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NEWS OF THE GOLF WORLD IN BRIEF



By HERB GRAFFIS

Clarence Doser became the first Senior to win the Maryland Open when he beat Dick Whetzle and Cos Tiso in a playoff in July after the three had tied at the end of the regulation distance . . . Doser represents the Washingtonian CC in Gaithersburg . . . Indian Hill Club in Winnetka, Ill., has honored its veteran pro, Sam Bernardi, by calling its 36-hole low net tournament, played in late July, the Sam Bernardi Trophy event . . . Mrs. Faye Roseman, widow of the Joseph A., who founded the Roseman Mower Co., died in July in Glenview, Ill. . . . Saratoga Spa's full 18 was put in play in July with the opening of the back nine . . . Tom Creavy is pro at the Saratoga Springs, N. Y. course.

Before turning pro in 1960, Bob Charles, the British Open champion, won the New Zealand Open and twice played with that country's team in the World Amateur... Walt Thiel of the Moorestown (N.J.) Field Club, who has the reputation of running one of the best Junior programs in New Jersey, doesn't put the kids through the paces en masse... He teaches them through advanced, middle and beginners classes... Dean Brown and his son, Randy, who salvage golf balls from lakes on nine San Francisco courses, haul in between 70,000 and 80,000 pellets every year.

Charles Beverage has been named head pro at Dorado Beach GC in Puerto Rico . . . He takes the place of Rusty Gilbert, who has a summer job at Woodstock (Vt.) CC and will continue to teach at Dorado in the winter . . . Mrs. John Allen took a 43 on a Wednesday in a Grinnell, Ia. women's tournament, then repaired to the

FRONT COVER

The evening before the entrants in the Western Open, played at Beverly CC in Chicago in July, were to start practising for the tournament, the course was hit by storm that in less than an hour left three inches of rain in its wake. At least three other holes on the back nine were in about the same condition as No. 14 (on cover) the following day. The course was closed for 24 hours while the water abated. Thereafter, Beverly quickly snapped back and before the tournament was over many players said it was the most beautifully conditioned layout they had played on all season. That, indeed, was music to the ears of Supt. Ted Woehrle who had been ready to go over the hill shortly after the storm struck.

hospital on Friday and gave birth to 5½ pound boy . . . Sioux City, Iowa's new 18-hole muny course, dedicated in July, is known as Green Valley . . . The city's C of C ran a competition to decide the name and a mail carrier, John A. Pearson, submitted the winning entry . . . He was given a set of clubs for his brainwork.

Ridgemoor CC, Norwood, Ill., 20 minutes via expressway from Chicago's loop, is observing its 50th anniversary . . . The original location was bought in 1913 for \$82,000 . . . The club started with nine holes and expanded as finances permitted . . . Just recently it put \$350,000 into clubhouse improvements and construction of a pool . . . Revenue from the first full month of operation (June) of Jacksonville Beach (Fla.) GC was \$9,500 . . . About 2,600 rounds were played and on the 29th, 275 golfers were out.

Dallas Athletic Club CC, in handling the PGA Championship, did one of the

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DACCC 36-hole club is a magnificent distance from the center of Dallas, even in a country of magnificent distances, but the transportation operation was perfect . . . Women members, smartly attired in white sports outfits and wearing chic straw hats with blue and gold bands, drove a big fleet of courtesy cars . . . One shift of them began at 5:30 a.m., getting early starters to the course . . . Women scorers, wearing the very attractive white costume, standard for the tournament girls, looked refreshingly cool and poised on the course where temperatures were well over 100



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and players and male spectators were soaking their shirts and larding the lean earth with sweat and dragging along looking beaten . . . The DACCC Adorables at the PGA gave Dallas more fine golf fashion publicity than even the Neiman-Marcus organization has been able to get.

These Dallas golf girls are very, very soothing to tired eyes . . . They certainly know how to dress for golf and how to keep their complexions from getting burned and weatherbeaten like the saddle-bags of a pony express rider . . . Business in Graham Ross' pro shop was rushing . . . Graham and his staff had a large stock of women's apparel conveniently displayed . . . His staff did a great job of shopkeeping in maintaining stock in neat order considering all the pawing it got.

Dick Tarlow of Foot Joy commented that Dallas people have two wise ways of ducking punishing heat in July . . . One is air-conditioning everywhere under roofs and the other is to have on the thermometers only one reading: "It's somewhere around 100."

