pros and their assistants will get a chance to make some money May 26-28 when the second Dodge Dealers' Open will be played at Rockaway River CC, Danville . . . It's a \$16,000 tournament.

New Jersey's Florham Park CC has announced that Phil Zullo, recently named pro, had to resign because of ill health even before he started the job . . . Los Coyotes CC (Buena Park, Calif.) champion, Dale Norquist, had his clubs "borrowed" by a member, who signed a note "Member" explaining that the clubs were taken by mistake and apologizing for the inconvenience . . . Leading money winners on the Ladies PGA tour in late April were Jo Ann Prentice with \$3,538 and Kathy Whitworth with \$3,420 . . . Marilynn Smith now represents the Trelawny Club and the Runaway Bay GC, both at Runaway Bay, Jamaica, W. I., on the tour. Peter W. Henry, a golf ball salesman and a PGA member for 45 years, died recently at his home in Bryn Mawr, Pa.

John T. Brennan is back as general manager of the Oakland Hills CC, (Birmingham, Mich.) where he served from 1945-49 . . . He went from this club to Birmingham (Mich.) CC, where he was located for the last 13 years . . . Work has begun on the new \$100,000 Cassville, Mo. golf course . . . A highway commissioner has told Louisville, Ky. residents that the Seneca golf course, over which part of interstate highway 64 will cross, will be rebuilt into a better course . . . Land located across the road from the present nine holes of the Greensburg (Ind.) CC is being purchased to add an additional nine . . . Catskill (N. Y.) CC has reopened, according to Bill Gressick.

Four hoods strongarmed an elderly guard at Augusta National late in April and got away with about \$12,000 in cash and valuables . . . Southern Seniors GA's spring tourney to be played June 23-26 at Sapphire Valley GC in N.C. . . . Gaetano **DiFini**, founder and president of three sportswear manufacturing firms, known as DiFini Enterprises, died in mid-April in Pelham Bay General Hospital in the Bronx, N.Y. . . . He was 75 . . . Mr. DiFini, who came to the U.S. from Italy more



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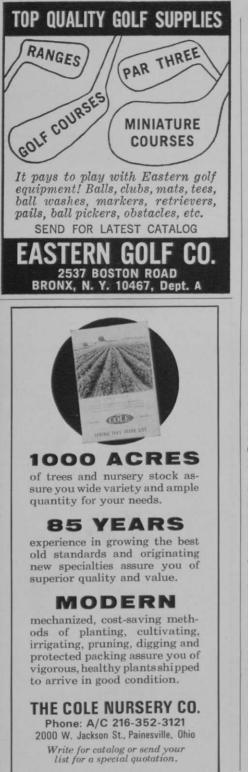
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This striking portrait of Henry Picard was recently painted by John Cipriani an arm amputee and first national champion of the National Amputee Golf Association in appreciation of all the work Picard has done in helping the Association get organized and conduct its annual tournaments.

than a half century ago is survived by his wife, Teresa, three sons, Joseph, Charles and Salvatore and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Tarpinian.

Deadline for the ninth Brunswick-Mac-Gregor newspaper writing competions (for Golf Writers' Association members employed by newspapers and press services) is Oct. 22 . . . There will be two divisions as usual — News and Feature . . . A total of 160 players from 40 schools took part in the fourth Dallas (Tex.) high school invitational, played at Lakewood CC, April 19 . . . A four-man total of 322, shot by Eastern Hills, won the team title . . . Matt Kruzick of Arlington Heights shot a 75 to lead the individual scorers . . . Dick Flynn has been appointed pro-manager of the 18-hole course, which is part of Rossmore Leisure World, Walnut Creek, Calif.

