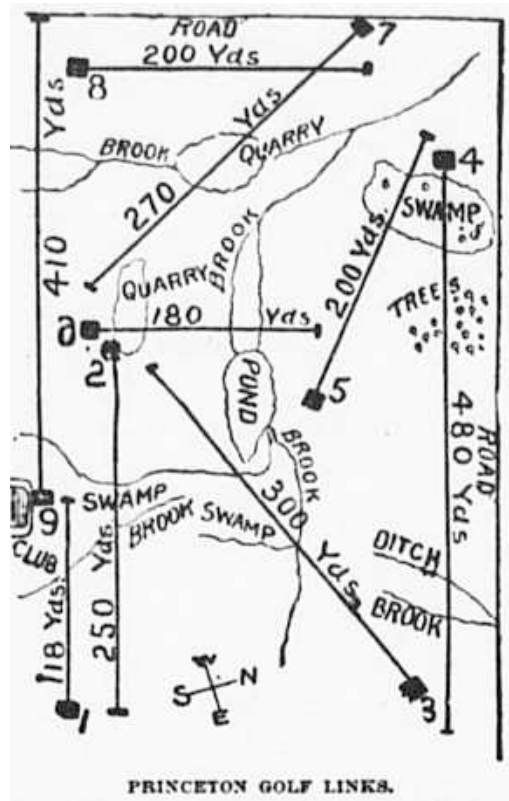


MALCOLM MCKINNON WITH ASSISTANCE FROM GOLF CLUB ATLAS, JOE BAUSCH, MIKE CIRBA AND WAYNE MORRISON

EVOLUTION OF THE CLUB AND GROUNDS



New York Sun rendering of the golf course 03/21/1897

1895

In October ,1895 an article in the Daily Princetonian calls attention to a new nine hole links which have been created on cleared grounds in a field commonly known as "Stockton Woods". These same grounds today are the sloping lands bordered by Westcott Lane on the south, Mountain Avenue down the hill to the North and Elm Road to the west, . Also noted in the article is the organization of a Princeton Golf Club and a formation of a board of governors including G.A. Armour, C. Dodge, A. Marquand, C. F. W. Maclure, J. S. Morgan, F. Neher, H. F. Osborn, M. Taylor Pyne, H. D.. Thompson, A. F. West and W. A. Wyckoff.

The initiation fee was set as \$5.00 and annual dues were \$5.00. Speculation was that golf would soon become an intercollegiate sport

Daily Princetonian, October 2nd 1895

HARVARD LETTER.

CAMBRIDGE, September 30.

The University began a new year last Friday. In the morning all students were expected to register, and in the afternoon the regular recitations and lectures began.

On Monday evening the Faculty held a meeting for the reception of new students in the University. The meeting was held in Memorial Hall, and addresses were made by members of the Faculty and by well known undergraduates. This was the first occasion on which the entering class was brought together, and it tended to bring the class into closer relations with the officers of government, and also to unite the class itself more firmly together. At the meeting an opportunity was given to the freshmen to meet the members of the Faculty and one another. For years past an old tradition has set aside the first Monday of the college year for a rush between the freshmen and sophomores. The strong opposition of the college authorities, however, has of late years very nearly destroyed this ceremony. The Faculty think that an excellent way of putting a final end to the rush, is to hold a meeting on the first Monday night of the year, at which the freshmen may be welcomed to the college by the authorities, and by the influence of the speeches induced to keep the University rules. In one way this reception has a contrary effect, for it brings the freshman class together, when otherwise they would be less likely to collect for a rush.

In athletics the new year has begun auspiciously. The football material is better than for some years past. At present there are forty-eight candidates for the 'varsity, and many of the new men show great promise. The freshman class has contributed some excellent material. Perhaps the best men from ninety-nine are Jaffrey and Holt, who are both trying for the position of guard. Jaffrey weighs 220 pounds and is six feet five inches in height.

A recent vote of the faculty has forbidden the Glee Club to hold any concerts, outside of Cambridge or vicinity. The undergraduates generally regret this action, and members of the Glee Club are much disappointed as it puts an end to their Christmas trip.

