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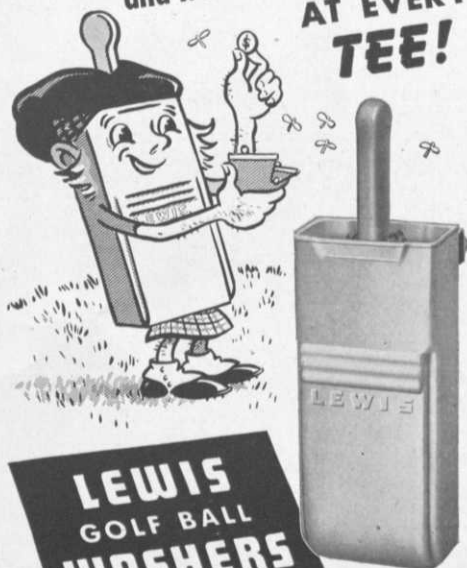
Beth Hightower, golf writer for Sacramento (Calif.) Union, says Babe Didrikson Zaharias refused to play in the Northern California women's circuit events claiming the field wasn't good enough. . . Then Beth asks, "What does the lady want? The field includes 4 national champions: Patty Berg, Betty Jameson, Betty Hicks, Helen Detweiler, along with Clara Callendar Sherman and others?" . . . Come, come, girls, let's don't get into any sharp talk like the gentlemen pros. . . It does look like any field that the Babe is in is good enough.

Francis L. James, Moscow, Ida., expects to have the Colville (Wash.) 9-hole course he designed ready for play this summer. . . It's a grand little layout. . . 3110 yds.; par 35. . . Another example of good judgment, economy and course earning capacity resulting from engaging competent architectural service.

Spring Lake CC formed to build \$300,000 club at Shreveport, La. . . Earl Hoos, golf coach at Sacramento (Calif.) college, has been marking his ball on wet greens with a worm instead of a dime. . . Earl says he's got great hopes for his innovation when he can teach the worms to always crawl toward the cup.

Joe MacDonald, a Navy mechanic's mate, won the national military service cham-

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pionship put on by Oliver General hospital at the former Forest Hills course, Augusta, Ga. . . Next 5 finishers after MacDonald were colonels. . . Nobody can pull rank on a golf ball. . . Harry Schwab, Community CC, Dayton, O., is new pres., Miami Valley PGA. . . Mountain Grove (Mo.) GC building clubhouse.

Nassau County (NY) 2 public courses grossed last year \$73,000. . . In 1945 the gross was \$31,000, in 1944 it was \$21,000 and in 1943, \$17,000. . . Long Beach (Calif.) Recreation Park courses have had an income of \$67,171 for first 8 months of fiscal year. . . Profit is \$16,124. . . The 27 holes at Long Beach in February drew \$2599 in excess of the 5-year average for that month.

Ben Hogan's advice had improved Walker Cupper Dick Chapman's game. . . Hogan told Chapman to quit turning his left elbow out. . . Oklahoma's woman champion, WAC Capt. Pat Grant, is in Germany. . . Russ Newland, San Francisco Associated Press sports scribe, rates tournament pros today in this order: Hogan, Demaret, Mangrum, Oliver and Snead.

Connecticut Assn. of Golf Course Supts. held its annual meeting at Highland GC, Ansonia, April 15. . . Dave Harris new pro at White Lakes GC, Topeka, Ks. . . Don Grauer is new pro at Manchester (Conn.) CC succeeding Ben Roman who went to Ardsley-on-Hudson (NY) CC. . . Jerry E. Zolan new pro at Newark (NY) CC. . . Tom Stevens, 47, pro who served several clubs in Los Angeles dist., died April 16 following a long illness.

John J. (Dick) Keenan, first caddy champion of the U.S., appointed caddy-master of Newport (RI) CC. . . Keenan won the initial caddy championship in 1895 on Long Island. . . Monterey (Calif.) public school students getting free class lessons at Del Monte course with Bill Kynock and Frank Abbey instructing. . . Other kids of that neighborhood, especially the Dutra and Espinosa brothers, have done well in golf.