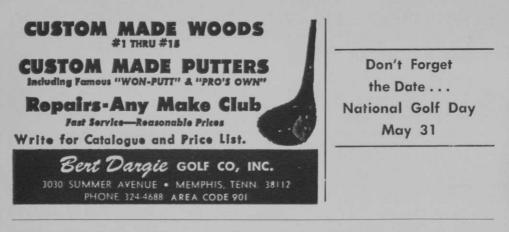
University of Chicago meteorologists have been experimenting in the last year or so with seeding dry Arizona and New Mexico clouds with urea pellets rather than silver iodide . . . Some rain has been produced, according to reports . . . So, the day may not be far away when nature will provide package irrigation and fertilization for golf courses . . . Delavan, Wis. officials have authorized a \$52,000 addition to the clubhouse at the Delbrook muny golf course . . . Spring opening of three Rockford (III.) muni courses was delayed because maintenance crews could not get on the greens to cut them . . . Many Midwest courses have reported delayed openings for the same reason.

Construction has begun on the new nine-hole course at Union Landing, six miles from Ironton, O., to be called the Riverview Club . . . The par 72, 6,702 yard course Host Farms GC (near Lancaster, Penn.) should be ready for play in late June or early July, according to Pro Howard Kramer and Supt. John Breneman . . . Sunset GC in Mount Morris, Ill. has named Warren Long manager . . . A capacity crowd of 350 attended the dinner dance marking the formal opening of the new facilities of the Glen Falls (N.Y.) CC . . . Pro Tony Joy has announced that a number of holes at Avalon GC, Niles, O., will be rebuilt this summer.

A well has been drilled and construction work begun on the new Earl F. Elliot public course at Rockford, Ill. . . . Some holes have been changed at Greensburg (Penn.) CC and a new refreshment stand built, according to pro **Perry Del Vecchio** . . . Halifax, Va. was the site of the opening of Green's Folly GC recently . . . Owner is **John G. Patterson** . . . **Ralph Montoya**, formerly assistant pro at Tam O'Shanter CC on Long Island, has been named pro at the Mohawk Valley CC, Little Falls, N. Y. . . . **Tom Maires** is the new pro at Shaker Heights CC, Youngstown, O.

Grand Bahama Island's Kings Inn has opened its 18-hole course designed by **Dick Wilson** . . . Punderson State Park in Geuga County, O. will have a Tudor-style lodge and an 18-hole course as part of a vast state recreational improvement program . . . **Mal Galletta**, **Jr**. is new pro at Douglastown Park (N. Y. area) course and







Breeze PORT S198. FREIGHT PAID KWIK-BILT, INC. Box 6834, Dallas 19, Tex. his wife Claire is in charge of the pro shop.

The recent death of Mrs. Edna Dixon Walker will stir the memories of many golfers . . . Mrs. Walker was president of the Women's Western Golf Assn. (1929-30) and started the Women's Western Open . . . The Walker Cup (named after her and her husband, Paul) was created out of more than 100 silver trophies the Walkers won in their golf playing days . . . These were melted down and redesigned in 1937 . . . Joe Vitullo, pro at Hubbard GC (Youngstown, O. area) has announced that Danny Williams will be his assistant to direct the pro shop . . . Owners of the proposed Ipswich (Mass.) CC have assured the local planning board that no herbicide or pesticide chemicals will be used that may cause pollution of the town watershed.

Katy, Tex. is the site of the building of the first nine of a proposed semi-private course designed by Jay Riviere . . . Members of the Evans County (Ga.) GC have purchased land near Claxton, Ga. and work has begun on the regulation ninehole course . . . Raleigh (N. C.) CC plans to enlarge its facilities to include a men's lockerroom, pro shop, storage room for carts and bags, a women's lounge and lockerroom and a general informal all-purpose room . . . \$582,000 is the expected cost of the Glen Ellyn (Ill.) public course, to be built this year . . . Contractors are working toward a middle-of-June completion date for a new chip-and-putt ninehole course at the 303 Golf Center, Ft. Worth, Tex. . . . The course will be lighted.