The crews were on the river early in the week, and practice was begun.—*The Harvard Crimson.*

THE PRINCETON GOLF CLUB

The attention of Princeton men is called to the fact that there is now a local golf-links which is in excellent condition. A nine-hole course has been cleared in the field that is commonly known as the "Stockton Woods," and

which is at a suitable distance, about ten minutes walk north of the Princeton Inn.

The field is covered with an excellent turf, and it furnishes exceptional advantages in the way of natural hazards. It is safe to say that a good golfer accustomed to this course will find himself at an advantage on the links of most of the Eastern clubs. The situation of the links is so far in their favor that it admitted of their being played over through for the greater part of last winter and spring. They thus furnished means of agreeable exercise at a season when out-of-door sport is at a premium in Princeton.

It is not unlikely that golf will soon figure among the intercollegiate contests, and in view of this fact as well as because of the intrinsic worth of the game, it is hoped that Princeton men will take an early and lively interest in the game.

A Princeton golf club has been organized under the following board of governors: G. A. Armour, C. Dodge, A. Marquand, C. F. W. McClure, J. S. Morgan, F. Neher, H. F. Osborn, M. Taylor Pyne, H. D. Thompson, A. F. West, W. A. Wyckoff.

Mr. Armour has been elected president of the club, Mr. Pyne vice-president and Mr. Wyckoff the secretary and treasurer. The Board of Governors has fixed the initiation fee at five dollars and the yearly dues at five dollars. It has arranged to have the links open for play every day except Sundays during the college year and has employed a keeper of the green to be in attendance on those days.

The Board has decided also to admit to membership in the club a limited number of college men of all the classes. Those who wish to join the club may send their applications to Mr. Wyckoff, P. O. box 24, Princeton, and their names will be passed upon at the next meeting of the Board.

Inquiries for further information may be addressed to Mr. Wyckoff.

CANDIDATES FOR THE TRACK TEAM.

About a week ago notice was given for the candidates for the track team to report for practice. Quite a number of new men from the freshmen class reported and the men are being trained for the Fall handicap games which will occur about the middle of October. A number of old men have also reported for practice. Below is a list of the candidates from the freshman class.

Track events; Stevenson, Straton, Henderson, Jones, Phillips, McCulloch, Milliken, Colfield, Kohler, Bulb, Hill, Pomeroy, Chappel, Weston.

Field events; Bottger, Baird, Goldthwaite, Harding, Wentz, Ayers, Harding.

An article in December states that the club is private, and requests that members and their guests would please refrain from riding their horses over the grounds and damaging the greens.

Daily Princetonian, December 6th, 1895

Residents of Princeton (including members of the University), who are not members of the club, shall not be allowed the use of the Links of the Princeton Golf Club. Visitors in Princeton may be introduced to the Club by members and allowed to play upon the purchase of a ticket for each visiting player on each day of play. (The tickets may be secured in the office of the Princeton Inn). Members of the University are eligible to membership in the Princeton Golf Club until the membership has reached its limit. It is particularly requested that members and visitors will not ride over the course on horseback and that they will avoid all unnecessary injury to the greens.

The Board of Governors,
W. A. Wyckoff, Secretary.

1896

By May of 1896 the club is described as flourishing and the first Handicap tournament is to be held for undergraduates on May 26th to contest for a cup donated by George Armour.

PRINCETON GOLF CLUB.

Handicap Tournament to be Held.

The Princeton Golf Club, which became a permanent organization last Fall, with a membership from both the citizens of the town and the students of the college, is now in a flourishing condition.* The Club is elective, the initiation fee being \$5, and the yearly dues \$5. Through the kindness of Mr. George A. Armour, of the class of '77, the club has become the recipient of a handsome cup which will be contested for at a handicap tournament to be held May 26, on the links of the club back of the Princeton Inn. The conditions of this tournament are as follows: Each man will be required to play 18 holes. As the links have only 9 holes, it will thus be necessary to cover the course twice. The tournament will be *Medal play*, which means that the total score for 18 holes will be counted instead of its being necessary to play for each hole as is customary. The men contesting can go over the course at any time during the day, but only in pairs. The handicap limit will be thirty-six, and only undergraduate members of the club will be allowed to compete. The men desiring to enter the tournament will be required to hand in their five highest certified scores, so that the handicapping committee can arrange the handicaps fairly.