Big seller in Ross' pro shop at DACCC was a souvenir umbrella that Bud Walz of Haas-Jordan made . . . On the yellow umbrella was printed in blue: "PGA 1963 Championship Dallas Athletic Country Club." . . . Great for protection against the blistering sun out on the course . . . And for a shower just in case . . . Umbrella sold for \$5 in the shop . . . Lyne Price,



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Graham Ross who sold club members on taking the PGA Championship, can relax now that the tournament proved the club is one of the world's top golf set ups . . . Some pros and club officials who got a chance to look at the huge car operation at the DACCC wish they had been as wise and foresighted as Ross and his club officials in working out car operation as mutually profitable and satisfactory to the club and pro . . . Without the car operation, the two 18s and the big clubhouse would be very short of business in the heat of July and August . . .

With all due bows to Dallas ACCC members, the Dallas Salesmanship Club members and Texas PGA members for their good management and hospitality, Dallas in July is not the best place for a national golf championship... The Dallas heat renewed talk about September being the logical month for the PGA Championship... I have a hazy recollection that the 1927 PGA championship, played at Cedar Crest CC, Dallas, was played in September ... PGA record book does not give the date, the total and first prize

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Ouite a difference in the 1927 and 1963 PGA presentations to the winners . . . In 1927, Walter Hagen won his fourt consecutive PGA title for his total of five . . . The Haig, au usual then, was unconcerned about finances and was the target. of parties intent upon discussing book keeping matters with him. . . So Alex Piriet then PGA president, gave Walter the Wanamaker trophy, with the Caledonian oratory and courtly performance of the fine old pros . . . Alex gave Walter the check privately in the clubhouse boile room . . . Nice Florida subdivision pitch. Lou Strong, PGA president, made on TV in hailing Jack Nicklaus at the PCA cham pion . . . Jack is pro for an Arizona real estate operation.

Many PGA committee meetings at Dallas during PGA championship with vice presidents and other officials trying hard to find out what the score is on the PGA deal at Palm Beach Gardens... Reports varied about status of the building. Nobody seems to have thought of progress, reports in photographs and figures that

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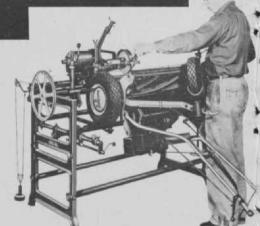
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Richard Kensinger and Earl Stouffer open 1,630 yard Par-30 in Lombard, Ill. They call it a "compact" course . . Maxon Construction Co., Tucson, building Tucson Green Valley retirement community, including course . . . University* of Arizona Foundation is sponsor of the development . . . Open short nine with holes from 100 to 295 vds. at Clayton







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Bay City (Mich.) Times in an editorial marking National Golf Day and its observance at Bay City CC, asks for city-owned course as present leased municipal course site may be sold . . . Zion, Ill., opens its muny nine . . . Lawrence Packard designed it . . . Alfie Guy is supt.

With Julius Boros as USGA Open champion and Doug Ford as the Canadian Open winner, maybe the playing time of millions who imitate the stars will quicken a little . . . Boros and Ford walk up to all shots knowing what to do and do it without killing time . . . Bad example of time wasting set by some pros on TV is costly



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Open Pine Lakes CC nine at Morton, Ill. . . . Dayton Alt is owner and builder . . . Bob Elsworth is supt. . . . Karl Mueller opens second nine of his Swan Valley GC in Saginaw, Mich. . . . Austin Cullins, eight years pro at Pecos (Tex.) CC, now shopmaster at Kerrville, Tex., municipal course. (Continued on page 72)

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Swinging Around Golf

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Bob Conti is pro at recently opened Hawthorne Hills 27-hole semi-private near Lima, O. . . . Seems as though about half big new motels planned or building have Par-3 courses . . . Miniature course building in a fair-sized boom . . . Elks open their new 9-hole course in Hillsboro, O. . . . Begin building 18 for Wedgewood CC to design of Edmund Ault as feature of Northwest Estates, Inc. 536-acre residential development near Bethania, N.C. . . . Oren W. McLain of Winston-Salem heads Northwest Estates, Inc.

Bristolwood Corp., Bristol, Pa., opens its lighted 18-hole Par-3 that was designed by George Fazio . . . Mill Creek CC, near Milan, Ill., in Quad City area of Moline, Rock Island (Ill.) and Davenport (Ia.) opens . . . It's a rather remarkable club of 400 members built by members who have contributed 50,000 hours of labor, says Pres. Roy Gillen . . . April 11, 1962 club's 128 charter members bought its land . . . Charter memberships sold at \$250 plus 50 hours of personal labor or \$350 without labor.

