

From I to r, Anthony Differ, Child Development Center, Paul C. Warren, tourney manager, Dr. A. A. Hobson, tournament vice-chairman, John P. Crisconi, and Cecil J. Burnett of the J. Wood Platt Caddie Scholarship trust, discuss arrangements for the Philadelphia Golf Classic, to be played Aug. 2-8 at Whitemarsh CC.

. . . Robert E. Clark, greenkeeper for Reeves public GC at Lunken airport, will retire Oct. 1 after 32 years of service with the city of Cincinnati, O.

More than 200 caddies will be required for the 47th PGA Championship at Laurel Valley at Ligonier, Pa., Aug. 9-15 . . . The club has about 30 regular bag carriers and so 170 youngsters are being recruited . . . Fifty boys who caddied in the 1962 Open at Oakmont are available and so are 20 others from the Sunnehanna Amateur, played each June in Johnstown . . . The Championship caddie committee has to guarantee caddies a week's work to get them . . . The Western Open's winner's purse of \$11,000 is exactly 100 times what it was in 1899 when the first Western was played.

Here is a twist . . . Pleasant Valley CC's course in Sutton, Mass., will be shortened from 7,200 yards to 6,713 for the Carling World Championship . . . That should make fellows like Jack Burke and Billy Maxwell happy . . . St. Petersburg (Fla.) Times, which featured six-column, full color photo of four players on a green at Seminole, carried these predictions in an article wrapped around the photo: Course shortage in Florida and in the U.S., for that matter, never will be licked . . . Prestige golf clubs will decline in the future as clubs for medium income people expand . . . There will be fewer EXCLUSIVE COLY KLAD PLATES make the difference in the



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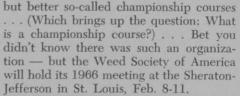
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Jerry Purdy, MacGregor pro salesman in southern Ohio, Ky. and Tenn., getting a lot of favorable mention from pros on his beat for what he's doing for them in helping educate assistants in fitting clubs . . . Expert fitting is the key to pro success in the quality club market but many youngsters have much to learn about it ... Jack Merz now pro at Wildwood CC, Middletown, O., succeeding Matty Coghlan, who retired after 41 years . . . Dave Baron is pro at the new Bobby Nichols public course in suburban Louisville, Ky.

Richard Federle, formerly assistant pro at Terrace CC, Milford, O., now head pro at Snow Hill, Wilmington, O. . . . Bob Foppe now pro at Kenwood CC, Cincinnati, O. . . . Bill Hook moves to pro job at Bell-Wood CC, Morrow, O. . . . Rollie Wildman now pro at University CC, Boulder, Colo. . . . Ernie Pagnotta goes from pro spot at Hopewell Valley (N. I.) CC to become pro-supt. at Stoney Brook Recreation & GC, Hopewell, N. J.

Bob Rickey, head of Brunswick-Mac-Gregor pro golf sales, back at his office in Cincinnati after being hospitalized by pneumonia . . . Johnny Dolan, Doral Hotel and CC golf director, is on a long hour day now with Doral adding a new 18 big course and 18-hole Par 3, designed by Bob Hagge . . . Doral also building a new convention hall and add-

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ing 200 more rooms . . . Pro-owner Jerry Volpe expects to open six holes of his Stonehedge CC at Mendham, N.J., this fall and the full 18 in May, 1966 ... Hal Purdy is architect.

Dr. Merle H. Niehaus, of the Dept. of Agronomy, Ohio State Univ., has begun a plant breeding program that will include Kentucky bluegrass and fall fescue . . . James M. Fenstermacher, a turfgrass senior at Ohio State, has been awarded a \$200 scholarship by the Mid-west Regional Turf Foundation.

Jack Munget donated \$500 to the LPGA Dallas Civitan Open purse as he wanted each girl playing to receive some money ... As a result, the 10 girls who finished out of the money each received \$50 in unofficial cash ... Barbara Romack has been elected president of the Ladies PGA ... Kathy Whitworth is vp, succeeding Miss Romack, and Gloria Armstrong is treasurer ... While this year's Western Amateur is to be played at Point O'Woods CC in Benton Harbor, Mich., announcement has been made that next year's Western Amateur will be played at the Pinehurst (N. C.) CC, Aug. 3-7 . . . Winner of the recent Sunnehanna (Penn.) Amateur was **Bob Greenwood** of Cookeville, Tenn.

Home pro John Grace recently set the course record at Fiddlers Elbow, Bedminster, N. J., with a three-under-par 32-37 for a 69 . . . It was the first time that Grace had played 18 holes at one time on the new course . . . Vernon Carnes has been named manager of the Lake Arrowhead (Calif.) CC . . . Construction of a 9hole course will be started this summer at Westport, Wash. . . . Course will be part of a complex with shopping center, apartment house and two motels . . . Edward Lawrence Packard designed and Wadsworth Co., constructed the second nine at Wayne Hills CC, Lyons, N. Y. . . . The new nine at Wayne, which was opened recently, brings the course to a full 18.

