Charlie Burns is back in the golf business after 10 years as a political publicity man . . . Burns made his reappearance handling publicity for the GCSA meeting in Cleveland . . . He had handled that job at many conventions years ago when it was hard to get newspaper space . . . At Cleveland he got a 25 year pin from the GCSA . . . He was the Akron, O., city recreation director and manager of J. Edward Good park and the Rubber Bowl . . . Now he is general manager, Brandywine CC, Peninsula, O. . . . Peninsula is 18 designed and built by Earl Yesberger . . . Yesberger, with P. P. Lutz and son, own Brandywine which is in Cuyahoga River valley hills between Cleveland and Akron . . . Earl also owns a course in North Olmsted, O.

Western Seniors championship at Harbor Springs, Mich., June 21-24, may have to turn down entry applications . . . Harbor Springs is in resort area near Petoskey and Seniors and their wives like the place . . . Gino Turchi, opening 18-hole Northway Heights GC, at Elnora, N.Y., this spring . . . Charles Charleson at Cherokee Town & CC, Atlanta, succeeding George Barnhart as supt. . . . Cherokee building its third nine.

Government Small Business loans recent release listed \$100,000 as going to Conewango Forks GC, Inc., Randolph, N.Y. . . . Pleasant View CC, Inc., Gilford, N.H., \$95,200 . . . \$40,000 to Elmbrook, Inc., Traverse City, Mich. . . . \$50,000 to Dunroamin CC, Gilbertsville, Mass.

Paul Erath, pro-supt. at Laurel Valley CC, Ligonier, Pa., where PGA is to be played Aug. 12-15, says 18-hole Saranac GC, Donegal, Pa., which he is building for Dick Groat of the Cardinals and Jerry Lynch of the Pirates, probably will have first nine in play this fall . . . Leonard Schmutte, Findlay (O.) CC pro, Denny Sullivan of Indian Head (Chicago dist.) and Massey Miller of Chemung Hills CC, Howell, Mich., played their annual Triumvirate championship during PGA Seniors week . . . It is a sort of memorial to the



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## Front Cover

O. J. Noer, who has worked harder and travelled more than he did before he retired a few years ago, took this photo of the 18th green at Royal Kaanapali in Hawaii last fall while the Canada Cup matches were being played. Thereafter, he continued junketing, travelling to the Far East where he inspected a dozen or more courses. For the story of his turf tour, see pages 34-35.

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