A handicap sweepstakes is held and first mention is made of our first professional James Swann.

Daily Princetonian, May 21st, 1897

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FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1897.

The success which the Honor System in examinations has achieved in Princeton has been a lasting source of pride to everyone connected with the University. In view of the fact that the undergraduates were not in college when the constitution was adopted, it seems advisable to reprint it from time to time. This is done that the exact provisions may be fresh in the minds of all.

The tendency in the commencement exercises in the universities of the country has been to depart from the old idea of an exhibition, which survived the development of these institutions from high school and college. The effort now is toward such a program as will lend the greatest degree of dignity and importance to the occasion. In many of the universities, the only relic of the old commencement exhibition is the delivery of a large number of orations by members of the graduating class. Although some of the larger institutions have already done away with this custom, Princeton is among the majority who still retain the orations on the commencement program, although a step in the right direction was taken in the abolishment of the English Salutatory. We feel that the abolition or serious curtailment of most of these speeches is but a matter of time. While the orations in themselves are usually of a high order, it is almost inevitable that they should be of a type which appeals but little to the average commencement visitor or to the undergraduates. The purely perfunctory attention with which they are listened to, and the evident relief the audience experiences when the speeches are over, bears eloquent testimony to this fact. In place of these orations which try both spectators and speakers there might be substituted an address by some distinguished alumnus or celebrated visitor which would be both of profit and interest to all. This would add dignity to the gravest event of the university year, and would give them an interest which they now vitally lack.

GOLF SWEEPSTAKES.

There will be a handicap sweepstakes for members of the Princeton Golf Club, to be played for Wednesdays and Saturdays until June 9th. Entries will cost 50 cents each, and the total sum collected will be devoted to the purchase of a suitable prize. It is hoped that many of the golfers will be brought out by this contest, as the handicap rating will be made, as far as possible, to put all the players on a par. After a first card for 9 holes has been handed in, a rating will be given. When this handicap has been established it will be necessary for players to hand in cards for 18 holes, and the best net score made before the close of the contest on June 9th, will be awarded the prize. All the members of the club are invited to join in the competition as the Green Committee feel certain that a fair measure of interest shown in this competition will lead to the offering of a number of interesting prizes for a tournament in the autumn. The links has been made somewhat shorter than before, but the changes which have been made have been for the purpose of bringing it more into line with the popular courses of the country. It is hoped that Mr. Swann, a professional player of excellent record, now situated at Lawrenceville, will be able during the coming months to be on the links at a stated time each week, ready to give instructions to those who desire it.

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In September of this year new officers are elected and dues double to \$10.00 per year. To put that in perspective, however, you may have noted in the May 21st Daily Princetonian that the annual subscription to the paper was \$4.00.

Daily Princetonian, September 30, 1897

GOLF CLUB.

A meeting of the Governors of the Princeton Golf Club was held on September 27th, and the following officials were elected: President, M. Taylor Pyne; Vice President, Professor Allan Marquand; Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. P. A. V. Van Doren.

It is expected a new impetus will be given to the game here, the grounds improved, and a caddie captain employed. It is hoped that all members of the University interested in the game will join. The dues will be \$10, payable in advance at the Treasurer's office over Marsh & Burke's drug store.

After October 1st no one will be allowed to play on the course without a membership card, to be presented to the keeper on demand. These may be obtained at the Treasurer's office.

In 1897 play on Sundays was strictly prohibited and if you were a student you could be subject to expulsion from the University if caught. The powers that be at the club wanted to emphasize that point so they printed it two days running in the Daily Princetonian. Truly, a strict Presbyterian ethos on display.

GOLF CLUB.

