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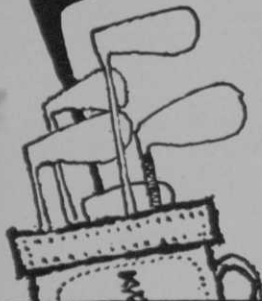
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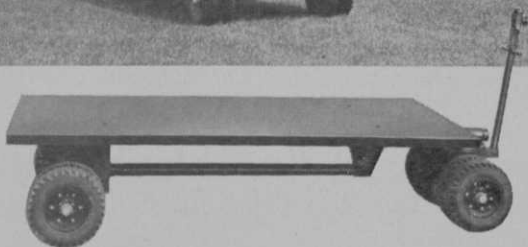
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(Continued from page 28)

Pine Hollow CC, East Norwich, L. I., N. Y., recently acquired by 275 members and converted to a private club, has engaged George Smith as pro . . . A veteran in the game, Smith had been pro at the CC of Buffalo for the last nine years . . . Desert Inn CC in Las Vegas will be a busy place this spring with two tournaments . . . The first, the Trans-Miss Seniors, will be played Mar. 27-30 . . . The Tournament of Champions is carded for May 4-7 . . . After Joe Campbell scored that ace in the 1960 Desert Classic, Lloyds of London, which had underwritten the insurance against such a happening, increased the premium from \$4,800 to \$13,500 for this year's event . . . Then Don January came along . . . It will be interesting to see what the 1962 premium will be - probably \$100,000 . . . Palm Springs C of C erected a scoreboard in the center of town while the Classic was being played to keep the citizens abreast of what was happening . . . Had to do something to keep people shopping.

Monterey Park GC Par 3, range, miniature, restaurant and pro shop opened in Oakland, Calif., in January . . . It's being operated by Fred Hudson, veteran PGA member . . . Illahe Hills CC to open in Salem, Ore., this spring . . . Said to be the first real golf club in the Oregon capital . . . Construction to start in May on Sharon Estate course, a short distance from

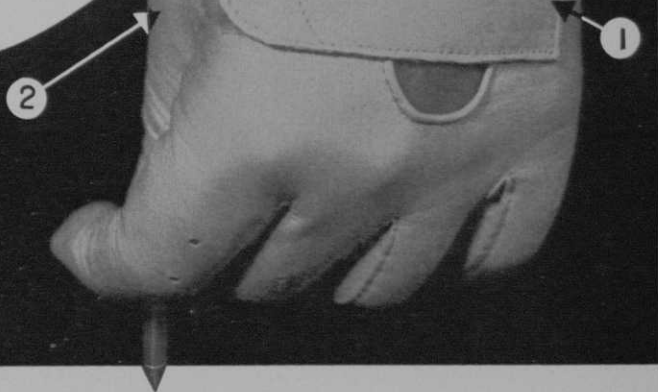
Stanford University . . . Total cost of project will run to \$1.4 million . . . Course designer is Jack Fleming . . . San Leandro, Calif., expecting to put in a 9-hole munny Par 3 with a regulation course coming later . . . Work proceeding on \$650,000 Palo Alto Hills CC clubhouse . . . Northern Calif. PGA Charity tournament will be played Apr. 24 . . . Last year the pros, shunning prizes, etc., turned over \$4,400 to a boys' school in San Rafael . . . Bancroft Timmons, Alabama Motorists Assn., who has long made a hobby of visiting courses, picks these as the greatest in the world: St. Andrews, Oakmont, Pine Valley, Augusta National, Pebble Beach, Merion, Pinehurst No. 2, Oakland Hills, Canterbury and Medinah No. 3.

Southeastern Seniors' amateur "tournament circuit" this year has had bigger fields and better scoring than ever before . . . Despite conflicts in dates each tourney has about all the entries it can comfortably handle . . . Getting so there's a lot of golf by Senior contestants' wives as tournament auxiliaries . . . Pontaluna GC, Muskegon, Mich., spending \$100,000 on clubhouse modernization . . . Pros having their own winter indoor schools, or those teaching classes in high schools and other community centers, say that women's enrollment and interest beats anything they've ever seen.

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number of job changes, too . . . High operating expenses of pro department without corresponding revenue increase to pay for members' demands for services has accounted for a lot of job switches . . . "Wholesale" and trick discount house competition was brutal on pros at a number of clubs last year . . . This was evident even at a few reputedly high class clubs where members were supposed to be educated in practices and obligations of private club membership.

Don Bisplinghoff, who made quite a name for himself as an amateur four or five years ago, is the new pro at the Golf & Sea Club, Apollo Beach, Fla. . . . Nine holes of the 7,100 yd. 18-hole course have been completed to the design of Robert Trent Jones . . . German Amateur and German Ladies' Championships will be played Aug. 7-10 at Krefield, and German Open will be staged a week later at Bad Ems . . . The International Golden Circle Golf Festival, to be held at DeSoto Lakes G & CC, Sarasota, Fla., Mar. 19-26, will consist of nine different tournaments for women . . . Top features will be what is said to be the first all-women's Pro-Am and Ladies PGA 72-hole tournament for a \$8,000 purse . . . There'll also be Four Ball state team tourney, women's amateur Round Robin, 72-hole amateur event, Girls' Junior tournament and a clinic by the women pros.

