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THE GOLF NEWS IN BRIEF By HERB GRAFFIS

Philip J. Friel, Jr., out of army, is new pro at Bellevue GC, Melrose, Mass. . . . Fresh Meadow GC (New York met. district) sale to New York Life Insurance Co. at \$1,075,000 for subdividing is approved by court . . . Fresh Meadow bought Lakeville GC for \$675,000 and moves. . . Stanford university course to be extensively improved . . . Pat Markovich, pro at Richmond (Calif.) GC has lined up six matches with other university squads for the St. Mary's U golf team he coaches.

John Long is new pro at Green Pond GC, Easton, Pa. . . . Mike and John Marge operating Westfield (Mass.) CC . . . Warren Gallagher returns from army to his pro job at Pine Brook GC, Gloversville, N. Y. . . . Bursting of oil pipeline by dynamite charges sends flood of burning oil to destroy pro shop of Pennsylvania GC, at Frazer, Pa. . . . Club is owned by Penna. RR employees . . . Loss of pro shop and stored equipment estimated at \$12,000.

John Lord in his 28th year as pro at Antlers CC Amsterdam, N. Y. . . . Walter

Thiel, out of army, returns to his pro job at Twaalfskill CC, Kingston, N. Y. . . . Fargo, N. D., proposed \$50,000 bond issue to provide grass greens at Edgewood muni course . . . Thomas R. Perrin, out of army, new pro-gkpr., LeMars (Ia.) CC . . . Don V. Rawlins, out of army, new pro-mgr., Eldora (Ia.) CC . . . Alex Tallman out of army, new pro at Shaker Ridge CC, Albany, N. Y.

Ridgewood (N. J.) CC starts its 57th year in "strongest position of its history" says Pres. Edward A. Smith . . . George Jacobus is starting his 30th year as Ridgewood pro . . . San Mateo (Calif.) City council proposed buying muni course from private holding company . . . Believe city can pay for course out of course revenue.

Utah GA to hold its \$5,000 state open at Fort Douglas . . . B. L. Wood elected pres. of Utah State GA . . . Utah plans \$10,000 Open next year as feature of state's centennial . . . Talk of new muni course at Salt Lake City . . . Idaho Falls to have \$3,000 Idaho Open this summer.

Nine-hole fee course in Rock Creek area of Kansas City, Mo., being constructed by John S. Davis . . . 117 new members joined Richmond (Calif.) GC last 2 weeks in February . . . Waterford (Wis.) Woods GC, which was closed in 1943, reopens this year as Rivermoor CC . . . George W. Walzer is owner . . . Oconomowoc (Wis.) GC which cut to 9 holes in wartime, to play 18 again this year.

Bill Robertson succeeds Hope Seignious as pro at Milwaukee's North Shore CC . . . Hope was only girl pro at golf club we can call to mind, except wives who filled in for husbands in military service . . . And listen, lads, some of those fraus of yours did such businesslike jobs while you were away you'll have to come back on your toes.

Floyd G. (Red) Leonard, Wisconsin open champion, is in 23d year as Milwaukee (Wis.) CC pro . . . "Blackie" Nelthorpe at Westmoor CC (Milwaukee district) for 19th year . . . Art Huebner is

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Dr. Alden Coffey, pres., Ft. Worth (Tex.) GA and George S. May each offered to bet \$50,000 on Nelson and Hogan or Nelson, against British competition . . . Eddie Bush is Horton Smith's asst. at Detroit (Mich.) GC . . . Indian Foothills Park, W. H. Lyons, supt., Marshall, Mo., building 9 hole course . . . DDT being used experimentally at Westchester CC (N. Y. met district) for elimination of Caribbean worms.

A "Golfers' Special" will fly from U.S.A. to England in time to give players a few days pre-championship practice at St. Andrews . . . Return trip will take off right after the British Open . . . Corcoran declares tournament golf will outdraw "at least one half of the big league baseball clubs this year."