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In November of 1897 new officers are elected, a new cup is donated by M. T. Pyne and improvements on the course including new bunkering are being made.

GOLF AT PRINCETON.

Interest in This Line of Sport Especially Great
at Princeton Just Now.

The interest taken in golf by the undergraduates of the University has shown a steady increase this fall. As an incentive to this, Mrs. Taylor Pyne offered a handsome silver loving cup to be played for each year, but which is to remain in the possession of the Princeton Golf Club. In addition to this, Mrs. Pyne offered two pewter cups for first and second prizes.

The tournament for this cup was very successful, several of the matches proving close and exciting. In the final round, played Nov. 3, W. D. Vanderpool '98 defeated A. D. Childs '01 by seven ups and six to play. Sixteen men played in the preliminary round.

The Princeton Golf Club is an organization which was started in Oct. 1895, by the residents of the town and several of the University professors. A lot commonly known as 'the Stockton Woods' was secured by a lease of five years, and a golf course of nine holes laid out. But little improvement was made on the land, however, beyond what was absolutely necessary. The club has been completely reorganized this fall, and the following officers elected: President, M. Taylor Pyne; Vice-President, Prof. Allan Marquand; Secretary and Treasurer, P. A. V. Van Doren. At the present time the club has enrolled a total membership of seventy-three, of which number forty-one are undergraduates of the University. During the past month the golf course has been greatly improved. The underbrush which obstructed the course beyond what was necessary for hazards has been removed, the course marked off with line flags, the putting greens rolled, and one new bunker has been completed, with others in process of construction.

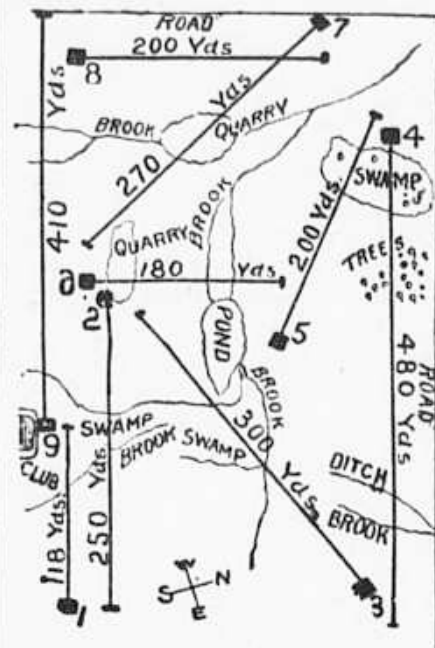
Here is a New York Sun article detailing the golf course as it existed in 1897.

New York Sun, March 21st, 1897

COLLEGE BOYS AT GOLF.

The Old Game Is Flourishing at Princeton University.

Should the intercollegiate golf championships become an annual feature of the game in this country a fair share of the honors will undoubtedly fall to the players from Princeton University, where the Scotch game now has as many adherents as the more modern sports, like baseball and football, at which the boys from "Old Nassau" have won so many laurels in the past. Unlike the players at Harvard, Yale, and Columbia, the Princetonians have no need to use the links of outside clubs, for the Princeton Golf Club links are within about three-quarters of a mile from the campus.



PRINCETON GOLF LINKS.

The course, while rather rough at this time of the year, when the frost is coming out of the ground, is nevertheless in excellent condition to practise on. The tee for the first hole is directly in front of the club house. It is only necessary to make an iron drive to get over two ditches and avoid some cuppy ground. This will land the ball near the green, and the hole should be made in three or four. The second hole lies on the top of a ridge, and is made difficult by two ditches and some swampy land. The third hole is much the same, but the distance a little longer. A long hole follows, the fourth, and a sliced ball is punished by falling into a road. The fifth is not very difficult, but a topped drive will land the ball in a swamp. The sixth green lies on the crest of a hill, and is guarded by a quarry. This quarry and a brook make the hazards on the seventh hole. The eighth hole is an uphill drive, with no hazards. The home green is a little to one side of the club house and is protected by two brooks and a ditch. In yards the measurements from tees to holes are: 1, 118; 2, 250; 3, 300; 4, 480; 5, 200; 6, 180; 7, 270; 8, 200; 9, 410. Total, 2,408.

