

# an Mower Owners

Owners, KNOW what they can do.  
Opinions.

Borden, John W.	Lake Forest
Brookwood Country Club	Addison
Bryn Mawr Country Club	Chicago
Calumet Country Club	Homewood
Champaign Country Club	Champaign
Chicago Heights Country Club	Chicago Heights
Crystal Lake Country Club	Crystal Lake
Danville Country Club	Danville
Cedar Crest Country Club	Lake Villa
Decatur Country Club	Decatur
Dixmoor Golf Club	Homewood
Dixon Country Club	Dixon
Duffield Farms	Waukegan
Edgebrook Golf Course	Chicago
Edgewater Golf Club	Chicago
Edgewood Valley Golf Club	La Grange
Forest Preserve of Cook County	Chicago
Elmhurst Golf Club	Elmhurst
Evanston Community	Evanston
Evanston Golf Club	Evanston
Evergreen Golf Club	Chicago
Fairlawn Golf Club	Hillside
Flossmoor Country Club	Flossmoor
Ft. Sheridan Polo Assn.	Ft. Sheridan
Franklin County Country Club	West Frankfort
Geneva Golf Club	Geneva
Glen Acres C. C.	Glenview
Glencoe Community Course	Glencoe
Glen Eagles Golf Club	Chicago
Glen Flora Country Club	Waukegan
Glen Oak Country Club	Glen Elyn
Glenview Golf Club	Glenview
Glenwood Country Club	Glenwood
Golfmoor Golf Club	Chicago
Grandview Country Club	Springfield
Green Valley Country Club	Wheaton
Greenview Golf Club	Chicago
Harlem Golf Club	Forest Park
Harlem Hills Country Club	Rockford
Herendeen, Harry, Estate	Crystal Lake
Hickory Hills Country Club	Palos Park
Highland Park East Park Dist.	Highland Park
Hillcrest Golf Club	Barrington
Hillside Golf Club	Chicago
Hinsdale Golf Club	Hinsdale
Hubbard Trail Country Club	Hoopeston
Illinois Golf Club	Glencoe
Indian Hill Estate	Wilmette
Itasca Country Club	Itasca
Jackson Park	Chicago
Kankakee Country Club	Kankakee
Kiddle, S. F., Estate	Lake Forest
Kingsley Golf Course	Lake Zurich
Kishwaukee Country Club	De Kalb
Knollwood Golf Club	Lake Forest
La Grange Country Club	La Grange
Lake Forest Community	Lake Forest
Lake Shore Golf Club	Glencoe
Laramie Golf Club	Chicago

## ROSEMAN TRACTOR MOWER COMPANY

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Lasker Estate, A. D.	Everett
Leona Farms	Cary
Lincoln Park Commissioners	Chicago
Maywood Country Club	Maywood
Midlothian Country Club	Midlothian
Miller, Lavern A.	Sterling
Mission Hills Country Club	Northbrook
Mohawk Country Club	Bensenville
Monmouth Country Club	Monmouth
Moore, B. Van R., Estate	Monticello
North Shore Golf Club	Glenview
Northwestern Golf Club	Evanston
Oakbrook Polo Club	Hinsdale
Oak Park Country Club	Oak Park
Oakwood Lodge	Crystal Lake
Old Elm Country Club	Fort Sheridan
Olympia Fields Country Club	Matteson
Olympic Golf & Country Club	Wheeling
Onwentsia Country Club	Lake Forest
Orchard Beach Golf Club	McHenry
O'Leary, J. W.	Lake Forest
Palos Park Golf Club	Palos Park
Park Ridge Country Club	Park Ridge
Pistakee Golf Club	McHenry
Pleasure Driveway & Park District	Peoria
Pontiac Country Club	Pontiac
Rankin Country Club	Rankin
Ridgebrook Farm	Barrington
Ridge Country Club	Chicago
Ridgemoor Country Club	Jefferson Park
Rock Island Country Club	Chicago
Rock Spring Country Club	Alton
Roselawn Golf Club	Danville
Round Lake Country Club	Round Lake
Ruth Lake Country Club	Hinsdale
St. Mary's Training School	Des Plaines
Shewam Country Club	Waukegan
Shore Acres Country Club	Lake Bluff
Southmoor Country Club	Orland
South Park Commissioners	Chicago
South Shore Country Club	Chicago
South Side Country Club	Decatur
Spring Lake Golf Club	Libertyville
Suburban Golf Club	Glenview
Sunset Ridge Country Club	Winnetka
Swift Estate, Edward F.	Lake Forest
Tait, Dan W.	Decatur
Twin Orchard Country Club	Bensenville
Vernon Ridge Country Club	Deerfield
Westmoor Country Club	Chicago
Westmoreland Country Club	Glenview
West Park Commissioners	Chicago
Westward Ho Country Club	Melrose Park
Wilmette Golf Club	Wilmette
Winnetka Park Board	Winnetka
Woodruff Municipal Golf Course	Joliet

