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and on, starting at two p.m. . . . Talking about golf course for University of Georgia at Athens but nothing definite in sight.

Lot of argument stirred up by Lloyd Mangrum's remark at Tucson Open about local and touring amateurs on the circuit "cluttering" up the field and "chopping up the course<sup>5</sup>... Amateurs who aren't playing in the tournaments agree with Mangrum ... Other pros are keeping discreetly silent . . . Practical difficulty in keeping the amateurs out is that amateurs in pro-ams preceding some tournaments do considerable of the financing of the tournaments . . . Informed opinion is that the pros take a lot more divots out of a course than amateurs do and if a pro is short or wild with drives and he is bothered by what hacking amateurs have done, the pro's game really has gone sour . . . That wasn't the case with Mangrum who shot 66 on the par 70 El Rio course prior to commenting on the amateur play . . . From the spectator's viewpoint one reason why the amateurs should be kept out of the primarily pro tourneys is that the amateurs are getting to be as tedious on the greens as some of the pros.

Johnny Johnston, formerly pro at Moun-

tain View CC, Roanoke, Va., and golf coach at Wake Forest College, now is pro at Blair Park course at High Point, N. C. . . . He succeeds Chuck Alexander who moved to Rocky Mount . . . Capt. F. M. Johnson, who supervised construction of an Air Force course in Japan and the second 9 at Andrews Air Force Base, Camp Spring, Md., is in charge of getting a third 9 built at Andrews.

**BEST IN PERFORMANCE** 

Gil Cavanaugh, formerly pro at Rockaway Hunting Club, Cedarhurst, LI, N. Y., succeeds Al Collins at Sleepy Hollow CC, Scarsborough-on-the-Hudson, N. Y. ... Collins continues as pro in winter at Nassau ... K. H. Easley building 27 holes of golf to replace Lake Waco (Tex.) GC which will be inundated when new dam is built ... The new layout will be in play in the summer of 1960.

Open Mississippi Southern College course first 9 at Hattiesburg, Miss. . . . John Reiter supervised construction . . . Second 9 is being built . . . Ellis Maples building 9-hole course on part of historic plantation near St. Matthews, S. C. for Calhoun Club . . . Atlanta, Ga., three 18 and four 9-hole city courses played about 4,400 rounds more in 1958 than in 1957 . . . Revenue was up \$9,914 . . .

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Atlanta expects to lose James L. Key 9-hole muny course because of highway construction.

G. B. Hammond, jr., expects to have 9-hole, Par 3 course and 18 miniature at Columbus, Ga., open in May . . . Par 3 will be lighted . . . Project, known as Merry Acres Golf Ranch, will occupy 15 acres and surrounding 45 acres are being sold as home sites.

Lakeville CC building 9-hole course at North Lakeville, Mass. . . . Talk about building course at Kings Point, LI, N. Y., on land owned by village . . . Seldom do we have the pleasure of reading the sort of a tribute to a pro that an editorial in the Calais (Me.) Advertiser paid to Gene McNabb who has been hired away from St. Croix G&CC, Calais, to be pro at Kebo Valley CC, Bar Harbor, Me. . . . Editorial said that Bar Harbor merchants were looking around the state for ideas for turning the Kebo Valley club into "an active money-making proposition, an attraction to visitors that helps steer business into town." . . . The search ended when Bar Harbor merchants saw Mc-Nabb's program at St. Croix . . . Editorial suggests more backing of the Kebo club by local businessmen "who now regard

the club as one of the finest assets the community has."

Watertown (Wis.) CC building second 9 to plans of Packard and Wadsworth, LaGrange, Ill. . . . Dayton, O., consider-ing building new city course as Miami View course is doomed by proposed high-way construction . . . Shawnee Hills chosen by Cleveland Metropolitan Park Board as name of new 18 in Bedford reservation . . . It will open soon . . . Reservation Club, Pine Bluff, Ark., expects to start building course in near future. Ray Mitchell, sports writer of Amsterdam News, New York City Negro newspaper, says he has been offered \$10,000 from one golfer for Negro country club that Mitchell wrote should be established . . . Failure of Negroes to establish and maintain a first class country club is hard to explain.

Estate formerly owned by I. J. Fox near Peekskill, N. Y., to be developed into Stonegate CC by group that Jack Ford has interested . . . Sheboygan (Wis.) CC enlarging from 9 to 18 . . . In the same area, Quit-Qui-Oc CC at Elkhart Lake, adding second 9.

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P.O.BOX 86 GROVETOWN, GA. Phone Augusta (GA.) Regent 3-0638 be built at Englewood, Colo. . . . Billy Bell designing 9-hole course for Eaton Canyon in Pasadena, Calif. . . . Paso Robles, Calif. to build city 18 to plans of Burt Stamps and plans to sell 172 lots bordering course . . . Expect to open Penfield (N. Y.) CC new 9-hole course in early summer . . . Real estate company in Phoenix wants to devote 200 acres of a tract to a cemetery with the surrounding 100 acres to be used for a golf course which the company will give to the city.

