

Survey of Golf Course Is Made

Tentative Outline of Course Being Studied

Perry Maxwell, Tulsa, Okla., golf architect, has submitted to City Manager C. W. Smedberg a tentative outline for the proposed nine hole Municipal golf course for the Gillespie Park school property, and Councilmen A. C. Davis and Huger S. King, committee in charge of the golf course study, were expected to check over the outline during the day.

It was expected that a tentative estimate as to the cost of preparing the course would be received within the next day or so. The sketch of the course and the cost estimate are necessary before application can be filed for a WPA project.

There are nine holes outlined for the property, surrounding the playground area of the school, with a par of 35, as follows: 44 35 34. Total yardage is given at from 3,000 to 3,250, the longest distance between tee and cup being 530 yards and the shortest approximately 140 yards.

In the event the layout is given approval and can be included in the WPA program, it is planned to have the detailed plans prepared immediately and work gotten under way as early as weather conditions permit. Employment will be provided throughout spring, summer and fall for a goodly number of workers, practically all the cost necessitated being for manual labor and cost of seeding the area. The city will provide as its part of the cost, necessary machines for grading and transfer of dirt, preparing the seedbed and fertilization, plus several thousand dollars cash outlay. It is hoped to have the course ready for use by the spring of 1941.