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Toro's New Super Pro

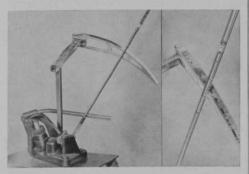
A new institutional riding reel mower, called the Super Pro, is made by Toro Mfg. Corp., Minneapolis, Minn. Available with a choice of two power plants -12 or 18 hp. four-cycle



Kohler engines, and three cutting widths, units have heights of cut from one-half to three in. and are changed easily. The smaller model is equipped with either three-reel units to mow an 81-in. swath, or five-reel units for an 11-ft. width of cut. The 18-hp Super Pro may be fitted with either a five or a seven-reel unit. The latter cuts a 154-ft. swath.

Lie and Loft Machine

First Flight Golf Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. 37405, markets the Van L Correcto line and loft machine. With the loft and lie machine, the pro is able to check and adjust the lie and loft of



irons in his own shop in a short time. The iron is clamped in place and a gauge shows the loft reading (photo). A second gauge gives the lie reading. Adjustments are made with a special tool.





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Golf cars marketed by H. Coster Electric Car Sales and Service, Indianapolis, are being loaded prior to shipment to a club more than 1,000 miles away. Coster claims to have the world's largest golf car supermarket.

3¹/₄ HP Motor Drives Powered Top Dresser

Sod Master, 3456 N. Washington Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. 55412, markets the Mete-R-Matic power topdresser. New metering adjustment is said to accurately control top dressing to any desired depth. The positive chain-driven rotating brush catches the top dressing from the treadmill conveyor and drives it downward into the base of the turf. The positive chain driven all-metal treadmill conveyor carries the topdressing from the hopper (8 cu. ft. leveled) with a tumbling action, through the metering gate. This is said to prevent clogging or packing even when materials have above-normal moisture content.

Edmont Buys C. M. Hill Co.

Edmont, Inc. of Coshocton, O. has purchased C. M. Hill Co. of Peoria, Ill. A new firm, Edmont-Hill, has been incorporated and will operate as an autonomous division of the parent organization with C. M. Hill remaining as v-p and general manager.

Fiberglass in Air Sprayer

F. E. Myers & Bro. Co., Ashland O., is using a reinforced fiberglass material called GlasStan



in the company's A-360 Orchard Air Sprayer, which is rated at 30,-000 GFM with an air velocity rating of 70 mph. The new material is said to be 100 per cent corrosion-proof and capable of withstanding the damaging

effects of modern spray chemicals, moisture and weathering. The A-36G weighs some 200-400 lbs. less than a sprayer made of metal.



Kentucky Gov. Edward T. (Ned) Breathitt (I) is shown operating the radio transmitter to a Bunton Electronic Lawn Lark, remote control power mower. Gov. Breathitt had awarded the Kentucky Industrial Excellence Gold Medal to Herbert F. Bunton (r) president of the Burton company, at the first day of the Kentucky State Fair.

Fiberglass, Rotating All-Weather Shelter

Newsome Sales Co., P. O. Box 468, Bradenton, Fla., manufacturers an All Weather Station,



an All Weather Station, golf shelter, constructed of fiberglass and designed to rotate with the wind in a 360 degree circle. It holds six people seated and six standing. Designed for protection from sun and rain as well, the unit is

10-ft, wide and six-ft. 10-in. tall. Installation is said to require one yard of cement and reinforcing wire, and approximately three or four hours of labor.

Green-Tee-Sweeper Works Wet or Dry

Rogers Mfg. Co., 202 N. Mahaffie St., Olathe, Kan., manufactures the Green-Tee-Sweeper that is claimed to sweep wet or dry grass clippings, leaves, rocks, bottles, paper, branches and other debris. It is also said to vertical slice, work in topdressing and pick up plugs and then return dirt to the green. The one-man unit is powered by a 4-hp engine and has a hopper capacity of five bushels. The pick-up fingers are abrasion resistant rubber.

Wilson's 1965 Putter Line

Wilson Sporting Goods Co., 2233 West St., River Grove, Ill. 60171, presents a new line of Wilson Staff putters, which are sold through pro shops only. Featured is the D8833 with a center shafted design. The W/S shield is stamped on the brass head blade. A rigid fluted shaft is claimed to provide improved "feel". It is available in right or left hand models in 34%- or 35%inch lengths.



