# **Buyers'** Page

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### **Golf Course**

Aerifier (for fairways) Architects Arsenate of lead **Ball washers** Bent grass stolons **Brown-patch** preventives **Compost mixers** Compost spreaders Cultivators: f'way 🗌 green 🔲 Drinking fountains Fencing Fertilizers Flags (greens) 🗌 Flag poles 🗌 Flood lights Fungicides Golf Course Const'n Engineers

## **Pro Shop**

Bags: canvas 🗌 leather 🔲 Bag carts, for players Balls Driving range Balls Painting kit D Ball Shag Bandages, adhesive Braces for canvas bags **Buffing motors** Caddie badges 🗌 uniforms 🗍 Calks, for shoes

# **Club House**

Adding machines Air conditioning equip. Athletes foot preventives Ath. foot prophylactic bath Bath mats **Bath slippers** Cash registers Disinfectants Fire protection equipment Floor coverings

Harrows-(spring tooth) Hole cutters Hose, 3/4" [] 1" [] Hose menders Humus Insecticides Landscape materials Leaf rake (power vacuum) Mole Traps Mowers: putting green whirlwind | tee | fairway | rough | hand | Mower grinders Peat Moss Pipe, water Playground equipment Pumps (gals. per minute?... Putting cups Scythes (motor driven)

Caps and hats Clubs: Woods 🗌 Irons 🔲 Club carriers Club head covers Club repair supplies Detachable cleated shoe soles Dressing for grips 🗌 bags 🗌 Golf gloves Golf Grips (all weather) Golf shoes **Golf Practice Device** Grip Renovating Tool Handicap boards Handicap racks 🗌 cards 🗌

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Furniture Kitchen equipment: Coffee makers Dish washers Dishwashing compounds Frozen food storage Ice cube machines Ovens 🗌 Food warmers 🔲 Ranges Refrigerators Slicing machines Vegetable peelers Glassware

Seed: fairway 🗌 green 🔲 Seeders Sod cutter Soil screeners 🔲 Soil shredders Sprayers: power 🗋 hand 🗋 Spikers: greens 🗋 fairway 🗌 Sprinklers: f'way 🗌 green 🗋 Swimming pool architects equipment [] filtration [] purfy. chemicals 🗌 paint 🗌 Tee markers Tennis court surface material Tractors Tractor tires Tractor wheel spuds Turf Plugger Water systems, fairway Weed burners Weed chemicals

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The PGA stars don't "grip" the club, they "place their hands on the club."

And we came to the unanimous conclusion that a point that has been missed in the past that present day professionals have come up with is that the right elbow is away from the body at the top of the backswing and when it starts to move on the down swing all of the motion is not toward the body. The elbow moves forward some and as it moves it closes the club face. The right has an all important little task to perform other than just hurrying back to the side.

The Michigan section was assisted by Ohio section pros including PGA 5th dist. VP Harry Moffett; Leonard Schmutte, VP Northern Ohio; Marty Cromb, Sec. Northern Ohio; and James Cromb of Toledo.

#### CHIPS FROM MICHIGAN

Buck White, 1946 Memphis Open winner and loser to Jug McSpaden for a Tam O'Shanter All-Amayrican victory, is new pro at Battle Creek CC. . . Bill Wright goes from Lakepointe to succeed the late Jimmy Millar at Klinger Lake. . Emerick Koscis is signed as pro by Marshall CC. . . Jack Orlick will handle the pro job at West Shore GC. . . Don Soper has John Cosmos as his new asst. . . Bob Gajda has been added to the pro staff at Red Run. . . Bob Reith has been hired by Horton Smith for Horton's staff at Detroit CC.

A 10-match team match for the Bob Howell trophy will be played between pro and amateur stars of Michigan at a club and date to be announced. . . Caddies Welfare of the Michigan PGA will hold a caddie tournament this year. . . Club and date to be set. . . State is divided into 4 sections. . . In charge at Detroit is Jack Orlick. . . In Monroe section, Warren Orlick who also is chmn. of this committee. . In Saginaw, Don Soper. . . In Grand Rapids section, Danny Nowack. . . Winners in the junior and senior caddie classes will be sent to National Caddie Assn. tournament at Columbus, O.