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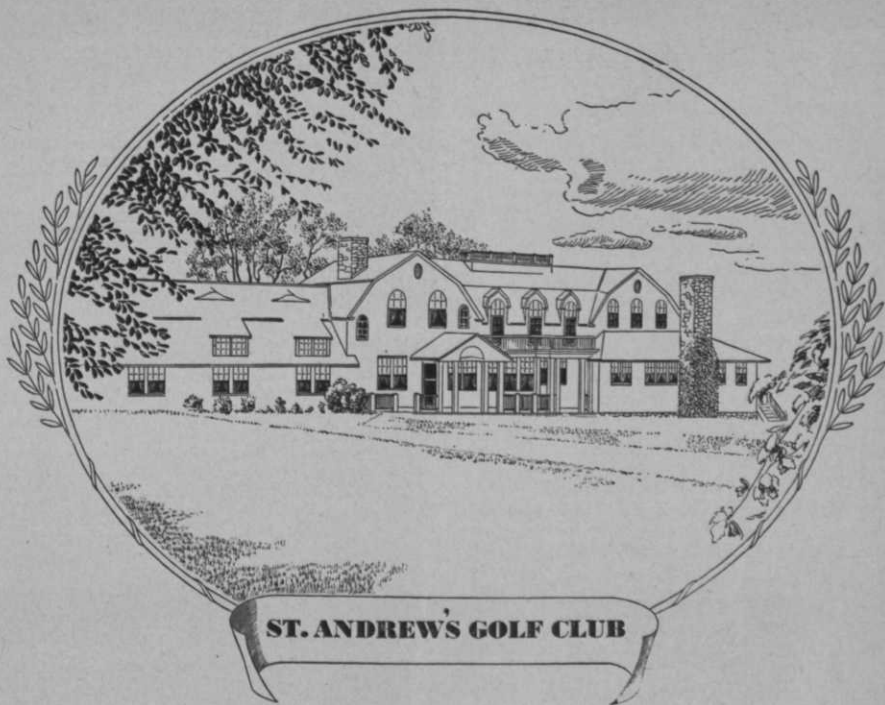
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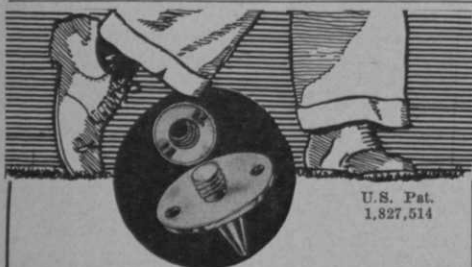
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Guy Delamare DeBouteville, pres., French Golf union, and Ford Motor representative in France, has been in Detroit during March . . . Willie Goggin has signed Virgil Shreve as his asst. at Century CC (N. Y. Met district) . . . Springfield (Mo.) hopes to have 9 holes of its Perry Maxwell-designed mny course playable by early summer.

Byron Nelson's book "Winning Golf" will be published by A. S. Barnes & Co. in May . . . Price of the 228 page 8½ x 11 in. book will be \$2.50 . . . First printing will be 50,000 copies . . . Tam O'Shanter CC (Chicago) 85-ft. water tower of golf ball on peg tee design will cost \$25,500 . . . Reduction in insurance rates will pay for the 30,000 gal. tank within 5 years.

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Don Bush is new pro-mgr., Salisbury (N. C.) CC . . . Sam Schneider, at Corpus Christi (Tex.) CC for 10 years is new pro at River Oaks CC, Houston, succeeding Jimmy Demaret who resigned to stay on

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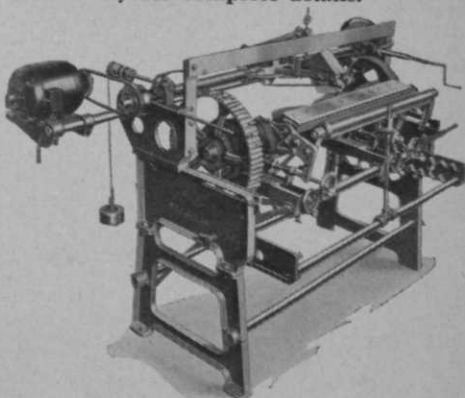
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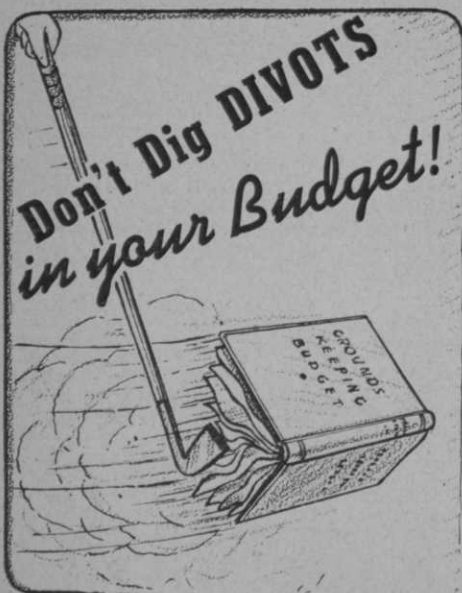
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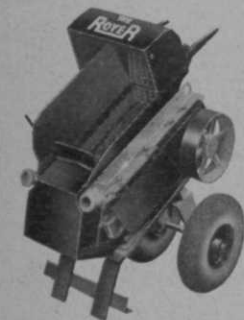
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Connecticut Club Mgrs. Assn. at March meeting discussed plans for cooperating with national food conservation effort . . . Wm. H. Stauffer, Jr., Union League club mgr., elected pres., Club Mgrs. Assn. of Philadelphia . . . Albert E. Mathis, Gulp Mills CC mgr. elected treas. and Rudolf Lehman, Huntington Valley CC, elected to board of directors by Philly mgrs.

L. E. Coleman, Spalding VP, says organized industrial recreation will be big element in golf's gigantic postwar boom . . . Iowa State Greenkeepers 1946 short course at Ames had record registration of 93 of whom 20 were from outside Iowa . . . Mel Curry brought to Iowa State short course \$20 turf research fund contribution from Kearny, Neb., club which at present has only one grass green.

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