

Meditations of a Peripatetic Golfer

Because mushroom soil has been used for the growing of mushrooms—an edible fungus—there is no reason for suspecting it of causing or favoring the growth of brown-patch. Use mushroom soil in your compost pile and be glad you have it.

Spring is a good time to check up on the weak spots of the drainage of your greens. If you have any doubt give the greens the benefit of it.

Don't think the soil of your greens will become acid enough to keep out weeds by a few applications of ammonium sulfate. If the soil is fairly alkaline or even neutral it will require several years and many applications to get it sufficiently acid.

In the time of peace prepare for war on earthworms, weeds and other pests of greens. The zero hour is near.

Spring brings forth new grass; likewise a new crop of fake fertilizers.

Ammonium sulfate is an excellent fertilizer for greens; but wait until the grass declares its intentions in the spring before applying it. Don't be in too big a hurry.

When you have an opportunity to investigate a new product before buying, why not do so? Ask the Green Section.

The early bird catches the worm, but corrosive sublimate is much more efficient.