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on first nine. Girl's nine hole qualifying round for Girl's Junior Championship. Low net Prize. Midgets—Flag day event on four holes.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, July 28, 29, 30, 31—Chicago District Golf Association—Closed Junior Championship at Skokie Country club. Qualifying round 18 holes, Monday, July 28—32 to qualify.

Thursday, July 31—First round Boy's and Girl's Junior Championships. Nine hole event for any not playing in championships. Prize low putts. Midgets—First round midget championship. Prize for low putts on four holes.

Thursday, August 7—Second round Boy's and Girl's Junior Championship. Low net nine hole event for other intermediates. Midgets—Second round midget championship. Prizes for low gross score on four holes.

Thursday, August 14—Third round Boy's and Girl's Junior Championships. Prize for low putts for nine holes. Midgets—Third round midget championship. Putting contest at putting clock.

August 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23—Finals Hearst National Junior Championship, California Country club, Los Angeles, Calif.

Thursday, August 21—Final round Girl's Junior Championship. Intermediates and advanced—Low net on odd numbered holes—nine hole event. Midgets—Final round midget championship. Approaching contest at putting clock.

Thursday, August 28—Mixed Junior one ball twosome. 18 holes. Boy and girl partners. Alternate drives, girls driving on odd numbered holes. One-half combined handicap. Special prize for boys who cannot get girl partners. Midgets—Event to be announced.

Labor Day, September 1—Final round Boy's Junior Championship. 36 holes.

At the end of the season we have a dinner and award prizes donated by the club, the Women's Sports and Pastimes Committee, and from such funds as are accrued from the regular charge made for each family which covers the play and prize departments. (It should be pointed out here however that these regular weekly lessons for the youngsters are free.) In addition, each year I give a trophy for the most improved junior golfer of the year. Last year's award went to Jerry Jackson, age 10, who reduced his handicap from 45 to 30 and shot 100 on frequent occasions.

If you are interested in the future of your business and the future of the game help the youngsters and you will be repaid tenfold for all of your efforts. They represent the future of the game and if the sport is to flourish and grow the spade work needs to be done now.

### "Muscles and the Lady"

A sportscope entitled "Muscles and the Lady," starring Frank Stranahan and Louise Suggs has just been completed by RKO Pictures, Inc. It's a champion performance by two young champions who show off their bag of tricks at the Boca Raton Club in Fla. with professional Tommy Armour giving some pointers too. This sports short is of interest to all. If you want it brought to your members contact your local theater manager and have it featured as an added attraction.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### JULY

12-17—Midwest Amateur, Lincoln Park G.C., Chicago, Ill.

12-17—Canadian Amateur Championship, Hamilton (Ontario) G. & C.C.

15-18—Dapper Dan Open, Alcoma GC, Pittsburgh, Pa.

16-21—Women's Trans-Mississippi Championship, Peninsula G&CC, San Mateo, Calif.

19-24—U. S. Amateur Public Links Championship, North Fulton G.C., Atlanta, Ga. Entries for Sectional qualifying rounds close with Chairmen of Sectional qualifying committees— Wed., June 16. Sectional qualifying rounds —The period Sunday, June 27 to Saturday, July 3; exact date in each Section to be fixed by Sectional Qualifying Chairman.

22-25-Reading Open, Barkshire CC, Reading,

28-Aug. 1—Metropolitan Amateur, Winged Foot C.C., Mamaroneck, N. Y.

29-Aug. 1—45th Western Open Championship, Brookfield CC, Buffalo, N. Y.

#### AUGUST

3-6—All American Open, Amateur, Women's, Tam O'Shanter C.C., Chicago

3-7—U.S.J.C.C. National Junior Amateur Championship, Lincoln, Neb.

7-D-International Championship, Tam O'Shanter C.C., Chicago

12-15-St. Paul Open, Keller GC, St. Paul, Minn.

12-15—Swedish Int'l. Amateur Championship, Bastad GC, Bastad, Sweden.

18-22—Southern 4-Ball Champion.hip, Birmingham C.C., Birmingham, Ala.

19-22 — Denver Open, Wellshire GC, Denver, Colo.

26-29—Salt Lake City Open, Fort Douglas GC, Salt Lake City, Utah.

30-Sept. 4—U. S. Amateur Championship, Memphis C.C., Memphis, Tenn. Entries close— Monday, Aug. 2. Sectional qualifying rounds —Wed., Aug. 18.

30-Sept. 4—Women's Western Amateur, Olympic Club, San Francisco, Calif.

### SEPTEMBER

3-6—Reno Open, Washoe County GC, Reno, Novada.

13-18—U. S. Women's Ameteur Championship, Pebble Beach Course, Del Monte, G. & C.C., Del Monte, Calif. Entries close — Mon., Aug. 23.

16-19—Tacoma Open, Fircrest GC, Tacoma, Wash.

22-25—Canadian Open, Shaughnessy Heights GC., Vancouver, B. C.

30-Oct. 3—Portland Open, Alderwood CC, Portland, Ore.