There can be some wild and woozy statements made in controversies over building or not building a municipal course... One fellow wrote a local newspaper about the proposed Danbury, Conn. muny course saying that "the total of the project, according to my mathematical calculations, amounts to \$1,930,000 plus 30 years of maintenance, an additional cost amounting to \$750,000... making a grand total of \$2,680,000... A terrific price to pay for 130 acres of land."... The man must be looking for another deal with Indians who sold Manhattan island.

East Lakefront development of Orleans Levee Board will give New Orleans three 18-hole courses in the new park . . . Mountain Home (Ida.) News, in advocating muny course, says: "Our own traveling salesmen point out that they sure wish Mountain Home had a course because this is their main form of exercise after traveling and selling all day.

Dixie Ranch offers 165 acres and \$10,000 for clubhouse construction to Okeechobee, Fla., committee planning a golf club . . . Teachers in Kansas City area have a 9-hole, sand-green course at their Kansas City Teachers Golf & Swim Club in Bonner Springs, Kans. . . . Alexandria, Ind., to build municipal course . . . Dave Tosh has switched from Cheraw (S.C.) CC to become pro at Edenton (N.C.) CC . . . Crestview GC, Muncie, Ind., clubhouse and pro shop destroyed in \$45,000 fire . . . Pro Bill Williamson estimated \$30,000 loss in fixtures, equipment and stock . . . Robert Lawrence remodeling San Marcos Hotel course in Chandler, Ariz. for John Quarty.

Greenwich, Conn., municipal course, which will be open for play in June, 1964, was "discussed" as far back as 1927 . . . Winged Foot (N.Y.) GC opens its swimming pool . . . Expect new \$180,000 clubhouse of Dunedin (Fla.) GC to be one of the finest on Florida's West Coast . . . Only one swankier will be new Palma Ceia CC clubhouse at Tampa . . New Dunedin building will be in decided contrast to the clubhouse at the site when it was the PGA National Golf Club.

Joan Flynn Dreyspool, who has written several Golfing articles in the last two

The Case of Mr. Wilson Is Straightened Out

D. D. Wilson, the Baton Rouge golfer who hit two balls out of bounds and then holed out his third tee shot on a 308-yard hole (Golfdom, July, page 79), should have written a five on his scorecard, according to the USGA.

It appears, says the USGA, that Wilson didn't state that the second and third balls played from the tee were provisional balls (Rule 30). It must be presumed he proceeded under Rule 29-1. Thus, the third ball ultimately was the ball in play and he should have been credited with a five.

If Wilson had stated the second and third drives were provisional, according to the USGA, he would have been justified in playing out the hole with the first ball and counting the score made with it.



lowa GCSA's first distinguished service award was recently presented to Kenneth Delaney (1), supt. of Twin Pines Muny, Cedar Rapids, by Ed Cott, extension turf specialist at lowa State University. In the background are Bob Higgins, Herb Klontz, Marsh DeMartelaere, Ron Helming, Dave McLaud and Don Gardner. Delaney was cited for his work in directing construction of the muny course and for cooperating with lowa State and the USGA green section in building a practice green to USGA specs.

years, is the editor of "Allie Sherman's Book of Football" which will appear in the bookstalls on Sept. 6 . . . It's No. 1 on Doubleday's fall publication list . . . "Play Golf the Wright Way," in which Joan collaborated with Mickey Wright about a year ago, is getting a big sale in both England and Japan . . . The American Classic, to be played at Firestone CC in Akron, Aug. 21-25 is advertised as a \$50,000 event, but it adds \$5,000 in bonuses to players who lead after the first, second and third rounds and shoot the low scores in each round . . . This strikes us as a fine incentive plan.

New club in Abbeville, Ala., which will have members in both Georgia and Alabama, is to be named Chattahoochee CC, after the river of the same name . . . The Mauna Kea Beach Hotel course, designed by Robert Trent Jones for Laurance S. Rockefeller, will present a view of the sea from practically every hole . . . It is on the Kona coast of the Big Island of Hawaii and is under construction . . . Finishing holes of the third and fourth rounds of the Amerian Classic at Firestone in Akron will be telecast via ABC on Aug. 24-25.

Southwestern pros are screaming about the page ad in PGA championship program in which cut-price clubs on easy terms were advertised by a gigantic chain of stores . . . Complaining pros ask if cut-price competition with pro shops is officially approved by the PGA, or if the members were sold out . . . Same thing happened in the 1962 PGA championship program and pros around Philadelphia howled . . . But the complaints didn't do any good, obviously . . . Pros who protest

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at the PGA championship program being used to invite club buyers away from pro shops wonder if Sears would sell Montogomery Ward advertising in its catalog.