### INDIANA

Bloomington Country Club	Bloomington
Brownell, E. D.	Lowell
Cedar Lake Golf Club	Cedar Lake
Clinton Country Club	Clinton
Culver Military Academy	Culver
Board of Park Commissioners	Gary
Indian Ridge Country Club	Gary
La Fayette Country Club	La Fayette
Lake Hills Country Club	St. John
Milan Springs Golf Club	Milan
New Albany Country Club	New Albany
Oak Knoll Country Club	Crown Point
Rimes-Lee Motor Co.	Gary
Terre Haute Country Club	Terre Haute
Tippecanoe Country Club	Milford
Wicker Park Country Club	Hammond
Woodmar Country Club	Hammond

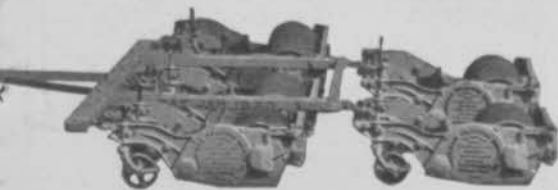
### IOWA

Beers, W. R.	Fort Dodge
Oak Hills Country Club	Red Oak
Orient Golf Club	Orient

### KANSAS

Chanute Country Club	Chanute
Emporia Country Club	Emporia
Fort Leavenworth Officers' Club	Fort Leavenworth
Shawnee Country Club	Topeka
Topeka Country Club	Topeka

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# Roll Call (Continued) of

## KENTUCKY

Audubon Country Club.....	Louisville
Bellefonte Country Club.....	Ashland
Louisville Country Club.....	Louisville
Owensboro Country Club.....	Owensboro
Stark Motor Company.....	Owensboro

## LOUISIANA

Alexandria Country Club.....	Alexandria
Baton Rouge Country Club.....	Baton Rouge
Bogalusa Country Club.....	Bogalusa
Colonial Country Club.....	Kenner
Hammond Country Club.....	Hammond
Haynesville-Homer Country Club.....	Haynesville
Houma Cypress Company.....	Houma
Lawrence, M. W.....	New Orleans
Milner Motor Company.....	Monroe
Monroe Country Club.....	Monroe
New Orleans Country Club.....	New Orleans
City of New Orleans.....	New Orleans
Rapids Golf & Country Club.....	Alexandria
Shreveport Country Club.....	Shreveport
City of Shreveport.....	Shreveport
Steele Company, A. C.....	Shreveport
Westdale Country Club.....	Baton Rouge
West End Country Club.....	New Orleans

## MASSACHUSETTS

Beattie Estate, Wm.....	Brewster
Braeburn Country Club.....	West Newton
Chadbourne, H. S.....	Milford
Fessenden School.....	West Newton
Franklin Country Club.....	Franklin
Lenox Club.....	Lenox

