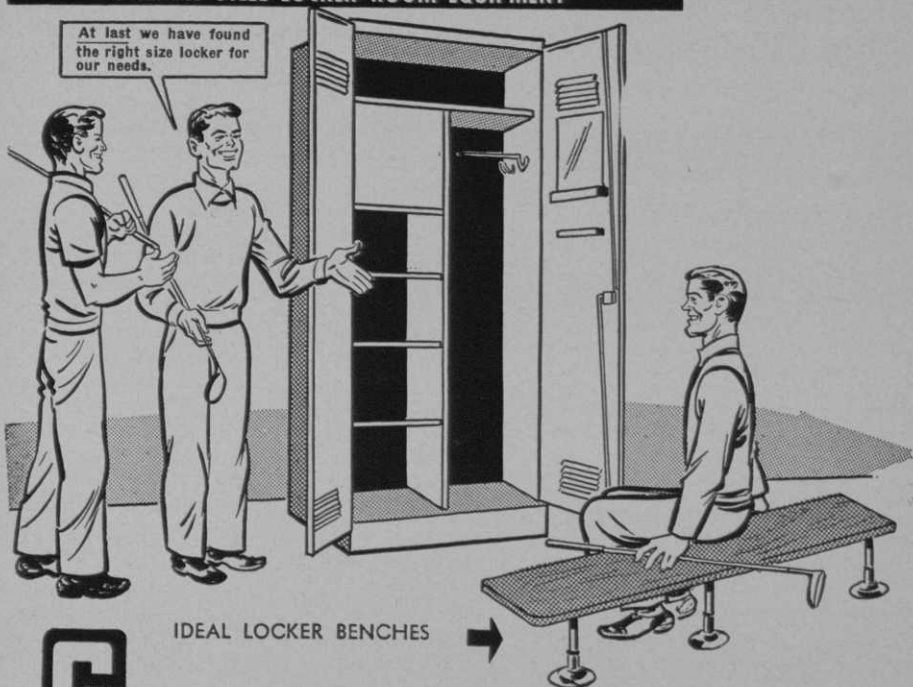


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Al Houghton elected to 6th term as MidAtlantic PGA pres. . . Jack Forrester to Eastward Ho, Chatam, Mass., as pro. . . Minnesota Turf Conference at Curtis

hotel, Minneapolis, Mar. 9, 10, 11 . . . Black Canyon par-3 course and range, built by Art Snyder, opened at Phoenix, Ariz.

Howard Denny, Meadowlake CG, elected pres., Heart of America GCSA . . . Other officers: Harold Henry, Milburn G&CC; sec-treas. L. E. Lambert, Oakwood G&CC, Dodson, Mo. . . Directors newly elected: Norvin Price, Victory Hills; and Kelly G. Clark, Swope Park.

Joe Kirkwood headed home after most successful trick shot exhibition trip to Australia, Java, Sumatra, Ceylon, India, Burma, Malay States, Siam, China, Philippines . . . While Joe was in Australia he discovered that he was born on Fore st. in Canterbury, New South Wales.

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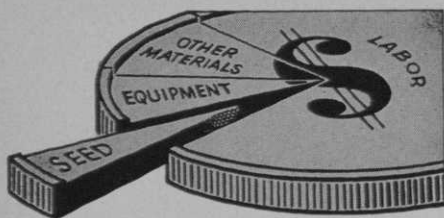
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O. J. Noer at Oklahoma Turf conference was made a life member of the association and presented with a silver tray by Oklahoma supts. . . . PGA winter circuit of 15 events concluding with the Masters' sets record of \$250,000 prize money, \$17,000 more than last year . . . Carl Croft of Annandale and Rancho Sante Fe elected pres., California GA . . . A. A. Douglas, Napa, Calif. elected pres., National Assn. of Left-Handed Golfers . . . NALG will have its 1955 championship at Washoe GC, Reno, Nev., Aug. 8-11.

Highland course at Tulsa, owned by Hugh Bancroft and Paul A. Wilson sold for approximately \$4,000,000, highest price ever paid in Tulsa County for extensive subdivision acreage . . . Tract of 120 acres to be residential and shopping center . . . McFarlin course in Tulsa sold for subdividing about 2 years ago . . . Bob Toski to author "Beginner's Guide to Golf" to be published by Grosset and Dunlap.

