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At Napa, Calif., 600 citizens contribute \$1 each to form non-profit corporation for developing municipal course . . . Moffett Naval Air Station 9-hole course at south end of San Francisco Bay to open this month . . . Open second 9 of Winchester (Va.) G&CC . . . Fred Findlay was architect . . . Billy Phillips is pro.

Lakeside CC, North East, Pa., opens 18 hole course . . . James G. Harrison was architect . . . Pete Lipchick is pro . . . Now laying out residential area surrounding course . . . Held off on residential development until course was completed, figuring real estate selling would be faster and more economical with course completed.

Rayland Corp., Oil City, Pa., soon to open first 9 of eventual 18 on site of former Fairway Knolls 9-hole course near Titusville, Pa. . . . 32-room motel at course . . . Club operating as private club . . . Robert MacKintosh is pro . . . National Recreation Assn. study of parks and recreation for Fairfax County, Va., recom-



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mends one 18-hole course for every 50,000 population within the course area plus Par 3 courses in larger parks within the urban area.

Blueberry Hill GC, which plans to soon start building 18-hole course to plans of James G. Harrison has financing plan for industries in area . . . It's located in Warren, Pa. . . . Principal industries buy \$10,000 each in stock to

be sold to employees at \$100 a share on payroll deduction plan, plus loan of \$7500 per industry at 3 per cent interest . . . J. L. Deitrick, Grove City, Pa., opens his 9-hole Pine Grove semi-private course.

Judith Ann Smythe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart Smythe of Chicago, and William Howard Sherman were married May 30 at St. Cecilia Catholic Church, San Francisco . . . Sherman, a baseball pitcher while a student at Notre Dame and in the minors after graduation, has been on the field staff of the National Golf Foundation for more than three years . . . He was covering Midwest territory until six months ago when he was transferred to the Pacific Coast with headquarters at 2100 Jones st., San Francisco.

Ben Johnson has returned as asst. pro at Lochmoor Club, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich. . . . He is helping Chick Rutan . . . Johnson had been at Lochmoor until 1956 when he went to California where he worked as a teaching aid to Willie Hunter at Riviera CC in L.A. . . . Big day on

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FRONT COVER — Women teeing off in the Ladies PGA Championship, July 2-5, at French Lick (Ind.) — Sheraton CC, will start from this spot. Marilyn Smith, playing pro at the resort club, is shown getting ready to hit with Roy Seneff, the home pro, and two visitors standing by. Mickey Wright will be defending title at the elegant old Indiana spa. Course is 6,700 yards with plenty of rolling terrain.

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May 12 at Palo Alto (Calif.) Vet's Memorial Hospital when Bob Roseburg, Ken Venturi, John Brodie, San Francisco '49er football star, and Pat Mahoney gave golf demonstration for the Swing Club . . . At same time, Golden Gate Championship (Sept. 21-27) was publicized.

Name of New York State Turf Assn. has been changed to N. Y. State Turfgrass Assn. . . . When Bob Jones won the Open at Winged Foot in 1929, he carried only 10 clubs . . . On the day Jones got a 69 he used only three clubs to hit 54 of these shots: 32 with putter; 14 with driver; and 8 with spade (now known as a No. 6 iron) . . . Steel shafts had become legal that year but Bob stuck to the hickory.

Jack Weingard started second year as pro when Tamiment-in-the-Poconos (Pa.) was opened in mid-May . . . He is being assisted by two youngsters, Joe Mortora, Jr. and Harold Myers . . . To clear the air as of that date, Joe Dey, Jr., executive dir. of the USGA, in a statement issued May 9, said that the USGA executive committee hadn't yet considered a suggestion from an outside source to accept Open entries only from players who "haven't participated in tournaments sponsored by known gamblers."

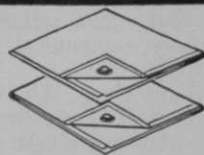
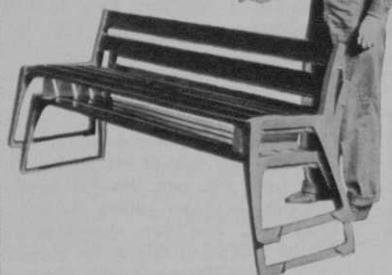
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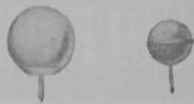
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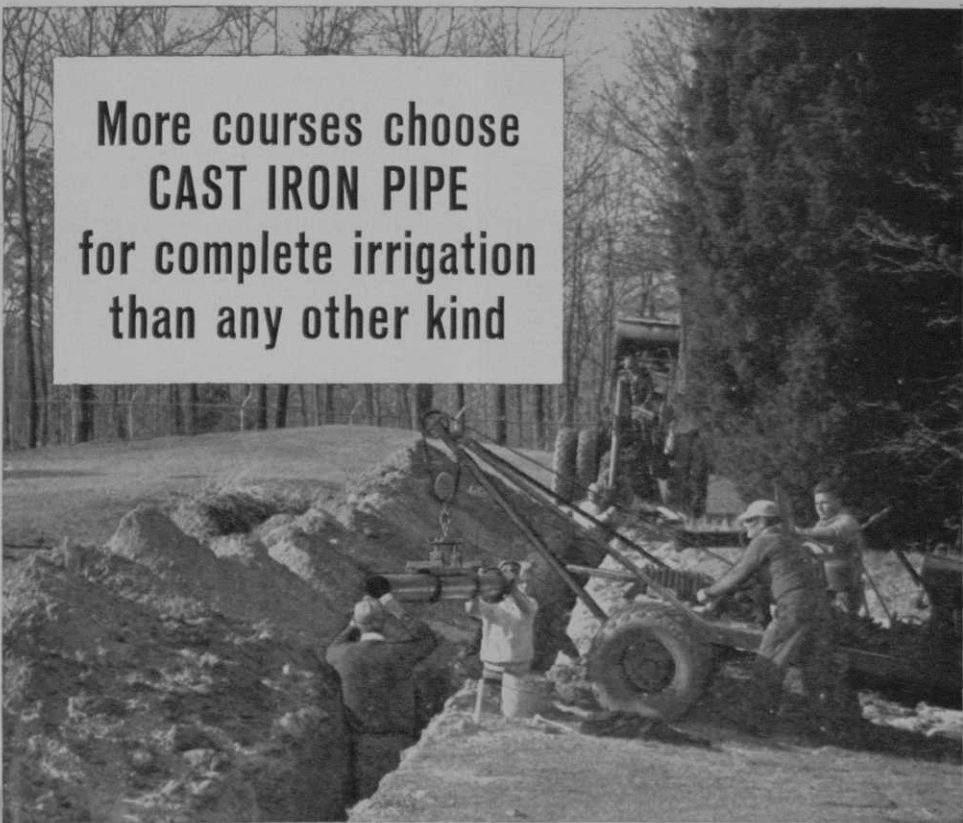
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May Mid-Atlantic GCSA News Letter points out that English supts. also have their troubles . . . Bag trolleys (carts) are parked in front of the greens most of the time, English supts. complain, and traffic is thus confined to a small area, causing a great deal of compaction . . . Brentwood CC on Long Island, N. Y. holding its first Al Smith L. I. High School Seniors Open, June 26-30, for boys and July 1-3 for girls . . . Jack Sheridan, pro, says reason for tournament is to discover and encourage talent early . . . Shawnee-on-the-Delaware, Pa., golf resort in the Poconos,