## MICHIGAN

Bailey, H. O.....	Whitehall
Battle Creek Country Club.....	Battle Creek
Berrien County Country Club.....	St. Joseph
Brooklands Country Club.....	Rochester
Chikaming Country Club.....	Lakeside
Detroit Country Club.....	Grosse Point Farms
Elizabeth Lake Country Club.....	Pontiac
Escanaba Country Club.....	Escanaba
Flint Country Club.....	Flint
Leland Country Club.....	Leland
Lincoln Hills Country Club.....	Ludington
Lochmoor Country Club.....	Detroit
Manistee Country Club.....	Manistee
Michigan Fields Club.....	Benton Harbor
Oakland Hills Country Club.....	Birmingham
Omena Golf & Country Club.....	Omena
Redford Country Club.....	Redford
South Haven Country Club.....	South Haven
Saginaw Country Club.....	Saginaw

## MINNESOTA

Bertelsen, O.....	Fergus Falls
Canby Country Club.....	Canby
Fulda Country Club.....	Fulda
Marshall Golf Club.....	Marshall
Minakwa Country Club.....	Brookston

## MISSISSIPPI

Clarksdale Country Club.....	Clarksdale
Glenwild Plantation.....	Grenada
Great Southern Hotel Company.....	Gulfport
Greenville Country Club.....	Greenville
Gulf & Ship Island Railroad.....	Gulfport
Montessor, L. J.....	Jackson
Shell Beach On-the-Bay.....	Pass Christian

## MISSOURI

Barmann Auto Company.....	Maryville
Bellerive Country Club.....	Normandy
Grant Motor Company.....	St. Joseph
Maryville Country Club.....	Maryville
Midland Valley Country Club.....	St. Louis
Normandy Country Club.....	Wellston
North Hills Country Club.....	Normandy
Riverview Golf Club.....	St. Louis
St. Joseph Country Club.....	St. Joseph
Shrine Country Club.....	St. Joseph
Hannibal Garage & Machine Co.....	Hannibal
Highlands Golf & Country Club.....	St. Joseph

## MONTANA

Meadow Lark Country Club.....	Great Falls
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## NEBRASKA

Eastridge Club.....	Lincoln
Hardy Furniture Company.....	Lincoln
Lincoln Country Club.....	Lincoln

## NEW JERSEY

Baltusrol Golf Club.....	Springfield
Boury, Louis J.....	Seabright
Davison, Robert H.....	Spring Lake
Echo Lake Country Club.....	Westfield
Englewood Golf Club.....	Englewood
English, Wm. M. Estate.....	Red Bank
Essex County Country Club.....	West Orange
Essex County Park Commission.....	Newark
Essex Fells Country Club.....	Essex Fells
Ferndale Country Club.....	West Caldwell
Fielder, Stanley.....	Fairhaven
Forest Hills Field Club.....	Belleville
Forest View Country Club.....	Woodbury Heights
Hollywood Country Club.....	Deal
Homestead Golf Club.....	Spring Lake
Jumping Brook Country Club.....	Hamilton
Knickerbocker Country Club.....	Tenafly
Lawrence Brook Country Club.....	South River
Locust Grove Golf Club.....	Rahway
Manasquan River Country Club.....	Belle
Maplewood Country Club.....	Maplewood
Nixon, Wm. E.....	Summit
Norwood Golf Club.....	Long Branch
Orange Mountain Country Club.....	Orange
City of Patterson.....	Patterson
Pine Valley Golf Club.....	Clementon
Point Pleasant Golf Club.....	Point Pleasant
Preakness Hills Country Club.....	Patterson
Raritan Valley Country Club.....	Sommerville
Rock Spring Country Club.....	West Orange
Rumsen Country Club.....	Rumsen
Scudder, E. W. Estate.....	Rumsen
Shadow Brook Farm.....	Shrewsbury
Spring Brook Golf Club.....	Morristown
Spring Lake Country Club.....	Spring Lake
Stuart, Edwin III. Estate.....	Rumsen
So-Mo Lawn Mower Company.....	East Orange
Travistock Country Club.....	Haddonfield
Union County Park Commission.....	Elizabeth
Wendover Farms.....	Bernardsville
Ward, Marcus L. Home.....	Maplewood
Winn, E. L.....	Elizabeth