Sponsors of Colonial National, to be played May 11-14 at Colonial CC, Ft. Worth, point out that its first place money of \$7,000 is higher

Western Open to be Played in Grand Rapids, Mich.

They've found a home for the 1961 Western Open tournament. You'll recall that it was orphaned several weeks ago when Scioto CC, Columbus, O., withdrew as host club. Arrangements have been made by the Western Golf Assn., sponsor of the event, to hold the tourney at Blythefield CC, Grand Rapids, Mich. on June 22-25. This is the second straight year that Michigan has had the Western. In 1960 it was played at Western GC in Detroit, with Stan Leonard winning it in a sudden death playoff with Art Wall, Jr. Blythefield was host to the Western Amateur in 1953. This will be the third time that the Western Open has been played in Grand Rapids. It was held at the Kent CC there in 1904 and again in 1911.

than the top prize in more than 80 per cent of the tournaments on the 1961 PGA slate . . . The winner's share is being increased from \$5,000 . . . Mention of Mike Brady as a member of the Hall of Fame, recalled to John Roberts of Brooklyn, who long has been interested



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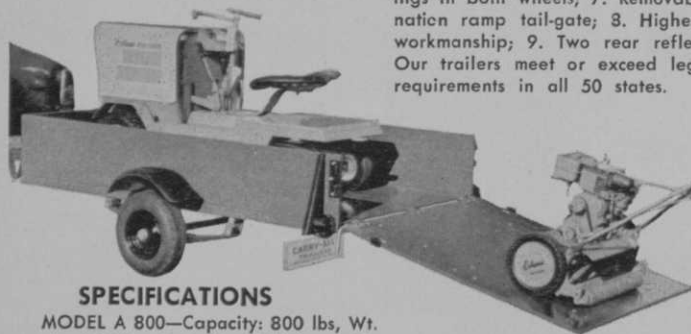
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in the game, that Mike scored two aces in an 18-hole match in 1917 at Siasconset GC, Nantucket, Mass. . . . The card (signed by six persons) recording the deed, still is to be seen at Siasconset.

Jimmy Ukauka, pro at Kaneohe Klipper GC at the Marine Air Corps station in Hawaii for the last nine years, has resigned . . . Philadelphia City Council has been asked by the mayor to provide \$800,000 for purchase of Holmesburg GC and adjoining 14-acre tract . . . City recreation dept. would refurbish the course and develop recreation center alongside it . . . It occurs to us that tournament publicity men would save golf writers a lot of time if they would include the dates of their events in every release they send out . . . Usually they show the dates in the first two or three releases, but those that follow usually omit them . . . That means the writer has to go diving into his rat's nest to come up with the information so that it can be passed on to the reader . . . The reader wants those dates regardless of how many different times a particular tournament may be mentioned.

Golfers at Willowick CC, Santa Ana, Calif., famous for their aces (they scored 22 in 1960), got the ball heading for the hole on Jan. 3 when Art Kidd sank a 150-yard tee shot . . . The first 1960 ace wasn't scored until Jan. 24 . . . Joe Moresco, who prepped in Claude Harmon's pro shop at Winged Foot, moves to Woodmere CC



Bob Hendricks, Jim Inglefield, Bill Kozak and Pete Manning (l to r) are shown at Dunedin (Fla.) Invitation which Hendrick, a pro from Indian Valley CC, Telford, Pa., won with a 137. It was the second time the tournament has been played and 118 pros took part. Manning and Kozak teamed up to take the pro-member event.

in L. I. as successor to Al Brosch as head pro . . . Thinking out loud recently, Joe Williams, N. Y. World-Telegram and Sun sports writer, asked why there isn't a golf trophy named for Walter Hagen . . . Joe suggests that the British probably will come up with something in the Haig's honor one of these days while American golf is doing all it can to make him disappear . . . About the same thing hap-



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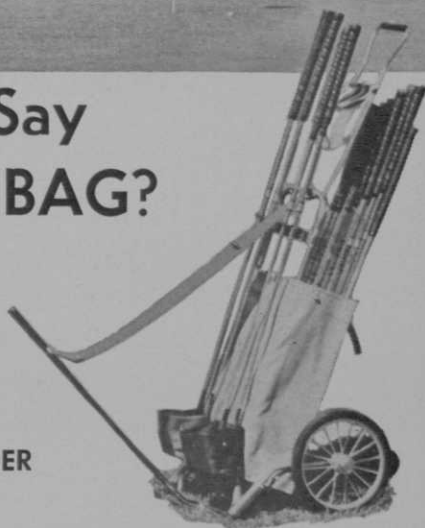
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Washington D. C.'s many courses (total of 90 holes) reported 325,000 customers up to Dec. 10, 1960 . . . Then the snow came . . . This was an increase of about 1,000 over 1959 and of 42,000 over '58 . . . Many operation there includes three miniatures, with 81,000 customers in '60, and one driving range, patronized by 48,000 people last year . . . More than 250,000 rounds were played at Philadelphia's five many (90 holes) in 1960, an increase of about 14,000 over the previous year . . . Receipts for many play in Allegheny County, Pa. (Pittsburgh) were \$191,000, about \$27,000 higher than they had been in 1959 . . . Boston had an increase in its many take of around 20 per cent over the previous year . . . In Rochester, N. Y., golfers played 107,000 rounds over two 18-hole many layouts . . . This

figure was up about 7,000 over 1959 . . . Nearly 28,000 of these rounds came in July.