There are a score of college golfers on the links every pleasant day, and the general form all down the line is of the improving order. Among the best golfers at Princeton are W. D. Vanderpoel, '98; P. D. Stockley, '98; L. P. Bayard, '98; R. K. Poole, 1900; J. I. Blair, '98; W. A. W. Stewart, '97; F. Sturges, '97; O. W. Jackson, '98; T. T. Buckley, '98; D. Riggs, '97; H. Lowe, '97; H. C. Brokaw, '97, and Benjamin Coates, '98. Some of them have won distinction on other links. Bayard was one of the sixteen who qualified at medal play in the amateur championship at Shinnecock Hills. Stockley was a medal winner at the Morris County Golf Club last season, and on Jan. 1 Vanderpoel handed in the winning card, 100, 10, 90, of the twenty-one who finished in the New Year's Day handicap at the Baltusrol Golf Club.

By late 1897 plans emerged to try to improve the quality of the turf. New seed is laid and top dressing is employed. The art of greens keeping is beginning to emerge

WORK ON THE GOLF LINKS.

The work of improving the links of the Princeton Golf Club, which has been going on almost uninterruptedly during the fall, will be continued during the winter. Especial attention will be given to the putting greens, which have heretofore been in a very unsatisfactory condition. At some time within the next few weeks temporary greens are to be arranged, and the regular greens will receive a top dressing and will be fenced off. They will not be used during the winter months, and in the spring the ground will be broken and seeded with English grass seed. As soon as the grass is well started the greens will again be ready for play. In addition to this, as many other improvements will be made as the condition of the treasury will allow, but as the greater part of the club's limited income is expended upon the regular maintenance of the course, it is feared that not much can be done unless the club can enlist the support of alumni or others interested in the game.

In December of 1897 the Princeton Golf Club was elected as an allied member of the United States Golf Association along with the Town and Country Club of Saint Paul, MN and Wee Burn Country Club in Darien, CT.. The three clubs became the 57th through 59th members of the USGA although we do not know the order of the vote during that meeting.

1898

Daily Princetonian, January 7, 1898

THE PRINCETON GOLF CLUB.

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the United States Golf Association, the Princeton Golf Club was elected as an allied member of the association. Seven other clubs were elected to membership at the same time. By this addition, the membership of the association is increased to one hundred and three, more than five times the number of the clubs which were members at the beginning of 1897.

This official connection of the Princeton Club with the United States Association makes it admissible for any Princeton player to enter the national championship contests or to compete in any tournament held under the auspices of the association.

By the fall of 1898 we have the University Championship, the Pyne Cup being contested.

Daily Princetonian, October 6th, 1898

THE GOLF TOURNAMENT.

The annual golf tournament for the championship of the University commenced yesterday on the links of the Princeton Golf club. The play throughout the afternoon was made in a drizzling rain, and, considering the unfavorable conditions, the playing was remarkably good, a number of the men turning in good cards. Yesterday afternoon was consumed in medal play, the first eight to qualify for the first round. The men who qualified, with their scores, are as follows:

C. Griswold, Jr., '99, 39-44-83.
J. Stewart '00, 43-42-85.
H. Wilson '02, 43-43-86.
C. H. Murphy '00, 44-44-88.
D. Bonner '02, 44-44-88.
P. Kellogg '00, 43-46-89.
A. D. Childs '01, 47-48-95.
J. Ralston '99, 48-48-96.

The other scores turned in follow:

G. Brokaw '02, 101; G. Cooke '01, 102; A. B. Robinson '00, 103; H. H. Laughlin '00, 103; D. H. McAlpin '02, 106; F. F. Stryker '02, 107; D. Dana '01, 108; R. L. Hall '02, 108; S. Keith '02, 113; J. R. Crawford '01, 116.

The drawings for the first round to-day are as follows:

Wilson '02, vs. Stewart '00; Childs '01, vs. Ralston '99; Kellogg '00, vs. Bonner '02; Griswold '90, vs. Murphy '01.