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Chicago, Ill. 60641. The office is completely walled in pegboard to display over 100 different placques. The factory has been streamlined to handle all service requests. For those not able to visit the new showroom, the 1965 catalog features the latest designs at professional discounts.

New Toro Golfmaster Electric Golf Car for '65

Toro Mfg. Corp., Minneapolis, Minn., has introduced the 1965 Golfmaster electric two-seat golf car. The 12-gauge steel frame is designed

so that the complete bank of six 6-volt heavy-duty batteries can be removed and replaced quickly as a single unit, with the use of a special Toro trailer and winch accessory. The 1½-hp G-E motor with poly-V belt quietly delivers speeds up to 10 mph. The



three-ply fiber-glass body is available in five colors: white blue, yellow, tangerine red and turquoise. The Golfmaster's steering wheel swings out of the way when riders enter or leave the car. The wheel can be operated from either seat or from a center position. Contoured padded seats swivel to make getting in and out easy. Golf bags are suspended from rear brackets at an angle that puts clubheads within hand's reach.

Disposable Cloth Napkins

Chicopee Mills, Inc., 47 Worth St., New York 13, N.Y., has available cloth restaurant napkins. Produced in pastel colors, and white, Chicopee's Masslin brand is made by a high-speed textile process that combines cotton and rayon fibers in a soft, textured fabric described as giving "the luxury of linen at disposable prices."



Rider Rotary Mower Marketed by Locke Mfg. Co.

Locke Mfg. Co., 1085 Connecticut Ave., Bridgeport, Conn., is again marketing the Devere-Locke 32R rotary mower. Comfort, ease



tain marketing the Demower. Comfort, ease of handling, and maximum safety are features of the mower. The 32R's seat overhangs the 9-hp, 4-cycle engine which adds to the mower's stability and lower center of gravity. The 32-in. wide cut with side-trim

on one side has adjustable height from one to four ins. in ¼-in. increments. The frame is 7gauge, reinforced steel. Three of its seven tires are pneumatic.

Parker Sweeper Co. Markets New Models

The Parker Sweeper Co., Springfield, O., markets several new models and accessories for its indoor-outdoor vacuum sweepers. A



nodels and accessories vacumm sweepers. A new model, PV-6430-K6 (illustrated) is equipped with a 6¼ hp Kohler gas engine of cast iron construction. Also added to the line are two models of electric VAC-35's. All models of the same design,

constructed of high strength fiberglass reinforced with heavy duty neoprene liner, with large, oversized wheels and fully pneumatic tires, adjustable swivel caster and materialhandling type 5-blade impeller of non-sparking aluminum alloy.

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PGA Signs Jack Rule To Advisory Staff

The Victor Golf Co., Chicago, Ill., has announced the signing of Jack Rule, Jr. to its PGA professional advisory staff. Rule has placed consistently high on the official money list since winning his first tour championship, the St. Paul Open, in 1963. In both 1963 and 1964 he won about



and 1964 he won about \$22,000 in official prize money.

Fogger For Insect Control

Curtis Dyna-Products Corp., P. O. Box 297, Westfield, Ind 46074, has developed the Dyna-

Fog model 150 portable insecticide fogging machine. Said to kill insects humdreds of feet from the unit, the Dyna-Fog employs a gasoline burning res-



onant pulse jet engine. There is but one moving metallic part, an inexpensive butterfly valve.

First Flight Golf Bag

First Flight Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., is producing the new Hot-Z golf bag of Cor-Fam at its Pocahontas, Ark. plant. The white Cor-Fam bag (in photo) is going to be thoroughly tested and evaluated by First flight staffers on tour. This new bag has all of the features of regular First Flight bags.



New Trojan Battery

Trojan Battery Co. (724 E. 61st St., Los Angeles 1, Calif.) is celebrating its 40th anniversary this year by producing a new Trojan 217 car battery. The 217 (in photo) is the first of the high-wall electric golf car batteries introduced by the company.



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