Palmer Maples, jr., graduates from University of Georgia and goes to assistant for Palmer, sr., supt. at CC of Virginia, Richmond . . . Allentown (Pa.) municipal course in 1958 set record of \$56,000 for the 7 years the course has been open . . . Fort Walton Beach, Fla., to build muny course.

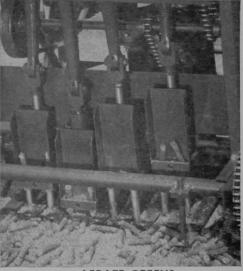
Again a friendly tip to pros to avoid the term "basic fundamentals" in talking about instruction . . . Basic and fundamental are identical in meaning . . . A senior amateur, whose hobby is golf lessons, tells us that he can get almost any pro confused by asking him to explain the difference between hand and wrist action . . . Tommy Armour maintains that a pro, to teach, has to have an extensive vocabulary and the vivid imagery of a poet to get the idea so clearly into the consciousness of the pupil that the pupil can understand and interpret in terms of muscle response.

Raymond Memorial, Columbus, O., municipal course, made new record with its 1958 receipts: \$64,499... The 1957 total at Raymond was \$58,543... El Rancho Verde CC, San Jose, Calif., course with 11 par 3 and seven par 4 holes ... Longest hole is 325 yds. and shortest is 125... Course has 33 traps... Henry Duino and George Santana own and built it... Bob Johnson opens his Fairgrounds par 3 course at San Jose, Calif.

From 60 to 80 prisoners in city jail work in building 18 hole addition to Tucson, Ariz., Randolph muny course . . . Bill Bell designed the course . . . Plandome (N. Y.) CC rebuilding clubhouse destroyed by \$350,000 fire in which a houseman and caretaker at the club died . . . Bill Diddel of Indianapolis to design 18-hole course for Fairborn (O.) CC . . . Diddel is architect for additional 9 being built by Meadowbrook CC, Dayton, O.

Libertyville (Ill.) CC, organized to buy Countryside CC, Mundelein, Ill., and convert it to a private club, makes arrange-





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Ray Petti, for past 4 years asst. to Phil Perkins at Highland Park CC in Cleveland, O., now pro at Landerhaven CC, semi-private club in Cleveland dist. . . . Bob Charlton, six times Springfield, Ill., city champion, turns pro and has been named pro-mgr., Lincoln Greens, Springfield municipal course.

First nine of Pebblebrook CC 18 in Cleveland, O., suburban Chesterland, scheduled to be completed in July . . . New Ellenton (S. C.) GC expects to open next fall . . . Floridan CC, Tavares, Fla., opens second 9 . . . Bruce Heatly is pro . . . New Jersey county park commission, that will build 18-hole course in Bridgewater township, is advised by Executive Director Austin Palmer to hire a course supt. to start work when construction begins . . . Wise man, that Palmer.

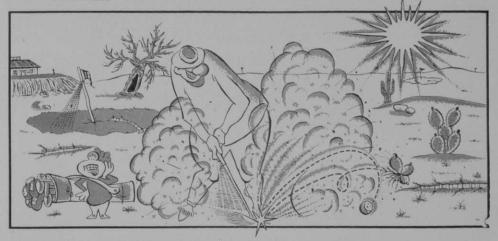
Johnny Bass opening his pro shop at Baltimore's new Pine Ridge muny course ahead of the course opening . . . Jacksonvlile Beach, Fla., financing construction of first 9 of eventual 18 by sale of cityowned lots adjacent to course . . . Expect to sell 32 lots about 90 by 150 ft. for \$3,000 each . . . George Simons now in his 28th year as head man of Atlanta city course . . . He is parks gen. mgr.

Bunker Hill CC, La Plata, Md., soon to start building 18-hole course as part of 300 acre real estate development . . . Charles Schalestock will be architect and builder of the course.

Jack Oliver resigns as pro at Engineers CC, Roslyn, LI, N. Y. . . . Stan Moore, maker of West Coast golf car and big farm and industrial tractor dealer in Stockton, Calif., building his own 9-hole course . . . He's got some well-stocked fishing lakes on it . . . Moore's family members are enthusiastic golfers . . . He was pres., Stockton CC a year ago . . . His course will be in play in June.

Bolling Air Force Base newspaper has a feature on Maj. Nevin H. Gibson, USAF (ret.), who compiled the recently published "The Encyclopedia of Golf" as a hobby . . . During 20 years of active duty with the air force he played golf on more than 300 courses in 11 different countries and was base champion or team captain

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at nine USAF bases. Bud Elford resigns as pro at St. Joseph (Mo.) CC... Melvin Cohn, Ventnor, N. J., one of group planning 3,200 acre com-