The schedule of the golf club's matches is as follows: Saturday, Oct. 8th, at St. Andrews; Wednesday, Oct. 12th, at Lawrenceville; Saturday, Oct. 15th, at the West Chester club. This schedule includes all the matches which have thus far been arranged before the intercollegiate match at Ardsley, on Oct. 19th. A team composed of Stewart, Griswold, Wilson and another not yet chosen, will be sent to St. Andrews, while eight men will play on each team at Lawrenceville.

In the Fall of 1898 we now also have the appearance of a golf team at Princeton University.

Daily Princetonian, October 8th, 1898

**SEMI-FINAL ROUND IN THE GOLF
TOURNAMENT.**

The semi-finals of the Golf Tournament for the Pyne Cup were played yesterday afternoon on the links of the Princeton Golf Club. Griswold '99, beat Kellogg '00, three up and two to play, and Childs '01, defeated Wilson '02, two up and one to play. Griswold completed the eighteen holes in 85 strokes, while Childs' score was 91. These two men will play off the finals on Monday.

A comparison of the scores made in the tournament this year with those of last year, shows that the men are playing in better form than those who qualified for this tournament last year.

A team composed of Griswold, Stewart, Kellogg and Wilson left on the 5.48 train yesterday afternoon for the St. Andrews Club, where the men will play to-day.

Here is the financial report from 1898.

Daily Princetonian, October 12th, 1898

GOLF CLUB FINANCIAL REPORT.	
Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the Princeton Golf Club, From October 1, 1897, to October 1, 1898.	
Total receipts from dues, (of which \$30 was for dues for the coming year.)	\$1,075 00
Receipts from sale of balls, tickets, &c.,	113 10
Total,	\$1,188 10
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Paid to Greens Keeper, (of which \$50 belonged to previous year.)	\$ 470 00
Paid to Caddy Captain,	125 00
Paid for extra labor, (including twice rolling green.)	137 56
Paid for professional instructions,	15 00
Total for labor,	\$ 747 56
Paid fee to National Association,	\$ 25 00
Paid Bric-a-Brac, ad.,	15 00
Paid bills for balls, &c.,	88 90
Paid for tools, viz:—	
Roller,	\$ 7 80
Flags, &c.,	22 95
Sand boxes,	12 35
Lawn mower,	10 62
	\$ 53 72
Paid out for sand,	15 00
Paid for prizes,	43 77
Paid for fertilizer,	49 50
Paid for grass seed,	12 00
Paid for printing,	21 85
Paid for postage,	17 83
Paid for bad cheques,	20 00
To dues returned,	25 00
Paid for incidentals, viz:—	
Express,	\$ 1 60
A. Y. Stryker, repairs,	4 48
Change and telegram,	5 80
Stove,	3 00
Coal,	6 00
Slazenger bill,	6 75
Vandewater bill,	4 21
Spalding bill,	3 08
	\$ 34 92
Total disbursements,	\$ 1,170 25
Balance on hand October 1, 1898,	17 85
	\$ 1,188 10

In the fall of 1898 we find that teams from Princeton, Yale Harvard and Columbia are competing at the Ardsley Club. Princeton's team include freshman Hugh Wilson '02 who went on to help create both courses at Merion Golf Club and also had a hand in designing the 12th -15th holes at Pine Valley, Seaview, Cobbs Creek, Philmont and North Hills.

Daily Princetonian, October 5th 1898

INTERCOLLEGIATE GOLF.

Teams Which Will Enter the Tournament at Ardsley This Week.

The Intercollegiate Golf Tournament which is to be played on the links of the Ardsley club, will begin to-morrow morning and continue throughout the remainder of the week. Wednesday and Thursday will be devoted to the team championship matches, and the individual contests will occupy the last two days of the week. Each team will consist of six men as heretofore. The cup offered by the Ardsley club is to be contested for, and will become the property of the university first winning it three times. Yale has won the cup in the last two years, and if she should win it again this year it will come permanently into her possession.

