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Mel Carrier, Sauganash CC, Three Rivers, Mich., pro, conducted highly successful "swing club" series of four preseason lessons sponsored by City Recreation Commission. . . Detroit's six muny courses still expect to beat last year's record of almost 300,000 rounds despite bad weather at start of 1950 season. . . Nine hole 1,545 yard course at Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, to be opened in late summer. . . It's completely watered automatically.

Palm Beach (Fla.) CC and Palm Beach Biltmore will operate this summer. . . Astoria (Ore.) installs fairway watering. . . Joe R. Kelec goes from asst. spot with Johnny Bulla at Westmoreland CC (Pittsburgh dist.) to pro job at Overlook CC, Columbia, Pa. . . George Howard, Broad-moor CC, Seattle, Wash., pro, on weekly television program.

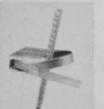
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Robert Trent Jones in Memphis planning another 9 for Ridgeway CC and remodeling Audubon Park muny course. . . Miami (Fla.) still wondering about where to move and build new course. . Mountain View C&GC, near Olympia, Wash., has clubhouse in remodelled pioneer home almost a century old. . . Soquel (Calif.) getting new 9-hole course built by realtor Thomas Prescott. . West Shore GC, Saugatuck, Mich., sold by George Kingsley to Harry Randell, formerly of Oak Park, III.

Heine Martin, Grand Rapids (Mich.) Herald sports editor, did great historical series on Grand Rapids golf clubs. . . Kent CC was the first in Grand Rapids. . . Started in 1896. . . Longest hole of Kent's first 9hole course was 187 yds. . . . Shortest was 83 yds. . . . Par was 27. . . Martin dug up old pictures along with the dimming data in doing a sound job of research. . . Lakewood CC, Denver, Colo., in fine new clubhouse.



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DUAL TRED MAT COMPANY 530 N. 26th Street EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS Lava Hot Springs, Ida., to build short course at the state resort. . . Columbia (Miss.) Golf Assn. pushing development of local course. . English tournament circuit this year has 13 events with equivalent of about \$69,000 in prize money. . One British sports writer calls it "the gold trail." . . A British golfer suggests reducing number of holes from 18 to 12 and increasing length per hole to reduce the importance of putting. . Snead might like that ... But Sam doesn't need any help, according to what the tourney prize money take to date shows.

Henry Cotton, at his golf school at Monte Carlo, has driver-length hammers and nails sticking in posts. . . The pupil pretends the hammer is the club and the nail is the ball. . . Cotton says this gives the pupil the picture of how to hit the ball, and saves a lot of explaining by the teacher.

Recreation Director Malcolm J. Elliott of Saginaw, Mich., surveying Michigan public courses for material to use in getting a public course for the city, found Michigan muny courses self-supporting. . Elliott survey showed Jackson, Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo operating at a profit. . . Lansing's four courses self-supporting and Pontiac, despite considerable improvement expense past two years, only going slightly into red on over-all costs.





This year's British Amateur entry of 322 was largest on record. . . Previous high was 283 for 1936 British Amateur. . . Western GA circularizing golf club memberships for \$5 individual memberships, with WGA bag tags as marks of membership. . . When you see the WGA tag on a bag it means a fellow has done something to help a promising kid get a scholarship he'd never have been able to get otherwise. . . If the golfers who are good fellows at the club bars all would kick in \$5 for the Evans Caddy Scholarship they'd be really showing their credentials as good fellows.

Club managers still burning at charge of American Hotel Assn. pres. T. Harry Gowman at CMAA annual convention. . . Gowman said clubs were ducking taxes in a way that made them unfair competition for hotels. . . Joe Tonetti, New Haven (Conn.) CC mgr. and CMAA director, in United Press interview said clubs get as heavy a tax rap as hotels but get food business because of better food, cooking and service than hotels. . . Tonetti pointed out that hotels are losing business now because they're being run by stock speculators instead of by hotel operators.

Wm. J. Griffin from Algonquin CC (St. Louis dist.) to Brook Hollow GC, Dallas, Tex., as mgr. . . . C. Mac Arrowsmith now mgr., Hardscrabble CC, Ft. Smith, Ark. ... Emile F. Woeller now mgr., Bonnie Briar





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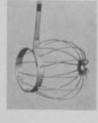
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Cleveland (O.) Dist. National Greenkeeping Supts. Assn. annual Chmn.-Gkpr. gathering held at Kirtland CC, May 26. . . Prof. Eric Sharvelle, Purdue U., guest speaker. . . Ray Dznowski, formerly at La Jolla CC, now gkpr. at Los Serranos G & CC, Chino, Calif. . . Clara Bartlett, new owner of Los Serranos and Los Angeles realtor, on ambitious improvement program for the property. . . Chicago Tribune carries a column story on closing of Techny Fields fee course. . Jock Anderson and Miss Anuta Harms, co-operators of Techny Fields have bought Bonnie Dundee, 18 hole course north of Elgin, Ill. . . C. D. Wagstaff Co. selling greens, fairway and rough sod of Techny Fields course.

University of Minnesota always makes effective tie-ups with Minnesota PGA annual spring meetings by having university students at big clinic PGA puts on in university fieldhouse. . . James E. Thomas to Army-Navy CC, Arlington, Va., as supt.... Chattanooga, Tenn., pros say Marnie Polk and Helen Hampton are two local maids you may hear of in women's golf nationally... Best press job done on a tournament

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this year was that done on Colonial CC Invitation at Ft, Worth. . . Witherspoon and Ridings, public relations counselors. handled this publicity so sports writers had all the dope on the field.