In Bridgeport, Conn., total rounds over 36-hole Fairchild-Wheeler GC went over the 100,000 mark . . . Cash receipts of \$115,000 were up \$24,000 but this was largely due to an increase in green fees . . . Niagara Falls, with 27 holes, had 58,000 players on many courses in 1960 compared to about 50,000 the previous year . . . In Essex County (Newark) N. J., 1960 figures at Hendrick Field were almost identical with those of the previous year — in the vicinity of 73,000 persons registered . . . At the 9-hole Weequahic Park course, there were 32,910 players registered in 1960, about 300 less than the previous year.

Oglebay Park in Wheeling, W. Va., a 9-hole layout, had 69,000 customers last year, an increase of 2,000 over the previous year . . . Philadelphia residents may buy many season permits for \$30 and then pay 50 cents to golf on weekdays and \$1.00 on weekends . . . Permits for residents over 65 (male) and over 62 (female) are free . . . They pay 50 cents to play on weekdays but permits are voided on weekends and holidays . . . Bridgeport, Conn., has policy of issuing courtesy golf permits to persons over 65, meaning they play for free . . . Oldest courtesy card holder is man of 78 . . . Chemstrand Corp., Pensacola, Fla., making site available for course for its 600 employees . . . Volunteer labor will be used to build part of the layout.

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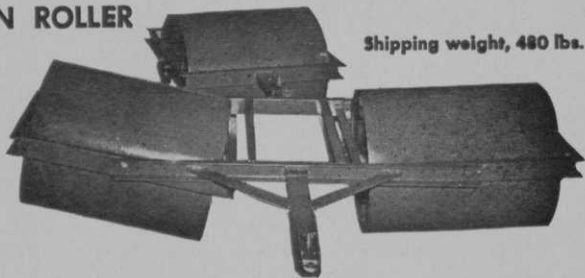
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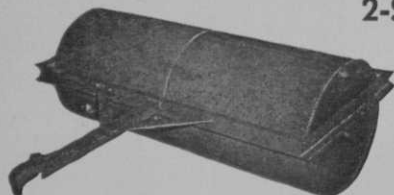
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Twenty-three pros with 31 1960 titles will be in the field for the \$40,000 Colonial National tournament to be played for the 16th time in Ft. Worth, May 10-14 . . . W. S. Terrell, Charlotte, N. C., won the Sea Island Seniors in Feb. with a 150 . . . He played in the 50-59 age group . . . Par 3, clubhouse, swimming pool and 500 homesites make up the Apple Orchard development that is going in in Bartlett, Ill. . . Joint meeting of Kansas and Okla. Turfgrass Assns. and Heart of America GCSA will be held at El Dorado (Kans.) CC on Mar. 14 . . . Tommy Johnson is pro at new

Bonita Valley CC, near San Diego . . . He formerly was at Del Rio CC, Brawley, Calif., for eight years . . . Bonita Valley, opened Feb. 15, will have total membership of 700 and is set up as a family club . . . Regular playing length of its course is 6,600 yds.

Patty Berg, Bob Toski, Connie Mack, Jr., and Jerry Goss, home pro, officially opened 3,400 yd. Colonial Palms GC, Miami, Fla., in late January before a gallery of 700 . . . Patty took the scoring honors with a 55 . . . Walter E. Swartz, recent soil agronomist graduate of Penn State U., has joined the staff of Thomas E. Carroll & Son, course architects of Silver Spring, Md. . . . In the last year or so, the Carroll firm has completed 13 courses in the Del., Va. and Md. area . . . They include Lakewood and Cherry Valley in Rockville, Md., Eastern Shore Yacht & CC, Onancock, Va., Poolsville (Md.) GC, Dover (Del.) AFB course, and Milford (Del.) CC . . . Eddie Ault, architect, Charles B. Tuley, Jr., landscape consultant, and Robert Elder, turf agronomist, also are connected with the Carroll firm.

Innis Brown, retired newspaper and magazine editor, who started the American Golfer with the late Grantland Rice, died in Lakeland, Fla., late in Jan. . . . He was 76 . . . After graduating from Vanderbilt, where he was captain of the 1905 football team, Mr. Brown worked on newspapers in Nashville, Atlanta and N. Y. . . . CC of Austin, Tex., undertaking \$350,000 rebuilding project covering the club-