### **NEWS AND NOTES**



W. F. Lovelady, a native of the Lancashire golf coast, who went to Southport Old Links last year as Head Greenkeeper, has now been appointed Professional as well. We wish him all good luck in his additional responsibilities.

Mr. W. J. Gardner, M.B.E., Hon. Secretary of the Artisan Golfers' Association, tells us that the Lindrick Artisans' Golf Club, with the full approval of the parent club, has bestowed honorary life membership on George Herrington for his long and loyal service to

their club and to the course. All our members will join us in congratulating George on this honour.

Mr. Gardner also tells us that the form of the J. H. Taylor Memorial, for which a considerable sum was subscribed by the Artisan Golfers' Association, will be one large and one small engraved silver Chalice for the Parish Church at Northam. J.H. sang in the choir in this church for many years and a happier remembrance could certainly not have been devised.

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