

## FORTRESS COURSE TO OPEN

The Fortress, the only golf facility in Frankenmuth, MI, is scheduled to open in July. It was designed by Dick Nugent Associates and is owned by Zehnders, who also own an independent family restaurant.

The Fortress is located on the site of a nine-hole public course. The existing holes were torn out and replaced with a 6,820 yard, par 72 course in the style of a prairie links.

The Fortress reflects characteristics of golf's early Scottish origins where wind is always a factor, and the holes play through and around fescue covered mounds to well guarded, sectioned greens.

## YOUCHE REMODELING BEGINS

Indiana's Youche Country Club remodeling project began September 5 and will continue until its scheduled reopening in June 1993.

The north nine holes (Holes 4-6 and 12-17) are being remodeled but will be open for play this summer. The south nine holes remain open until August, when they are scheduled for remodeling.

Dick Nugent Associates design includes adding four new ponds, redoing the fairways in bentgrass, rebuilding four greens, resurfacing all 18 greens, and adding a number of bunkers.

## DUICH JOINS TEE-2-GREEN

Dr. Joseph M. Duich has joined Tee-2-Green Corp. as a technical advisor and consultant. The retired Penn State turfgrass science professor assisted professor H.B. Musser in developing Penncross creeping bentgrass, released in 1955. He later developed Penneagle and PennLinks creeping bentgrass.

As a consultant and technical advisor, he will address golf course superintendents' questions and management practice inquiries concerning the "Pen-Pals" creeping bentgrasses.

## NEW MANAGER FOR TURF-SEED



Russell Hayworth joined Turf-Seed, Inc. as southwest marketing manager. He will be marketing all Turf-Seed varieties and blends, including Citation II, Quickstart, Charger, and the "Penn Pals" creeping bentgrasses. He will also be involved with new product development and testing.

Hayworth attended Oregon State University and was involved in Oregon grass seed production for 10 years. For the last four years, he marketed turfgrass seed in Southern California and Arizona.

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