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Storm has abated over the column which Dick Peebles wrote concerning dissatisfaction of sponsors of Houston and Harlingen tournaments at stars vanishing to appear in the Mexico City Open ... PGA Tournament Bureau, for some reason, blamed Dick Metz for Peebles doing the accurate job of reporting for which he's paid by his paper and not by the PGA Tournament Bureau ... Tournament Bureau wanted to take Metz back of the woodshed for a spanking but action was halted by pro-amateur committee which exonerated Metz ... Now who's going to take the Tournament Bureau back of the woodshed for its blunder in the case?

. . . The boys are learning the hard way that the PGA adoption of the Klu Klux Klan publicity policy of restricting expression to "official releases" is unbecoming and stupid for Americans and sportsmen . . . The PGA and golf in general has been lucky in having newspapermen like Dick Peebles get factual stories and print them . . . PGA publicity policy is becoming intelligently Americanized and the sensible recommendation of those who sat on jury, to drop the Metz case, should save the Tournament Bureau from further embarrassment with its inherited publicity policy ... Tournament golfers do not work under salary for club owners as other professional athletes do . . . They have a right to constitutional freedom of speech and we don't recall instances of them exercising this freedom to injure the tournament business . . . Every pop-off we've heard and read has been con-

Kid lessons free by Ernie Tucker, Boise, Ida., Plantation course's new pro . . . Tucker hopes to develop talent for national junior championships . . No more "women's free days" at Neosho (Mo.) muny course . . C. F. Lewis goes as pro-gkpr. to Neosho . . . Pat Markovich, Northern Calif. PGA pres., honored at Albany, Calif., sportsmen's dinner . . . Presidents of Northern Calif. amateur, pro and greenkeeper

structively intended and has worked out that

way.

organizations meet frequently to discuss mutual problems . . . The idea could be used to great advantage in all other golf districts.

"Little Jimmy" Thompson of Oklahoma and in winter at Long Beach, Calif., goes to Provo, Utah., muny course as pro . . . Harold Calderwood signed as pro by White Lakes CC, Topeka, Ks. . . Stamford, Conn. to buy Hubbard Heights GC for municipal operation. . . Roy Horne of Pocatello, Idaho, buys half interest in YaMesa G&CC at San Diego, Calif. . . . Horne will be gen. mgr. at LaMesa . . . Club is in big expansion program . . . At Pocatello Horne gave 2,072 individual lessons in 1936 . . . Do you know of any pro who has given any more individual lessons in a year?

Clinton (Ia.) CC clubhouse destroyed by \$125,000 fire . . . Clubhouse to be rebuilt . . . Play to start on Austin (Tex.) CC new course June 1 . . . Perry Maxwell designed it . . . Work on Austin clubhouse to start soon . . . Lewiston (Idaho) G&CC to enlarge clubhouse . . . New clubhouse and pool for Arizona CC near Phoenix . . . Attractive caddyhouse being built at Seawane Harbor GC (NY Met. dist.)

Golf Writers Assn. giving O. B. Keeler a trophy for being one of the very grandest of guys when testimonial dinner to O. B. is held at Druid Hills GC, Atlanta, April 4 . . . Fred Corcoran who took over tournament management of Women's Professional Golfers' Assn. after handling men's PGA job, announces Women's National Open will be played at Prince George CC, Landover, Md., Sept. 21-24 . . . Purse is \$7,500 . . . Babe Zaharias is titleholder.

Northern California GA to make new ratings of courses . . . Sectional college league tournaments are under way with bigger interest and keener competitions for team places than ever before. . . Interesting arrangement in Waverly. Ia., where subscribers for Waverly G&CC stock financed building a municipal course . . . If you want details to study for use in your town write George Redick, sec., Waverly (Ia.) G&CC.

W. W. (Mike) Sherman selling Southern Pines (N. C.) 27 holes and clubhouse to Elks ..., New York City's 10 muny courses in 1948 played 685,423 rounds ... Almost 20,000 more than previous year ... Biggest play was at Dyker Beach with 95,049 ... Harold Mc-Manus, supt. of the courses, says cost of operation per round increased from 32 cents in 1941 to 45 cents in 1947 and went up a bit more last year, without increase in fees per round.

Enid Wilson, writing in Golf Illustrated of London, refers to a British girl as "physically another member of the pocket-battleship class." There must be a better way of giving a maiden's specifications . . . If we'd have said that the Atlantic Pact would have been busted and the girl golfers would have asked "who's that old basket-bellied burn to talk?"



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Pine Hills GC, Orlando, Fla., to be subdivided ... John Geertsen goes from Ft. Douglas CC at Salt Lake City to be pro at San Francisco G&CC from which Ed Vines moves to take pro job at Northmoor CC, (Chicago dist.) ... John Memering moves from Timpanogos GC, Provo, Utah, to the Ft. Douglas pro job ... Floyd Park, Sioux City, Ia., muny course, to be increased from 9 to 18 holes.