Madera (Calif.) first 9 of 18 designed by Bob Baldoek now open . . . Danny Montgomery is pro and Roy King, who worked with Baldoek on construction of Merced, Sy Ranh and Madera courses, is supt. . . . Detroit radio station WXYZ awarded 72 silver belt buckles to Detroit area golfers who made aces in 1954.

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eventual 18 designed by Wm. Langford on Didier property south of Chicago . . . Ben Hagge becomes managing director of Ben Stevenson's Southmoor CC in Chicago dist. which is being converted to private club . . . Harry Pezzulo, III, PGA pres. and pro at Mission Hills GC, conducting Winnetka (Ill.) Park District indoor golf classes this winter.

Pat Tiso from Meadowlands CC, Philadelphia, returning to Long Island after 20 years' absence to become pro at de luxe new Pine Hollow CC . . . Mildred Zaharias receives University of Tampa award as "Outstanding Athlete of First Half of 20th Century."

Southern California GC publishes comprehensive list of member clubs and their members and committee reports in very useful book . . . E. R. Foley elected pres. Northern Calif. GA . . . Why not try shorter cutting and more fertilizing on tees if you have complaints?

MidAtlantic Assn. of Golf Course Supts. elects John Connolly, Fairfax (Va.) CC, pres.; Charles Schalestock, Norbeck (Md.) CC, vp.; Robt. E. Scott, jr., Bonnie View CC, Baltimore, CC, sec.

Ralph Plummer is busy architect . . . He's recently designed 18 for Port Arthur, Tex., 9 for Columbian Club at Dallas, Tex., 9 more for a Houston club, and 18 for Garland (Tex.) CC . . . Jimmy Thomson's official title with A. G. Spalding & Bros. is Golf Relations director . . . His headquarters are at Spalding's executive office, 161 Sixth ave., NYC 13 . . . Tex Consolver, pro at MacDonald Park course, Wichita, Ks., says 66 players in "speed ball" event on their 9-hole course hit the ball around in 5 min., 13.3 sec., holing every putt, for what they think is a world's record.

Eugene F. (Skip) Wogan starting on his 46th year as pro at Essex CC, Manchester, Mass. . . . Essex was first club to join USGA after USGA's five charter members . . . David Levinson, widely known Spalding midwestern official, recently married to Mrs. Prudence H. Lagoni . . . The Levinsons now at home at 435 Diversey Parkway, Chicago.

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Al Escalante from Mexico City CC back to Brownsville, Tex., to be pro at Brownsville CC . . . Mickey Wright, at 19 is youngest of girl pros at Sea Island (Ga.) Ladies 36-hole open invitation event, Jan. 15-16 . . . Otto J. Dreibus, 722 Encelia dr., La Jolla, Calif., and associates planning to build 18-hole semi-private course in San Diego area soon.

John Patterson, Eddy Farms, Sparrowbush, N. Y., has been elected pres., Pocono Turf Assn. . . . Ray Bloxham, Elkview CC, Carbondale, Pa., is new vp; Al Wolfong, Wyoming Valley CC, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was re-elected sec., and Russell Scott, Mountain Manor GC, Marshalls Creek, Pa. is new treas. . . . Dave Hendry of Elmhurst CC, Moscow, Pa., led a field of 52 from total attendance of 100 at annual meeting, in winning the Drennan memorial trophy . . . Pocono group has meetings tentatively set for this year at Berwick CC, Valley CC, Camp Taminment, Glen Oaks, CC of Scranton, Elmhurst and Buck Hill courses.

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Tulsa, Okla., knitting in St. John's hospital, Tulsa, from serious injuries incurred in motor accident that caused death of his wife . . . Dahlman's sister and her husband were killed in a traffic accident driving home from Mrs. Dahlman's funeral.

Tom Foree from Troy CC to be pro at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base course, Dayton, O. . . . Bill Dalghety is new pres., Central NY PGA . . . Ken Murray is beginning 52nd year of Murray family service as pro at Royal Montreal GC . . . Ken's father, Charley, was pro there for 34 years and Ken succeeded him.

Long Beach, Calif., considering plans for building 18 and 9-hole courses and par-3 course in muny airport area . . . Portsmouth (Va.) City council approves lease of ground to Chandler Harper for building 18-hole course . . . Mass. state government asked to build 9-hole course in Cooley Brook reservoir at Chicopee.

