

People on the move



After a three year position as Spalding golf business manager, **Ralph Carlson** has been promoted to vice president of marketing for Spalding in the United States.

Carlson, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, will direct the marketing efforts of not only the Spalding lines, but also for tennis and team sports.



John Steel, who for the past 45 years has been superintendent at St. Charles CC, Winnipeg, Man., celebrated his retirement recently by being named an honorary, lifetime member of the club by the board of directors.

A certified superintendent, Steel was also presented a set of golf clubs and a large, framed picture of the recently renovated clubhouse.



Finbarr Whooley has been promoted to vice president of the Mac Hunter Company. Whooley had previously been sales manager for the Solano Beach, Calif., firm. He graduated from the National University of Ireland in 1961.

Martin T. Kavanaugh, for 38 years an employee of the Hamilton County (Ohio) Park District and its current district golf manager, was honored recently by driving the first golf ball of the season at Cincinnati's Shawnee Lookout Golf Course. Course superintendent, **Howard Boone**, a 31-year veteran, drove the second ball . . . Somerset (Pa.) CC has hired **Larry Knotts** as its club pro . . . **James L. Allen** is general manager at Riverbend CC, Sugar Land, Tex. . . **Larry Martin** is the club professional at Parkersburg (W.Va.) CC . . . **Jerry Van Winkle** has been named warranty supervisor for Cushman-Ryan turf care equipment . . . **Ben Shindler** is director of resort and country club operations at Palm-Aire, a resort-condominium complex in Sarasota, Fla. . . **Brandywine G&CC**, Upper Marlboro, Md., has **Larry Gray** as its new head professional . . . **Woodmont CC**, Tamarac, Fla., has given the club manager post to **Robert Foodham** . . . **E. S. (Duke) Newton** was recently appointed director of sales and marketing for Toro's turf products . . . **Mike Barr** is new golf professional at Beaver Valley CC, Beaver Falls, Pa. . . **MacGregor Golf** has announced that **Steve White** is its professional golf sales representative in Iowa and Nebraska. **White** will work out of Des Moines . . . **Bob Willcox** and **Jim Earnest** have been named technical reps for the ProTurf Division of O. M. Scott and Sons. **Willcox** was superintendent at Royal Poinciana GC, Naples, Fla. He will take over south Florida. **Earnest** was superintendent at Danville (Ky.) CC. He will make calls in Kentucky, southern Indiana and parts of Illinois . . . **Brien Boggess** is club professional at St. Joseph (Mo.) CC . . . **Hillcrest CC**, Kansas City, selected **Dale Howell** to succeed the retiring Dutch Stamberger as club professional . . . **Sunflower Hills GC**, a new facility in Bonner Springs, Kan., has **Jim Davis** as its first club professional . . . **Frank Shortino** is club manager at San Angelo (Tex.) CC . . . **Dave Bisbee** can now be found as club pro at Pagnica G&CC, Hutchinson, Kan. . . **Shawnee CC**, Topeka, Kan., has **Bob Hickman** as its new club professional . . . **C. Stanley Rouk** has taken over the pro shop operation at Petroleum CC, Great Bend, Kan. . . new professional at Starcke Park GC, Sequin, Tex., is **Sam Moore** . . . new assistant professional at Shaker Heights (Ohio) CC is **Charles Putsch, Jr.** . . . **Paul Dermott** is the new golf course superintendent at Oakdale GC, Toronto . . . **Steve Burnett** has been selected as the new golf professional at Wildwood CC, Fairfield, Ohio . . . **Pebble Wood CC**, Bridgman, Mich., has under-

gone a complete management reorganization with the following personnel named to these positions: **Frank Folino**, general manager; **Bob Ackerman**, golf professional; **Ken Bakeman**, superintendent; **Rick Spann**, construction engineer; **Mike and Jim Deja**, restaurant managers; and **Donna Dohner**, bar manager . . . **Don Sengbusch** has been named general manager at Abbey Springs Country Club, Fontana, Wisc. **Sengbusch** is a member of the board of directors for the Greater Chicago CMAA . . . **Ed Smith** can now be found minding the pro shop at Pecan Valley GC, San Antonio . . . **Helmut Kopp** is now superintendent at St. Charles CC, Winnipeg, Man. . . **Hal Grosh** has been hired as the new club pro at Fredericksburg (Va.) CC . . . **Leslie Gordon** is the golf professional at Madison (Conn.) CC . . . **Steve Wilcoxon** has been appointed the superintendent at Ponca City (Okla.) CC . . . **Larry Ringer** has taken over the professional chores at the U.S. Naval Academy GC, Annapolis, Md. . . **Cherry Hills GC**, Ridgeway, Ont., has selected **Cecil Hoekstra** as its latest superintendent . . . **Mike Felker** is the club professional now presiding at Stonehenge G&CC, Richmond, Va. . . **Oakville (Ont.) GC** has named **George Garner** to the post of superintendent . . . **Ram Golf** national sales manager **Marty McCormick** has made the following changes in the company's field staff: **Peter Dalton**, eastern New England states; **John Rawson**, western New England states; and **David Graham**, northern Ohio . . . **Tom Charters** has moved to Islington (Ont.) G&CC, as that facility's new golf course superintendent . . . **Jim Dewling**, a PGA professional, has been named general manager of the Birmingham (Mich.) CC. **Mike Bergsma**, a former assistant of Dewling's, has taken the head professional post at Great Oaks CC, Rochester, Mich. . . recently **Eberhard Steiniger** completed 50 years of service at Pine Valley GC, Clementon, N.J. . . **Rich Truehart** is now club professional at Bucks County CC, Quakertown, Pa. . . **Roger Pitney** has become the new superintendent at the Indianapolis Elks CC . . . **Charles Stock** has become the head golf professional at Acacia CC, Lyndhurst, Ohio . . . following the recent death of **C. G. Burlingham**, president and chairman of the board of the turfgrass seed company E. F. Burlingham & Sons, **George W. Burlingham**, formerly vice president, has taken over the top spots in the Oregon firm. **Robert J. Peterson** has been named director of the firm along with vice president of seed promotions and public relations.