Teams from Princeton, Yale, Harvard and Columbia will compete, and each of these universities will also have representatives in the individual contests.

Princeton's representatives will be J. Stuart '00, C. Griswold '99, H. L. Wilson '02, J. P. Kellogg '00, D. E. Bonner '02, and C. M. Murphy '00.

Yale's team will be selected from the following men: John Reid, Jr., W. B. Smith, T. M. Robertson, C. D. Barnes, Paul Cheney, I. G. Knox, G. T. Tiffany and I. K. Hinkle.

Harvard's team will be composed of the following men: Joseph Choate, Jr., W. B. Cutting, Jr., J. F. Curtis, I. T. Burden, Jr., G. McC. Sargent, G. C. Clark, Jr., and G. G. Hubbard.

S. P. Morris, the captain of Columbia's team, has not yet selected her representatives.

The last tournament was held in May, but the Intercollegiate Golf Association has decided upon a change of time, and hereafter all tournaments will be held in the fall.

PRIZES IN THE GOLF TOURNAMENT.

Chester Griswold '99, and A. D. Childs '01, the winners of first and second places respectively in the recent University Golf Tournament, have received handsome trophy cups, which are to remain their permanent property. In addition, Griswold will hold possession of the Pyne cup for one year. The prizes are now on exhibition at Briner's. They are made of pewter, heavily plated with silver. The first prize stands about one foot in height, with wide, bulging base, narrow body and flaring top. Three handles extend the entire length of the body. The cup carries the inscription:

PRINCETON GOLF CLUB,
UNDERGRADUATES TOURNAMENT,
OCTOBER, 1898.
FIRST PRIZE WON BY
CHESTER GRISWOLD, JR., '99.

The second prize, won by Childs '01, is an exact copy of first on a smaller scale, and stands about eight inches in height.

ALUMNI IN TOWN ON SATURDAY.

The following were among the Alumni in town on Saturday: J. S. Rogers '93, R. Goldsburly '01, H. Besson '92, Harrison Hall '98, H. Janeway '90, M. Bergen '92, Brownlee '89, McLanahan '96, G. Agnew '91, C. Agnew '91, Cochran '93, Shellabarger '92, Shephard Homans '92, Arnold '95, Woodruff '94, C. C. Cuyler '79, George Armour '76, Howard Butler '92, McAlpin '88, Ernest Carter '88, Maitland Alexander '89, Davis '56, Mudge '62, Anderson '61, Garrett '97, Church '88, Louis Baker '56, Alonzo Church '92, Magie '32, Henry Greene '91, McPherson '74, Cyrus McCormick '87, J. W. Alexander '60, Bayard Henry '77, Lynde '77, B. F. Carter '94, King '88, Bovaird '89, Goldie '90, Kellogg '93, Borchertling '93, Baird '93, Moffat '84, George '89, T. S. Clarke '82, Farrand '88, Blackwell '88, Black '88, Westervelt '02, Mercer '88, Riegel '88.

In November 1898 the Princeton Golf team is still active and engaged in a match against the Lawrenceville School.

GOLF MATCH TO-DAY.

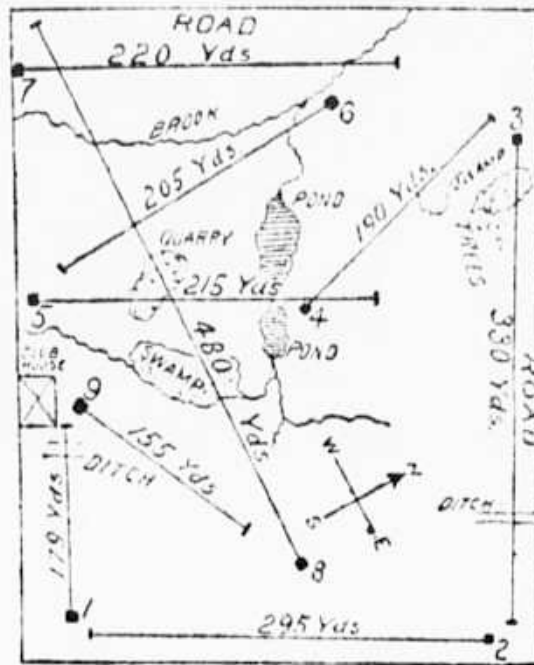
The University Golf Team will play a match with a team from Lawrenceville this afternoon, on the links of the Princeton Golf Club.

