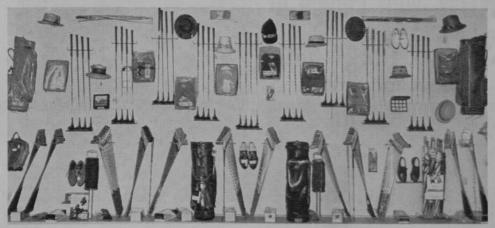
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Sudden death of Mrs. Al Nelson had everybody around the PGA National clubhouse, both employees and frequent visitors, feeling they had lost one of their own . . . As a switchboard operator, Peggy was one of the best.

Joe Ennis now pro at Lido Club (NY Met dist.) . . . Gene Sarazen joining the golf architectural and construction firm of Desmond Muirhead and Kenneth Caldwell . . . Muirhead has done several courses as features of community projects and is designing 18 hole courses in California: Quail Lake, near Riverside; Soboba Meadows, near Palm Springs, and Rancho Capistrano . . . Caldwell is an experienced construction man and supt.

Alex Cunningham, a retired pro, died recently . . . Alex, after arriving from Scotland, was pro at clubs in West Virginia and Ohio . . . Then for years he was at North Shore in the Chicago dist., where he also served as president of the Illinois PGA section . . . Alex was an early supt.-pro-manager of the PGA National course in Dunedin.

Decision of the Golf Course Supts. Assn. to move its headquarters to Chicago from Jacksonville Beach, Fla. should enable the organization to give more convenient, better informed service to its members . . . Changing economic picture in golf calls for supts., pros and managers being located on the main line of business, publicity and employer contacts . . . Club Managers Assn., with headquarters in Washington, is in a good





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L. E. (Red) Lambert, president of the GCSA in 1961, died in his home a few hours after returning from the Cleveland turfgrass convention . . . A veteran of more than 40 years in the golf business, Red had been supt. at Prairie Dunes CC in Hutchinson, Kans. since 1957 . . . For many years he supervised maintenance at courses in Davenport, Ill. and Rock Island, Ill., moving in 1947 to Oakwood CC in Kansas City . . . A director and officer of the GSCA from 1956 through 1962, Red worked tirelessly in setting up course building specifications in order to more closely coordinate the work of architects and supts. . . . He is survived by his wife, Cora, and four children, William, Dorothy, Mary Lou and Joyce.

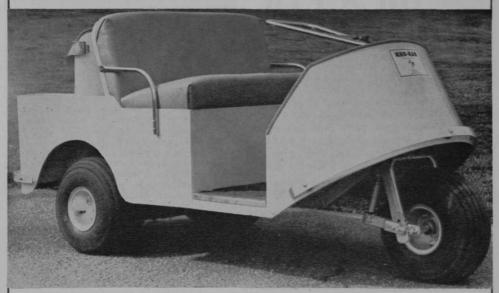
Joseph S. Venturella, supt. at Diablo CC. Danville, Calif., died a few hours after arriving in Cleveland for the GCSA convention . . . Joe, a native of Pittsburgh. Pa., worked as an assistant for several years to Dutch Leffler at Oakmont and then came to Brookwood CC, in the Chicago area . . . He moved to California in 1958 to become supt. at Round Hill, also in Danville, and then took the Diablo position about five years ago . . . Joe is survived by his wife, Lois, and three children.

Big party at Milwaukee honoring vetteran golf and bowling writer, Billy Sixty, and the city's veteran bowling star, Hank Marino . . . First USGA championship to go to New Orleans is 1966 Senior Women's Amateur at Lakewood CC, Oct. 5-7 . . . Fred Corcoran on quick trip to Greece to look at new course near airport as a possible site for a Shell Wonderful World of Golf match . . . On same trip he went over plans for this year's Canada Cup tournament to be played in the fall at Club de Campo, Madrid.

