us to the hard facts of life. When the shouting and the tumult dies—in addition to the humble and the contrite heart, we will remember for a time at least that a clean mind in a healthy body is something to be cherished. If the voluntary discipline afforded by golf and other forms of athletic endeavor have enabled us to accept war discipline as we have accepted it, we have no great cause to worry about the future of these sports. If we have to accept war discipline, which we must, we can anticipate the milder forms of discipline which will follow.

Feser says:

It is obvious that golfing equipment is going to cost more than it did in the past. Steel and rubber are important golf materials. Mars will probably stymic more than a few golf fans when he puts his demands for these materials squarely in front of the cup.

A lot of the polish is coming off the maintenance standards of the past few years. Higher labor and material costs to be met by fewer club members with taxdented pocketbooks means some belttightening in the maintenance department. Keeping the rough cut so those costly rubber pills won't get lost is going to be more important than watering fairways or cutting greens every day.

Of course we are going to keep golf. It may be abbreviated for the duration, but it is going to be there to help those fortunate enough to have this way of keeping fit for defense. National health is as important as national morale; it is up to us to provide facilities for this recreation, and do it with a degree of balance and efficiency equal to that required in military tactics.

717 Schools Participate in 1941 Scholastic Tournaments

A Complete report on the second annual Scholastic Golf Tournaments, which are conducted for both boy and girl students, and sponsored by Scholastic Magazine and Scholastic Coach, shows that 717 schools, an increase of 41% over the year previous, entered the 1941 tournaments. Total number of competitors in all final tournaments (not including preliminary eliminations) was 29,696.

Of the schools taking part in the tournaments, 97.4% report that interest and participation in golf is growing among the students. 51.3% report that they have taken advantage of instructional assist-



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ance from their local pro.

Even greater interest and participation for the third annual Scholastic Golf Tournaments is expected by G. H. McCracken, publisher, who has announced that special feature articles on golf will appear in both Scholastic Coach and Scholastic Magazine this winter and spring.

1 942 officers of the Connecticut Assn. of Golf Course Supts. were chosen at the annual meeting held at the Farmington CC Monday, November 3, where 50 members and guests had dinner and heard a speaking program that included Miss J. G. Fiske of Rutgers University, and F. M. Morgan, Conn. Agricultural Experimental station. Newly elected officers are:

Pres., W. S. Lindsay, Wampanoag CC, W. Hartford; vice-pres., T. Nocker, Hob Nob Hill CC, Salisbury; secy-treas., Charles Traverse, Mill River CC, Stratford; asst. secy-treas., A. B. Longo, Woodbridge (Conn.) CC; board of directors: G. B. Moquin, Manchester (Conn.)) CC; E. J. Casey, Wykagyl CC, New Rochelle, N. Y. December meeting of the organization was held December 8 at the Mill River CC, where Charles Traverse acted as host.

GSA Completes Convention Plans

THE preservation of golf as a vitality builder for vital national war production workers will be the theme of the 16th annual GSA National Turf Conference and Equipment Show to be held at Hotel Sherman in Chicago, February 10, 11, 12, 13.

Despite our national emergency, plans for this important annual event are going ahead and participants appear to be even more eager, since Pearl Harbor—to demonstrate to the public that members of the golf industry feel it their patriotic duty to provide necessary relaxation and healthful recreation for war-frayed nerves.

The conference program opens this year on Tuesday morning, Feb. 10, with an address of welcome by the Hon. Mayor Kelly of Chicago, and the rest of the day will be devoted to inspection and examination of commercial golf course equipment and supplies. Exhibit space reservations up until December 24th exceeded any in the past 10 years of the show and several new and novel displays from commercial outfits are anticipated.

The GSA board of directors go into session Sunday, Feb. 8, and will continue their meeting through Monday, Feb. 9th. Among the many important matters to be discussed by this group and recommended to the later membership meetings for approval is a recommendation to employ a full time executive secretary.

The educational program opens Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 2 P. M. and will continue through each afternoon for three days thereafter.

T. T. Taylor, supt., Westchester CC, Rye, N. Y., is acting as national educational chairman and he and his committee have spared no pains to line up a timely and attractive slate of speakers.