## NEW YORK

Arbuckle Bros.....	New York City
Arcady Country Club.....	Hague
Bedford Hills Golf & Country Club.....	Bedford
Blind Brook Country Club.....	Port Chester
Bonnie Briar Country Club.....	Larchmont
Briarcliffe Lodge.....	Briarcliffe Manor
Bridgehampton Country Club.....	Bridgehampton
Broadmoor Country Club.....	New Rochelle
Burlingame Manufacturing Company.....	Syracuse
Clearview Golf Club.....	Bayside
Creek Club, Inc.....	Locust Valley, L. I.
Crescent Athletic Club.....	Brooklyn
Deepdale Golf Club.....	Great Neck, L. I.
Elmsford Golf Club.....	White Plains
Fresh Meadows Country Club.....	Flushing, L. I.
Guest, F. E. Estate.....	Roslyn, L. I.
Huntington Country Club.....	Huntington, L. I.
Inwood Golf Club.....	Far Rockaway, L. I.
Knollwood Country Club.....	White Plains
La Tourette Golf Club.....	Richmond, Staten Isl.
Laurelton Golf & Country Club.....	Laurelton, L. I.
Leewood Golf Club.....	Bronxville
Lido Country Club.....	Long Beach, L. I.
The Links Club.....	Roslyn, L. I.
Lyon, Mrs. J. D. Estate.....	Locust Valley, L. I.
Mt. Vernon Country Club.....	Mt. Vernon
City of New York.....	New York

**Ask the Club  
That Uses Them—**

# Roseman Mower Owners

North Hempstead C. C. Port Washington, L. I.  
 North Hills Golf Club.....Douglaston, L. I.  
 O'Hara, M. J. & Son.....Syracuse  
 Old Country Club.....Flushing, L. I.  
 Palmer, Ralph B. Estate.....Carmel  
 Phelps Manor Golf Club.....Teaneck  
 Phipps, J. H. Polo Field.....Westbury, L. I.  
 Pomonok Country Club.....Flushing  
 Port Chester Country Club.....Port Chester  
 Progress Golf & Country Club.....White Plains  
 Quaker Ridge Country Club.....Scarsdale  
 Reyon Country Club.....Southold, L. I.  
 Rockland Country Club.....Sparkhill  
 Rockville Country Club.....Rockville Center, L. I.  
 S. M. H. Corp.....Mamaroneck  
 St. Georges Golf & C. C. Stoney Brook, L. I.  
 Syracuse Golf Club.....Syracuse  
 Totem Lodge.....Averill Park  
 Troy Country Club.....Troy  
 Wantagh Gardens.....Bellemore, L. I.  
 Westchester-Biltmore Country Club.....Rye  
 Westchester Hills Golf Club.....White Plains  
 Wheatley Hills Golf Club.....East Williston  
 Weir, J. Ebb.....Jamesport, L. I.

## NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville School.....Asheville  
 Blowing Rock Improvement Co.....Lenoir  
 City Municipal Golf Course.....Wilmington  
 Forsythe Country Club.....Winston-Salem  
 Hickory Country Club.....Hickory  
 Mayview Golf Club.....Blowing Rock  
 Salisbury Motor Co.....Salisbury  
 Twin City Motor Co.....Winston-Salem  
 Westover Park Golf Club.....Winston-Salem  
 Henkel-Craig Live Stock Co.....Lenoir

## NORTH DAKOTA

Town & Country Club.....Devils Lake

## OHIO

Albers, W. H.....Milford  
 Benvie, Geo.....Cincinnati  
 Braeburn Country Club.....Akron  
 Brookside Country Club.....Barberton  
 Butler County Country Club.....Middleton  
 Cedarhurst Country Club.....Wickliffe  
 Findlay Country Club.....Findlay  
 Lima Country Club.....Lima  
 Lincoln Country Club.....Akron  
 Marietta Town & Country Club.....Marietta  
 Ridgeway Company.....New Philadelphia  
 Rosemont Country Club.....Akron  
 Springbrook Golf Course.....Lima  
 Union Country Club.....Dover  
 Winding Hollow Country Club.....Columbus

