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Kroydon's 1959 Thunderbolt golf ball is made with a liquid center and with thin wall.



The patch which formerly sealed the liquid center has been eliminated. This, the manufacturer says, has strengthened the ball with fewer chances of leaks. It also has resulted in a rounder wind, more uniform and with higher compression. Thread in the Thunderbolt has been increased from 88 ft. to 122 ft., the latter being stretched nine times its length. Kroydon Corp. is located in Melrose Park, Ill.

Mopper Suggested for Lockerroom, Pool-Side

Mopper, a terry-cloth robe, made by Woodmere Mills, Inc., Dept. 327, Bennington, Vt., is suggested for use in the lockerroom or at the pool-side. It is made of thick, snow-white Cannon terry with raglan sleeves and wrap-around belt. The robe also has two carry-all pockets and free, press-on initials for personalizing. It is recommended for either men or women and comes in a clear plastic, wet proof bag. Pro inquiries are invited.

Comptometer Corp. Acquires Burke Golf Company

A. E. Carlson, pres. of Comptometer Corp., Chicago, has announced acquisition of Burke Golf Co., Newark, O., for an undisclosed amount of Comptometer common stock. Jack A. Schram and William D. Schaffner will continue to manage the Burke Golf Div. of Comptometer and all Burke personnel will be retained. Burke, established in 1910, is the oldest exclusive manufacturers of golf clubs in the U. S.

Totally new outdoor floods, designed for locations where concentrated, high intensity light is required, have been announced by Stonco Electric Products Co., 333 Monroe ave., Kenilworth, N. J.

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New Worthington Mower Has Variable Gang Control

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the Wing Lift, it has a lifting mechanism to raise and lower a 5-gang unit. The control permits the cutting swath to be varied from the basic 3-gang (6 ft., 10 ins.) to the full 7-gang (15½ ft.). As on all Model F's with front wheel drive and rear wheel steer, all cutting units are mounted ahead of power unit wheels to eliminate streaks. Wing units are raised and lowered hydraulically. The new combination is available with either Fairway or Blitzer units. The Wing Lift is the result of six years of development and testing by Worthington.

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Wall's Victory Streak Big Boon to Golfcraft

Basic material for Glasshaft clubs, designed by Lloyd Mangrum and manufactured by Golfcraft, Inc., Escondido, Calif., is supplied by Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp., Toledo, O. Shafts are made from fibrous glass yarn woven into glass cloth. They caught on in a big hurry in 1957 when Dick Mayer used them to win the Open. More recently, Art Wall's success with a Glasshaft putter has converted many more golfers to using Golfcraft clubs.

March Record Month for Toro Manufacturing

A record breaking \$3,654,000 shipment of power mowers was made in March by Toro Manufacturing Corp., Minneapolis, according to to R. W. Gibson, vp in charge of sales and advertising. The previous high for any month was \$2,787,000, recorded in Mar., 1956. Gibson attributed the increased orders to the appeal of Toro's new Whirlwind "wind tunnel" rotaries, orders for which are 50% ahead of last year's rotary line. Toro's new riding machine, the Sportsman, also contributed to the record.

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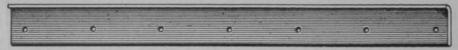
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George A. Davis Catalog

Now available is the 1959 price list for supplies and equipment from George A. Davis, Inc., 5440 Northwest Highway, Chicago 30. Davis handles a complete line of course maintenance equipment, plant food, chemicals and seed.



Roseman Mower Corp., Evanston, Ill., has introduced 5-gang, lift-type, fold-back mower that, it is said, can reduce mowing costs by 50 per cent. Called the Park Challenger, it cuts an 11 ft., 2-in. swath and fits most tractors. The mower is lifted by the tractor hydraulic system and folds back to an overall 8 ft. width for travel between job sites. The two outer mowers can be quickly disconnected for close area cutting. Most existing 3-gang Roseman Challengers can be converted to the new 5-gang model.

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276 and Don Fairfield, 267. Golf writers, George
Luby, Pueblo, Colo., Chieftian, and Glenn Lowry,
Baytown, Tex., Sun., predicted the 1,686 yards in
a contest and each received a doz. of the new balls
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National Golf Day June 6

Four Added to Wilson Staff

Wilson Sporting Goods Co. has added four pros to its staff. They are Don Bisplinghoff, Bob Crowley, Claude Harmon and Mason Rudolph. Bisplinghoff, former USGA Junior champion, and Rudolph, Western Amateur king in 1956, are playing the pro circuit. Crowley, a pro since 1951, was New England Intercollegiate champion in 1950. Claude Harmon, Winged Foot pro, won the 1948 Masters. He has been a pro for 22 years.

Fairway Sportster

Red-E-Tractor Co., 5-64th st., Richfield, Wis., points out that the Fairway Sportster golf car runs half a day on a tank of gas. It has foam cushion seats for two, push button electrical starting, automatic clutch, three-speed transmission, and, the manufacturer says, will not tip. Complete information about the Sportster can be obtained by writing Red-E-Tractor Co.

Keasbey & Mattison Appointments

H. J. Angstadt has been named mgr. of Keasbey & Mattison Co's asbestos-cement pipe plant in Santa Clara, Calif. Other recent K & M appointments: D. P. Maloney is the new general plant mgr. of the St. Louis factories; James C. Butler is staff chemist in the company's Research & Development dept.; J. L. Rainey is the new plant mgr. of the Meredith, N. H. branch; and Michel Gochtovtt has been named design mgr. in the Central Engineering dept.

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and has its own parking lot.

Thirteenth National Pee-Wee championship will be held at Dubsdred CC, Orlando, Fla., June 13-14 . . . Five age classes of kids . . . It's grown into big publicity and the kids have a lot of fun . . . H. Stuart Johnston, mgr., Greater Orlando Chamber of Commerce is the fellow who can give you full information on the event . . . Stamford (N. Y.) GC will be host to New York State Masons' tournament Sept. 12 and 13 . . . Field is more than 200 . . . Masons' affair was held at Cooperstown last year.

George Piggott from Bainbridge Naval Training Center, Baltimore, suceeds Don Saylor as pro at Andrews Air Force Base . . . Ronnine May, who was asst. to Saylor at Andrews now is pro at Maplehurst CC, Frostburg, Md. . . . George Cobb is architect of remodelled 9-holy section of East Lake CC, Atlanta . . . Cobb also architect of new Lakeside CC 18 for Atlanta and Green Valley CC, Greenville, S. C., course which will be part of real estate development.

Alexander G. McKay, Morristown,*
Tenn., designed and is building fine 18hole layout at Statesville, N. C. . . .
Course will be surrounded by building
lots . . . Bristol, Tenn., 18 for which McKay was architect and builder, to be in
play in a few weeks . . Willie Ogg now
with Ridge Manor (Fla.) CC in charge of
golf . . Ridge Manor, large real estate
development on 301 (40 miles north of
Tampa) has 9 holes now . . . Ogg building another 9 this summer.

Didn't your heart bleed when you heard about Dr. William H. Picard, 28, being killed in an automobile accident in South Carolina on his return from the big party given his father at the Charleston (S. C.) CC the previous day, April 6? . . . He was a fine young gentleman, brilliantly advanting in his career, and had been a quarter-finalist in the 1951 National Amateur . . The many in golf who esteem and love the Picards, felt shock and sympathy deeper than they could express.