

# Service Department

*This department will offer suggestions and answer questions free of charge for the benefit of operators in maintaining machinery and equipment in efficient condition. Greenkeepers and superintendents of grounds at cemeteries, parks, schools and colleges or private estates are invited to make full use of this service.*

**T**HE demands of the present day golfer are such that his club must provide its greenkeeper with highly efficient maintenance equipment, to keep the course in ideal playing condition.

The club's investment in a fully equipped course is very large, and a responsible greenkeeper should take a great deal of pride in always having his equipment in first class working condition. This he can do only by employing dependable and efficient operators.

It should be the policy of every manufacturer to place with the greenkeeper, printed instructions and full detailed information pertaining to the equipment, for the benefit of the operator, to guard against possible trouble and unnecessary expense.

It should be the greenkeeper's duty to see that the operator is familiar with the equipment he operates and that he carries out the manufacturer's recommendations, if he expects to serve his club well.

At the close of the season, every piece of equipment, from the hand-rake to the tractor, should be thoroughly cleaned, overhauled, and painted, before storing for the winter. This not only prevents rust and depreciation of the equipment, but it will be ready for use when the season opens.

The greenkeeper is then in a posi-

tion to hand his chairman of the Green Committee a full list of his needs for another year. The Chairman will appreciate such information, and it shows the greenkeeper's interest in the club's affairs.—*Editor.*

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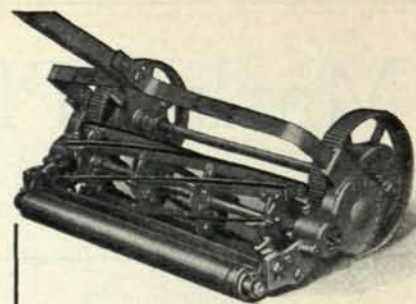
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