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Island Hills CC, Sayville, L.I., N.Y., reopened after wartime shutdown. . . Charley Nicolls signs as Bretton Woods, N.H., pro. . . Willie Macfarlane, 1925 National Open, signs as pro for Westhampton Beach GC on Long Island. . . Jack Patroni now pro at Apawamis CC (NY Met dist.). . . Robert C. Brown is new mgr., Abilene (Ks.) CC. . . West Union (Ia.) CC has new clubhouse. . . New clubhouse planned at Jefferson, Ia.

After her 15 consecutive tournament victories Babe Didrikson Zaharias looks like she should be on the list of invitation tournaments to which the big boys are invited. . . Gerald Hall is new pro-gkpr., Red Oak (Ia.) CC. . . Yankee Run CC, Youngstown, O., enlarged to 18 holes. . . Selma (Ala.) CC clubhouse being enlarged. . . Wm. G. Hutchinson is Selma's new mgr.

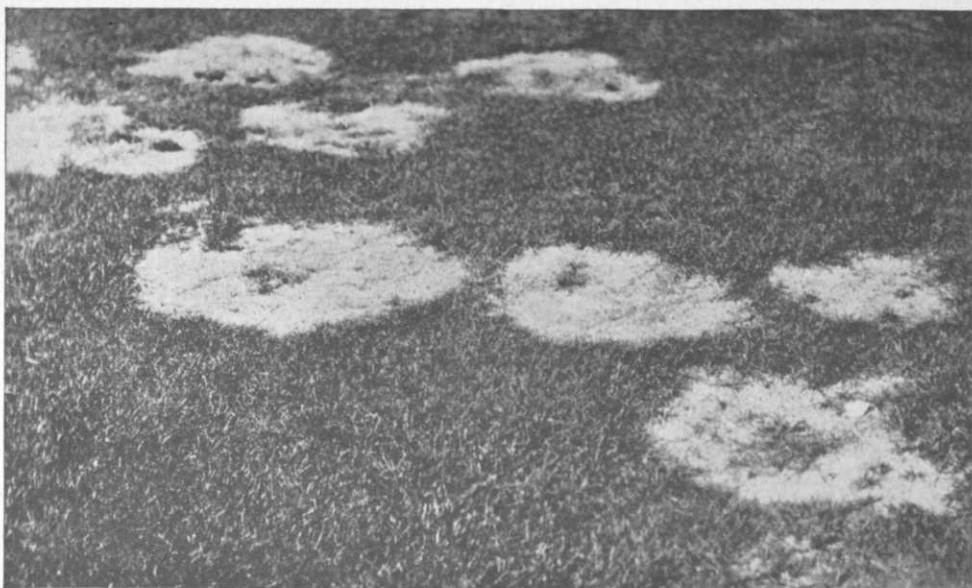


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Don Wilcox, new pro-gkpr., Waverly (Ia.) GC. . . **Kearney Park G&CC**, near Emmetsburg, Ia., to have new clubhouse. . . **Colorado and Denver universities** started on greatest golf activities in the schools' histories. . . **Don Bell**, Denver, appointed playing coach of Colorado U squad.

John M. Brennan, Long Island Star & Journal golf writer, prints suggestion of **George Durst** for central training and employment center for Long Island's 25,000 caddies. . . Durst suggests something on the order of Hollywood's Central Casting bureau with Long Island GA and the section's PGA operating the caddy center.

Kerr Petrie, NY Herald-Tribune veteran golf writer, picks **Bobby Locker**, Ellsworth Vines and **Frank Stranahan** as possible winners of the National Open.

