

Notes and Comment

The 1927 Metropolitan Amateur Golf championship will be held at the Nassau Country Club, Glen Cove, L. I., June 15, 16 and 17. The Open championship will be decided a month later, the dates selected being July 14, 15 and 16, at one of the two New Jersey clubs that have offered their courses for the event.

The triangular team matches will be played at the Winged Foot Golf Club on May 17 and 18; the Junior championship at the Sleepy Hollow Club on June 29, 30 and July 1; and the Caddie and Caddie Masters' championship will be decided at the Lakeville Golf Club. These dates were announced by the new Executive Committee of the M. G. A.

John A. Ladds of Cherry Valley was named chairman of the new Tournament Committee, other members being Gardiner White, Mason B. Starring, John McAuliffe and Joseph L. Hodgson. Walter Z. Shafer is chairman of the Handicap Committee, with E. M. Wild, John G. Anderson, E. H. Driggs, Jr., and R. A. Jones, Jr., assisting him. Louis P. Dempsey and Harry Kidd were appointed chairmen of the Caddie and Service Committees.

The 'Round the World Golf Club has started on its second annual tour around the world. Its members, their families and friends sailed from New York on the S. S. Empress of Scotland as part of the Canadian Pacific World Cruise. The 'Round the World Golf Club was formed by a golf enthusiast who wanted to play as many different courses as possible. He gathered together a few amateurs who joined last year's Canadian Pacific World Cruise in order to save the time and trouble of looking after baggage, transportation and hotel accommodations. Golf courses in Japan, India, China, Egypt, Java, Ceylon and other countries were played.

Golf has produced some fine players at fourteen and recent reports indicate that another is likely soon to make a public appearance. The newest of the young stars is "Tommy" Tailor—T. Suffern-Tailor, Jr.—who, although but fourteen, recently beat the professional at a well-known Long Island club at which he was a guest, 3 up in match play, with a medal of 79. The course is a very hard one. The defeat of the professional was thought to have been a fluke, and a second game was arranged for—and the young amateur won it 4 up!

It is possible that young Tailor will play in a few invitation events this Spring. He has the same tournament temperament of Bobby Jones and has an easy, graceful style and the form of a champion.

The members of the Coldstream Country Club, East Hempstead, Long Island, are beginning to take a personal interest in the playing of their young professional. Charlie Luhr, who has been consistently breaking course records in his section recently. His latest feat was to clip 3 strokes off Willie Klein's record at the Rockville Center Country Club, making a

70, then he made a 67 at Coldstream reducing the previous record by 4 strokes. At Lenox Hills he just reduced the former record of 3 strokes, making a 70. Luhr is a young man who will probably be heard from next year as he plans to enter some of the major Open tournaments.