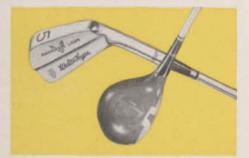
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Dothan (Ala.) CC building \$80,000 clubhouse . . . Begin work on new muny course at Cullman, Ala. . . Coronado (Calif.) wew muny 18 gets 500 tons of gypsum, dredged from Glorietta Bay, for soil conditioner . . . Jack Daray designed the course.

Burbank (Calif.) City Council allots \$297,318 to construction of new course . . . City mgr. H. R. Bennett says course

will pay its own way . . . John Gertsen, Jr., son of pro at San Francisco CC, is captain of golf team at Brigham Young university, Provo, Ut. . . Tracy (Calif.) G&CC first 9 opened . . . Cost \$85,000 . . . Building of Tracy second 9 to begin soon . . . Leroy Silva is pro.

Wm. Newton Horne heads group which has raised more than \$110,000 to build golf club at Pulaski, Tenn. . . W. R. White of Madisonville, Ky., and R. J. Dixon of Maryville, Ky., planning to build 9-hole course at Madisonville . . . To start construction in fall on 18-hole Brown County course near Green Bay, Wis. . . . Packard and Wadsworth, LaGrange, Ill., designed the course.

Florida West Coast Greenkeepers' Assn. tosses Sunshine 18-hole Tarpon Springs, Fla., course back to the city . . , Association was operating course under a lease calling for city cooperation which wasn't forthcoming . . Course, which has some fine holes, has been allowed to run down . . Some talk about it being sold for subdividing . . Tarpon Springs Pro Pete Chuita resigns . . . New 9 in connection

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with de luxe motel being built at Tarpon Springs . . . Will have Homer Herpel, St. Louis pro, heading pro staff of new course which is a few minutes' drive north of PGA National course.

International Business Machines to build course at Oswego, N. Y., where it is building \$12 million plant . . . Augusta (Ga.) Herald carries illustrated feature on classes for

kids of members of the Armed Forces GC where the veteran Mickey Gallagher is pro . . . Gallagher says four years of the classes have brought forth a lot of boys and girls who have learned to play good golf for the next 60 to 70 years.

Brockton, Mass., builds three shelters on D. W. Field muny course after lightning kills golfer dashing to clubhouse during a storm . . . Ralph Leaf, pro at North Hills CC (N.Y. Met. dist.) tells Long Island Star-Journal golf writer, John Brennan, that doctors are most difficult pupils for golf pros to teach . . . They know all about muscles and bones, have analytical minds and expect golf to be made a push-button performance, explains Leaf, who, incidentally has taught some pretty fair doctor golfers.

Some years ago we made a survey of the occupations of state amateur champions ... More dentists than fellows in any other work . . . Jamestown, N. Y. City Recreation Director James Sharp pushing to get enough money to complete building city's course . . . Carolinas PGA asks North Carolina High School Athletic Assn. to

Here's an overhead view of Knollwood CC, Lake Forest, III. where golf addicts followed the fortunes of the Wards, Venturis, Bisplinghoffs, Robbins and a host of other play-for-fun stars who competed for the USGA's Men's Amateur crown. In the left side of the picture, from top to bottom, are the 5th green, 4th green and clubhouse. In the center, partly obscured by trees, is Knollwood's pool with its cabana. Directly above the pool are the men's locker room and the 9th green. At top right is Jules Platte's pro shop which faces the first tee. In the right foreground is the 3rd green, typical of Knollwood's well trapped carpets.

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put girls' golf on individual and team competitive programs . . Dugan Aycock, Carolinas PGA pres., says the programs of the section's members in teaching girls in the morning and boys in the afternoon has the kids showing such great progress their parents now are taking many more lessons.

Merrell Whittlesey, Washington Star golf writer, expresses the opinion of other golf writers when he writes that promotion of section events is retarded by "dull, utterly routine announcements including several hundred words instead of a few attractive punch lines." . . Whittlesey says golf committee heads (men and women) don't pay enough attention to keeping the club bulletin boards bright and up-to-date with tournament announcements . . . Says pros should help in publicizing and getting entries for sectional tournaments.

Five Rohanna brothers — Andy, Kay, Joe, Woody and Ike — open their 9-hole semiprivate course near Waynesburg, Pa. . . Management of a New York state muny course built to a well-operated civic asset by a pro's hard and smart work is sought by small time political hack who is attacking the pro for not having caddies at the course . . . The



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kids don't show because most of the public course players have their own carts and others rent them for considerably less money than caddies get under New York state wage law... Funny thing about the pol's squawk is that when the pro did have caddies around and tried to get golfers to hire them, the pol wouldn't take a kid.

Jim Wild, golf writer of the Baltimore Sun, recovering after heart attack which had him in St. Agnes hospital, Baltimore . . . Enlisted Men's GC clubhouse at Fort Bragg, N. C., opened . . . Scranton, Pa., councilman Jerome E. Parker calls on city's present and potential golfers to help him get a muny course for Scranton.

Gene Hamm, supervising construction of Duke university course at Durham, N. C., was a GI student of course maintenance after service in the Navy . . . He worked under Frank Maples at Pinehurst and other experts . . . Hamm has been on course building jobs at New Bern, Kinston and Washington, N. C., before working on the course Robert Trent Jones deisgned for Duke.

Brainerd Hills G&CC to build 18-hole course at Chattanooga, Tenn. . . This will be 7th course in the city . . . Redwood Empire GC, near Fortuna, Calif., opens its 9 . . . Watered fairways . . . Eddie Dwyer is pro . . . To have 18-hole course as part of 900 acre real estate development north of Fullerton, Calif., airport.

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and Robert Bruce Harris built, will open this fall near Delray Beach and will have holes named after birds of the area... Construction started on Country Chub of Morristown, Tenn., 18... Alex McKay is building the course... Ralph Doyle is pres. of the new club... Lon Mills building the Beaver Brook G&CC new course at Knoxville, Tenn.

Open first 9 of Oak Ridge CC, Farmington, Ut.,...Course owned by Bill Neff and Sid Eliason and leased to Oak Ridge CC members ...Volunteer workers among members doing noteworthy job of building Ramshorn CC 9hole course at Fremont, Mich....Plan country club at Hays, Ks.

Logansport (Ind.) CC begins building \$60,-000 clubhouse to replace one destroyed by fire last winter... Samuel Friedland, head of Food Fair grocery chain, plans to build 18-hole course as one feature of development of 350acre tract at Hallandale, Fla., now being filled ... Stewart Hedrick heads committee to build 9-hole course on land leased from Olathe, Ks.

New \$200,000 country club planned for Talkadega, Ala. . . Organize Marianna (Fla.) CC Assn. with 100 charter members . . Plan to build course . . Maurie Luxford, than whom there never was a whomer working in golf promotion in southern California has been promoting Pepsi Cola and Schweppes in that territory since the first of the year when he resigned from all his golf and civic activ-

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