#### OCTOBER

7-10—Portola Open, Harding Park GC, Scn Francisco, Calif.

14-17—Glendale Open, Oakmont CC, Glendale, Calif.

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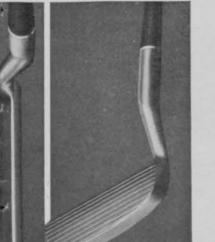
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### So. California Starts Turf Research Program

By WALTER E. LANGTON

Chmn., Education Board, National Greenkeeping Supts. Assn.

After many years of persistent effort, the Golf Course Superintendents of Southern California have finally secured a turf experimental station to be placed on the University of Southern California campus. Ever since the pioneering field work of Drs. Piper, Oakley, Monteith, Noer, and all the rest of the famous agrostologists who did most of their valuable work outside of the State of California, the turf boys of this state struggled to secure something they knew was essential to full success of their work. Notwithstanding all the talk of fundamentals being universal, and a predominant factor, in the growing of fine grasses, there is much to be said in favor of valuable localized endeavor.

It is true that wonderful work has been done in the Arlington gardens and in other experimental plots in other parts of the country, and anyone with a sense of values could not minimize the excellent work accomplished. We have to thank those sincere scientists for the introduction of the various kinds of bents and in giving us the best methods in bringing these grasses to perfection.

They also did excellent work with fungicides and bug control. These factors deserve special mention. Most green superintendents were bewildered when they first saw the ravages of large "brown" and dollar spots. When the bents were first introduced and grown out in the greens of Southern California, everyone from the chairman of greens, down to the lowliest laborer on the course thought that our troubles were over for here was a grass that fitted all requirements. It was fine in texture, a beautiful color, an even putting surface. Then lo and behold in the dead of a warm and humid night when we imagined that here was perfect conditions for the growing of beautiful turf an unseen foe was lurking under our turf, sucking out the very vitals of our best grass plants and making our lovely greens a hideous shambles.

Many superintendents spent sleepless nights wondering if they had done something wrong. Had they irrigated too much or too little, or had they over-fertilized or given the wrong kind of fertilizer? We pondered, we held meetings, we banded together to fight a common foe. But there is one thing to say in favor of brownpatch, it cemented good will and created the wonderful organization known as the Green Superintendents' Assn. We were in trouble and needed each other's assistance. Here was trouble aplenty. Then, much to our delight, Washington came to our assistance with a formula of calomel and corrosive sublimate. To these men who gave us this formula we take off our hats, for they saved the day.

#### Science and the Supts.

Golf superintendents are not scientists in the strict meaning of the word. Our work is too varied and extensive and we are not able to devote all of our time in making experiments in culture, in soil analysis, in plant pathology and in hybridization. For the game has to go on and it is our primary function to see that the game never stops. Hence we have been fighting for a long time to secure the services of competent scientists; men who have the ambition to do something worthwhile. First we had to secure the financial and moral support of those in a position to help us. For many years we have sought this local aid. Often we felt depressed, for no one seemed to think we needed any assistance, but in 1947 the Superintendents' Assn. succeeded in getting the support of the president of the Southern California Golf Assn. and Green Chmn. Simpson of the Los Angeles CC, a man who by his persistent effort secured for us a sympathetic hearing with the regents of the California University at Los Angeles.

Then the members of the Southern California Golf Assn., the parks and cemetery officials and influential home owners all came to our aid. Finally we were able to establish a turf foundation with sufficient funds to run two years. After that what? For after all two years is a short time to make any kind of showing. More money will have to be found to keep the experiments alive or all our efforts will be so much wasted effort. In the past we have witnessed the passing and death of many

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### Private Club Service At Public Course Pays Pro

By HAROLD GRAHAM

Professional, Silver Lake Golf club, Staten Island, N.Y.

The greatest undeveloped asset for professional golf merchants in this country is the public links golfer. He is just as fast with a dollar as a private club member. He often is a better player than the average country club player and he should be, for he loves the game just as much as the private club player and must triumph over inconveniences and generally plays oftener.

These facts I've learned in 20 years as caddy and golf professional on both public and private courses. And these are the facts that enable me to sell successfully, to the surprise of many pros and dealers, extensive equipment to the "little man."

I recently received a letter from the general manager of one of the country's leading golf companies. He asked me if I could explain why I sell four times more top-priced golf balls than cheaper balls.

The golfers at my club would rather buy three high-priced balls than six cheap balls. This holds true with women as well as men.

The public links golfer wants the best equipment he can buy and he gets it. He will not buy cheap equipment.

In my 20 years as a golf professional I have spent 18 years as pro at the Silver Lake GC on Staten Island, one of the 10 municipal courses run by the New York City Park Department. Before I became a public links pro, I caddied and worked at various private clubs. I feel that I am in a position to judge.

In my pro shop I carry a complete line of golf merchandise and the prices range from the lowest to the highest that can be obtained. This season I have not yet been able to sell a golf club that retails for \$5.00. But I have sold sets of eight irons ranging from \$52 to \$100.

