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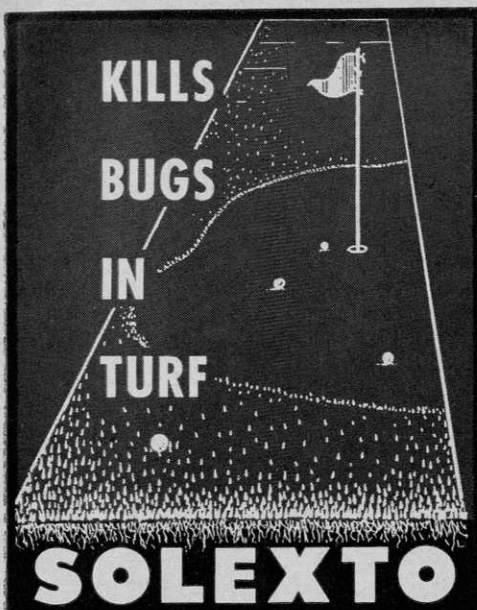
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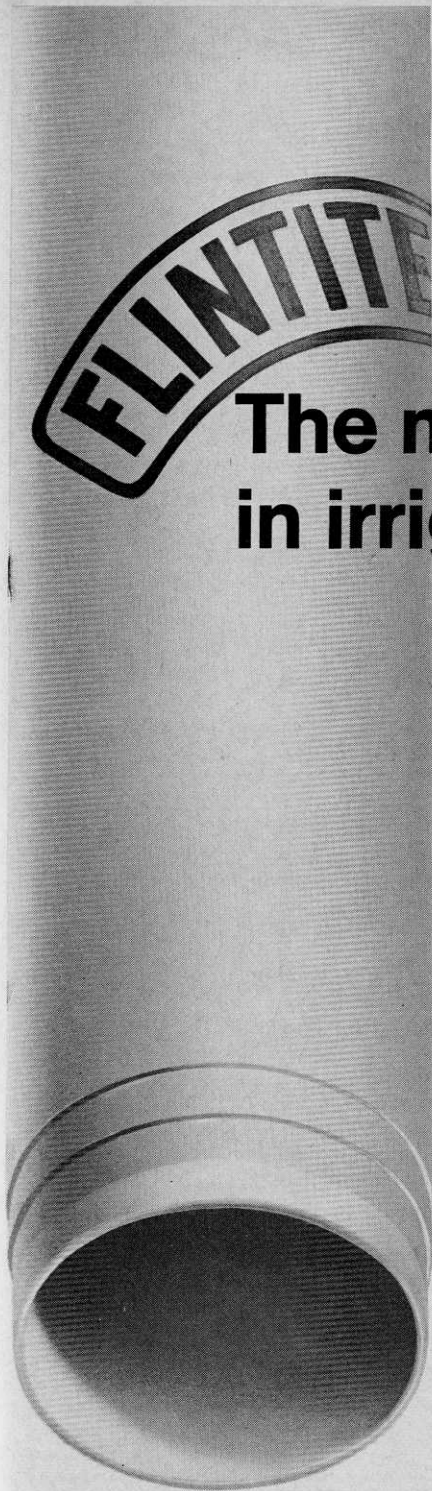
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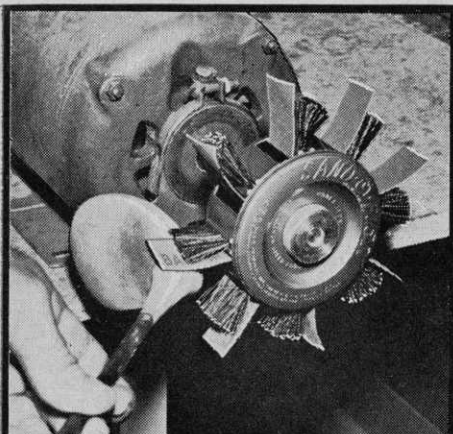
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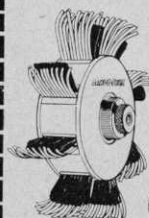
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have never divorced myself from the club and just maintained greens.

Many times I have heard superintendents say that they are not interested in maintaining tennis courts or projects in and outside of the clubhouse. They only hurt *themselves* by not showing their capabilities in management, and they become stagnant in their work.

I could name several people who are presently involved in management at their clubs and who began as superintendents. One good example is James Brandt, a director of our national organization. Another is Lee Kowalski, who has been general manager at the Fairfield CC, Fairfield, Conn., for about the last 10 years. Lee was formerly superintendent in Connecticut and Syracuse, N.Y.