Ed. B. Cale, GSA vice-president and former educational chairman, is now serving the United States Government as a camouflage expert. His duties cover the advising of turf problems in connection with army airports and other military areas. The GSA is very proud of this official recognition to one of its leaders and of the fact that the necessity for such service was called to U. S. officials' attention during the greenkeepers' conference in Detroit last winter.

The annual banquet will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 12, an event which will draw most of the leading golf officials around Chicago. Efforts are being made now to arrange for the appearance of Geo. W. Blossom, Jr., Onwentsia CC, Chicago, president-elect of the USGA.

Serving as general chairman of the conference is John Darrah, Beverly CC, Chicago, and a member of the national directorate. The show committee is headed by Don Boyd, Portage CC, Akron, Ohio. Chairman of the banquet and entertainment committee is Graham Gardiner, Park Ridge CC, Park Ridge, Ill. Norman C. Johnson, Medinah CC, Chicago, is assist-

GSA Educational Program, Hotel Sherman, Chicago, Ill.

Wednesday, Feb. 11:

- 2:00 P. M. "Chemical Weed Control" by M. E. Farnham, Philadelphia CC, Philadelphia, Pa., and Edw. J. Casey, Wykagyl CC, New Rochelle, New York.
- 3:00 P. M. (subject undecided) Major John L. Griffith, commissioner of athletics, Western Conference.
- 4:00 P. M. "Landscaping With a Gun," by Fred V. Grau, Penn State College, Pa.

Thursday, Feb. 12:

2:00 P. M. "Fairway Watering," by Norman Johnson, Medinah CC, Chicago, and C. E. Tregillus, Mill Road Farm, Chicago.

3:00 P. M.; (Subject undecided) Virgil

K. Brown, director of recreation, Chicago, Ill.

4:00 P. M.; "War Among Plants," by Dr. O. S. Aamodt, chief agronomist, bureau of plant industry, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

Friday, Feb. 13:

- 2:00 P. M.; "Turf in the National Defense Program," by Dr. John Monteith, Director, USGA Green Section.
- 3:00 P. M.; "The Golf Superintendent of Tomorrow," by A. C. Horrocks, chairman of board, National Foremen's Club, Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio.
- 4:00 P. M.; "Japanese Beetle Control," by Prof. R. T. White, bureau of Entomology, Moorestown, N. J.

ing both the show and publicity committees. Other Chicago district greenkeepers who are cooperating in making the convention a successful one are John Mac-Gregor, Chicago GC, and Ray Gerber, Glen Oak GC.

The annual election of GSA directors and officials will occur Friday morning, Feb. 13; slate was not available at GOLF-DOM press time.

Mavor Boyd, Longwood CC, Dyer, Ind., is acting as chairman of the ladies' committee and among some of the pleasant surprises he has lined up for the 'fair ones' is a visit to the world famous Cradle in Evanston. Plans are also under way for escorting visiting delegates through a few of Chicago's famed industries and other significant spots of interest.

List of exhibitors as of December 24, which represents the greatest number ever signed at this date, follows:

American Agricultural Chemical Co.: Armour & Co.; Bayer-Semesan Co.; Buckner Mfg. Co.; John Bean Mfg. Co.; Paul E. Burdett; Chipman Chemical Co.; George A. Davis, Inc.; C. B. Dolge Co.; Fate-Root-Heath Co.; Ferguson-Sherman Mfg. Co.; Friend Mfg. Co.; GOLFDOM; Hardie Mfg. Co.; Ideal Power Lawn Mower Co.; Jacobsen Mfg. Co.; McClain Bros. Co.; Mallinckrodt Chemical Co.; Milwaukee Sewerage Commission; L. R. Nelson Mfg. Co.; Chas. Pfizer & Co., Inc.; Roseman Tractor Mower Co.; Ruhm Phos-phate & Chemical Co.; O. M. Scott & Sons Co.; Sherwin-Williams Co.; Skinner Irrigation Co.; Standard Agricultural Chemical Co.; Standard Mfg. Co.; Swift & Co.; Toro Mfg. Corp.; Wilson & Co., Inc.; Wood Ridge Division, F. W. Berk & Co.; Worthington Mower Co.