Play will begin at one o'clock and the teams will be made up of eight men each. The following will be Princeton's representatives: J. Stuart '00, C. Griswold '99, (Capt.), H. L. Wilson '02, J. P. Kellogg '00, D. E. Bonner '02, A. D. Childs '01, C. H. Murphy '00, and G. T. Brokaw '02.

Here is the layout of the Princeton Golf Club in 1899.

New York Sun, April 2, 1899

PRINCETON, April 1.—The Princeton golf team has gone to Old Point Comfort to take part in a three-day tournament which began to-day. The rest of the schedule arranged thus far by Capt. Griswold for the spring season is as follows: April 22, Baltusrol Golf Club; April 29, Apsley Club; May 6, Richmond County Club. The Princeton Golf Club is in a very prosperous condition, finishing last season with a surplus of \$1,180. This year the membership is larger than ever before, which shows that the game is growing very popular among Princeton undergraduates.



PRINCETON GOLF LINKS.

At present the team is playing with the same make-up as in the intercollegiate championship tournament last fall. Chester Griswold, who won the University cup last fall, is captain, and the other members are John Stuart, 39; James G. Wilson, 39; O. D. Kellogg, 3; A. D. Childs, 1901, and D. E. Bonner, 1902. Besides these players Capt. Griswold has at least thirty other promising golfers who are candidates for the team, and who will get a chance to show their ability. James Swan, late at the Lawrenceville School, has been engaged as professional. The total length of the course is 2,200 yards, the measurements being 170, 295, 330, 190, 215, 205, 220, 480, 150. The links have been thoroughly overhauled for the season. New sand boxes have been placed at each green and tee, with windmill disks, and the greens have been rolled. Plans for a new clubhouse are under consideration.

In April of 1899 golf

matches are in full swing.

GOLF CLUB SCHEDULE.

The Golf Club management has arranged a game with the St. Andrews Club to be played by a team of six men on April 29th on the St. Andrews links. The other games so far arranged are with the Baltusrol Club on April 22nd, at Short Hills, N. J., and the Richmond County Club, at Duncan Hill, Staten Island, on May 6th. These two matches will be played by a team of eight men.

The team will probably consist of the following men: C. Griswold '99, J. Stuart '00, J. P. Kellogg '00, C. H. Murphy '00, G. J. Cooke '01, D. E. Bonner '02, H. I. Wilson '02, and W. D. Stockly '02.

By the fall of 1899 there is a movement afoot to secure a larger parcel of land to establish a new links. Rumors persist that the club has its eyes on the old Stockton family farm, Springdale which consists of about 240 acres.

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NEW GOLF LINKS.

Mr. C. C. Cuyler is in Princeton to negotiate for the purchase of a considerable tract of land, to be used by the golfers of the University and vicinity. A number of gentlemen, of whom Mr. Cuyler and Mr. Pyne are the representatives, have decided upon establishing golf links in or near the town. No definite arrangement with regard to the exact location of the links have been made, but it is thought that the old Stockton place, Springdale, would admirably answer every requirement.

Springdale contains about two hundred and forty acres and stretches from the Theological Seminary to Stony Brook, and from the Olden farm to Canal street. If this property is selected, it will bring the links within easy reach of the members of the University as well as the townspeople. The old Stockton farm house would be altered in such a way as to render it suitable for a club house, and the promoters of the scheme are confident that with a few changes both the house and the grounds can be made eminently servicable and attractive.

While the movement is, of course, a private enterprise, representatives of the interests of the University have been assured that the students will be afforded every convenience and all possible inducements to use the links. The grounds will be but little further from the campus than the Brokaw Athletic Field.