

servant there may be a voluntary assumption of the risk of a known danger, which will debar one from recovering compensation in case of injury to person or property therefrom.' (Citations)

"While the burden of proving assumption of risk was upon the defendant (Citation), the plaintiff's own evidence demonstrated that he knew the conditions under which he was 'shagging' the balls and the danger of being hit by one of the balls. He testified that the balls 'were flying all around for half an hour' and 'that he heard no one say "fore" to him while they were driving on the driving range'.

His experience as a caddie necessarily taught him that golf balls, particularly when driven in practice, may frequently travel in diverse and unintended directions. There was no error in directing the verdict for the defendant." (Pouliot v. Black, 170 M.E.2d 709.)

## Amateur Championship Scheduled for Pinehurst, Sept. 17-22

The 62nd Amateur Championship of the USCA will be played Sept. 17-22 on the No. 2 course of the Pinehurst (N.C.) CC. Entries are open to male amateur golfers with handicaps of four strokes or less under the USCA handicap system, and wheelong to regular USGA member clubs.

Entry applications must be received by the USGA, 40 E. 38th st., New York 16, not later than 5 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 15. Sectional qualifying rounds of 36 holes will be played at 34 locations on Sept. 4. and 5. The Championship rounds will, of course, be played at match with 200 players competing.

Exempted from qualifying are the current and former USGA amateur winners, former USGA champions who are amateurs, current and former British Amateur champions and current amateur champions in five other categories.

Three Northwest youths, two from Portland and one from Seattle, have been granted scholarship assistance by the Pacific Northwest Golf Assn. fund of the Evans Scholar Foundation. They are Victor C. Ross, Jr., a caddie at Columbia-Edgewater CC, and George T. Bryant, Waverley CC, both of Portland; and Charles A. Johnson of Seattle GC. A total of 11 young men currently are enrolled in the PNGA Scholarship program and 13 have completed their schooling through its auspices.