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#### Suggests Keeping Record of T & E Expenses

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done, and if it can be justified, it goes a long way in backing up your business claim percentage.

claim percentage. In separating business from personal use, remember that travel from your home to your place of business and return is considered personal. The percentage that vou arrive at as your business use of the auto can be applied to all other expenses connected with your auto-insurance, gasoline, oil, repairs, grease. licenses, parking, storage, depreciation, etc. to arrive at your total auto business expenses. In figuring depreciation, be sure that you deduct salvage value from the cost of your auto. This figure is an estimate of what you judge the value of your auto will be after you have used the auto for the number of years that you've based your depreciation on. Factors effecting this estimate will be the number of years the auto will be depreciated, cost of the auto when new and total miles driven.

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This article is not intended to make a "do it yourself" taxman out of you. Its main purposes is to enable you to cooperate more intelligently with your tax adviser by calling attention to the deductions that you can legitimately take and those to which you aren't entitled.

#### **Golfing Poll Winners**

Of the 213 golf writers who took part in Golfing's annual poll to pick the winners of the USGA Open, PGA Championship and National Amateur in 1961, only two came up with the right answers in as many as two instances. Wally Wallis of the Daily Oklahoman, Oklahoma City, selected Gene Littler for the Open and Jack Nicklaus for the Amateur, while Dana Mozley of the New York Daily News picked Jerry Barber to capture the PGA and Nicklaus to take the Amateur. A total of 167 writers didn't have to look very far into their crystal balls to come up with Nicklaus, incidentally.



#### **GCSA Education Program**

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will be-discussed by a panel including Stratton H. Kerr, U. of Florida; Homer Wells, Tifton (Ga.) Coastal Plain station; and John A. Long, O. M. Scott & Sons:

Glenn W. Burton, Tifton Coastal Plain Station – Shade Problems in the South.

#### February 1

#### (Morning)

L. R. (Bob) Shields, supt. at Woodmont CC in Rockville, Md., will be the chairman of the meeting on "Progress Through Knowledge." His speakers will be:

William Bengeyfield, USGA green section — Another Look at Labor Management;

Norman Goetze, Oregon State College — Certification and Quality in Seeded Grass;

Ted Roberts, Jr., supt. DuPont CC, Wilmington, Del. – Safety in Maintenance;

Charles G. Wilson, Milwaukee Sewerage Commission – Practical Solutions to Golf Car Traffic;

Warren Bidwell, supt., Olympia Fields (Ill.) CC – Clubhouse Relations;

Andrew A. Bertoni, supt., Meadowbrook CC, Northville, Mich. – \$64 Questions (a quiz program).

#### February 2

#### (Morning)

"Golf Course Irrigation" will be the theme of this session presided over by Dick Viergever, supt. at The Olympic Club in San Francisco. His speakers will include:

Elmo Dowling, Rainy Sprinkler Sales – Water Supply Sources;

Water Distribution discussion panel will include Ralph E. Engel, Rutgers U.; H. M. Clark, Buckner Mfg. Co.; and David S. Moote, Rosedale GC, Toronto.

A panel which will discuss "Semi-Automatic Systems" will include these supts.: William O. Ballentine, Orlando (Fla.) CC; Gene C. Reid, Randolph Muny, Tucson; Edward J. Casey, Baltusrol, Springfield, N.J.; Robert E. Grant, Runaway Brook CC, Bolton, Mass.; and Roy W. Nelson, Ravisloe CC, Homewood, Ill.



Billie Hartung (left), five-time winner of the Florida state women's championship and holder of several other ladies' titles, recently won a set of First Flight irons for scoring an ace on the 10th hole at Riviera CC, Coral Gables, Fla. She scored with a First Flight ball. Mrs. Hartung is seen with Jack Kelsey, First Flight salesman (center) and Buck Luce, Riviera pro. Luce did all right, by the way. He was paid a \$60 profit on the irons and received a set of First Flight woods, a bag and a dozen balls as his prize for having a member who scored an ace. Jack Harkins, First Flight pres., was pretty happy about this one since he is a founder of Riviera CC.

#### **Cushman Becomes OMC Division; Cooper Is New Head**

Cushman Motors, Lincoln, Neb., has reororganized its management team. Formerly

a subsidiary of Outboard Marine Corp., it is now a division. The change was brought about by the resignations of Robert H. and William M. Ammon, former pres. and vp, respectively. Head of the new division is Wayne L. Cooper, previously sec.-treas. of the subsidiary. James W. Creighton has been named factory manager and Keith A. Pope,



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director of accounting. Creighton formerly was manager of OMC's Lawn-Boy plant and Pope was an OMC accounting supervisor.

#### James Smith, Jr. Named **Aero-Thatch President**

James Smith, Jr. has been appointed pres. of Aero-Thatch Co., Rahway, N.J. He succeeds his father who becomes vp in charge of research and development. The younger Smith has been with Aero-Thatch since 1953, when it was started, in a sales capacity. He is a graduate of the Rutgers U. school of agriculture. The elder Smith founded Aero-Thatch when he was pres. of Fertl-Soil, Inc. and developed the widely acclaimed CHIA method of soil conditioning and control. The Aero-Thatch machine aerates, de-compacts, reduces thatch and cultivates in a single operation.