Mrs. F. A. Bunte is W. W. Head-Women's Western Golf Assn. 1941-42 president, elected at the annual meeting of the association held last fall at the Evanston (Ill.) GC, is Mrs. F. A. Bunte, Evanston GC. Mrs. Bunte succeeds Mrs. Charles B. Willard, of the Exmoor CC, Chicago.

Memorial to Ned Warner-A new trophy known as the E. L. Warner Bowl is to be competed for by Detroit District golfers of 60 years and more. The trophy is a memorial to the late Ned Warner, for many years sec. of the DDGA, and widely known and beloved in golf. Mr. Warner died early in December.



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1942 SHORT COURSE CALENDAR

EVEN though operating under emergency conditions, clubs should guard against any 'economy' move that would prevent their greenkeepers from attending at least one of the several turf short courses to be held during the next few weeks. Clubs have generally come to realize that any expenditure (and its only a few dollars) they may have made to send their greenkeeper 'to school', was an investment that has been repaid many times over—through better operating knowledge—and improved course conditions.

Below is the up-to-date schedule of 1942 greenkeeping short courses and turf conferences:

Massachusetts State College 16th annual school for greenkeepers got under way January 5 and will continue through the Recreation Conference, March 13-15. For the convenience of men who are unable to be absent from their club for the entire course, it has been divided into two terms: January 5 through February 6, and February 8 through March 15. For applications and further information address Prof. Lawrence S. Dickinson, MSC, Amherst, Mass., or Director of Short Courses, MSC.

University of Maryland fourth annual greenkeeping short course is set tentatively for January 26-27. Further information and application blanks can be had by writing Prof. Ernest N. Cory, state entomologist, U. of Md., College Park, Md.

Rutgers University 14th annual one week course in turf management has been set for February 16-20. The program will be conducted along the same lines as heretofore, according to word from Frank G. Helyar, director of resident instruction at the College of Agriculture, and to whom requests for additional information regarding the course should be sent. The p. o. address is New Brunswick, N. J.

Denver short course for greenkeepers, nurserymen and florists will be held February 17-19. Albany hotel in Denver is convention headquarters. Speakers definitely scheduled are O. J. Noer, Milwaukee Sewerage Commission, and John Monteith, USGA Green Section. Efforts are also being made to obtain Prof. George McClure, soils dept., Ohio State U., L. C. Chadwick, dept. of horticulture, Ohio State U., and George Ball of Chicago. Local Denver district greenkeepers will also appear on the speaking program.

Registration fee for the conference is \$3.00, and arrangements have been made by the hotel management to furnish rooms, with bath, at \$2.00 and up. Those wishing further information should contact J. L. Haines, greenkeeper, Denver (Colo.) CC.

Pennsylvania State College fourteenth annual Fine Turf Conference will be held February 25-27. For further details write Prof. H. B. Musser, director, Fine Turf Research, Penn State College, State College, Pa.

Iowa State College greenkeepers' short course is scheduled to be held March 3-4. Program lined up by S. W. Edgecombe, ISC extension horticulturist, includes Dr. L. C. Chadwick, associate prof. of floriculture, Columbus, O., who will discuss fertilization of shade trees, shrubs and evergreens; Dr. F. A. Welton of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, who will discuss the control of weeds in lawns and fairways, also weed control in greens.

O. J. Noer, Milwaukee Sewerage Commission, will show pictures taken during 1941 on golf courses throughout the nation, and will point out the effects of various recommended practices. Paul Sandel, executive secretary of the Des Moines Park Commission, will speak on the effect of fertilizer on bluegrass, and S. W. Edgecombe will discuss experimental work with bent grasses and lawn grasses during the past year at Iowa State College. Clarence Yarn is in charge of the panel discussion to be held March 4. Applications and complete details may be obtained by writing Prof. Edgecombe, Ames, Ia.



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O. J. Noer photo.

University of Wisconsin greens short course, sponsored by the Wisconsin and the Midwest Greenkeepers' Associations, will be held March 10-12. Prof. James G. Moore is general chairman of the meeting, and can be reached for additional information by addressing him % Horti-cultural Bldg., U. of Wis., Madison, Wis.