## OKLAHOMA

Kelly Hardware Company.....Stillwater

## PENNSYLVANIA

Llanerch Country Club.....Llanerch  
 North Hills Country Club.....Glenside  
 Oakmont Country Club.....Oakmont  
 Pennsylvania Golf Club.....Llanerch  
 Philadelphia Cricket Club.....Philadelphia  
 St. Davids Golf Club.....Philadelphia  
 Tremblay Motor Company.....Philadelphia  
 Wiley, Jesse N.....Germantown  
 City of Wilkes-Barre.....Wilkes-Barre  
 Star Machine Shop.....Germantown

## RHODE ISLAND

Newport Country Club.....Newport

## SOUTH CAROLINA

Camden Land & Improvement Co.....Camden  
 Spartanburg Country Club.....Spartanburg

## TENNESSEE

Chickasaw Country Club.....Memphis  
 Dresslar White Company.....Nashville  
 Goodwin, H. T.....Memphis  
 Keith-Simmons Company.....Nashville  
 Rchland Golf Club.....Nashville  
 Stratton Hardware Company.....Memphis  
 Memphis Country Club.....Memphis  
 City of Memphis.....Memphis  
 Woodmont Golf & Country Club.....Nashville

## TEXAS

Blease Motor Company.....Dallas  
 BrookHollow Country Club.....Dallas  
 Alamo Country Club.....San Antonio  
 Austin Country Club.....Austin  
 Austin Municipal G. & Amusem't Assn.....Austin  
 Casa Blanca Country Club.....Laredo  
 Dallas Country Club.....Dallas  
 Galveston Country Club.....Galveston  
 City of Houston.....Houston  
 Houston Country Club.....Houston  
 Leutcher Moore Lumber Company.....Orange  
 Peden Iron & Steel Co.....Houston  
 City of San Antonio.....San Antonio  
 San Antonio Country Club.....San Antonio  
 Schutz, F. B.....San Antonio  
 Weatherby, E. J. & J. V.....Brownwood  
 Woverton Company.....Mexico  
 Willow Springs Golf Club.....San Antonio