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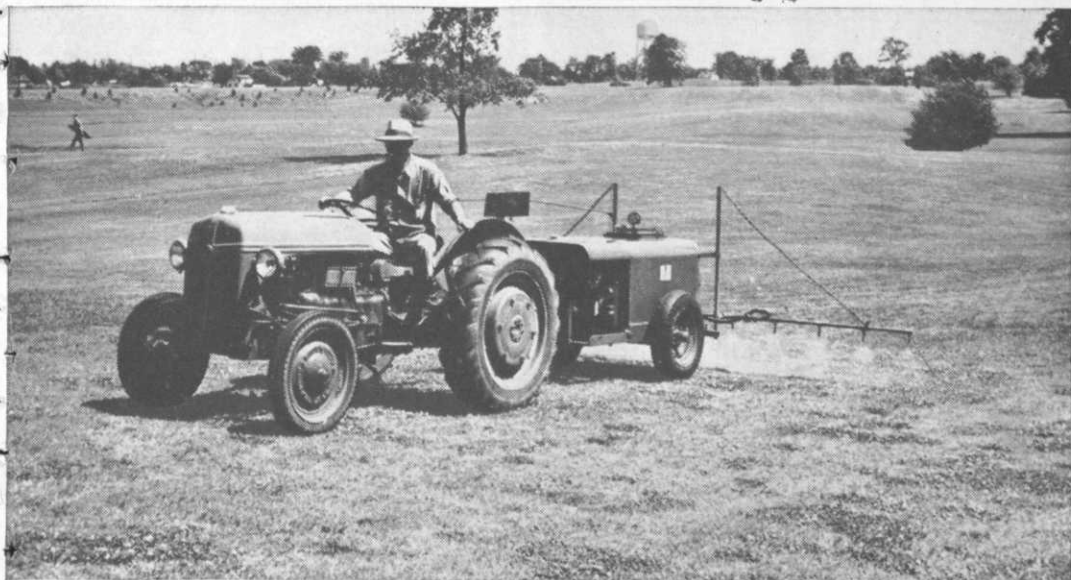


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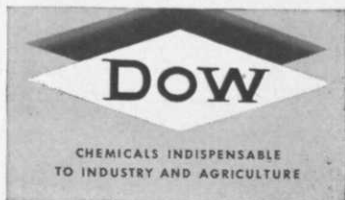
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Ed Furgol, fourth in winter circuit prize winnings with \$5195, tells a Utica, N.Y. reporter that the 20,000 miles of the tournament circuit with his wife ran up expenses that meant his winning only "looked big." . . . Ed stated players regarded last winter as worst of all from weather and playing standpoints. . . Twin Hills CC, Oklahoma City, in extensive course and clubhouse improvement campaign.

John S. Gilholm, Jr., back from army, signed by Potowmut (R.I.) GC as pro. . .

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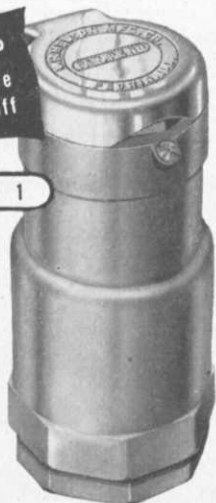
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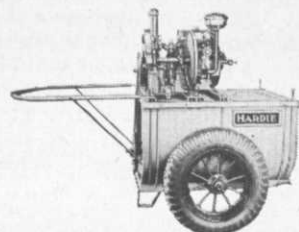
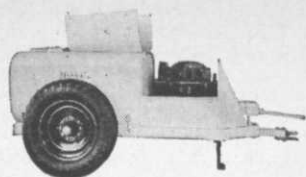
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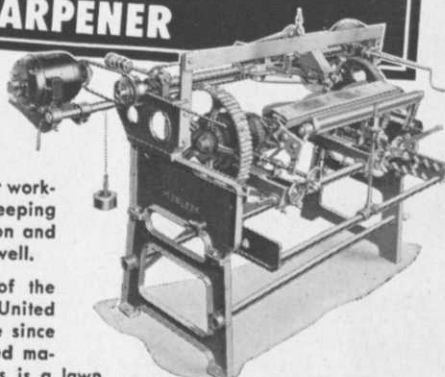
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Eddie McElligott, widely known veteran pro player and teacher, signed by Council Bluffs (Ia.) CC. . . Eddie, Jr., is one of the likeliest looking prospects in Western junior ranks. . . Ted Bourne, son of Walter, Princeton university golf coach for 20 years, hired by Floyd March as asst. at Tulley-Secane CC (Phila. dist.). . . Grassy Sprain GC, one of NY Met. district's oldest courses, taken over for housing sites.

Golf club and Country club at Jefferson, Ia., consider merging. . . John Creelman, supt., Out O' Bounds CC, Suffern, N.Y., has been mayor of Hillburn, N.J. for 42 years. . . Wessington Springs (S.D.) reorganized after wartime shutdown. . . Dyker Beach, Brooklyn, N.Y., public course, had 2796 rounds first week of this year. . . Ralph Trost, Brooklyn Eagle veteran golf writer, says Brooklyn badly needs more public courses and campaign of etiquette education for its public golfers.

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