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#### Florida Supt. Says Trucksters Are Easy on the Turf

Model 780 Cushman Trucksters, made by Cushman Motors, Lincoln, Neb., are being used extensively at LeJeune GC, Miami, Fla.,



according to Supt. Paul Turcotte. The Trucksters, according to Turcotte, are easy on fairways because the 4-ply traction-tread tires do not mark the turf even though they provide sufficient traction under wet and slippery conditions. The Cushman vehicle has an 11.1 sq. ft. body section, convenient for hauling mowers, hoses and other maintenance equipment. The Truckster is powered by a 9 hp die-cast aluminum engine that operates on an automotive type transmission. It gives approximately 40 miles to a gal.

#### Davis Fills in for Young in Cooper's Eastern Area

Cooper Manufacturing Co., Marshalltown, Ia., power mower manufacturer, has announced that the territory of W. Newton Young, longtime representative of the company, is being reduced because of his health. Arrangements have been made for Robert (Bob) Davis to take over part of Young's territory-Western Pa., New York and New England (except L. I., New York City and lower New York.) Davis, who works out of Middletown, N.J., has been associated for several years with distributors who handle Cooper's products.

#### American's Low Price Floor Mat

A low price floor mat with easily cleaned corrugated top surface, an extremely durable fabric insert and  $\frac{1}{4}$  in. heel-proof perforations, is being produced by American Mat Corp., 1802 Adams St., Toledo 2, 0. It comes in five colors, three thicknesses from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., and is recommended for entrances, lobbies, ramps, etc. Details on this and other American Mat products can be obtained by writing to the company.

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#### Toro's Caddy Master Designed for Finger-Tip Guidance

Caddy Master, produced by Toro Mfg. Corp., Minneapolis, is battery operated and is said to travel 18 holes without a re-charge. Its four-



wheel trailing design keeps the weight of the machine to a minimum (79 lbs.) and this lightness makes possible finger-tip guidance. The Caddy Master breaks down readily to fit into a car trunk. It has 110-volt a.c. charger and timer clock, the 12 volt power supply is totally closed and the electric drive motor is completely sealed against dirt. Toro rents the cars to players through a pro shop setup.

#### Sod-Master's Powered Topdresser Covers 36-Inch Swath

Mete-R-Matic, a new powered topdresser, manufactured by Sod-Master, Minneapolis, Minn., is designed to topdress greens, etc.



mechanically. It has a gas enkine and is guided by the operator by means of a front handle bar. Topdressing material moves from the 1/5 cu. yd. hopper on a treadmill to a large, rotating brush brush at the rear of the machine which

mechanically. It has a gas engine and is guided by the operator by means of a front handle bar. Topdressing material moves from the <sup>3</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cu. yd. hopper on a treadmill to a large, rotating brush at the rear of the machine which drives the material downward in a 36-in. swath.

#### New Power for the Brushking

Rowco Mfg. Co., N.H., has equipped its Brushking Model 660, a portable brushcutter, with a Power Products modified model AH 47 engine. The high speed, two-cycle, aircooled engine develops three hp throughout the unit and, because of its two-stroke design, is easily maintained. Rowco also makes Trimkut power lawn trimmer, Rollking small-size power roller and Quik-Pik litter picker.



#### Bogey Buggy Picked as Name Of New Nordeco Golf Car

Robert Masten, Boone, N.C., real estate broker, is the winner in the "name the car"

broker, is the winner in the contest sponsored by Nordeco (N or t h w e s t Development Corp.) to give a name to its one-man golf car. Masten selected "Bogey Buggy" for the new vehicle manufactured by the Kohler, Wis. firm and has been awarded one of the cars. Bogey Buggy is powered by a 4 hp gas engine and travels up to 9 mph over the roughest terrain. Its one piece molded fiberglass body and the muffler system are de-



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signed to keep motor and exhaust noises at a minimum. The car travels on low-pressure, 5-in. airplane type tires.

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#### International Combination Used in Denver Course Construction

International's 460 Industrial tractor and Wagner Loader combination (photo) was used



in pulverizing topsoil for the greens at the new 27-hole Cherry Creek Park public course in Denver. More than 600 yds. of soil was fed into the pulverizer for the greens. The city also used another 460 yds, to complete the course and a recreation area at Cherry Creek reservoir.

#### Goodwin Markets New Sleeve-Type Grip

A new and expanded line of sleeve-type golf grips is being produced by Goodwin Mfg. & Development Co., Durham, N.C. Marketing of the grips is being handled by Goodwin Sales Div., Alderman-Ondo Corp., PO Box 1086, Warren, O. A new compound, X-70, is being introduced in the grip. It is said to improve hand feel, prevent slippage in any kind of weather and has strong resistance to abrasion and wear. The new line comes in several eyeappealing combinations. The Goodwin line is handled through established pro distributors.