## UTAH

Salt Lake Country Club.....Salt Lake City

## VERMONT

Northfield Country Club.....Northfield

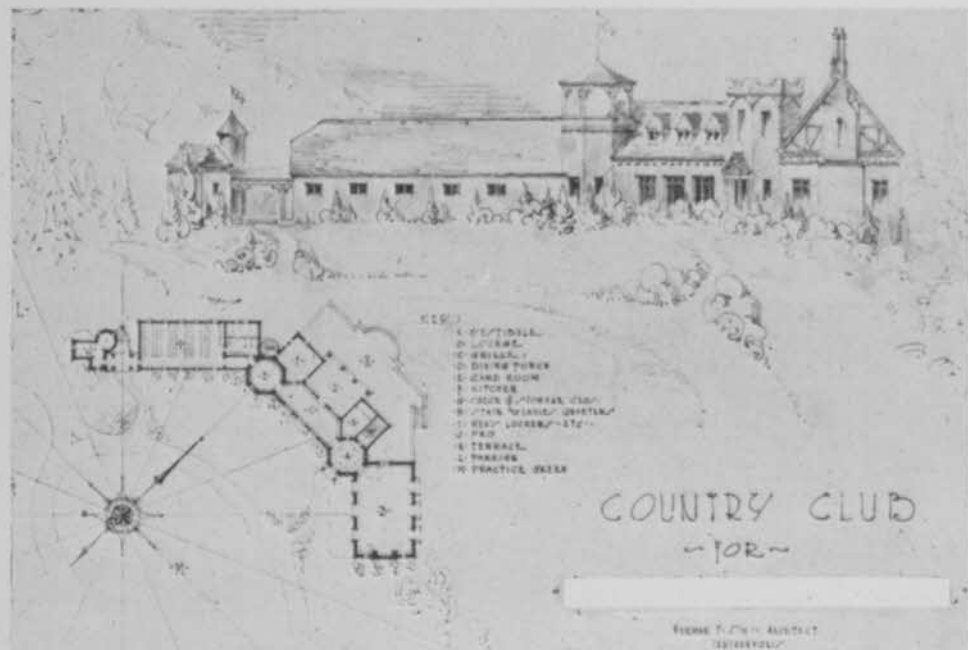
## WEST VIRGINIA

Cedar Rocks Country Club.....Wheeling  
 Preston Country Club.....Kingswood

## WISCONSIN

Antigo Country Club.....Antigo  
 Antlers Hotel.....Burlington  
 City of Beloit.....Beloit  
 Beloit Country Club.....Beloit  
 Black Hawk Country Club.....Madison  
 Blue Mound Country Club.....Wauwatosa  
 Buttes de Morts Country Club.....Appleton  
 Burlington Motor Car Company.....Burlington  
 Chevrolet Motor Company.....Janesville  
 Chiwaukee Country Club.....Kenosha  
 Currier Motor Company.....Stevens Point  
 Delavan Country Club.....Delavan  
 Eagle River Fishing & Shooting Club.....Phelps  
 Fox Motor Sales Company.....Madison  
 Hay Hardware Company.....Oshkosh  
 Janesville Country Club.....Janesville  
 City of Kenosha.....Kenosha  
 Lake Geneva Country Club.....Lake Geneva  
 Kenosha Country Club.....Kenosha  
 Lakeside Country Club.....Manitowoc  
 Lauderdale Country Club.....Elkhorn  
 Linford Motors, Inc.....Milwaukee  
 Maple Chest Country Club.....Kenosha  
 Marinette Country Club.....Marinette  
 Marshfield Country Club.....Marshfield  
 Mellen Country Club.....Mellen  
 Mercer Country Club.....Mercer  
 Michiwaukee Golf Club.....Milwaukee  
 Milwaukee County Park.....Milwaukee  
 Milwaukee City Park.....Milwaukee  
 City of Milwaukee.....Milwaukee  
 Minocqua Heights Country Club.....Minocqua  
 Nakoma Country Club.....Madison  
 Nippersink Lodge.....Genoa Junction  
 Oconomowoc Country Club.....Oconomowoc  
 Oshkosh Country Club.....Oshkosh  
 Pewaukee Lake Golf Club.....Hartland  
 Plum Lake Golf Club.....Sayner  
 Quit-qui-Oe Country Club.....Elkhart Lake  
 Racine Country Club.....Racine  
 Rohan, J. V.....Cable  
 Sheboygan Country Club.....Sheboygan  
 Simmons Company.....Kenosha  
 Trout Lake Golf & Country Club.....Woodruff  
 Waukesha Golf Club.....Waukesha  
 Wausau Country Club.....Wausau  
 Woodmont Country Club.....West Allis

**Roseman Hollow  
 Roller Mowers**



## How Can You Better This Club House?

**H**ERE is the rough preliminary idea of the model small city golf clubhouse that GOLFDOM is trying to help one of the model communities of the south achieve.

As the floor plan and appearance now stands it is open to plenty of criticism, and it all will be welcome. We invite club officials to send us their ideas of bettering this plan so a final scheme may be worked out in a manner that will serve as a guide to the builders of future clubhouses in the smaller cities. The building cost is to run approximately \$30,000.

It will be noted that lots of space is left for a semi-open dining porch in the climate for which this clubhouse is intended will permit this detail of design. Considering its load the kitchen, we believe, will be roomy enough to satisfy the manager and the kitchen staff. The card room shown adjacent to the men's locker-room and kitchen will make a splendid 19th hole.

Location and size of the pro shop should care for the merchandising and service demands.

The women's locker-room is located in the central part of the building, on the second floor. Plenty of light, air and room are to be allowed the women, which is something unusual in the average small city clubhouse. The greater interest being shown by women in golf these days and the consequent increase in patronage from women, makes it wise to give them all possible attractions.