Tam o' Shanter CC, in suburban Chicago, where the big money tournaments were started by the late George S. May,

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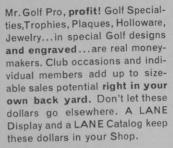
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Barbara McIntire, a member of the Broadmoor GC in Colorado Springs, Colo., and No. 1 among the nation's amateur women golfers, was named winner of the eighth annual Colorado Sports Achievement award for the recognition she brought to Colorado through sports. Barbara is the current U.S. Women's amateur champion. Presenting the award, given by the Colorado Springs Quarterback Club, is Ben Martin, Air Force Academy football coach and a former winner of the award.

recently sold to Chicago real estate firm of J. Emil Anderson & Son, Inc. . . . May's family owned controlling interest in the 120-acre property . . . Western Open at Tam o' Shanter July 1-4 will be held as new owners won't take possession until later in the year.

Strange that in all the stories about the National Open and the Women's Open being changed to four day events, very few writers mentioned that the National Open was played at 18 holes each of four days (and an 18 play-off on the fifth day) in 1913 when Francis Ouimet won . . . This was the first time for a four-day Open . . . National Opens of 1914, '15 and '16 were on that schedule . . . The three day Open with the third day extended to 36 holes, began in 1919 . . . The first three National Opens (1895, '96 and '97) went 36 holes in one day . . . Starting in 1898, when Fred Herd won at Myopia, the Open was played at 36 holes per day for two days thru 1912, when Johnny McDermott won at the Country Club of Buffalo.

The four Japanese visitors to the GCSA convention brought with them copies of the monthly Turf Research Bulletin published by Green Section Research Center, Kansai Golf Renmei, Takarazuka, Japan . . . Dr. Tadashi Kubo is editor . . . It's

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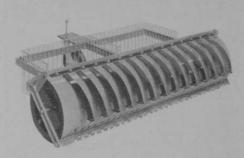
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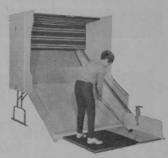


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July 1-3 -USGA Women's Open, Atlantic City CC, Northfield, N. J. -\$20,000 (min.)

been going for four years . . . "Practical Articles" in the January issue included 'Tifton Hybrid Bermudagrasses in USA" by E. Ray Jensen and news from Japan's regional turf conferences . . . We didn't read them, though, in the raw Japanese.

Lengthen Keller course and enlarge practice fairway for St. Paul Open, which is being boosted to \$100,000 . . . Gil Foster, Keller supt. who supervised the expansion work, is designing several courses in northern Minnesota where he is a golf consultant to numerous resorts . . . Foster also built and operated a Par 3 course at Gem Lake, Minn., which he has sold to Ned Dwyer.

Leon Hartogh, one of Norm Westfall's proteges, goes from Wakonda, Club, Des Moines, to be supt. at Elks G&CC, Elkhart, Ind. . . . GCSA luncheon for Cleveland District club officials was a good job of giving club executives an impres-



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sive closeup of the type of business executives who manage expensive golf courses . . . Nelson Monical, Portage CC supt.. made a brief talk on the supt's. viewpoints and responsibilities . . . Ted Stevens moves from James Baird State (N.Y.) Park to be supt. Walhalla CC new 18 at Rexford, N.Y.

Gino Turchi opening his Northway Heights CC 18 at Elnora, N.Y., this summer . . . Bob Grasso, in charge of constructing Ponderosa CC, Schenectady, N.Y. 18, will be its supt. when the course is opened this summer . . . Joe Martinez, supt. Bel Air CC, Los Angeles, started to work on that course 39 years ago . . . His neighbor, Chuck Priday, supt. at Hillcrest CC, started on that course in 1927 under the late Bill Stewart.

More talk about tree care by supts, at Cleveland than we've heard before at a GCSA meeting . . . First big and steady program of tree maintenance we ever saw was at Saucon Valley CC, Bethlehem, Pa., when Leonard Strong was supt. and Eugene Grace, Bethlehem Steel head. was a director of club operations . . . At Hillcrest in Los Angeles, Supt. Charles Priday has one man assigned to tree work and members have commented very favorably on the results . . . Every tree on the course gets attention and the tree man now is making his second trip around the course in a year and a half.

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