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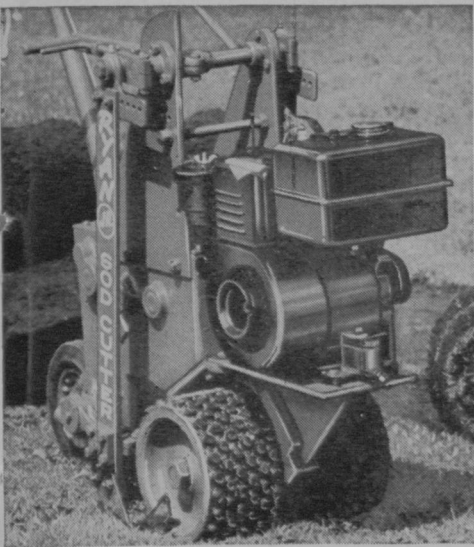
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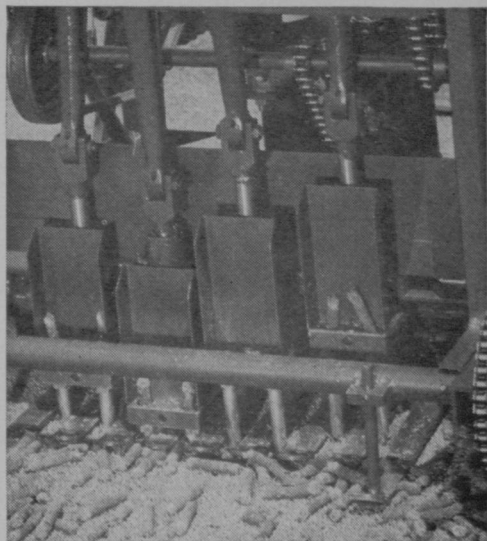
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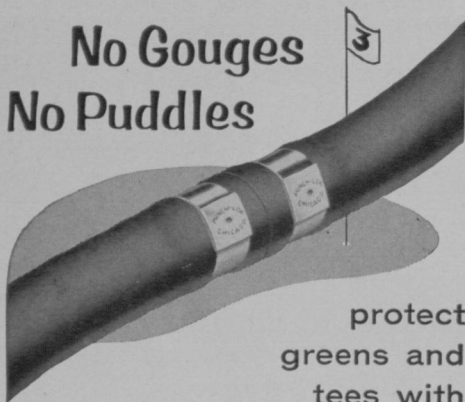


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Utah Open, scheduled for July 17-20 at Oakridge CC, Farmington, offering prize money totalling \$8,000 . . . Pro-am will be played July 16 . . . Play on Allegheny County's (Pa.) 45 holes in 1958 was up about 10 per cent over previous year . . . Gross receipts of \$143,000 netted the county a substantial profit . . . Warren, Pa. Motel and Greenwood Tourist Ct, South Hill, Va., have putting greens and driving ranges in planning or under construction for convenience of guests.

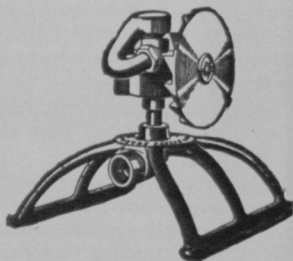
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Oglebay Park in Wheeling, W. Va. soon to construct 18-hole Par 3 to augment its standard 18 and driving range . . . Last year, 65,000 rounds were played at Oglebay and city netted about \$25,000 . . . The range grosses \$12,000 a year which is sufficient to return a profit . . . Wilson, N. C. citizens, spurred by the local Optimist Club, planning to build course . . . Brockway (Pa.) Glass Co. expanding its three-hole course to 9.

New Pine Grove GC, Grove City, Pa., opened in May . . . Construction started in April on Dover (Dela.) AFB course . . . Building first 9 of planned 18 at Milford, Dela. . . It was designed by E. B. Ault and is being constructed by Thomas E. Carroll and Son . . . Ault also recently blueprinted 18-hole course for Chantilly (Va.) National G & CC.

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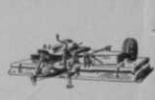
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