This clubhouse may be built in sections as the financial capabilities of the club permit, the lounge being built as the last section. In this way the club will get, when its building work is done, a modern and handsome building, in related details instead of a jumble of a structure.

Write GOLFDOM what you think of this plan, and let us know what features you would alter, add or subtract. This enterprise, so far as we know, is the first attempt to set a standard for a small city clubhouse that will be a model as a convenience, business asset, and thing of beauty for the clubs within whose means such a clubhouse may be built.

## Committees That Loaf Don't Exist Here

MY first official act after the yearly election was to appoint committees for the year. In our club the precedent has been that the member of the board of directors on a committee is to act as chairman. You might say that his chairmanship is ex officio. A chairman or committee who assumes the responsibility and does not feel a responsibility, or live up to it is a liability as well as a big detriment to the president. In other words, the president would be much better off without a committee at all.

I sometimes feel that the adherence to mechanical organization which calls for committees and the like is the biggest mistake and handicap a country golf club has, for I will venture to say that a very, very small part of country golf club committees in this country even begin to function to the extent of a percentage anywhere approaching 100. A member selected readily accepts in order to get his name in the paper or on the stationery, but that is as far as he goes. To state it another way: A president who is capable, enthusiastic and willing to work towards a finer, bigger and better club must suffer by a "limiting factor" in the matter of a chairman or committee (the same thing) on account of mechanized by-laws.

To get anywhere a president—if he has the "guts"—must outline his program for the year; allot its divisions to the committees as designated by the by-laws; appoint his chairmen tentatively, and put their responsibilities squarely up to them, with the alternative of "take it or leave it." If they take it, give them the privilege of suggesting their assistants and confirm their choices. Committee meetings at least once a month, at a dinner, mean a check-up as well as an opportunity for the formation of a constructive schedule for the coming month.

A country club is a cooperative stock company. Each member pays for its operation alike. Each member goes through the same "modus operandi" in being admitted, and pays the same amount of money according to classification of membership. Therefore, any outline of operation and any formulation of budget to "carry on" should provide an equal recognition of the individual membership and their desires.—Henry Clay Anderson.

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Upper left—No. 3 green at St. Thomas; a natural grass green. Upper center—Frank W. Currier, greenkeeper, St. Thomas Golf and Country club.



Upper right—No. 11 green; a two-year old hill-side green.

Lower center — No. 13 green; bent planted in May, played in July.

## “Horse Sense” Guides to Good Greens

By FRANK W. CURRIER

*St. Thomas Golf and Country Club*

The St. Thomas No. 13 green, shown among the accompanying views, was built and graded last fall and planted with Washington bent the first week in May. We opened it for play the 4th of July.

No. 11 green was built two years ago this fall and planted with Colonial bent a year ago last spring. It was opened for play the end of June. The third green is five years old and has the natural grass.

In a previous note in GOLFDOM, I referred to my preference for fall planting, which undoubtedly is best, but on the two occasions mentioned above it was inconvenient. The fall plantings, however, saves a lot of

## USE YOUR EYES

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anxiety about drought. Nevertheless, my spring planted greens have given me no worry.

I don't use dopes, relying on pure home made screened compost, light rolling, light watering, and great discretion with the mowing. I don't cut close too early in the season. Bent greens should not be cut quite so close as the natural greens, especially on the inferior strains of bent. I recently read one article in which a greenkeeper complained of his greens looking brown. Here is my idea of the cause; an inferior bent, cutting too close (all that is left on the green is the runners). The remedy is to dress lightly, and don't cut so close.

Another place I read of a greenkeeper watering from 7 p. m. to 6 a. m. All I can say is, if I worked that length of time I would never expect any greens at all. Where would we be if it rained every night for twelve hours? The land must be allowed to dry out sometime.

Still another greenkeeper says chemicals are the answers to most greens problems. Maybe so, but I differ, for it is my belief that there is a tendency on the part of too many greenkeepers to depend on some

chemical preparation to work magic on their greens. They use chemicals too loosely and the result is a "summer kill" for the greens are left in no condition to weather the winter.