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A golf public relations subject getting attention of club officials, playing equipment makers and other golfers is the way distillers and brewers accent their association with golf as a sales promotion gimmick . . . The high-powered use of golf to sell liquor doesn't fit in with the game's Junior promotion, say those who question the beer and whisky push of golfers . . .

Teacher's Scotch sponsorship of PGA seniors championships to a limited field of successful and temperate adults has been an exhibit of high class.

Building West Pines GC nine at Douglasville, Ga. . . . "Red" Ledding, pro at Breezy Point CC for past 10 years moves to Birch Bay GC, Brainerd, Mina. as pro . . . Alexandria Bay (N.Y.) municipal course, closed several years ago, remodeled and reopened . . . Jack Twiss now pro at Houlton (Me.) GC . . . Danbury, Conn., voters turned down proposal for muny course bond financing . . . Campaign for municipal course there continues with federal fund use now being studied.

Begin construction of Charmingfare Links, Candia, N.H., semi-private 18 designed by Philip Wogan . . . Paul E. Sargent is president . . . Got to hand it to Nick Kenny, New York Mirror's ancient and talented columnist for his boosting of club pros . . . Nick recently wrote "Danny Williams is the greatest teacher in the game." . . . Even if Nick isn't the greatest pupil, his enthusiasm is good for pros . . . Danny, Jr., came up right as a fine teacher

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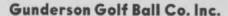
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New York City Park Dept. expects to open its Marine Park 18 this month . . . Marine Park is on 211 acres of land filled in during the past 10 years by N.Y. Department of sanitation . . . Cost of the entire operation: \$2,266,523 . . . Cleveland, O., considering building a muny 18 adjacent to airport . . . Great Falls, Ont., to add nine to its municipal course.

Center Square (Pa.) semi-private 18 opens . . . Ray Goates, formerly supt. of parks and recreation in Inglewood, Calif., and in Downey, Calif., resigns after four years at Downey to become executive

manager of Southern California Golf Assn. . . . Itasca (Ill.) CC to build clubhouse replacing one burned in May . . . Loss was well over insured \$518,500.

Building new clubhouse for Gowanie GC, Mount Clemens, Mich. . . . Start in Sept. building \$300,000 clubhouse for St. Clair CC, Belleville, Ill. . . . Denton (Tex.) CC building \$188,000 clubhouse, replacing one burned in March . . . In 1972, the U.S. will have between 11,412 and 10,596 golf courses, estimates Rex McMorris, executive vp, National Golf Foundation. . . . McMorris figures there will be 10,500,000 golfers by then . . . Members have bought Ellinor Village CC at Ormond Beach, Fla. and have changed its name to Oceanside CC . . Broyles Plemmons is professional, Earl Sasser is manager and Lewis Dolan, formerly at Port Charlotte (Fla.) CC, is supt.

Dennis Gent, Wadsworth, Ill., to build course near Gurnee, Ill.... Jackie Gleason thinking about putting on \$150,000 first prize tournament with a sort of a "Tournament of Champions" shakedown of the field to four finalists, ... There's probably too much of that sort of thing . . . It ex-



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cludes too many good golfers . . . Gleason is a serious golfer . . . At the Open at Brookline, Francis Ouimet and Walter Hagen were talking about their last rounds at the Country Club course in the National Open of 1913 . . . Ouimet struggled in playing the out nine in 43 . . . Hagen started with a bogey and two pars, then got a two on the 425-yard fourth, almost holed a brassie for another deuce at the fifth and got a birdie 3, got another birdie 3 on the sixth by holing a two-foot putt . . . The Haig was four feet away from the hole on the short seventh but only rimmed the cup . . . He three-putted the par 4 eighth and par 5 ninth to take bogeys . . . Walter finished at 307, three strokes back of Ouimet, Vardon and Ray and tied with Jim Barnes, Mac Smith and Louis Tellier . . . Amazing how veterans can remember detail of holes they played many years ago.

Harry J. Fawcett retiring as manager of Kansas City Club where he had been for 19 years . . . C. E. Mills, now manager, Hardscrabble CC, Fort Smith, Ark., will succeed him . . . Fawcett, 1941 president of the Club Managers' Assn. of America and author of "The Management of Clubs", has been prominent for many years as manager of golf and city clubs and resort hotels in the Midwest . . . He was one of the first club managers brought up in the fine food service tradition to recognize the trend accenting the importance of a club manager's executive capabilities.

Fred O. Gregory now manager of Stockdale CC, Bakersfield, Calif. . . . Mack Kuller recently made manager of Roswell (N.M.) CC . . . Thomas F. Farley, formerly manager of Winged Foot CC and Baltimore CC, now president and general manager of Equinox House, Manchester, Vt. . . . Clem Reynold who was Manager of Augusta (Ga.) National GC, is Farley's assistant . . . Karl Muske now manager, Emmetsburg (Ia.) CC . . . Peter J. Hucko signed as manager of Redlands (Calif.) G & Tennis Club.

