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Allen Stewart, pro-mgr., Rochester (Ind.) CC, resigned because of Mrs. Stewart's illness . . . He and Mrs. Stewart are returning to their home at Boynton Beach, Fla. Pro-wife combination interested in operating the Rochester club next year should write Hugh A. Barnhart, Pres., News-Sentinel, Rochester, Ind.

Maybe there have been larger galleries than that of the last day of George S. May's World's Championship but we've never seen them . . . The announced attendance figure was 61,000. + Even if there was poetic license the figure must have been a record . . . Ted Kroll's win was very popular with the gallery and other competitors who, if they couldn't hit keno on the \$100Gs, were glad to see Ted get it . . . George spreads out the payments so the income tax bite is lightened.

Pro athletes with peak years of earning power generally fewer than the big earning years of other businessmen don't get fair treatment on income taxes . . . Tommy Armour and his wife, Estelle, who have the smartest financial minds in pro golf, took the athletes' tax case , to the top several years ago but lost the decision . . . However, don't dribble any scalding tears for Tommy and Estelle . . . Fortunate investments made them possibly the wealthiest pair in pro golf . . . Oh, pardon me, I forgot Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Stranahan.

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We wonder how often it occurs to club officials, sports writers and golfers in general that the club pros give far more of their time for free public service, entertainment, charitable causes and promotion of golf than any other people in sports business . . . The majority of club pros donate from 10 to 20 per cent of their time to work that helps others.





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An English event that we don't believe has a counterpart in the US is the Evergreen Mixed Foursomes which is open to men over 55 and ladies over 50... Tommy Armour and Alec Watson, chatting at Winged Foot during a recent pro-amateur, recalled matches they played in the Scottish Amateur championship in 1914... The championship ended the same day that World War 1 was declared and Armour, Watson and most of the rest of the field left the course to join the army.

Stampede GC, organized in 1931 at Soda Springs, Ida., reorganized recently as Soda Springs GC, Inc. . . Dr. Russell Tigert, Jr., is pres. . . Sec.-treas. is S. E. Matthews . . . Club is 9 holes . . . Changing from sand to grass greens . . . Nearest courses are 70 miles away at Pocatello . . . Evans caddy scholarships of Western Golf Association will have a record 304 ex-caddies from 121 clubs attending 27 colleges and universities this fall.

Ray O'Bricn resigns as tournament director of PGA . . . Probably will continue in golf business handling exhibitions and tournament management for sponsors . . . Ray handling group of U. S. pros who will fly from N. Y. Oct. 25 to play in Spanish Open and exhibitions at Rome, Paris and Baden-Baden . . . The Yank pro line-up for the tour will be Chick Harbert, Vic Ghezzi, Jimmy



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Demaret, Jim Turnesa, George Fazio, Bob Toski and Al Besselink . . . Toski and Besselink are going disguised as Auld Tom Morris so they'll fit with the veterans.

J. Edwin Carter newly signed as PGA Tournament Bureau manager says \$20,000 will be minimum pro tournament purse in 1957 . . . Also plans to have schedule a year in advance . . . Lew Waldron, former pro who heads prosperous chemical company in Chicago, out of hospital and recovered from phlebitis.

George T. Sayers, Sr., and Mrs. Sayers fly to Scotland with their granddaughter for combination business and pleasure trip...George, doing a flourishing custom clubmaking business here, arranging for importation of some heads from brother Ben, famed clubmaker at North Berwick.

Tee-talk, Women's Metropolitan (NY) Golf Assn. magazine, is exceedingly interesting, informative and influential illustrated magazine... Editor Adrienne Higgins and her associates Mrs. Anthony Dreyspool, Miss Nonnie Lann, Mrs. Harold A. Sykes, Jr., Miss Judy Frank and Miss Janet Seagle turn out a job that has no superior among golf association publications.

Dow Finsterwald who made an ace during the Tam O'Shanter All-American tournament was wearing a silver four-leaf clover key ring presented to him by a friend, Bill Wehnes, who made an ace the first time he wore a similar key ring . . . Wehnes also gave key (Continued on page 52)



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