

A Gallery of Golfing Art

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Golfers are becoming increasingly aware of the excellence of the Golf Museum and Library at "Golf House". During the last two years, the USGA headquarters also has become a repository for fine oil paintings.

The most recent acquisition and one of which we are particularly proud is an oil painting of Francis Ouimet, done by Thomas E. Stephens, of New York, and presented by William H. Danforth, of Boston, Mass., and Edward E. Lowery, formerly of Boston and now of San Francisco, Cal., two old friends of Mr. Ouimet.

This portrays him in his red coat and St. Adelaide medal which he wore as Captain of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, Scotland, in 1951-52. He was the first American so honored. The presentation was made after the Annual Meeting by Charles W. Littlefield, of New York, N. Y., in the absence of the donors, and Mr. Ouimet responded with a short talk to the delegates.

At about the same time, "Golf House" received, too, an original oil painting of the fourth hole at the Baltusrol Golf Club, in Springfield, N. J., which will be the scene of the Open Championship next June. This was done by Ralph C. Reynolds for MacGregor Golf Company, and a reproduction was seen by many in that firm's Christmas card and Christmas advertisement. The original was given to "Golf House" by Henry P. Cowen, in behalf of the Company, which plans to



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commission paintings of Open Championship sites each year for the same purpose and to present those originals, too, to "Golf House".

Gifts from individuals, clubs and associations continue to swell "Golf House" Fund, which now stands at \$102,002. This is an increase of \$339.50 since the last issue and leaves us \$7,998 short of our objective. New Founders include:

INDIVIDUALS

In Honor of Robert Bertenshaw
by E. O. Fisk
Joe Devany
John W. Friel
Harry Hinchey
John R. Klotz

Lionel MacDuff
James B. Nash, Jr.
Danny Ross
Charles Judd Ringer
M. H. Rowley
Toyo Shirai

In Memoriam—Henry Bucher
Swoope, II, by his sons
Fred Trippel
Wynant Van Zandt
Mark Woods

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Garden City Country Club, N. Y.

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