

Announcements

There seems to be some mystification why clubs that are members of the United States Golf Association are charged less for membership in the Green Section than are other clubs. The answer is that the Green Section is not yet self-sustaining, but is assisted financially by the United States Golf Association out of their funds. As this money comes from the United States Golf Association member clubs, surely they should have some slight concession made them in reference to the Green Section.

It is the ambition of the Green Section that it become self-sustaining and render its service to all adhering clubs at the least possible cost. This will be reduced just as rapidly as is warranted. Its cost to each member can be reduced to a small sum if a large proportion of the clubs become members of the Green Section.

First Meeting of Delegates to the Green Section of the U. S. Golf Association

The Green Committee of the U. S. Golf Association has decided to hold a meeting or meetings of the delegates to the Green Section of the U. S. Golf Association, in Washington, July 18 to 22, 1921, at the time of the National Open Championship. Some convenient hotel will be selected as headquarters so that the delegates and those interested in the work can get together for informal discussions, in addition to at least one formal meeting. Any member of a subscribing club interested in the subject of greenkeeping will be welcome though not a delegate. A more complete announcement of the committee's plans will be made in the next issue.

Philadelphia the First to Organize District Green Committee

Philadelphia has the honor of leading the way in the organization of a District Green Committee. This was accomplished at a dinner given May 5th by Mr. George W. Elkins, Jr., who was appointed Chairman of the Philadelphia Golf Association Green Committee.

The interest in the work is indicated by the acceptance of the representatives of thirty-five of the thirty-six clubs invited, and by the attendance of thirty-three.

The object of the Committee is to carry out in the Philadelphia District the aims of the Green Committee of the United States Golf Association by the interchange of information and the co-operation which it is confidently believed will bring about better results for all the clubs participating.

A number of meetings will be held during the year, each time at a different club, and it is expected that members of the Committee will be able to get in a round of golf at each meeting and thus inspect the course at which the members are to meet.