Raymond Carlson, former Chicago dist. caddy, and his wife, have opened golf range south of Elgin, Ill., after doing all the construction work. . . It's a beautiful job (18 tees) in a beautiful location. . . Its neatness is a distinguishing and business-getting feature many other ranges could copy instead of trying to get by with sloppy housekeeping. . . 45 qualifying sections for 3d USGA Junior Amateur championship. . . For kids under 18. . . Entries close 5 p.m. June 26 at USGA, 73 E. 57th St., NY 22. . . Entry fee, \$2. . . Championship at Denver (Colo.) CC, July 19-22.

Westmoreland CC (Chicago dist.) in its usual de luxe year book makes a feature of explaining the Chicago District Golf Assn. handicapping system to get more members properly handicapped. . . Athletic Institute receives award from American Academy of Physical Education for its contribution to education in golf and other sports. . . Regional course maintenance conference at Hilands GC, Billings, Mont., July 10 and 11.

Robt. Bruce Harris and Dr. Frank S. Harris have bought former Vernon CC, Deerfield, Ill. . . . Course, which has been



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closed since pre-war, is being reconditioned and will reopen as daily fee in July. . . Name will be changed to Thorngate CC. .. It's three miles west of Briergate CC, fee course, also owned and very successfully operated by Harris brothers. . . Monomonock Inn, 9-hole course, in Poconos at Mountainhome, Pa., remodeled for this season's play. . . Wisconsin PGA plans clinics preceding state open, amateur and women's tournaments.

Edgar (Butch) Brandau, veteran Michigan pro, in good shape after 10 weeks stay at Veterans' General Hospital, Dearborn, Mich. . . . Russ Newland of AP at San Francisco, reelected pres., California Golf Writers' Assn. for 22d consecutive year. . . Ernie Sabayrac appointed chmn, for Michigan golf peddlers' tournament. . University of Pittsburgh considering buying or building a golf course. . . Sixty women in golf class Tom Talkington of Frank Walsh's staff at Red Run GC (Detroit dist.) teaches every Monday a.m. . . Eric Monti after recovering from auto accident injuries, has appendix removed at Pekin (III.) hospital.

Duke of Windsor buys a new set of Wilson irons from Gene Sarazen. . . Gene got the Duke's autograph. . . On a check. . . More than 300 Negroes will play in United Golf Assn. Open, Amateur and Women's championships. . . Events will be played at

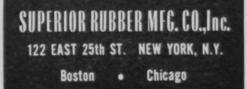
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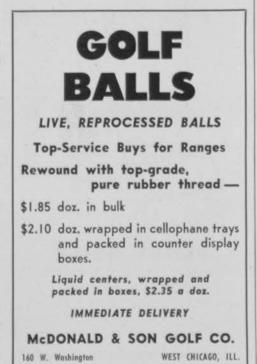
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Washington (D.C.) Anacostia course, Aug. 21-25.

Club Managers Assn. of America asking members to wire congressmen against House Bill S-3357. . . Bill prohibits interstate shipment of slot machines. . . CMAA says bill worded so it might prohibit bingo, bowling or other games of chance. . . What would it do to interstate shipment of cards for clubhouse games, dice for shaking for the drinks or golf balls when used by somebody playing for a nickle a hole? . . . Four slot machines recently taken from Chicago dist. clubhouse by mob musclemen. . . Gorillas told manager, "If you want these back, you know who to talk to." . . . Not grammar, but easy to understand. . . Gorillas weren't referring to the law, either. . . So congress should pass another law?

Texas sportswriters voted Babe Didrikson Zaharias state's "greatest all-around sports figure of the past 50 years." ... Babe got 195 votes. . Her 12 male opponents polled a total of 126 votes. . City of Tallahassee, Fla., Fourth Annual Junior tournament at Tallahassee CC, June 23. . . Five age classes. . From 8 to 10 and up to 17 and 18 years old. . For complete details write E. P. West, Tallahassee (Fla.) CC. . . Western Seniors GA General Tournament Committee, Wm. Diddle, chmn., announces six age classes, starting at 50 years, for its







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1950 championship at Meridian Hills CC, Indianapolis, Ind., June 29-30.

A. H. Krigger, for 25 years owner and operator of the Golf Course Supply Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., died May 24 at St. Joseph's hospital, Pittsburgh. . . He was a grand friend of greenkeepers in western Pa., Ohio and W. Va. and was highly regarded as a practical authority on course maintenance. . . His sons Jack and Don will continue the business.

Macon (Ga.) Telegraph sports editor, Sam Glassman, protests cut in muny course maintenance budget. . . Glassman says work done by pro-gkpr. Hugh Moore, Sr., in getting course in fine condition warrants continuance of the financial policy that has increased course revenue. . . Johnny Revolta and Jimmy Hines, with Herb Vogel as mc on weekly television program in Chicago. . . Sponsors are fee course owners Joe Jemsek of St. Andrews and Charley Nash of Mission Hills.

Looks like it was Frankie Stranahan's tough luck to be first one called upon by USGA to apologize for unfavorably commenting on a golf course. . . Stranahan criticized the Dallas (Tex.) CC course, scene of 1950 Western Open. . . Frankie was by no means first one to say unkind things about a course on which he didn't do well. . . There's been far too much of that by pros



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