Joe Devaney, veteran pro at Grosse Ile, is practically a university. . . Look at the list of pros and fine assistants who got their training working for Joe. . . Jack Orlick, Warren Orlick, Ben Orlick, Don Soper, Jim Murray, Hal Whittington, Walter Nagunski and Pete Osach.

#### Lake's Lessons Pay Off

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clubs to suit the individual, and many club sales result from such a promotion.

"Those who can afford individual lessons, after obtaining the free ones we give them in a mass instruction class, form our return trade, which in most cases far surpasses our initial outlay in time, effort and materials."

George estimates that between 8,000 and 10,000 persons have been given free in-

struction at the Recreation Park course since he took over the job in 1936, and that in addition no fewer than 250 free mass instruction classes at night, in which he has been assisted by fellow pros in the vicinity, have had an average of 100 in each class.

The return trade has been among leading reasons why Long Beach's municipal course netted more than \$30,000 last year —and has for more than a decade—with play increasing to such a pitch that the city's 27 municipally-owned holes cannot handle all the customers.

"Stress is laid in all cases," Lake continues, "on the basic fundamentals of golf instruction, so that the foundation for both juniors and adults is sound.

"After the lessons, our plan for competition and tournaments brings out the desire to improve. It encourages practice, more lessons and better equipment, and is, no doubt, considering the junior series, one of the basic reasons why so many fine junior golfers have begun in Long Beach."

Woodrow Wilson High of Long Beach, one of George's prep instruction groups, has, since 1929, won the Southern California interscholastic team championship 12 times in 17 years, while Long Beach Poly and Huntington Beach High (then obtaining free lessons from Lake in 1935) have each won the title once.

Over that time, rarely has been the season that Wilson High didn't have a golf squad of 35 to 50 candidates (this year they had 74), and from five to 15 capable of shooting consistently in the low 70s.

Out of George's school and junior clinics have come such nationally known "boys" as Joe Nichols, runner-up for the 1931 Na-tional Publinx title at St. Paul; Doug Mac-Kay, who beat Nichols for the Chicago City open title that same year; Ernie Combs, Jr., dandy of Pacific Coast resort golf in the mid-30s; Bobby Judson, now pro at Fircrest in Spokane; Curtis Williams, Les Hensley, Jackson Bradley, now assistants to Jimmy Hines at North Shore Club, Chicago; Ted Richards and others who have ruled Pacific Coast junior golf for nearly 2 decades; Jimmy Clark, winner of the world record medalist honor and the A. S. Kerry "Sportsmanship Award" at Spokane during the national publinx championships in 1942; Willard McCay of U. of California and Frank Newell of U.C.L.A., Pacific Coast intercollegiate champions of 1937-38-39; Delbert Walker and a host of others who can look back on some phase of the free instruction clinics as aiding in their early golf development.

"The clinic appears to have great value to all concerned," Lake concludes, "both in aiding health and fitness for the individual, while the result in business for the professionals within the area can hardly be measured in dollars and cents, but I know it's there just the same."



PUTTING PRACTICE CUP BACK—Back on the market is the 19th Hole putting practice device which is making its first appearance at retailers since 1940 when it was a favorite item of home putting equipment. For indoo: and outdoor practice, this aid to better golfing is complete with chromium fixtures, rustless spring, and two pressed-steel plates 43/4" in diameter. The spring, pressing against the upper plate with the upturned edge, permits the plate to recede and catch the correctly-putted ball. If the practice putt is too hard and the ball would ordinarily jump the cup, it will pass thru. If the ball would ordinarily rim the cup, it will rim the 19th Hole. It is distributed by Upham Products Co., Dept. D, New Haven 10, Conn.