#### "Little Man" Big Customer

This merchandise is sold to the "little man" who loves the game so well he will come by subway, "el" or bus as well as in his own car. This is the man or woman who will arrive at the club house at 7 a.m. on a Saturday or Sunday and wait three or four hours before teeing off. On weekdays he arrives at 6 a.m. and sometimes stays until 8:30 or 9 p.m.

This man or woman will not complain about a bad lie in a trap or fairway or criticize the pro or greenkeeper if the wind is strong. These are the people who realize that when 400 to 500 other golfers (300 to 400 on weekdays) are playing the same course on the same day they must expect



Supporting his contention that the public links golfer wants the best equipment that money can buy is this display of top quality merchandise in Harold Graham's well-stocked public course pro shop that will put many a private course pro shop to shame. Club-fitting and reconditioning are other important services not overlooked by businessman Graham.



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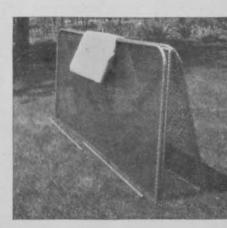
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My assistant and shop manager are told to accommodate anyone who comes into the shop; not to brush anyone off, as is often the case when the pro is out teaching.

I break matched sets of irons and woods in order to sell individual clubs, which the private club pro or store dealer will not do. I do this as a favor to the golfer and by doing so I make a customer of someone who might otherwise be lost.

As soon as possible stock is released. I do not believe in empty shelves in my shop during the golfing season. And I have found it does not pay to carry a small line of merchandise.

The average golfer does not want to order sight unseen. He wants to take a club in his hand and get the feel of it. More clubs are sold when a golfer can come in and shop around and pick up a club and waggle it and swing it a few times and, YES, even hit a ball or two with it. This way, a club sells itself.

I believe a pro should carry at least four different makes of golf equipment in different price ranges so the golfer can make a comparison right then and there.

If a golfer wants to trade in his old clubs for a new set we allow him a fair and reasonable price and tell him we will hold his old set for one week if he thinks he can get a better price for it elsewhere.

We then recondition the clubs and sell them to a player who cannot afford a new set, or we use them for group instruction.

#### Club Fitting Is Featured

My assistant, John Murphy, who has had a good many years experience as an instructor and clubmaker, also sees to it that when someone buys clubs, the clubs are properly fitted. I have been most fortunate in having a man of Murphy's character and ability working for me.

Recently, a young boy of 13 came into my shop all smiles with a new set of irons he had just received from his father as a graduation gift from grammar school. He asked me to give him a lesson.

When I got him out on the lesson tee I discovered the boy had been given a set of irons that would have been heavy for a man weighing 200 pounds. When clubs are bought at random both the instructor and pupil work under a terrific handicap.

In this case, I spoke to the father, who, of course, was not a golfer. I promised him I would try to get the best price pos-

sible for the clubs in the pro shop. I suggested he have a pro select clubs for the young boy.

To develop more golfers, I arrange group lessons at various social clubs at special rates. This season I have one class a week.

#### Makes It Easy to Begin

I supply all the equipment necessary and anyone who really wants to learn golf does not have to invest one penny in equipment until he is sure he would like to become a golfer. I also invite class members to use a golf net I have installed alongside the first tee and again I supply the balls and clubs free of charge.

Against the time these beginners step out on the course I have also arranged a time payment system with one of the local banks for any of them who wants to buy equipment on the installment plan.

For all golfers I import a few times each year movies with sound showing the professionals in action. The movies are run off at the club house and I've found they really go over big with golfers from both private and public courses.

I have surveyed most of the golf clubs in my area and I've discovered that few pro



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shops measure up to the rest of the club building. Some of the private clubs I've visited have beautiful locker rooms, bars and restaurants, but the pro shops look more like run-down caddy houses.

At the beginning of this season I had my shop, which is ideally located between the first and tenth tees, redecorated. Stained asbestos shingles cover the walls halfway up. Above them are handpainted green silhouettes of palm trees, a beach, mountains. There are nautical lights and a gamboo shade to separate the repair bench from the main shop and show cases. The shop boy is told that dust must not settle on any of the merchandise at any time.

My shop is in the basement, but the modern decor gives it a light, breezy air and the golfers like it, judging from their comments.

The public links golfers deserve any good the pro can do for them. I have found time and time again they will remember you for any favor you do them and they will patronize your shop as much as they possibly can.

### Managers Association Names Vice-Presidents

John J. Pomeroy, pres., Club Managers Assn. of America and mgr., Red Run GC, Royal Oak, Mich., announces appointments of following regional vps of the CMA.

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Akron, Ohio

J. P. Tonetti, mgr., New Haven (Conn.) CC, has been appointed chmn., CMA Public Relations committee. Regional vps are members of this committee which is to promote club managers publicity and develop public and trade understanding of managers' problems and plans.

CMA will hold its 1949 convention at Hotel Statler, Detroit, February 6-9.