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The policy of quality manufacture which made it "*Wilson today in sports equipment*" now brings its benefits to American soldiers in every part of the world.

While still making such sports equipment as war conditions permit and war necessity requires, Wilson Sporting Goods plants have converted a large part of their facilities to production of war equipment.

The soldier who in peacetime was proud of the quality of his Wilson golf bag, now finds with pleasure, on some rainy night in Tunisia or Guadalcanal, that the same quality workmanship in his Wilson-made tent is

protecting him from the unruly elements. Or that the cot on which he takes his rest is a Wilson product that stands the gaff.

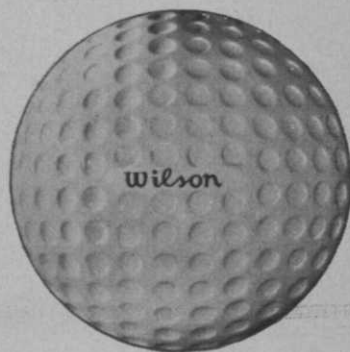
Men who charged down the football fields, confident of the protection afforded by Wilson helmets, now charge in tanks across the fields of battle, their heads protected from steel interiors by Wilson crash helmets.

Athletes who wore Wilson togs in tough contests of school and college, feel comfort and confidence now as they range the skies in the greatest game of all, equipped with Wilson-made aviators' kits.

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**... but the little ball
wasn't there**



LISTEN TO THIS GOLFER TALKING TO HIMSELF:

*"Oh, boy! Watch this one!
I feel great. Fine day, fine course!
Fore, everybody.
"Uh—uh! No ball."*

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Your members can't hit 'em if they don't have 'em.
And they *won't* have 'em, unless
you get the *old* ones back to us.
So, turn in old golf balls for reprocessing.
Tell every golfer.
Also tell them it is important *who* does the salvaging.
Do this—Pin this ad on the bulletin board.
Do this—Send old balls to Spalding for reprocessing.

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Pace in Sports

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GOLF BALL SALVAGE PLAN



FLYER
(Pro only)



WAR-FLITE



BOMBER



RECRUIT

December 1941, they totalled 132, while by the following July the figure had dropped to 98. In an attempt to compensate for this, all new and renewed memberships were put on a monthly cash basis to bring in potential members who did not want to pay by the year, and to enable them to choose the months when they wanted to play. The cash payment eliminated the cost of bookkeeping. This plan has worked very satisfactorily and membership revenues are increasing.

Fawcett Leaves Lake Shore to Operate Hotel

HARRY J. FAWCETT, gen. mgr. of Lake Shore CC, Glencoe, Ill., after seven years of his third term as manager of this outstanding club has resigned, effective July 1. As happened when Harry left Lake Shore in 1925 to become president of the Shoreland Hotel Co. and build in Chicago The Shoreland, America's finest residential hotel, he is again entering the hotel business. He has purchased the Graystone at Elyria, Ohio. Also, as in 1925, Harry was asked to name his own successor and to remain associated with the Lake Shore CC in an advisory capacity through this current season.

Fawcett's successor at Lake Shore will be Edward Neuhart, for the past 17 years manager of the neighboring Knollwood Club, and in winter manager of the Bath and Tennis Club of Miami Beach.

Young Recalls Golf Club Tasks of World War I

L. A. YOUNG, Detroit industrialist, golf enthusiast and financial sponsor of the company that made the Hagen line of golf playing equipment, when golf playing equipment was made, recalls some phases of golf club operation a quarter century ago during the Warm-up War. L. A. writes:

"The cover on April *GOLFDOM* reminded me of experiences during the first World War. At that time I was president of Red Run G. C. and I turned farmer, gardener, golfer, and what have you, for the duration. We were successful in growing enough vegetables for our table and enough hay, etc. for the horses. This was done by making war gardens where the rough had formerly been. It was surprising what we accomplished and we hired no one but men too old for any other

service or boys too young for the armed service.

"Mr. White was manager of the club at that time. He was quite a schemer and knew how to get this work done. We made a ruling that caddies and players must not go in the gardens to look for the ball, and that all gardens would be treated the same as out of bounds. We asked our members to put their names on their golf balls and all golf balls found in the various gardens by our gardeners were returned to members. I received a grand letter from the Secretary of War who had received a report from the local authorities telling of the job that we had done at Red Run. Besides, as Mr. White said, 'It made the club a lot of money,' and that is never to be sniffed at. I believe every golf course holds the same possibilities.

"In addition to our war gardens we allowed all officers and enlisted men to play free of charge, and a great many of the caddies offered their services at half price for uniformed men. I cultivated that because the caddies of yesterday and today are the fighters of tomorrow. They, too, owed something to the men in uniform, and that was their way of paying it."

Finds Mower; Course Now Okay—Sgt. Dave D. Hendry, who had added to his other army duties the job of keeping a course in operation for golfers at a Texas army post, had his one ancient mower break up on him. He managed to locate a rarity, a used fairway mower. Now the camp's course is in surprisingly good playing condition.

Lawson Fills 3 Jobs—Jimmy Lawson is now manager, as well as pro-greenkeeper at the Country Club of Indianapolis. The club is curtailing to sandwich service in the clubhouse and providing fine facilities for family picnic sessions on clubhouse grounds. Jimmy is one of the grand Scotch-American pro vets who served in the first World War. Three of the fighting Lawson brothers were lost in that war.