Carlsbad (N. Mex.) discussing construction of a municipal course . . . It's a nice little town with its present tourist attraction being a big cave full of bats and Batorganite . . . Jim Nixson new mgr., Shenandoah (Ia.) CC . . . Louis Cornell new pro at Sidney (NY) CC . . Frank P. Hess new mgr., Davenport (Ia.) CC . . . Marvin (Bud) Ward turning pro when he makes satisfactory connectiom . . . Stockton (Calif.) pushing for new muny course.

Jack Gormley, Wolfert's Roost CC, chmn., board of directors of newly-organized New York Turf Assn . . Longwood GC, headed by Hyle Baldwin, leases Farmville (Va.) State Teachers' college . . Mail vote of PGA directors ruled against Bobby Locke playing in PGA of America championship this May at Hermitage, Richmond . . . Can't be any kick against that . . . It's a championship for PGA of America members . . . Locke and the PGA winner should be able to pick up more money in a series of 3 or 5 challenge matches than PGA first prize money.

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MODERN MANUFACTURING COMPANY 160 N. FAIR OAKS AVE. PASADENA 1, CALIF. Walter Burkemo. coming into Detroit to take over Franklin Hills pro job, had his car robbed . . . Walter and his wife lost their extra clothes . . This pleasant and competent Burkemo kid has made a great comeback from war injuries that threatened to permanently cripple him . . Howard J. Atten, formerly Bob MacDonald's asst. at Edgewater GC (Chicago dist.) going to Olewin (Ia.)CC as pro . . . Howard was married last winter . . . Women's tournaments began to draw in Florida last winter.

Henderson (N. C.) CC building new clubhouse . . . Topeka (Ks.) CC to build new clubhouse . . . Graymere CC, Columbia, Tenn., opens new clubhouse replacing one destroyed by fire . . . Ewing Pomeroy, Graymere's new pro . . . Very attractive new clubhouse on basic plan of Quonset hut, built by Algona ,Ia.) CC Alogona course originally laid out by Willie Dunn in 1920 . . . Ernest Jones planning to take a vacation from his heavy school schedule to visit England this summer.

Tracy (Minn.) constructing course . . . Louis Quarandillo, Logansport (Ind.) CC pro hires Ed Rozyski as asst. . . . West Keene, N. H., considering muny course . . . Very few new courses in New England since Pearl Harbor . . . New England far behind other sections in this respect . . . City Manager Goodnow of West Keene, according to Keene Sentinel. favors building course "if the initial expense can be kept close down and if it will not

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Robt. McKenzie, chmn., British PGA and pro at Stanmore GC for 40 years, plans to retire from both jobs after this year ... Bob was an original member of the British PGA ... He broke into golf at Nairn, Scotland, under Joe Dagleish ... Harry Pezullo, Mission Hills CC (Chicago dist.) pro, finishing winter school schedule at Postl's health establishment, says this past winter's indoor business far ahead of any previous year ... Carl Rather signed as pro by Tuckaway (Milwaukee dist.) ... Dick Dizoba new pro at Riverside CC (Milwaukee dist.) ... Jack Shields goes as pro to Cedar Rapids (Ia.) CC.

Wolf C. Rimann, pro-mgr., Hillcrest CC. Kansas City, Mo., was shot to death in his parked car near Kansas City downtown district, March 24 . . . Police were told Rimann had drawn between \$20,000 and \$25,000 from a bank earlier in the day to buy a tavern . . . Rimann was widely known in mid-continent pro circles and formerly was active in the section's PGA affairs.

Erik (Swede) Hanson, Omaha pro, planning promotion of "midget" golf tournaments in Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri in cooperation with pros and park and recreation departments. ... Senate Bill 250 proposes Federal Security Administration assist states in de-

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Olin Dutra signed for pro job at new Rancho muny course at Los Angeles which will open with USGA Publinx championship . . Don Calkins and Gomer (Potlikker) Simms, representing western greenkeepers knocked off Emil Mashie and Mel Warneke in winning the NGSA eastwest match at Los Angeles . . . Calkins, Ingleside greenkeeper, won the Greenkeepers' association national championship at Griffith park with 75 . . . John DeDalt of Burlingame (Calif.) CC was NGSA low net winner in the tournament held at the conclusion of the NGSA annual meeting at Los Angeles.

John G. Jones, 82, pro-gkpr., Onodaga GC. Syracuse, N. Y. from 1917 until his retirement in-1937, died March 17, at his home in Cazenovia, N. Y. . . . John was a delight and honor to golf in Central New York and contributed greatly to the advance of the game in that section.



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