## Reducing Treatment With Golf Offers Field

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## Intelligent "Snooping" Eases President's Task

FIFTEEN years ago one of the country's most famous sectarian golf clubs elected to its directorate a man whose business genius had put him in command of a great national business early in life. A few years later the club made him treasurer and for six of the last seven years he has served as president of the organization. If there ever was a brilliant illustration of the wisdom of long terms for competent golf club officials, it is supplied by the case of this particular president.

Although the club's membership is limited to 200 of which the greater part consists of wealthy men, and assessments are the usual order annually to care for the members' extensive requirements of a deluxe and complete character, there still is a financial problem for this president to marshal his forces in solving. This problem concerns making the expense of belonging to the club one that can be met by the young fellows whose business

careers are in the earlier stages. In this instance it is a real problem for the annual dues are \$500 and the average annual assessment runs around \$200. These younger men are from old line and conservative families that, despite wealth, believe in the policy of making their scions win their own ways.

### A Sane Solution

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the results are entirely satisfactory and the cost gives value. So these younger members find in their club the utmost in value received from a golf club. The younger set naturally makes this club a focal point for its activities and supplies a delightful atmosphere of life that undoubtedly adds greatly to the charm of the place for the solid citizens who comprise the older element.

This thoughtfulness in making the club of greatest value to the younger people to whom its cost represents something of a financial burden is carried through the year. The club house is kept open during the winter for parties staged principally by the younger members and as the staff is maintained only for the golfing season much of the service required for these winter functions is supplied by those young members who are conducting the informal program of winter affairs, which consists of occasional dances, a few bridge sessions, and a lot of skating. Taking an interest in the younger members at every turn, has proved one of the main planks in this successful club president's policy.

### Wise "Snooping" Pays

Another reason why this president's

members insist upon returning him to office as each year rolls around lies in his capacity for doing an intelligent job of what he calls "snooping around." He doesn't carry this to excess—can't tell you if the club is being robbed of a few pounds of sugar or if some of the minute details that are out of sight are a bit awry for the club pays its manager and greenkeeper top figures and leaves those details up to them. A few cases will suffice to explain this policy of the right kind of snooping.

The course is separated from the clubhouse by a heavily travelled highway. Under this highway is a tunnel connecting the clubhouse grounds with the course. It was noticed that eighteen holes was just about all the tramping that the older members had much liking for. This president looked over the plans for the connecting tunnel and in this investigation saw that the decline and incline of the tunnel was too steep for comfortable travel by the older men. The grade was made gradual and the expected complaints against the tunnel failed to materialize. The entrances to the tunnel looked bare so landscaping work was done around them. The members never gave it a thought. The flowers

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and the bushes "just grew" so far as they were concerned. But "snooping" brought the deficiency into consideration and applied a quick remedy. Some more "snooping" revealed that wet weather made the going muddy around the pro shop. The walks were broadened.

The eagle eye of the expert "snooper" fell upon groups of the members' chauffeurs lying around on the grass in front of the clubhouse. Promptly a rest room for the drivers was provided, making it easy to get the drivers when they were wanted, keeping them comfortable, and ending the practice of their loafing around the club-grounds.

Again some "snooping" did the club some good when the state widened the highway by the clubhouse. Considerable damage to the grounds was done during this construction work and instead of taking it as a necessary evil and expense, this executive found that he could collect for the club from the state. The damage claim was paid and the money speedily applied to beautifying the club property where road construction had wrought its damage.

"Get on the job and snoop around in a helpful way and the task of heading a golf club is greatly lightened" is this president's advice to others who may be bending under the load of golf club executive labor.

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AN annual inspection of the racks where the members' clubs are stored will generally disclose a dozen or more almost worn-out golf bags. This is particularly true toward the end of the playing season and therefore comes just at the time when the pro is interested in reducing his stock of bags. What better time to send a letter to those members who need replacements. If necessary or advisable, reduce the price of the bags somewhat; it will prove cheaper than carrying them through the winter months.

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