Hold Mixed Event—The second annual Long Beach (Calif.) Pro-Lady-Amateur sponsored by the Recreation Park GC will be played June 27. Prizes will be \$500 in war bonds and stamps. Gallery fee will be 50 cents, which will go to the Red Cross.

Play will be in foursomes consisting of a professional, a lady, and two amateurs. They will form two teams: pro-lady-amateur, and pro-lady-and-other-amateur.



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While you must wait until war's end for new Roseman Mowers, those you now have will see you through, with reasonable care—and there are hundreds efficiently performing on golf courses after ten years of service.

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While plywood propeller blades seem a far cry from golf clubs, actually the two have much in common. The essential requirements for both are perfect pitch and camber and balance, calling for wood-working skill and technique of the highest order. MacGregor craftsmen, long used to shaping wood to precise tolerances, found their talents readily adaptable to this type of war work.

In this manner are they making an important contribution to the war effort and, at the same time, keeping skilled those fine hands to again fashion superb MacGregor golf clubs for you after the war.

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**Plywood propeller blades—produced in the wood bead department—are just one of MacGregor's wartime products.*



Last year, 30,000 galleryites packed the Tam O'Shanter course on the final tourney day.

Tam \$10,000 Open and Amateur July 19-25

GEORGE S. MAY, pres., Tam O'Shanter CC (Chicago district), announces that the club's big annual tournament will be played July 19-25 inclusive. Tam's All-American Open will have a purse of \$10,000, with \$2,000 to the winner. The amateur will have a prize list of \$1,300 in

war bonds and stamps; \$100 defense bond to winner.

Gate fee will be 50 cents daily in war stamps, for children, and \$1 in stamps for adults. Entry fee is \$10 a player; proceeds to go to Chicago Service Men's Center.

The tournaments are financed by the George S May Co., business engineers, to stimulate the sale of War Bonds and Stamps.

V-Garden Greenkeepers Seldom Deferrable

IN VIEW of extensive Victory Garden activities at golf clubs requiring much time of the greenkeepers some clubs have thought their greenkeepers may not come under Selective Service Local Board Memorandum 181.

This condition is clarified by a letter to GOLFDOM from Capt. Frank Glick, Manpower division, Selective Service System, national headquarters at Washington.

Capt. Glick writes:

"Local Board Memorandum No. 181, which list nondeferable activities and occupations definitely states that greenkeepers, gardeners, and ground keepers are nondeferable regardless of the activity in which they may be found.

"The superintendent of a golf course whose main functions and the majority of whose time is taken up with the above activities, might be considered as nondeferable. If most of his time is devoted to the raising of vegetables, poultry and live stock, a local board might not consider him as nondeferable.

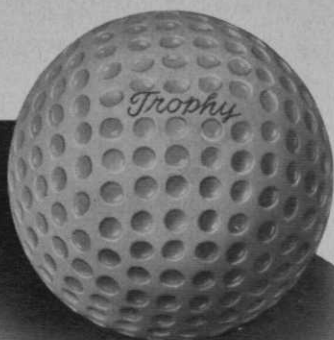
"In fact, in extreme cases, where the superintendent is necessary to and regu-

larly engaged in an agricultural occupation or agricultural endeavor essential to the war effort, and where he is producing sufficient war units, he might be considered for classification in Class II-C or in Class III-C."

New Tourney Event.—At Richmond (Calif.) GC an unusual type of two ball match is proving popular. Two players play as a team; both drive off and select the best drive. The poor driver picks up his ball and drops it beside the good drive, and then both players play a second shot. The same procedure is repeated, the best second shot is selected, and the poorer shot picked up and placed beside the best shot. This is continued even in putting. If your partner misses a foot putt you have a chance to sink it.

The game eliminates the poor shots in one's game, and scores are low; therefore, everyone feels that he shot a good game.

St. Andrew's Completes Century.—Competent authorities estimate that more than half of all the rounds of golf played in the U. S. this year will be played by men and women directly engaged in war industry as factory workers. This war-



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SAVE the BALLS to SAVE the GAME!

time showing of golf in losing its traditional American reputation as a rich man's game comes in the centennial year of the St. Andrew's Golf club, possibly the most famous artisan's golf club in the world. A small group of workmen started the noted club in 1843. Today the club has more than 600 members, of whom 170 were serving with the British armed forces, according to Sports Trader and Exporter.

Prizes for V-Gardens—If your club has Victory Gardens for its members, have them keep score on the production of their gardens. Give War stamps or American flags as prizes.

The production figures will make additional good newspaper publicity for your club and its members' contribution to war effort.

Let Juniors Help—Junior Victory Garden committees are being formed in many states as part of the nation-wide Victory Garden planning. Don't lose sight of the fact that the youngsters of club members can do plenty of work on the Victory Garden plots at the clubs if the kids are told what it's all about and allowed to work out their own plans as young Americans pitching into the war effort.

Soldier Golfer's Advice—Fred Duncan who used to work under Tom Robbins at MacGregor's New York office, and who's now in Officer Candidate School, sends word to Tom Duncan also formerly of the MacGregor New York outfit who's fresh to the army:

"At first you will get your backswing mixed up with right shoulder arms. But your game eventually will be helped by the practice you'll get in picking up cigarette butts and policing the yard."

Patty On War-time Golf—Patty Berg was subject of two pages in a recent New York Post. Arch Murray did the story headed "Patty Berg's Back on Her Feet." The interview told of Patty's long siege in recovering from an automobile

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