Lower Cascades' third 18 at the Homestead, Virginia Hot Springs, Va. recently opened . . . Robert Trent Jones designed it . . . Bunny Plummer, for many years



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pro at Galveston (Tex.) muny course is retiring . . . Freddie McLeod, pro at Columbia CC, Chevy Chase, and a chipper 81-year-young golfer, took a day away from his visit to the National Open at CC of Brookline to play 18 at Myopia Hunt & CC, South Hamilton, Mass., where he won the National Open 55 years ago . . . Myopia gave him an anniversary party.

Westchester County, N.Y., dept. of parks pros, Andy Macko of Dunwoodie, Johnny Paoness of Mohansic and Johnny Marotta of Maple Moor, giving free summer lessons in golf and golf etiquette to county's youngsters in 10 through 14 age bracket . . . Harris County (Houston) Tex., advertising for proposals from men interested in operating the county's new Melrose Park 18.

Charles Benson now pro at newly opened White Lake CC nine at Elizabethtown, N.C. . . . Cumberland (Md.) Knights of Columbus Council 586, considering building nine as part of recreation development . . . A New York state club described in newspapers as "a swank golf and country club" was denied \$800,000

loan requested of Farmers' Home Administration because FHA loans are for farmers and other rural residents to shift land from farm to recreational use.

Because of slow spring growth, Paul Erath may not open his semi-private nine, Saranac GC near Stahlstown, Pa., until next year . . . Paul will continue as prosupt. of Laurel Valley GC, Ligonier, Pa., the de luxe course he helped build. Erath will get himself a pro-manager for Saranac which he is making a model of sound construction . . . He insists he won't open the course until it is ready . . . Very few courses we have seen in our many years in golf business actually have been completed before they were opened.

North Hills CC, Little Rock, Ark., completing \$360,000 clubhouse, replacing one burned two years ago . . . Ken Johnson now pro-supt.-mgr., Colville (Wash.) Elks CC . . . Building 18 for Falmouth CC, East Falmouth, Mass.

Alex Baxter, 71, pro at Lauderdale Lakes CC for several years after moving from Ft. Mitchell (Ky.) CC to Fort

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Lauderdale, Fla., died recently in Fort Lauderdale . . . He also had been professional at Cincinnati CC, Kenwood CC in Cincinnati and Lexington CC . . . He was a native of Scotland and a World War 1 veteran . . . He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ethel McCarthy Baxter, and three sisters who live in Canada.

O. W. Hueter, Defiance, O., to build 18-hole Tall Oaks CC bordering a subdivision north of Toledo . . . Robert Bruce Harrís is architect . . . Columbus, O., considering building municipal course adjoining its airport . . Dennis, Mass., to build municipal course . . . Joe Lazaro, genial Massachusetts player who holds national blind golfers' championship, is to get tough competition from Charley Boswell of Birmingham, Ala., when the 1963 blind tourney is played at Westchester Hills CC, White Plains, N.Y., Sept. 6-8 . . . Charley has been scoring in the low and middle 80s on Birmingham courses with Bo Russell as his coach.

Little River CC, Marinette, Wis., in its new \$100,000 clubhouse . . A. J. De-Leers has been president of Little River for 20 years . . . Ed Carman resigns as pro at Buena Vista CC, Buena, N.J. to operate Centerton GC . . . Carman succeeded at Buena Vista by Carman Iannotti. . . . Ron Bakich goes from Forsgate CC, Jamesburg, N.J., to pro post at new Lords. Valley (Pa.)

San Leandro, Calif., hires Bill Bell to design second nine of its Marina course... Bell designed the recently opened first nine... Officials of unfenced courses where stray cattle may graze are getting careful about newspaper and sign notices that turf has been treated with insecticides ... Paul R. Adams from Coronado, Cal., municipal course to manager's post at De Bell muny course, Burbank, Calif.... Adams succeeds Donald Payne, who resigned to go to Los Robles Greens course being built at Conejo Village, Calif.

Lakewood CC in Washington, D.C. area, which was nearly wrecked by woozy financing by promoters has been promised \$600,000 bank loan to complete clubhouse and repair course and pools . . . Salvaging job being done by members headed by Pres. William A. Hepburn . . It seems to be progressing substantially . . . Wayne Murray buys Barbara Worth CC, El Centro, Calif., from local Elks Lodge Reported price: \$400,000.