#### Tri Powered's TeeBirdie Gives 18 Holes to Gallon

Par for the TeeBirdie, built by Tri Powered Corp., Austin, Tex., is said to be 18 holes to a gal. The car runs on a 7 hp air-cooled Kohler



engine and has several other noteworthy features including automatic transmission, power brakes, coil springs, welded steel frame and fiberglass body. The TeeBirdie has an oversize tank, capable of holding  $2\frac{1}{2}$  gals. of gas.

#### Chamberlin Kart Brochure

Extensive research is said to have led to the development of many new features in recent months in the Chamberlin Ko-lap-si Kart. These and other construction features are described in a brochure that is newly released. To get it, simply drop a card to "Brochure," Chamberlin Metal Products Co., Frankfort, Mich.

#### Moist O'Matic Has New Heads for 11-Station Controller

A new line of heavy duty, brass body, geardriven rotary pop-up turf sprinkler heads, teamed with a compact 11-station automatic sprinkler



controller, is being produced by Moist O'Matic, Inc., Riverside, Calif. Both full and part circle heads are available. Each has exclusive threenozzle design, finger tip part circle adjustment, extremely low pressure drop and a wide range of nozzle selections. Part and full circle heads give identical performance and are interchangeable. Operating pressure range is from 35 to 150 psi and radii from 45 ins. to 95 ft. Moist O'Matic's new Monitor, an 11-station controller, has a motor driven rotary selector valve with easily adjustable section knobs, giving control of the 0 to 60 minutes running time of each section.

#### **New West Point Models**

Important tools in West Point Products Corp's line are the 1962 Vertifier and Aeri-Vac. The former has hydraulic, lateral action for fast vertical coring on greens and other



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Aeri-Vac

fine turf areas. Tines are adjustable for depth setting and front operation and turn-table action make it easy to turn the machine in its own path. The Aeri-Vac is recommended for removing Verti-cut material from greens. It is 26 in. wide, has a large capacity vacuum fan and its dual wheels prevent marking green surfaces. The West Point firm is located in West Point, Pa.



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upright position is included in the expanded line of sharpeners now offered by Foley Mfg. Co., 3300 N.E. 5th st., Minneapolis 18, Minn. Built with institutional users in mind, the precision machine has a combination grinding head, 1/2 hp electric motor with double end shaft, and 6-in. and 21 in. emery wheels to grind blades and bed knife. Mobility of grinding positions is a feature of the Foley unit. A patented elevator lift makes it possible for one man to handle the grinding detail. A low-cost attachment is available for grinding rotary blades on the same unit.

#### Pedersen Adds More Refinements

Pedersen Sales Co., Wilton, Conn., has added more refinements to its irons and increased



the face size of its woods for 1962. In construction of irons, the company points out that it has strived for precise relationship of shape, weight, balance and loft in all sets. There are four flexes for men and one for women, the same as with the wood clubs. The woods have formica face inserts, all are carefully



swing-weight tested and careful attention is paid to sequence of loft. Sets of both woods and irons are available for lefthanders.

#### Parrett Outlines New Financing Program for Distributors

At the annual sales meeting of the Parrett Mfg. Co., Inc., Benton Harbor, Mich., held at Point of Woods CC, a new sales and customer



Parrett officials, distributors and Nassaus at sales meeting.

financing program for the Nassau golf car was extensively outlined for distributors. Persons attending the meeting also were briefed on the intricacies of preventive maintenance. Appliance Buyers Credit Corp., St. Joseph Mich., is handling Parrett's national finance purchase plan. In 1962, Parrett expects to concentrate on a national ad and sales promotion program.

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#### Fox Karts Puts New Entry in Golf Car Field

Fox Karts, Inc., Box 797N, Janesville, Wis., producer of racing and fun karts, has introduced an economy golf car known as the Caddy Wagon. It has a one-piece fiberglass



body, contoured deep foam seat and a spring torque, aircraft style chassis. The Caddy Wagon rides on what is said to be newly developed, low pressure aircraft tires which produce strong traction but cause little pressure to be applied to turf. The single seat vehicle will carry a 250-pound golfer up the steepest grades with ease, according to the manufacturer. The car has one-lever hand control and the flip-over tiller makes it easy to transport by station wagon. Dealer discounts are offered by Fox Karts to all pros.

#### Walking Measure Meter Eliminates Tedious Tape Handling

The Wheel-N-Measure, made and distributed by B. G. Reilly Co., PO Box 231, North Scituate, R.I., is said to be ideal for making long measurements such as often are required on golf courses. The device, which has a handle attached to a cast aluminum wheel, is walked by the person checking the measurement, and records up to 99,999 ft. Distance can be checked at any time on an attached counter and re-setting is a simple matter. Wheel-N-Measure weighs only 6 lbs. and operates as efficiently on rough as smooth terrain. It is widely used by surveyors, utility firms, etc. Complete information as to price and performance can be obtained from the Reilly firm.

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