Michigan State College annual greenkeeping conference will be held March 12-13. The same type of program is planned as that presented last year. Dr. James Tyson, Asst. Prof. of Soils, is director of the conference. Full information on the course may be had by writing Prof. Tyson, Michigan State College, East Lansing.

-USGA, PGA Choose '42 Officers-

Report of the nominating committee of the USGA, which is tantamount to election, names the following officials for the USGA in 1942:

President

George W.Blossom, Jr., Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.

Vice-Presidents

Morton G. Bogue, National Golf Links of America, Southampton, N. Y.

Charles W. Littlefield, Montclair GC, Montclair, N. J.

Secretary

Frank M. Hardt, Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Pa.

Treasurer

- John F. Riddell, Jr., Garden City GC, Garden City, N. Y.
 - **General** Counsel
- James H. Douglas, Jr., Shoreacres, Lake Bluff, Ill.

PGA Elects

Ed Dudley, Broadmoor & Augusta National clubs, pres. Frank Sprogell, Kent CC., sec.

- Willie Maguire, Houston CC., treas.
- Tom Walsh, Westgate Valley GC, hon. pres.

Directors

Ben Lord, Glens Falls CC; Jimmy D'Angelo, Baederwood CC; James Beirne, Lexington CC; Dave McKay, Pittsburgh Field Club; John Watson, Erskine Park GC; Alex Cunningham, North Shore CC; John Manion, Meadowbrook CC; Walter Mund, Midland Hills CC; Eddie Duino, San Jose GC.

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USGA, Western GA Revise Requirements for Membership

By JACK FULTON

TWO golf associations have announced changes in membership requirements. The USGA plans to desert the one-class, one-fee type of membership which has been in force heretofore and adopt instead a graduated scale of fees for annual membership which, it is hoped, will increase the membership roster of the association markedly. Meanwhile the Western Golf Association has abolished annual dues from clubs and substituted an annual membership fee from individual golfers.

The USGA plan calls for continuation of the present annual \$30 dues from clubs of 18 holes or more, but modifies the dues for clubs at courses of less than 18 holes to \$15 per year. Requirements for eligiblity and benefits of membership are to remain as at present.

It is also proposed to create a Public Links Section, membership in which will be open to any regularly organized club which neither owns, leases or maintains a course of its own but instead plays over a course open to the public. Annual dues for such clubs would be \$5.00 and they would receive all benefits of USGA membership except a vote at meetings of the association, eligibility of individual members to the Amateur and Women's National, and services of the Green Section.

Not In Force in '42

If the Public Links Section is approved at the USGA's annual meeting this month, all entrants in the association's annual Public Links championship must be members of clubs which are members of the USGA, effective with the 1943 championship. The requirements will not be enforced for 1942.

At its 42nd annual meeting, held at Chicago, Dec. 13, the Western Golf Assn. transformed itself into an organization to (a) "Promote and supervise any and all matters and activities pertaining to or for the benefit of caddies"; and (b) to promote and provide means and facilities for the education of caddies.

In continuing its original object of promoting "generally the interests of golf" the WGA will conduct and supervise its long established Western Open and Ama-



teur championships, and its newer, but highly successful Western Junior championship.

Rules and other golf legislation, course maintenance research and other affairs of golf, the Western, in its new organization plan, acknowledges to be the province of the USGA.

Membership in the WGA is on an individual basis under the new plan. Presidents and secretaries of WGA member clubs as of Dec. 1, 1941 become members of the WGA under the new plan, and without payment of dues, until WGA membership of their clubs expire.

Under the new WGA, membership in the organization is open to individuals acceptable to the Western's Board of Directors, and on payment of \$5 annual dues.

Behind this historic change in golf association function is the story of the success of the caddie scholarships at Northwestern university. These scholarships were established by a fund contributed by Chick Evans. Chick turned into the fund royalties from phonograph instruction records made when he was National Open and Amateur champion. the fund became interested in the ambitions of the youngsters and in their outstanding merits. By adding its own funds to the Evans starter, the WGA has enabled 56 former caddies to receive education otherwise beyond their reach.

