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Dunlop's Sports Division has released an unusual promotional piece in connection with Father's Day, June 16th. Under the heading "There's A Great Day Coming," Dunlop has sent all pros a giant combination poster and score sheet to tie-in a Father and Son tournament in connection with Father's Day.

Suggesting that members register for the event in the pro-shop, the score sheet provides for 58 teams with sections for gross handicap, and net scores.

With Father's Day a "natural" for mid-season promotion, Dunlop hopes that by supplying the pro with this score sheet a Father and Son Tournament will become an annual fixture on Father's Day at golf and country clubs throughout the country.

Sani-Tread Co., in a letter to GOLFDOM, points out that a recent item in these columns gave its address as 578-580 King St. W., Toronto, Ont., and reminds that its U. S. address—at 567 Washington St., Buffalo, N. Y.—was not mentioned. Because some might have felt after reading those lines that the Buffalo office had been closed, and because of the fact the Sani-Tread company does practically all of its business from its Buffalo office, GOLFDOM brings this matter to the attention of its readers.

The Horton Mfg. Co., Bristol, Conn., has issued the third of its golf calendars on which the dates of tournaments are given. The calendar is especially valuable around pro-shops. It represents considerable work, inasmuch as dates of many regional tournaments are not set until the eleventh hour.

A Horton calendar will be supplied free upon request to any professional who has not received one.

The Reddy Tee, 960 Bergenline Ave., Union City, N. J., originators and manufacturers of The Reddy Tee, announces it has been made exclusive representative to the sports trade, for the Skol Co., whose product, Skol, is used to prevent painful sunburn. The Reddy Tee company does not sell Skol direct to the pros; distribution is turned over to dealers who in turn, fill pros' orders.

The Reddy Tee outfit also announces that it has been named by Porcelain Products, Inc., Findlay, Ohio, to represent the latter company in promoting sales of its tee and yardage markers.

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Prentice-Hall, Inc., 70 Fifth Ave., N. Y. C., publishers, announce that Ben Thomson, golf coach at Yale where his golf teams have won him an enviable reputation, is doing successful "graduate" work among golfers by means of his book "How To Play Golf."

Thomson's skill as a successful coach and teacher lies in his ability to break down strokes into their simple component parts—taking up one section of the stroke at a time—and then fitting the parts into a co-ordinated whole.

The publishers also report that Thomson's book is a leader both of their own sports library and among general golf books.

The Ess-An-Ee Mfg. Co., 621 E. Cameron St., Tulsa, Okla., reports that with its new Ess-an-Ee spiker it is now possible to hand spike 18 greens in three days with twelve men, whereas hand method formerly took four days and generally eighteen men to spike 18 greens. Ess-An-Ee spiking in actual tests also obtained a more efficient result, according to the makers.

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The Crawford, MacGregor, Canby Co. reports extensive pro reception of the 1940 MacGregor advertising Pro-Gram. Pros comment favorably on the completeness of the Pro-Gram which includes a series of 24 golf lessons presenting the teachings of such stars as: Tommy Armour, Byron Nelson, Ben Hogan, Jimmy Demaret, Dick Metz, Bobby Cruickshank, Toney Penna, and Jimmy Hines. These lessons are rich in human-interest angles and create conversation in the locker-rooms. Newspapers generally are in the market for these free golf lessons.

There are five-minute radio interviews for the pro to use in conjunction with the sports commentator of the local radio station. This 'question and answer' series is built around current events in golf. At all times they feature the local professional.

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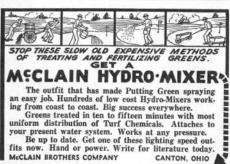
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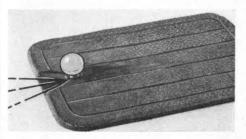
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General Products Mfg. Co., Merchandise Mart, Chicago, Ill., makers of the new portable golf practice set, Stroke Master, is enthusiastic over the response by pros to the possibilities of Stroke Master for the student of golf. The company tells that pros are recommending it to help their students find the groove and get practice in actually hitting the ball.

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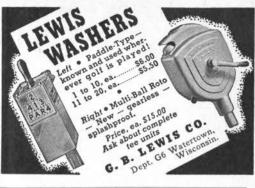
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Town Talk Mfg. Co., Baxter Ave. Station, Louisville, Ky., is now featuring a new combination Town Talk hat model. The new model has a neck guard, which is used to prevent sunburn. The neck guard, when not in use, appears to be merely lining of the cap, but when 'Old Sol' begins to beat down plenty hard, it comes in mighty handy in keeping the sun from burning the neck. Details on the new Town Talk combination models, plus information on the complete company line, may be obtained by writing the manufacturers.

"Dunlop's campaign, "Break 100-90-80 Drives For Better Golf," is meeting with unusual response everywhere" says Vincent Richards, general manager of Dunlop's Sports Division.

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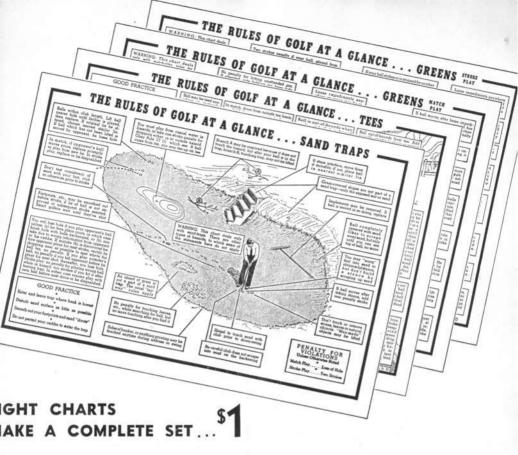
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