to have \$950,000 clubhouse, replacing one burned last Nov., com-

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pleted in April, 1961 . . . Brothers Lou and Al Greenburg and associates have bought Brokaw estate near Glen Cove, N.Y., and will build 18-hole private club.

Hanover CC, Richmond, Va., formally opens new pool by tossing in club pres., C. Hunter Jones, fully dressed . . . Hanover is building 18-hole course . . . Palo Alto (Calif.) Hills G&CC breaks ground for \$750,000 clubhouse . . . Columbus, O., to vote on bond issue which includes financing for new course . . . To open Lake Region Yacht & CC, Winter Haven, Fla., 18-hole course, clubhouse, etc., in mid-Sept. . . . Earl Sasser is mgr . . . Charles Cornibert, 325 Main st., Greenpoint, N.Y., heads Island's End G&CC which is being built near Orient Point, Long Island to plans of George Heron.

Jack Hoffmann and Bill Golbert, well known in Michigan pro golf circles, and Gibson Realty Co., Mt. Clemens, Mich., to build 18-hole course and residential area near Rochester, Mich. . . . Bruce Matthews is designing the course . . . Burning Tree G&CC opened at Mt. Clemens, Mich. . . . Lou Powers is pro . . . Dr. James A. Weigen and others form Sun Prairie (Wis.) Golf Course, Inc., to build 18-hole course . . . El Dorado G&CC, first interracial private club in Washington, D. C., soliciting members and plans to build 18-hole course, 3 swimming pools and air-conditioned clubhouse . . . Landerhaven CC, in Cleveland, O., dist., adding 9-hole Par-3 course to its semi-

private 18 . . . Reported that Brooklawn CC, Syracuse, N.Y., to be sold for industrial sites.

Jim Cavaleri named mgr. Northmoor CC, suburban Denver, which has 18-hole course under construction . . . Tom Dawson named pro-supt. at Rehoboth Beach, Del . . . Greenville (S.C.) CC to spend \$175,000 on course and clubhouse improvements . . . Frank Sproggell remodeling front 9 of PGA course at Dunedin and will have job completed this month . . . Meadow Mont CC, Arnold, Calif., opens 9-hole course . . . Charles A. Flaughter is pro-mgr . . . Kokomo, Ind., to build second 9 at its American Legion course . . . Denver to have 27-hole municipal course at Cherry Creek Dam . . . Henry B. Hughes, supt., Green Gables CC, Denver, is architect of the new municipal layout . . . Expect to open 18 in 1962.

Maplewood GC, Lunenburg, Mass., opened—9-hole course is owned by Wm. M. Maravell and C. Philip Johnson . . . Howie Pearson is pro and Walter Lenz, supt . . . Start building Buckingham CC, Garland, Tex . . . Winnesuket CC, Woonsocket, R. I., to spend \$350,000 on improvement program, including increase from 9 to 18 holes . . . Emerywood CC, High Point, N.C., building \$294,000 clubhouse . . . Lincoln GC, Muskegon, Mich., building \$86,000 clubhouse replacing one burned . . . Developers propose to build course at Menlo Park (SF suburb) Calif . . . It will provide needed green belt balancing factory district . . . Course tax burden is being eased by deeding course to city then leasing it back for development by operators.