

trouble. How weed-free is the soil?

Your best approach is to aerate to remove the thatch. The green will be as smooth as, or smoother than it was when you started, if you topdress lightly to true the putting surface.

The plan to strip and then re-lay the sod in the fall after reconditioning the soil leaves me cool. No provision seems to have been made for getting rid of the trouble. If the sod were to be cut just below the thatch line and then replaced, you would ask for trouble. In reseeding, we suggest Pennecross bent seed at no more than ½ lb. to 1,000 sq. ft.

Brush or Comb

Do not neglect the very important considerations of having a brush or comb on the greenmowers. Also, occasional vertical mowing for thinning the turf and preventing accumulation of thatch is recommended.

Have you determined under what management conditions the deep thatch was able to accumulate? How often and how closely are the greens mowed? Are they kept saturated so that organic material cannot decay?

British Foundation Has 12,000 Kids Learning Golf

British Golf Foundation, in its ninth year, reports that 12,000 boys and girls in 480 schools have received golf instruction through the Foundation program. In addition, 3,837 youngsters have had Foundation instruction services through an arrangement with the Central Council of Physical Education. The Foundation's work with the Ladies' Golf Union in a training plan also has been highly effective.

British golf manufacturers contributed the equivalent of about \$9,000 to the Foundation's budget. British PGA members, in their "week" of fund raising for the Junior golf education project, raised about \$3000. The British Golf Foundation operates about \$6,000 in the red for the year.

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