Scholastic, business and civic achievements of the caddie undergraduates and graduates have been so exceptional and the number of excellently qualified applicants so large that Western officials determined to revise the association's structure to focus its main effort on making golf an important factor in youth welfare.

The new WGA plan calls for the organization transferring at the end of each fiscal year all cash net assets in excess of \$5,000 to the WGA Scholarship Fund.

The association has a house for caddie scholarships on Northwestern's Evanston (Ill.) campus. On this establishment there remains only a \$2,900 mortgage.

The WGA hopes to be able to extend its caddie scholarships to other universities, and on that account is abandoning its former restriction of being concerned only with territory west of a line through Buffalo and Pittsburgh. Golfers, men and women, anywhere in the U. S. now are eligible to WGA membership.

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Despite war clouds, Acushnet officials look forward to another big year for Acushnet balls during 1942. Orders for spring delivery indicate another season of record sales, they announce. A company release under a January 1, 1942 dateline gives the following cheering news to the trade:

"It would seem that, war or no war, the American public is going to play golf and more golf. Further, it would seem that a greater number of jolly divot diggers than ever before are going to tee off Acushnet. These forecasts are based on the unusually large pre-season committments from pros in all parts of the country flooding into the Acushnet offices at New Bedford, Mass.

"This increased interest in golf may be attributed to a number of things. Undoubtedly the government's avowed interest in promoting all sports in general and golf in particular, has much to do with it. Golf, the government seems to think, is a specific relief from wartime tension, a morale builder as well as a developer of the good physique all Americans must have these days.

"As for the swing to Acushnet balls, it is believed that the record-breaking sales of the past year indicate a host of new friends for the product. Advertising also comes in for its share of praiseand the continuance of Acushnet's famed "soldthrough-the-pro-shop-only" policy unquestionably

cements the loyalty of the pros to Acushnet products."

Kearsley Corp., Plymouth Meeting, Pa., introduced its new PGA ball testing and demonstration car at the PGA annual meeting. Claude Hastings had the very attractive special body job parked on Michigan Ave. in front of the Towers club, and told the PGA delegates all the details. The lads asked Claude to send the truck around to their clubs for a show.

Sales representatives for U. S. Royal golf balls, headed by J. W. Sproul, sales manager, gathered at Chicago's Edgewater Beach hotel for the company's annual sales meeting. Besides the introduction of the new line, many problems were discussed; among them, the place of sports in the defense program.

Many prominent in the sports world have recently pointed out the importance, both to the civilian population and to the Army and Navy, of maintaining an active sports program. Such activity is valuable, they say, for physical conditioning, for recreational purposes and for maintaining morale. One plan recently advanced involves the construction of driving ranges at service camps throughout

Governor Murray D. Van Wagoner of Michigan re-ceives with evident delight a medal for a hole-in-one from L. A. Martin, district sales manager of US Rubber's golf ball division. Governor Van Wagoner rang up his one-spot during the annual Stag Day of the Lansing (Mich.) CC last season. Since 1927 US has offered the attractive, bronze medal for every hole-in-one made in this country.



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C. F. Robbins, Spalding president, was again host at the annual employees golf tournament held November 2nd at Rock Spring CC, West Orange, N. J. Ray Nolan, associated with Spalding's N. Y. pro department, and 1940 tournament winner, again copped honors for low gross score. Prizes were awarded by Robbins at a dinner in the clubhouse immediately following the tournament. Those in the picture above (left to right) arc: L. E. Coleman, v.p., Ray Nolan, Bill Hellawell, C. F. Robbins, president, Walter Roberts, Jack Carpenter, A. H. "Spike" Fowler, Lyle Thompson, D. J. Whalen, Harry Reusch, Ed. Rynne, Bill Tollner, Harry Amtmann, Ken Smith. Kneeling, John Tapoosian, Phil Darcy.

the country. This idea has the backing of many high-ranking officials.

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"This basically new method of construction locks shaft and head together in the most positive fashion. Another striking advantage of Kroydon's new method of assembly is that it completely eliminates the screw fastenings at the back and base of the hosel—always the "weak spot" in woods—as attested by the fact that most clubs that go bad split or crack at this point."

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