

IT'S YOUR HONOR

Golfers and Scorers

TO THE USGA:

I am constantly distressed to find how very little the so-called Golfer knows or even cares about the Rules of Golf.

I am of the Old School and feel that no matter how well a man may execute his shots-accurate and fine form-he is not a Golfer unless he has a *knowledge* of the Rules of Golf.

A big difference between a low scorer and a Golfer. .

J. C. JESTER
ATHENS, GA.

USGA Junior Championship

TO THE USGA:

I am glad the USGA is going to inaugurate and take charge of a Junior Championship, because this will prevent commercializing and will stimulate interest in golf among the boys throughout the country.

Amateur events of this kind should be under the control of organizations similar to yours and mine.

OSCAR FURUSET
DIRECTOR AND FORMER PRESIDENT
OREGON GOLF ASSOCIATION

Winter Rules

TO THE USGA:

I have always thought that Winter Rules were used only when a course is "unfit for play"; therefore, it is not golf at all, and the players are only out for fresh air and exercise.

If and when I find it too wet to play golf, I place my ball any time I want to, anywhere I may be (rough or hazards) and enjoy being outdoors.

I am undoubtedly old-fashioned, but there you are.

A. M. REID
NEW YORK, N. Y.

New Members

TO THE USGA:

We hereby apply for membership in the United States Golf Association as a Regular Member.

The club members realize the fine work that the USGA has done to better the game of golf. In turn, they wish to provide full cooperation in order that such a fine organization may continue.

LT. WILLIAM D. BRYAN, SEC.-TREAS.
FORT SHAFTER GOLF CLUB
HONOLULU, T. H.

TO, THE USGA:

We hereby apply for membership in the United States Golf Association as an Associate Member. Our course is semi-public.

We are glad to have this opportunity to become associated with an institution that has done so much for golf.

RUSSELL A. SHIELDS
BOB O'LINK GOLF CLUB
DETROIT, MICH.

It's Still a Game

TO THE USGA:

Every article in the Spring issue of the USGA JOURNAL should prove useful to anyone who thinks golf is still a game and not a way to gamble over the weekend.

The article by J. Martin Watson (*The Glorious Game of Golf*) should be read by everyone who plays.

Too many people think the main idea is to get the ball in the hole in the fewest strokes possible, regardless of how it is done. They make many of their mistakes in both etiquette and rules because of ignorance rather than intentional violation.

Naturally, the most interesting part of the JOURNAL to me is TIMELY TURF TOPICS. I have written the Green Section many times and made several trips to Beltsville. At all times I have been greatly helped.

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Editor's Note: The USGA JOURNAL invites comments on matters relating to the welfare of the game and will publish them as space permits.