Ray Vaughan building 9-hole course for new Tri-Cities G&CC at Christianburg, Va. . . . Carl Cunningham, Jr., Radford, pres., new club . . . Madison, Wis., parks

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New course planned for Mahopac Falls, N. Y. . . Wm. Bell working on plans for semi-private course near Gillespie Field, El Cajon, Calif. . . Cartersville (Ga.) opened new course last Nov. . . To open Venango Trails, Pittsburgh, Pa., new munny course, about June 1 . . . James Harrison designed course.

Tennis Schrechengost and Salvatore Tuchiarelli to build 9-hole course at Amherst, N. Y. . . Waterbury, Conn., Park Dept. plans to build second munny course . . . Richard Kepple, owner of Export Tire Co., Delmont, Pa., in group to build new course at Delmont . . . Jaycees to build munny course at North East, Pa.

Gastonia, N. C. munny 18 being built this winter . . . Billings, Mont., Chamber of Commerce committee survey made to see if interest warranted building munny course got 1200 replies from people saying they wanted to play . . . Covington

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(Ga.) proposes munny course around city lake.

Richland, Ore., new Edgewater GC 9-hole course opened in Nov. . . Cullman, Ga., Times in pushing for local course says attraction of course for employees of industries looking for new locations, aroused paper's interest.

Malone, N. Y., Chamber of Commerce supporting Malone GC program for enlarging from 9- to 18-holes . . . Lake Cheland (Wash.) G&CC opens 5 holes of its 9-hole course built by members' labor . . . Home-made course being built in beautiful site in Oakridge-Westfir area near Eugene, Wash. . . Alliance, O., to expand munny course from 9 to 18 holes this year.

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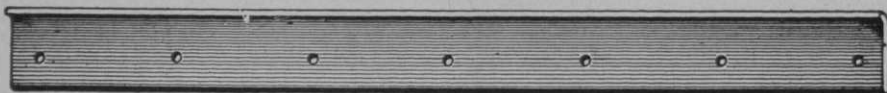
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Russell T. Kelley, since 1938 asst. to the late Tommy Galloway, pro at Hermitage CC, Richmond, Va., signed to succeed Galloway . . . New \$200,000 clubhouse at Bayshore munny course at Miami Beach, Fla., open . . . New completely air-conditioned clubhouse of Winchester (Va.) clubhouse now operating.

Paul Runyan moves to La Jolla (Calif.) CC as pro . . . Alex Antonio, pro at Forsgate G&CC, Jamesburg, N. J., honored by his members with an Antonio Day . . . Henry Bontempo, pro at Franconia, and John Raimondi, pro at Memorial, Springfield, Mass., munny courses say 1954 play at their courses biggest ever with heavy increase of women and juniors.

John P. Gaghan, supt. Goodwin Park course, Hartford, Conn., re-elected pres., Connecticut Assn. of Golf Course Supts. . . . Re-elected also were sec.-treas. Charles Traverse of Mill River and asst. sec.-treas. Andy Lentine of Tumble Brook.

Bill Wallace, Miami, Fla., golf writer says LaGorce am-pro, annual March event, out this year because PGA Tournament bureau wanted \$350 for conducting 18-hole one-day event . . . Bye-bye to juicy picking for some tournament pros hungry at the end of winter trail.

University of Michigan to open par-3 1,102 yd. course this spring . . . Adjacent to Michigan's championship course designed by late Dr. Alister Mackenzie . . . Fritz Crisler, U of M athletic director; Bert Katzenmeyer, Michigan's pro and Bill Slack Jr., who succeeded his dad as supt. of the big course, responsible for design and construction of the par-3 layout . . . U course had more than 32,000 rounds from April 25 to mid-Oct. last year.

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stroyed maintenance barn . . . Equipment saved . . . Jones thinks Ben Hogan can win 1955 Open at Olympic CC, San Francisco.

Swaim Field, second 9 with Nick Todd as supt., and new 9 near Lunken airport, with Joe Allan as supt., are Cincinnati muni courses to open this year . . . Fred Bangs changing from Beverly CC (Chicago dist.) to Chicago GC as mgr. . . . Mexican golf officials puzzled at new tournament at Los Angeles using name of Pan American . . . Name is that used for several years by top money Mexican open event.

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