Work is rapidly progressing on the new public course being built in Springfield,





Work is in progress on the 18-hole Montammy CC course in Alpine, N.J. It is being built by Ercole Tamburelli (r), who constructed Tammy Brook in Cresskill a few years ago. He is seen with Jim DiStasio, pro and course manager and Beppe Guglieri, general manager. The course is being laid out on a 137- acre tract atop the Palisades. Francis J. Duane designed the course.

O. . . . Supt. of Parks, Dick Spitler, says the course should be ready in July, 1966 . . . Stockbroker brothers, Bob and J. G. Comeau, are building an 18-hole course on a 132-acre tract north of Mt. Clemens, Mich. . . . The brothers sold 12,550 shares of stock to the public at \$10 a share to finance their venture. Bob will manage the club and J. G. is president.

Eble Municipal GC, northwest of South Bend, Ind., now has nine holes open for play . . . The complete layout should be ready later this season . . . Pro is Mike Garbacz, who will be assisted in the pro shop by his son, Mike, Jr. . . . A spacious clubhouse includes the pro shop, showers and lockers for men and women and a dining room . . . The Acme Public GC, located east of Acme, Mich., opened its nine-hole course this month, according to owners, John Underwood and Clifford Merrick . . . Flamingo-Santa Rosa (Calif.) Hotel is adding a miniature course to its recreational complex . . . La Costa CC, Carlsbad, Calif. has opened its new clubhouse.

Hal Purdy is architect for the 18-hole course to be built by Joseph J. Brunetti, as part of a community development program in New Jersey . . . Rolling Hills CC in Cleveland, Tenn., 24 miles from Chattanooga, is scheduled to have its 18-hole, 6300-yard, par-72 course completed by Labor Day . . . Dr. Guy Sheuy agricul-



tural and biological chemist at the University of Tenn., is directing construction of the Rolling Hills course.

Groundbreaking ceremonies were held recently at the site of an 18-hole course to be built by developer **Howard Capps** on Silverado Trail near Napa, Calif . . . Clubhouse at Highland Crest CC near (Elgin, Ill.) completely destroyed by fire in May, following a burglary 24 hours earlier in which the pro shop was cleaned out of balls, clubs and other equipment . . . The club safe also was broken into and about \$5000 was stolen.

The annual Golden 65 Seniors Championship will be played Oct. 11-13 on three courses in the Chicago district . . . Edgewater home course of **Chick Evans**, founder of the Golden Seniors (whose members are 65 or older), is one of the courses . . . **Charles F. Hough** is Golden Seniors' president.

Gene Kunes, Sr., 56, died May 16 in Huron Road Hospital, Cleveland, after his 11th major operation . . . Gene served as pro at Tumble Brook in Hartford, Conn., Sandy Run in Philadelphia, Homestead in Spring Lake, N.J., and Englewood (N.J.) GC . . . He also was teaching pro with Ed Dudley at Augusta National and Philadelphia CC, and in this capacity at other first class clubs . . . He won the 1935 Canadian Open, the Mid-South best-ball in 1935 when he and Dick Metz defeated Tommy Armour and Bobby Cruickshank in the final . . . Gene also won the 1952 Carling's Open and many sectional championships . . . He won the 1961 Northern Ohio PGA . . . He was interested in ranges in suburban Cleveland and at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. . . . His son, Gene, Jr., and a brother and sister survive.

Pete Henry, Sr., who died recently, was a member of the PGA for 45 years and an Acushnet salesman for 30 years . . . Steve Downey, pro at Brookside CC in Allentown, Penn., is now pro at Grossinger (N. Y.) CC . . . The target date for the start of the new municipal course north of the Cleveland, Hopkins International



airport has been set back to 1971 . . . Ray Kienzl of the Pittsburgh Press reports that in and around Pittsburgh, Pa., (within a 35 mile radius) there are 71 public courses . . . 32 of these layouts have been opened since 1955 . . . Putnam CC in Mohopac, N. Y. has named Nat Manners as manager . . . McConnellsville (N. Y.) GC has opened its new clubhouse, according to pro Jim Doherty.

A \$250,000 capital improvement program at the Tucson (Ariz.) CC will take place between now and the end of the vear . . . Construction has begun on the \$125,000 Coronado GC and clubhouse, Scottsdale, Ariz., according to operator, Tom Lambie, who is also the pro . . . Palm Springs, Calif. voters overwhelmingly aproved an \$800,000 bond issue to buy a local course for use as a municipal links . . . A 70 acre site south of a married students housing project has been donated to the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, N. D., by a 1906 graduate, Ray Richards of Tulsa, Okla., for use as a golf course . . . A 9-hole layout is in the works, work having started last June on the 3,500-yard, par-36 course . . . Manteca, Calif. recently held groundbreaking ceremonies for its new municipal course.