This is definitely a sign of progress and opens up new avenues for the thinking superintendent. •



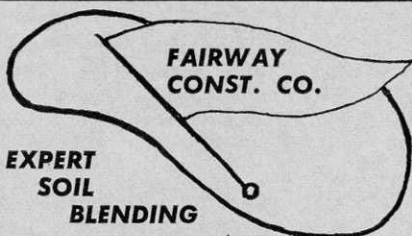
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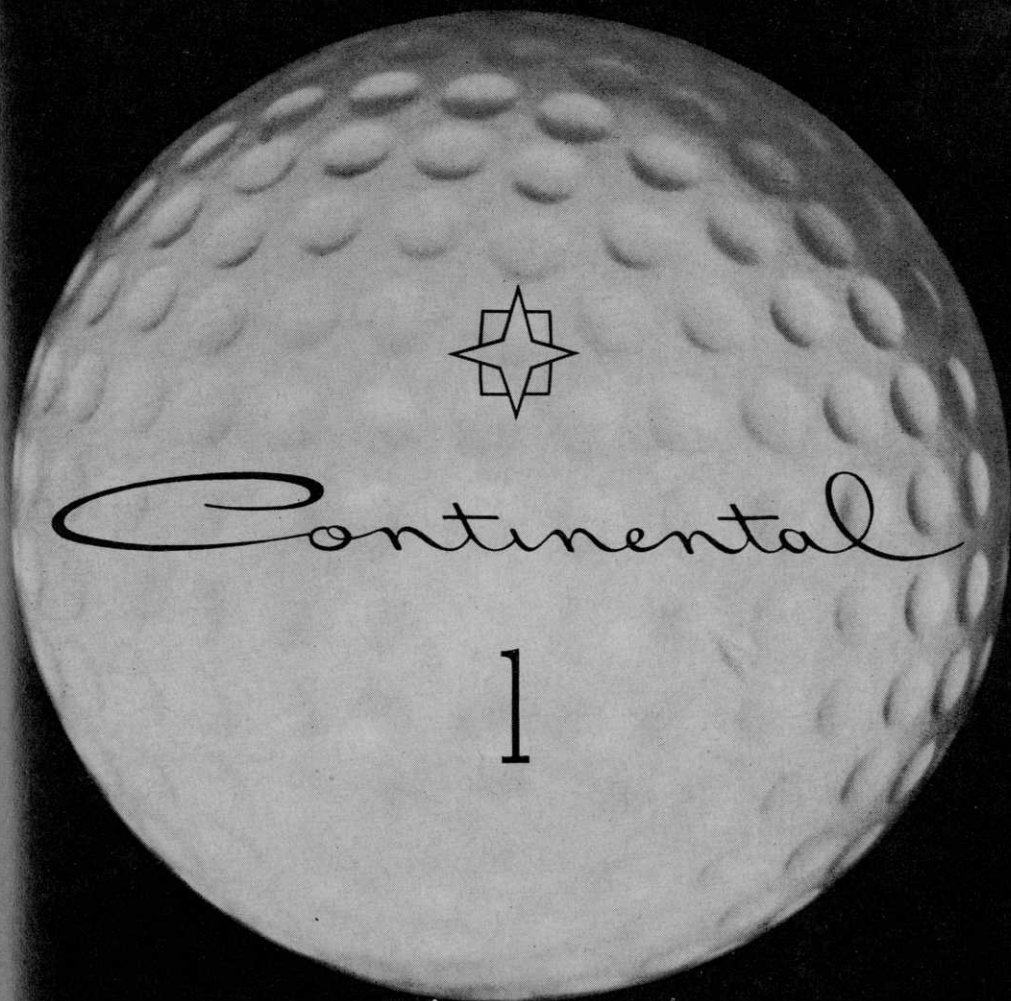
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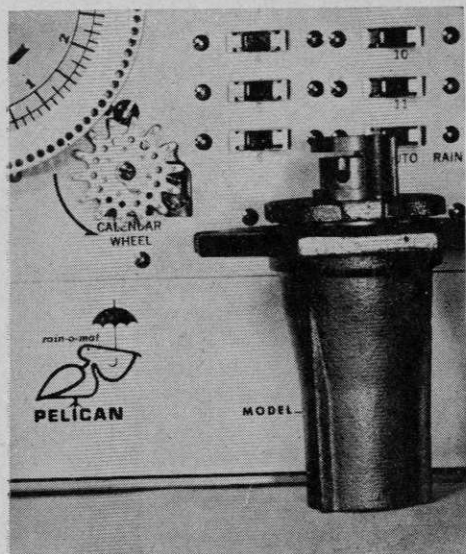
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Officers for 1967 are William F. Gordon, Doylestown, Pa., pres.; Ferdinand Garbin, Export, Pa., vp; and Edward L. Packard, LaGrange, Ill., secy-treas. Past pres. Floyd Farley is from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

The society is thinking of expanding its membership outside U.S.A. and Canada due to inquiries from architects in Japan, Australia and New Zealand.



Left to right, 1967 ASGCA officers: Ferdinand Garbin, William Gordon and Floyd Farley.



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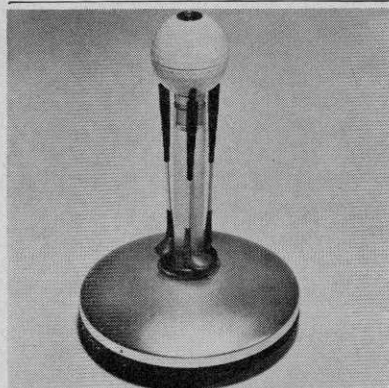
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