

## Swiller Creates Department for Clubhouse Design

Design of economical clubhouses and related facilities that provide maximum use and comfort at minimum cost is the goal of the recently formed golf division of George W. Swiller, Associate Architects, 478 Tremont ave., New York 57, N.Y. The firm has long been noted for design of institutional and residential facilities on the east coast.

Donald Swiller, RA, heads the golf division. He and his staff handle clubhouse design, including pro shops, swimming pools, tennis courts, etc. In cooperation with course architects, Swiller provides complete course layouts for sites throughout the U.S. Also, a continuing program of research in new materials and techniques is carried on in cooperation with major golfing organizations, according to the firm.

Recently, Swiller completed clubhouse areas at Orange County Club, Orange, Conn., Bel-Aire CC, Armonk, N.Y. and Somers (N.Y.) CC. The Orange County and Somers CC designs included separate teenage facilities with pools, lounges, tennis courts and soda bars. The Bel-Aire CC project includes a deluxe hotel wing.

## **Golf Book**

Golf Addict Strikes Again! By George Houghton. Published by Country Life Ltd., 2-10 Tavistock st. London, W.C.2. \$3.

Houghton's "Golf Addict" series of books are very popular in Britain and are selling in increasing numbers here. American golfers are discovering that we have many amused views of the game in common with our cousins east of the pond. There's nobody else anywhere who draws golfers as in the humorous way Houghton does. His writing is not as hilarious as his drawings but it holds your interest. "Golf Addict Strikes Again!" will keep you reading. It tells about Matthew Pennyquick, who after marrying Freda "a hearty, tweedy gal from yoeman parents," improved his golf until he went nutty. Eventually Matt met the ghost of Old Tom Morris who improved Pennyquick's game by getting Matt to relax.

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