NEW ROTOFLO MOWERS-R. P. M. Mfg. Co., 401 Independence Ave., Kansas City, Mo., has announced 3 new companion models to the popular Rotoflo Heavy Duty 21 power mower. The Rotoflo Junior 16, the Rotoflo Standard 18, and the Rotoflo Standard 20 have been added to this well-established line in addition to the original 21" Heavy Duty model. The junior model has a cutting width of 16 inches and is powered by a twin cylinder engine that develops over 5/8 hp. The Standard models have cutting widths of 18 and 20 inches respectively, and are powered by a twin cylinder engine that develops 1 hp. All models have 2 cycle vertical crankshafts; air cleaners; patented one-piece aluminum rotor housings; tempered steel, rotary cutting blades; safety releases; 6-wheel suspension; full-floating, tubular steel handles, and rubber tires. The Junior model weighs 55 pounds; the Standard 18, 45 pounds; and the Standard 20, 47 pounds. These recent additions to the Rotoflo power mower line are priced, f.o.b. Kansas City, Mo., factory, at \$139.50 for the Junior 16; \$159.50 for the Standard 18; \$179.50 for the Standard 20.

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MAC GREGOR MOVES IN CHICAGO — MacGregor Golf, Inc. has moved its Chicago office from the Finchley Bldg. to Rand McNally Bldg., 536 S. Clark, corner Harrison. The new location, south of the Loop, is handy for pros walking on their shopping tours and gives them a much better chance of parking their cars near-by.

BALLMARK FOR PRO SALE—"Ballmark", a neat, compact device for stamping owner's name in a golf ball is being made by Holiday Products Co., Dayton, O. The "Ballmark" retails for \$2, furnished with an imprinting bar containing the player's name. An indelible ink pad is contained in the outfit.

SPALDING'S NEW CATALOG—Spalding's 1947 golf catalog mailed to its golf pro customers, shows a complete line of golf balls, clubs and bags. Emphasized is the return of the Spalding Dot golf ball, plus the featuring of new Tournament model woods and irons. The registered TopFlite woods have a specially-faced driver for drives off the tee with the balance of the set designed for fairway shots. The registered Top-Flite irons feature the new offset blade with stainless steel heads. There are listed several new styles and price lines in golf bags. Write to the nearest Spalding district office for your copy if you haven't received one.

NATIONAL CARTS FOR QUICK DELIV-ERY—Assuring speedy, on-the-spot delivery to the trade, National Cart Corporation of Pasadena, California, has announced that full stocks of all their lines of merchandise manufactured in Los Angeles and Pasadena will be maintained in Crooks Terminal Warehouses, Inc., at Los Angeles, Chicago and Scranton, Pa. Among the many well-known National items which will be available from convenient, central distribution points are the 2 models of the famous "Tag-A-Long" golf carts, which are sold exclusively through Wilson Sporting Goods Co., and 2 models of the "Mi-Cart" folding golf carts.

### CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale—at Phoenix, Arizona, first-class Driving Range, consisting of eleven acres. Lease runs to June 15, 1950; rent cheap. Has Pro Shop, Fonken Ball Retriever, Cushman Scooter, striping machine, wash rack, clubs and balls. Reason for selling, owner not Pro, has other interests. Write R. A. Verd, 106 N. 17th Ave., Phoenix, Arizona.

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FOR SALE—Operating 18 hole golf course near two large cities, New York State. Fully equipped. Furnished clubhouse, shops, etc. 250 acres desirable land. \$75,000. Write Ad 603, c/o Golfdom.

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Expert Club Repair Service. Clubs refinished, rebuilt. Quick service on all types of repair work. Write for price list. E. L. Wilson, Twin Oaks, Route 1, Box 31, Batavia, Illinois.

Wanted to Lease—with option to purchase, 18 hole golf course now operating. Prefer yearround operation. Excellent financial and credit standing. 15 years' experience. Address Ad 605, c/o Golfdom.

Reprocessed Driving Range Balls @ \$3.25 per dozen. Address National Specialties, 5110 W. Washington St., Indianapolis, Ind.

Greenkeeper—36, wishes to change jobs. 15 years a greenkeeper; some construction experience. J. R. Walton, 611 Morning St., Worthington, Ohio. Phone Columbus Fr 2-6856. Wanted to Lease—an 18 hole golf course. Write stating terms and location to "Scotty", Ad 606, c/o Golfdom.

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