The Massachusetts Golf Association held its State Amateur at Woodland GC, Newton, July 7-10, and the State Open at the Winchester CC, July 12-13 . . . The Francis Ouimet Caddie Scholarship Fund gave 162 caddies from 61 Mass. Golf Assn. clubs grants totaling \$58,475 during the last year . . . The recreation department of the city of Columbus, O. has approved the purchase of 247.3 acres for a third municipal course . . . Cost was about \$500 per acre, which will be included in an application for a 30 per cent Federal grant . . . John O'leary, who was born and raised in the house on the 100year-old family farm, near Jackson, Mich., is back working the same acres, but the farm is a 9-hole public course called Sparrow Hawk . . . Pro-supt. for the course is Floyd Hammond, who also designed the lavout.

Roy Mattson is new club manager of the Stevens Point (Wis.) CC, which is



Charlie Ward (r), 53-year old pro who recently won the British Seniors golf championship, was to have met Sam Snead, American winner, for the international title in Lancashire, England, in early July. Ward is shown receiving trophy and check from Ronald Teacher, board chairman of Wm. Teacher & Sons, Ltd., Glasgow distillers, who sponsor the Seniors tournaments.

in the process of becoming an 18-hole course . . . A new nine-hole course in the eastern Poconos is available at the Bushkill Pa. Falls House resort . . . Hamden, Conn. residents have been treated to a rare display of buck passing by municipal officials, elected and appointed . . . The dispute concerns the building of a protective fence to keep children off the Meadowbrook municipal course and to keep golf balls away from the adjacent Meadowbrook cooperative apartments . . . The recreation commission, the town council, the board of finance are all holding up on making any decision . . . The idea seems to be to try and stick the builder of the apartments.

Persons flying to the Carling Championship, Aug. 19-22, if they have planes no larger than Beechcraft and Aero Commanders with two-engines, may land and tie-down at Windle Airport, West Millbury, Mass. . . . Free, round trip auto transportation will be provided for fans to the host club, Pleasant Valley CC . . . The final tournament on the PGA's tournament schedule will be the new national four-ball championship . . . The stroke play event will be held Dec. 8-11 and televised nationally on Dec. 11 at the PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. . . . Deadline for entries in the field of 120 teams (players select their own partners) is Nov. 7.



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60171. The woods have heads finished in Imperial Venetian tone. The clubheads are treated to seal out moisture. Grips are crafted of black and tan calfskin leather. The Country Club irons combine style and budget price. Power-Flare design-



ed heads are plated in sparkling chrome. Both woods and irons are matched.

Mark-A-Ball Makes and Sells Advertising and Promotion Tees

Mark-A-Ball, Inc., P. O. Box 22154, Portland, Ore. 97222, makes Mark-A-Tee tees with an

advertiser's or club's name or trade-mark printed in a choice of colors. The tee's triangular shape reportedly makes it easy to set into the ground and makes it hold firmly in soft, wet ground. Two Portland pros, Ted Longworth and Charles Sullivan, developed the



the Mark-A-Tee.

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Allsop Automatic, Inc., 6 Prospect Mall, Bellingham, Wash., produces the Shoe-In portable shoe tree-carrying rack for golf shoes. Made of and is held securely from the outside, allowing air to circulate freely. Any size shoe will fit the adjustable Shoe-In.

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A 56-page catalog covering the complete line of Rain Bird turf irrigation equipment has just



igation equipment has just been issued. Specifications and recommended usage of Rain Bird sprinklers and accessories, with diagrams and photos, illustrate principles of operation and construction. Described are system controllers and all models of turf sprinklers. Each model has an accompanying chart explaining coverage diameter, rate of dis-

charge, nozzle sizes available and effect of basic water pressure on discharge rate and coverage. Copies are available on request from Rain Bird, Glendora, Calif.

Allis-Chalmers Dickers for Simplicity Company

Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co., Milwaukee, and Simplicity Mfg. Co., Port Washington, Wis., have made a tentative agreement under which Allis-Chalmers will acquire all assets of the lawn and garden equipment firm. Final details are being worked out and are subject to the approval of directors and stockholders of both companies. Terms of the proposed acquisition call for Simplicity to continue as a separate operation. The firm employs 400 people and in 1964 had sales of nearly \$17 million.

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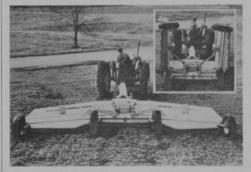
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